

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mr. SHS Pasta Feed

The annual fundraising pasta feed for the Mr. SHS Pageant will take place at Sisters Community Church on Sunday, February 21 at 6 p.m. Tickets are \$5 per person (under 5 free). Cakes created by the contestants and escorts will be auctioned off, and there will be an auction for three hours of service provided by the contestants. For more info call SHS at 541-549-4045.

Science Club Presentation

At The Belfry on Tuesday, February 23 at 6 p.m., Sisters Science Club sponsors Jon Renner, presenting "Science and Society." \$5 (but free to students, teachers, and club donors). Note: this is corrected information from that previously published. For more information call 541-549-8374 or go to sistersscienceclub.org.

Child Car Seat Checkup

The Sisters-Camp Sherman RFPD will host a child car seat checkup on Saturday, March 5 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Sisters Fire Hall. Seats will be checked for recalls and proper fit for both vehicle and child. Bring your children and plan on spending at least 20 minutes at the event. Note: all children shorter than 4'9" should have their own car seat. Questions? Please call 541-549-0771.

Open Computer Labs

Every Tuesday from 10 a.m. to noon at the Sisters Library, all are welcome to practice computer skills and get help with specific problems at the library's open computer lab. Questions? Call 541-312-1072.

All Veterans Invited!

Sisters VFW Post 8138 and American Legion Post 86 meet the first Wednesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. at Sisters City Hall. All veterans in the Sisters area are encouraged to join. For more info call Lance Trowbridge at 541-903-1123 or Bill Anttila at 541-549-1132.

Career Funds Available

The Sisters Kiwanis Career Opportunity Fund helps adult residents of Sisters establish an occupational path. Pick up an application 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.

Bottle & Can Drive for Furry Friends Foundation

Furry Friends Foundation can use your *redeemable* bottles and cans. Help us raise funds by dropping them off (*in closed plastic bags, please*) to the blue recycle bins on the front west porch at The Nugget. NOTE: They *MUST* be labeled with OR 5¢ – if not, please take them to the recycle center on Sisters Park Drive. For more information call 541-549-9941.

Spinners/Weavers Group

The Central Oregon Spinners and Weavers Guild will meet at the Sisters Library on Saturday, February 27 from 1 to 4 p.m. The topic to be discussed will be "Designing with Color." All fiber enthusiasts are welcome to attend! For additional information call 541-639-3217.

Coffee House for the Arts

All are invited to the 19th annual Coffee House at Sisters High School, Monday, February 22, 7 to 9 p.m. Enjoy art demos and live entertainment from the high school music programs. Warm up with coffee and cookies; enjoy hands-on creation stations including the pottery wheel (for all ages). A silent auction and student art proceeds benefit SHS Arts programs and the Senior Visual Arts Scholarship. \$5 at the door. Info, call 541-549-4045.

Open Studios at Caldera

Caldera invites the community to meet the 2016 Artists in Residence at an Open Studio event on Saturday, February 27 from 1 to 3 p.m. at Blue Lake. The Caldera Arts Center is at 31500 Blue Lake Dr.; take the Suttle Lake entrance. Free, and no RSVP is required. For more information call 541-595-0956 or go to calderaarts.org.

CPR and First Aid Class

The Sisters-Camp Sherman Fire Department will offer the American Heart Association "Heartsaver" First Aid and CPR class on Monday, March 14 from 9 a.m. to about 4 p.m. at the Sisters Fire Hall. Cost is \$10 (\$15 if you require the AHA certification card). Log on to sistersfire.com and select the "CPR" tab, or stop by the Sisters Fire Hall to register and get information. Questions? Call Gail Butler, 541-595-5712.

Starry Nights Presents an Evening with Karla Bonoff

As a benefit for the Sisters Schools Foundation, Karla Bonoff performs at The Belfry on Sunday, April 3. Wine, appetizers and a silent auction begin at 6 p.m. with the concert at 7 p.m. There will be after-concert desserts and coffee with the artist. \$75 per person. Tickets go on sale February 15 at 8 a.m. at sistersstarrynights.org or call 541-549-6299 for more info.

