

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SHS Food Carts

One day only, Wednesday, February 24, students of the Sisters High School Culinary Arts class (headed by TR McCrystal) present a food fair with food carts in the school commons. The students have created business plans and food items to sell from 11:30 a.m. to noon. The carts will be open to the public; come in for lunch and support the students. For information call 541-549-4045.

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.

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.

Mr. SHS Pageant

All are invited to the Sisters High School auditorium on Friday, March 4 at 7 p.m. when the 2016 Mr. SHS pageant takes place, and this year's Mr. SHS is crowned! The popular, annual event is a fundraiser for Sisters Family Access Network. For more info contact Matt Bradley at 541-549-4045.

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.

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.

Family Fun Story Time

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.

Open Barn Day at Harmony Farm Sanctuary

Harmony Farm Sanctuary will have an Open Barn Day on Saturday, February 27 from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at 16054 Perit Huntington Rd. They invite the community to come take a look at the farm, learn about their mission, and meet the animals! For more information call 541-390-2769.

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.

Mentors Needed!

Circle of Friends has children in Sisters waiting for a mentor. Can you invest time in the life of a child? For additional information call 541-588-6445 or email debbie@acircleof friendsoregon.com, or learn more about the program at acircleoffriendsoregon.com.

Learn Nutrition Myths

Dr. Julie Hood Gonsalves, professor of human biology at COCC, will discuss common myths of nutrition on Sunday, March 6 from 1:30 to 3 p.m. in the Sister Library community room. This is the third in this year's Diane Jacobsen Speaker Series sponsored by Friends of the Sisters Library. For more information call 541-549-2107.

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! Questions? Contact Irene at 541-549-1037 or lidenmezzo@gmail.com.

Student Art at the Library

During the month of March, art on display at the Sisters Library features work by students from Sisters Elementary, Middle and High schools, and Sisters Christian Academy. The exhibit is sponsored by Friends of the Sisters Library. Questions? Call Paul Bennett at 541-588-0156.

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.

Sisters Pathfinders ...

... are seeking open hearts for a spiritual discussion. All are invited to join the group for its first meeting tonight, February 24 at 7 p.m. at Suttle Tea, 450 E. Cascade Ave. For more info call or text Jenny at 541-706-1509 or Lani at 541-588-0927.

Lego® Block Party

Build! Read! Play! On Saturday, February 27 from 10 a.m. to noon, all ages are invited to the Sisters Library to join other builders and a gazillion Legos! For additional information, please contact the Sisters Library at 541-312-1072.

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.

Horse Obstacle Course

The nonprofit Mustangs to the Rescue presents an obstacle course practice & tack donation drop-off on Saturday, March 12, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Rolling M Ranch, 69516 Hinkle Butte Dr. \$10 per person to cover insurance, with extra proceeds supporting the horses. RSVP if interested: call 541-330-8943 or email info@mustangstotherescue.org. Note: weather permitting!

Sisters Solo Club

A newcomers club is forming for those new to the area, or for those wanting to recreate with others. Share your passions (hiking, biking, activities with your dogs, dinner, social activities) with others! Interested in helping to organize the group? Forward your name and contact info to sistersoloclub@gmail.com or call 503-332-2114 to discuss.

"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.

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.

Pajama Party 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.

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.

Open Computer Lab

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.

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.

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 (next meeting, March 2). 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.

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.



LILY is a sweet 3-year-old bull terrier/Australian kelpie mix. She was surrendered when her family moved and couldn't take her along. Lily is a little shy at first, but warms up in no time. She's playful, energetic, and housetrained. She has lived primarily indoors and would love to find a home where the situation remains the same. Lily has lived with kids and dogs and seems to do well with both. Come meet her!

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

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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