

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Live Old-time Radio Shows

On Thursday, December 17 at 7 p.m. at The Belfry, the players of Sisters Classic Old-Time Radio Experience (SCORE) will perform live-radio broadcasts from the classic radio shows "Father Knows Best" and "The Plot to Overthrow Christmas." They will be joined by the Bend radio group Jigawatts, performing an episode from the 1940s radio detective drama "Pat Novak, for Hire." Many of the sound effects will be created right on stage. Doors open at 6 p.m. Donation gladly accepted at the door! Questions, call 541-548-0601.

## 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 at 7 p.m. Friday, December 18 and at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, December 20. No admission (a free-will offering is taken), with treats at intermission! Questions? Call Irene at 541-549-1037 or visit sistershighdesertchorale.com.

## Book Corner Christmas Sale!

The Sisters Library Book Corner is holding a Christmas Sale through December 26 with gently used books perfect for gift-giving. Books are current and often look brand new; now selling 4 for the price of 3! There are also CDs, DVDs and books on tape. The Book Corner is open Tuesdays and Saturdays, 1 to 3 p.m. (closed Tuesday, December 29 only). A new collection of children's books will be available on Saturday, December 12! For more information contact Lynne Wood at 541-588-6077.

## Music, Movement & Stories

Children ages 3 to 5 (with their parents or caregivers) are invited to the Sisters Library on Wednesday, December 30 at 10:30 a.m. for a fun session of movement, music and stories, all designed to develop skills. For more information call the library at 541-312-1072.

## Change Your Life, Pursue Your Passion

All are invited to a free support group meeting at the Sisters Library on Monday, December 21 at 7:30 p.m. The group meets monthly. Questions, call local host A'Journe Spyker, 360-216-6095 or go online to LiveYourLegend.net.

## 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. For additional information call 541-410-2870.

## 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 Friday and Saturday, December 18 and 19, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. For more info call 541-318-4829.

## Holiday Singing Grams

The Sisters High School Jazz Choir will offer holiday singing grams on Thursday, December 17. The choir will drive to a destination within 10 minutes of the high school campus and serenade someone special, or will make a singing phone call. Singing Grams are \$15 first song (\$5 each additional) or \$5 per song on the SHS campus or via phone. To schedule, email rick.johnson@sisters.k12.or.us or call Rick at 541-549-4045.

## 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.

## December Board Meeting Change for BBR RFPD

Due to the Christmas Holiday, the regularly scheduled board meeting of the Black Butte Ranch RFPD will be held one week earlier, on Thursday, December 17 at 9 a.m. It returns to the 4th Thursday of the month in January 2016. For additional information, please call 541-595-2288.

## 4th Annual Solstice Walk

All are invited to the annual solstice walking meditation at the Sisters Community Labyrinth Monday, December 21. Gather at 4:30 p.m. and walk at 5 p.m. Bring a candle in a jar and a stone (4" or 5"), warm clothes, and a headlamp if desired for this time of reflection and welcoming the return of the light. Instructions will be provided. The labyrinth is located at the Forest Service East Portal across from Les Schwab. For more information call Sharlene 541-420-3014.

## Annual Holiday Faire for Three Sisters Lions Club

Three Sisters Lions Club's 5th annual fundraising holiday faire is in its final week! It is located at 352 E. Hood Ave. Hours are 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 runs through this Sunday, December 20. For additional information call Sue at 206-850-5352.

## 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.

## 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 in all the fun activities! For additional information call the library at 541-312-1072.

## Christmas Dinner for the Sisters Community

All are invited to the annual, traditional Christmas Day meal, sponsored by the Sisters-Camp Sherman Rural Fire Protection District. The meal will be served beginning at 1 p.m. on Friday, December 25 at the Sisters Fire Hall. Questions? Please call 541-549-0771.

## Snow Party!

The Sisters Library invites all ages to the library on Saturday, December 19 at noon for snow crafts, plus an awesome New Year's countdown! For more information call 541-312-1072.

## Heart of Oregon Mentors

Inspire change and help our youth build a future by becoming a mentor with Heart of Oregon Corps, located in Sisters. HOC provides opportunities for young adults ages 16 to 24, empowering them to make positive changes through jobs, education, and stewardship. Learn more by contacting Amanda or Jennifer at 541-526-1380 or visit HOC at 68797 George Cyrus Rd.

## Pet of the Week



**KYLIE** is a sweet 1-year-old Chihuahua mix who was surrendered to the shelter when her owner became homeless. Kylie warms up quickly, but will need positive training to help build her social skills. She loves to crawl into your lap and hang out. Come meet this girl today!