Family Fun Story Times

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

Register for Little League

Early registration for Sisters Little League is taking place now through February 29 at Sisters Park & Recreation District, and includes a free skills camp (\$60 value!). Cost of registration goes up \$10 after February 29; final deadline is March 16. Umpires, coaches, volunteers and sponsors are also being sought. Questions, call Kyle Fischer, 503-816-7576 or go to sisterslittleleague.org.

Join the Chorale!

Every Monday from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church, Sisters High Desert Chorale rehearses for the annual spring concert. No auditions, and all voices welcome! Join in the fun of singing good music! Questions? Contact Irene at 541-549-1037 or lidenmezzo@gmail.com.

Presentation on Concussions in Sports

The Sisters High School Athletic Department and Sisters Science Club host Dr. Robert Collins when he presents "Concussions in School Sports" at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, February 24 at the Sisters High School gym. Free, and all are welcome, but attendance is *required for all players and families in spring sports at SHS*. For more information contact Tim Roth at 541-549-4045.

Home Repair Programs

NeighborImpact and Sisters Habitat for Humanity invite the community to a learn about programs for weatherization and home repair. Free services for weatherization, low-interest and no-interest home repair loans, and lots of information on energy savings will be presented on Wednesday, March 2 at 6 p.m. at the Sisters Library. For details call Sisters Habitat at 541-549-1193.

Kiwanis Seeks Donations

Sisters Kiwanis seeks donations for its annual Antiques, Collectibles and "Bling" Sale on May 28. The sale features jewelry, and all types (even broken pieces) are welcome. Furniture, art, and collectibles are also needed. Jewelry and small boxes can be dropped off at Essentials (492 E. Main Ave.); for drop-off or pickup or larger items call Dan, 805-235-6307, or Roger, 541-430-7395. Your donation is tax-deductible and proceeds support Sisters organizations and scholarships.

Women's Cancer Support

Sisters Cancer Support Group will meet at 10 a.m. on Thursday, February 25 at Sisters City Hall (conference room B). Physical Therapist Marlene Dumas will discuss strain and counter-strain. For more information call Jan at 541-549-2015, Marilyn at 541-382-4492, or Maggie at 541-815-8131.

"Better Half" Marathon

Registration is now open for the 5th Annual Sisters Better Half Marathon. Proceeds from the race on Saturday, April 23 go to the Sisters High School swim team. There are three event distances, and catering by Three Creeks Brewing Co. Visit www.sistershalfmarathon.com or call Bryn at 541-549-1171.

The Library Book Club

Read and discuss "Snow Flower and the Secret Fan" by Lisa See, an *Author! Author! Literary Series* selection, with other thoughtful readers at the Sisters Library on Wednesday, February 24. The book club runs from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Questions? Please contact Paige at 541-617-7078 or paigeb@deschuteslibrary.org.

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 calling 541-526-1380 or visit them at Heart of Oregon at 68797 George Cyrus Rd.

Pajama Parties for Kids

Every Tuesday evening 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. For additional information call 541-312-1072.

Senior Luncheon 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 additional information, please call 541-678-5483.

Winter Women's Event

At Sisters Community Church on Saturday, February 20 from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., "Spice Up Your Life" includes demos on using spices in food, along with life application. A light lunch is included. Free, but reservations are requested at 541-549-1201 or info@sisterschurch.com.



Meet **GABBY!** She's a 7-year-old domestic shorthair who can be a little shy at first, but as soon as she warms up to you she's a very sweet, loving, playful kitty! Gabby has lived with cats and dogs in the past and gotten along well with them; however, recently she's been the only animal in the home, so it's recommended that she be slowly introduced to other furry family members. Come meet her at the shelter today!

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

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FREE CAT TO GOOD HOME: "SOX" is a black-and-white, 8-year-old neutered male, an outdoor/indoor cat. He is litter-box-trained, chipped, and very friendly! We must find a new home for him by the end of February. Please call Leah at 541-595-8488.

Lost or found a pet in the area? Call HSCO, 541-382-3537; BrightSide, 541-923-0882; Des. Co. Animal Control, 541-388-6596; Sisters Vet Clinic, 541-549-6961; Black Butte Vet Clinic, 541-549-1837; Broken Top Vet Clinic, 541-389-0391; CRAFT, 541-389-8420.

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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