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Outlaws are state soccer champions

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The Outlaws played with heart and determination, and bested undefeated, No. 1-seeded Stayton 2-1 in the state championship game held in Hillsboro on Saturday, November 14.

Sisters took a 1-0 lead in the 22nd minute. Colton Mannhalter broke through two defenders, separated himself, went one-on-one with the keeper, and took a shot that found the back of the net.

The game went back-and-forth, and toward the end of the first half Sisters started to really control possession of the ball.

“It was a big game, and we definitely had some nerves out there on the field,” said Coach Rob Jensen. “The guys really started to get comfortable at the end of the half.”

The Outlaws held a slim 1-0 lead at the half.

In the second half, Sisters controlled possession the majority of the time. In the



PHOTO BY JERRY BALDOCK

Jadon Bachtold with a defensive header for the Outlaws boys soccer team at the 2015 State Championship Game.

64th minute the Outlaws had a breakaway opportunity. Jadon Bachtold went one-on-one with the keeper, but

the Stayton goalie made an outstanding save. The Eagles put on a counter-attack, and scored in the 65th minute to

tie it up 1-1.

“Our defense got shifted

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Sisters fire station burglarized

On the evening of November 10, the Sisters-Camp Sherman Fire District Station 703, located in the Squaw Creek Canyon Estates subdivision, was burglarized. Thieves stole approximately \$17,000 worth of life-saving and firefighting equipment.

Equipment stolen includes chainsaws, automated defibrillators, a thermal-imaging camera and GPS units.

“The equipment that was stolen is critical to our mission of protecting lives and property,” said Deputy Chief Tim Craig.

While the loss to the district is significant, the station is still in service and able to respond to all emergencies, Craig reported.

“We were able to transfer equipment from lesser-used

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City approves some code changes

By Sue Stafford
Correspondent

With unanimous approval regarding changes to the code regulating business licenses, Sisters City Council inched forward in efforts to clean up several municipal codes regarding conducting business and holding events in Sisters.

Two other amendments were approved, but with split votes, requiring a second reading at the next Council meeting, before the approval is final.

The business license Ordinance No. 463 clarified the types of licenses available and how they impact different types of businesses. For

example, if someone has a home-based business inside city limits, and they are not simply an employee of someone else’s business, they are required to have a business license.

If, however, they are employed by a business owned by someone else, and simply conduct that business from their own home, no license is required.

A home business located outside the city limits, but doing business inside the city, must have a Sisters business license.

The business license code modifications were made to

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Sisters honors its veterans

By Jim Cornelius
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Sisters schools go all-out to honor the community’s military veterans. For years, the leadership group at Sisters High School has hosted veterans for breakfast to commemorate Veterans Day, following that informal event with an assembly. Sisters Middle School also holds an assembly honoring veterans, and Sisters Christian Academy and Sisters Elementary School host their own events.

The object is both to show respect to generations of men and women who served their country in the armed services, and to educate students on the service ethic and the sacrifices it entails.

This year, a Sisters veteran



PHOTO BY TOM COLLIER

World War II veteran John Turner, with wife Barbara, served as grand marshal in Bend’s Veterans Day Parade.

was also honored in Bend’s observances. Captain John Turner, a World War II veteran, was grand marshal of Bend’s Veterans Day parade.

In launching the SHS Veterans Day observances,

Principal Joe Hosang, himself a U.S. Marine, noted that veterans “possess courage, pride, selflessness — all the qualities needed to serve

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