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

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541-549-2275

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541-549-8836

## Community Dinner and Outlaws BINGO

On Monday, January 11, all are invited to Sisters High School for a night hosted by Sisters Park & Recreation District and Outlaws Together. From 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., enjoy a delicious dinner for just \$2 per plate! Bingo then begins at 6:30 p.m., \$15 for 11 games. Great prizes, with a grand prize of an iPad Mini 3! For more info contact Tim Roth at 541-549-4050 or tim.roth@sisters.k12.or.us.

## Letters to Santa

Drop off letters by Monday, December 21 to Santa's mailbox at the Chamber office on Main Ave. Note your name and address so Santa may write back! Info, call 541-549-0251.

## Holiday Pet Food Drive

Sisters Cardiostart Resale Thrift Store is collecting non-perishable pet food for dogs and cats to benefit the Furry Friends holiday pet food drive. For info call 541-549-6105.

## Christmas Services & Celebrations

### Christmas Eve with Vast Church

Vast Church invites the community to a Christmas Eve service at Fir Street Park, beginning at 4 p.m. It will include the Christmas story, hot cocoa, singing of Christmas songs and candle-lighting. For more info call 541-719-0587 or go to vastchurch.com.

### Christmas Services at Sisters Community Church

Everyone is invited to Sisters Community Church this Sunday, December 20 for a Christmas celebration service at 10 a.m., and to a Christmas Eve candle-lighting service from 5 to 6 p.m. on Thursday, December 24. For information call the church, 541-549-1201.

### Christmas Services at St. Edward the Martyr

St. Edward the Martyr Roman Catholic Church presents the Christmas liturgy schedule: Christmas Eve, 5:30 p.m. and 8 p.m. Vigil Mass; Christmas Day, 10 a.m. Mass; New Year's Eve, Solemnity of Mary Mother of God Vigil Mass, 5:30 p.m.; and New Year's Day, Mass at Dawn at 10 a.m. For more information call 541-549-9391 or go to stedwardsisters.org.

### Christmas Eve in Camp Sherman

All are welcome to the Chapel in the Pines Christmas Eve Service, which will be held at the Camp Sherman Community Hall (Forest Service Road 1419). There will be music, the Christmas Story, and gifts for the children! The service begins at 7 p.m. on Thursday, December 24. Questions? Contact Kathi at 541-549-9971 or kathibeacham@gmail.com.

### Shepherd of the Hills Christmas Services

Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church presents a Christmas carol worship service Sunday, December 20 at 10 a.m., and a traditional Christmas Eve candlelight service Thursday, December 24 at 9 p.m. All are welcome! Info: 541-549-5831.

### Episcopal Church Christmas Services

On Christmas Eve, Thursday, December 24, The Episcopal Church of the Transfiguration invites everyone to a 4 p.m. family service with Holy Eucharist, and a traditional service with Holy Eucharist at 9 p.m. Childcare will be provided at both. For more information call 541-549-7087.

### Christmas Eve at Sisters Church of the Nazarene

All are invited to a special Christmas Eve service geared for the whole family at Sisters Church of the Nazarene. The special candlelight service on Thursday, December 24 features songs, stories, puppets and more and begins at 6 p.m. The church is located at 67130 Harrington Loop Road, off Gist Road. Info, call or text 541-647-4838 or go to sistersnaz.org.

### Celebrate Recovery Christmas Eve Celebration

On December 24 only, Celebrate Recovery will meet in the Fireside Room at Sisters Community Church at 7 p.m. Anyone struggling with hurts, hang-ups, or habits is welcome to come to this Christ-centered recovery meeting, sponsored by Sisters-area churches. Regular Thursday meetings are at 7 p.m. at Westside Church-Sisters. Info, call 541-389-6859.

## SISTERS AREA CHURCHES

**Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church (ELCA)**  
386 N. Fir Street • 541-549-5831  
10 a.m. Sunday Worship  
shepherdofthehillslutheranchurch.com

**Sisters Community Church (Nondenom.)**  
1300 W. McKenzie Hwy. • 541-549-1201  
10 a.m. Sunday Worship (with signing)  
sisterschurch.com | info@sisterschurch.com

**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

**Calvary Chapel (Nondenom.)**  
484 W. Washington St., Ste. C & D • 541-588-6288  
10 a.m. Sunday Worship

**New Hope Christian Center (Assembly of God)**  
222 Trinity Way • 541-549-2277  
10:30 a.m. Sunday Worship  
sistersnewhopechristiancenter.com

**Chapel in the Pines**  
Camp Sherman • 541-549-9971  
10 a.m. Sunday Worship

**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 Church of the Nazarene**  
67130 Harrington Loop Road • 541-389-8960 | sistersnaz.org  
10:45 a.m. Sunday Worship | 2sistersnaz@gmail.com

**Westside Church - Sisters Campus**  
442 Trinity Way • 541-382-7504 | westsidechurch.org  
9 a.m. and 10:45 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

**Seventh-Day Adventist Church**  
386 N. Fir Street • 541-595-6770, 541-306-8303  
11 a.m. Saturday 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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