

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Letters to Santa

You may drop off letters to Santa at Santa’s mailbox at the Chamber office, 291 E. Main Ave. Make sure your name and address are noted so Santa may write back. Monday, December 21 is the last drop-off day. For more information call the Chamber at 541-549-0251.

See’s Candy from Kiwanis

The Kiwanis Club of Sisters is holding their annual See’s Candy sales fundraiser out of a trailer in the Ray’s Food Place parking lot, now through Thursday, December 31 (or until it sells out!) from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily (with a half-day on Thanksgiving, and closed Christmas Day). Profits raised provide scholarships and career-change assistance, and go to other Kiwanis service projects, all in our community. Questions? Call 541-588-6255.

Christmas Concerts

Sisters High Desert Chorale, along with the High Desert Bell Choir and Sisters Children’s Choir, present their annual Christmas concerts at Sisters Community Church on Friday, December 18 at 7 p.m. and Sunday, December 20 at 2:30 p.m. No admission (free-will offering taken), with treats at intermission! Questions? Please call Irene Liden at 541-549-1037 or visit sistershighdesertchorale.com.

“Appy” Hour

On Thursday, December 3 from 5 to 7 p.m., you can get help with eReaders, eBooks, and more in a session at Cork Cellars, on the corner of Cascade and Pine. Presented by the Sisters Library with librarian Paige Bentley-Flannery conducting. For more info call the library at 541-312-1072.

The Library Book Club

Read and discuss “The Black Hour” by Lori Rader-Day with other thoughtful readers at the Sisters Library on Wednesday, December 2. The book club runs from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Questions? Please contact Paige at 541-617-7078 or paigeb@deschuteslibrary.org.

Pajama Parties for Kids

Tuesday nights at 6:30 p.m., kids from birth to age 5 are invited to the Sisters Library for evening story time with songs, rhymes, crafts and PJs! Parents or caregivers must attend and are encouraged to participate in all the activities. For more info call the library, 541-312-1072.

Flag Football Game for All

The Stephen Connolly Memorial Flag Football game will be held Thanksgiving Day (Thursday, November 26) from 9 to 10 a.m. at the Sisters Middle School practice fields. All are welcome! For additional information call 541-390-3795.

Make Christmas Crafts!

All ages are invited for a fun, free, family time of making crafts and memories. Have a family photo taken, make a fresh wreath or swag, make ornaments, bird houses and more! The “make-it-and-take-it” event takes place Sunday, December 6 from 2 to 4 p.m. at Sisters Church of the Nazarene, 67130 Harrington Loop Rd. For more info go to sistersnaz.org or call 541-647-4838.

Digital Downloads Lab

Wednesday, December 9 from 9:30 to 11 a.m. at the Sisters Library, a free open lab is offered where you can get help on eReaders, eBooks, digital music, magazines and more. Registration is recommended by calling 541-312-1072.

Remember the Book Corner for Christmas Gifts

Come Christmas shopping at the Friends of the Sisters Library Book Corner sale, beginning on “Black Saturday” and continuing through December. Gently used books are now 4 for the price of 3, with tons of like-new books perfect for gifts, even CDs, DVDs and books on tape. And specially priced books detail the history of Sisters! Located at the northwest corner of the Sisters library. Info: 541-588-6077.

Calling all Corgis

Calling All Corgis to walk with the Corgi Express wagon team in the Sisters Christmas Parade, November 28! Email Ann at corgis4us@gmail.com for details or call 541-815-4546.

Volunteer for Technical Advisory Committee

The City invites those interested to apply for the Community Assets Technical Advisory Committee to advance two project concepts identified by the committee as feasible: a Field House, and Combination Project (to include a convention center with winter sports park & arts/science/history building). Applications are at City Hall or www.ci.sisters.or.us; accepted until Friday, November 27. Questions? Kathy, 541-323-5213 or knelson@ci.sisters.or.us.

Know Melodies!

With the holidays approaching, everyone is invited to take a break from the hustle and bustle and enjoy musical performances at the Deschutes Public Library branches. At noon on Saturday, December 5, the Sisters High Desert Bell Choir will perform beautiful music at the Sisters Library, free! For info call 541-312-1032 or go to deschuteslibrary.org.

Snow Sport Donations Needed for Ski Team

The Outlaw Alpine Ski Team Rummage Sale, to be held Saturday, December 12, seeks snow sport donations for the sale. Have you outgrown your skis, board, boots, poles, sleds or clothes? Donate items to the ski club; the club will pick up at your convenience! Proceeds will benefit the SHS Alpine Ski Team. For more info call Margaret at 541-419-4467.

Warren Miller Ski Movie

The 66th annual Warren Miller film lands at the Sisters High School auditorium on Saturday, December 12 at 7 p.m. The film highlights fantastic skiing, winter exploration, premier cinematography and excitement for winter sports. The showing is a benefit for the Sisters High School Ski Team, and includes a ski equipment sale, Hoodoo season pass raffle, free Thursday Hoodoo tickets and prizes. Concessions will be sold by the Outlaw Booster Club. Tickets at the door: \$15 adults, \$12 students. Questions? Call Greg at 541-815-0060.

Holiday Pet Food Drive

Sisters Cardiostart Resale Thrift Store, located in the Three Wind Shopping Center, is collecting non-perishable pet food for dogs and cats to benefit the Furry Friends Foundation annual holiday pet food drive. Info: 541-549-6105.

Alateen in Sisters

Alateen meetings take place at 7 p.m. every Thursday at The Episcopal Church of the Transfiguration. These meetings are for teens affected by the alcohol or substance abuse of someone in their life, to be able talk with other teens in a safe and confidential setting. For questions on the meeting call 541-549-1527; for Alateen info go to al-anon.org/for-alateen.

Annual Holiday Faire for Three Sisters Lions Club

Three Sisters Lions Club’s 5th annual fundraising holiday faire will open on Friday, November 27 at a new location: 352 E. Hood Ave. (at Hood and Spruce, behind Happy Wok). Hours will be from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, and until 6 p.m. Saturday. Sunday hours are 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. The faire will run through Sunday, December 20. For vendor or other information, call Sue at 206-850-5352.

Paso by Paso Giving Tree

Paso by Paso Rehabilitation and Education program for neglected and abused horses now has their annual Giving Tree at Sisters Feed & Supply. Paso will be selling handmade items at the tree on Fridays and Saturdays from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. though December 19. For info call 541-318-4829.

Gingerbread Engineering

On Saturday, December 12 at 10 a.m. at the Sisters Library, ages 9 to 17 are invited to join the STEAM Team (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Math) and work on structural engineering with gingerbread houses. For info: 541-312-1072.

Family Fun Story Times

Family Fun Story Times for kids birth through 5 are held at the Sisters Library every Thursday at 10:30 a.m. and feature interactive songs, rhymes, and crafts. Caregivers must attend with the child and are encouraged to participate! For more information call the library at 541-312-1072.

Annual Art Exhibit Update

Entries for the Sisters Library annual art exhibit will not be taken until January; however, information and invitations may be picked up at the library. Questions? Call 541-549-9552.

Senior Lunches and More

Meet your fellow seniors at the Sisters Senior Luncheon! Lunch is served every Tuesday at noon at Sisters Community Church with a \$3.50 suggested donation for those over 60. The espresso hour runs 11 a.m. to noon, and BINGO is played after lunch until 2:30 p.m. A free blood pressure clinic is offered the last Tuesday of the month from 11 a.m. to noon. For info, call 541-678-5483.

Auditions December 1 for Sisters Holiday Showcase

Local talent? You’re invited to audition for the 2nd Annual Sisters Holiday Showcase! Auditions will be held Tuesday, December 1 from 6 to 8 p.m. in the Sisters High School Choir Room, and the show takes place at Sisters High School on Friday, December 11. Acts must be winter or holiday themed. The festive event benefits the SHS Jazz Choir. For more info or to schedule your audition call 541-549-4045 x1015.

Career Funds Available

Applications are available for the Sisters Kiwanis Career Opportunity Fund to help adult residents of Sisters establish an occupational path. You may pick up forms at the Kiwanis House, corner of Oak Street and Main Avenue from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Thursdays, and during regular hours from the Sisters Habitat for Humanity office. Info, call 541-410-2870.

Pet of the Week



MARA is a beautiful 3-1/2-yr-old shorthaired kitty who is patiently waiting to find a loving, forever home. This girl is sweet as pie and gets along with just about everyone! She’s been around kids, dogs, and other cats and has done well with them all. Mara is hoping for a home where she can be an inside-only family member.

Call the Humane Society of Central Oregon at 541-382-3537

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Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church (ELCA) 386 N. Fir Street • 541-549-5831 10 a.m. Sunday Worship shepherdofthehillslutheranchurch.com	The Episcopal Church of the Transfiguration 68825 Brooks Camp Road • 541-549-7087 8:30 a.m. Ecumenical Sunday Worship 10:15 a.m. Episcopal Sunday Worship Sunday School and childcare at both services
Sisters Community Church (Nondenom.) 1300 W. McKenzie Hwy. • 541-549-1201 10 a.m. Sunday Worship (with signing) sisterschurch.com info@sisterschurch.com	Sisters Church of the Nazarene 67130 Harrington Loop Road • 541-389-8960 10:45 a.m. Sunday Worship sistersnaz.org
St. Edward the Martyr Roman Catholic Church 123 Trinity Way • 541-549-9391 5:30 p.m. Saturday Vigil Mass 9 a.m. Sunday Mass 8 a.m. Monday-Friday Mass	Westside Church - Sisters Campus 442 Trinity Way • 541-382-7504 westsidechurch.org 9 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. Sunday Worship
Calvary Chapel (Nondenom.) 484 W. Washington St., Ste. C & D • 541-588-6288 10 a.m. Sunday Worship	Vast Church (Nondenom.) 1700 W. McKinney Butte (Sisters High School) • 541-719-0587 9:37 a.m. Sunday Worship vastchurch.com
New Hope Christian Center (Assembly of God) 222 Trinity Way • 541-549-2277 10:30 a.m. Sunday Worship sistersnewhopechristiancenter.com	Seventh-Day Adventist Church 386 N. Fir Street • 541-595-6770, 541-306-8303 11 a.m. Saturday Worship
Chapel in the Pines Camp Sherman • 541-549-9971 10 a.m. Sunday Worship	The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints 68885 Trinity Way • 541-977-2766, 541-549-4587, 541-549-1385 10 a.m. Sunday Sacrament Meeting
	Baha’i Faith Meetings Devotional Gatherings, Study Classes and Discussion Groups. Call for location and times • 541-549-6586

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CUNDIFF & WERNER WED

Jamie Lynn Cundiff and Jeffrey Ryan Werner were married on September 19, 2015 in Aspen, Colorado. Jamie is the daughter of Gary and Shirleen Cundiff of Sisters, Oregon. Jamie graduated from Sisters High School in 2002. She attended Stanford University in Palo Alto, CA where she received her Bachelor of Science degree in Geological and Environmental Science in 2006. Jeff is the son of Elizabeth Smith and Kurt Werner, both of Auburn, New York. Jeff graduated from Auburn High School in 2002 and graduated from Vassar College in Poughkeepsie, NY where he received a Bachelor



of Science degree in geology in 2006. The couple spent their honeymoon in Maui, Hawaii and are back home in Aspen, Colorado.

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