

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Horse Obstacle Course

The nonprofit Mustangs to the Rescue presents an obstacle course practice & tack donation drop-off on Saturday, April 9, 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.

Smoke Alarm Assistance

On Saturday, April 16 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., the Sisters-Camp Sherman RFPD will visit homes in the Crossroads subdivision to help homeowners maintain their smoke alarms. Please call 541-549-0771 to schedule an appointment, or for additional information.

Grandparent Support Group

Together For Children's Grandparent Support group will be start again on Friday, April 8 at 10:15 a.m. at SPRD and run for six more weeks on Thursdays, 10:15 to 11:45 a.m. If you are raising a grandchild of any age, come for support, tips, and ideas to make your experience more rewarding. Info, call Edie at 541-389-8057.

The Library Book Club

Read and discuss "Euphoria" by Lily King with other thoughtful readers at the Sisters Library on Wednesday, April 27. The library book club runs from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Questions? Contact Paige at 541-617-7078 or paigeb@deschuteslibrary.org.

"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.

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 with others! Interested in helping to organize the group? Forward your contact info to sistersoloclub@gmail.com or call 503-332-2114 to discuss.

Citizens4Community Upcoming Meeting

Citizens4Community is holding quarterly meetings with presentations, information sessions, and skill-building workshops. The next session is on Wednesday, April 27 from 5 to 8 p.m. at the Sisters Fire Hall. Info: call 541-549-1482 or go to citizens4community.com.

Mentoring Program Offers Orientation Class

Central Oregon Partnerships for Youth, a Deschutes Co. Sheriff's Office program, prepares volunteers to become a mentor for a child with an incarcerated parent. Volunteers spend several hours a week with their child for a minimum 1-year commitment. COPY will offer a free, 6-hour training class on Saturday, April 16. For details call 541-388-6651, email copy@deschutes.org, or go to deschutes.org/copy.

"Appy" Hour

On Thursday, April 7 from 5 to 7 p.m. at Cork Cellars, the Sisters Library invites you to get help with eReaders, eBooks, and more. Snacks provided! For more info: 541-312-1072.

Sisters Garden Club

The next meeting of the Sisters Garden Club is at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday, April 9 at Sisters City Hall. Jared Lauzier will speak on building soil biologically. Guests are always welcome! For information call Larry at 541-549-6027 or go to sistersgardenclub.com.

Men's Retreat

Men are invited to enjoy a weekend of fun and fellowship at the Wild Horse Canyon Washington Family Ranch, Friday-Sunday, April 22-24. Included will be speakers, worship, fishing, hiking, pool, swimming, zip-line, go-carts, basketball, volleyball, ping-pong and Frisbee golf! For additional information call Rick Cole at 541-420-6934 or Cort Horner at 541-771-2634.

Documentary on Teens

Sisters School District is hosting a free screening of Paper Tigers, a film that captures the pain, danger, and hopes of struggling teens and teachers armed with new science, and fresh approaches that are changing lives for the better. It will be shown at 6:15 p.m. Friday, April 22 in the Sisters High School auditorium. Light refreshments will be served at 6 p.m. (Note: not for younger audiences.) Questions? Call Brook Jackson at 541-549-2099 or the Sisters FAN office at 541-549-0155.

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! For more info call 541-312-1072.

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? Please call the library at 541-312-1072.

Women's Cancer Support

Sisters Women's Cancer Support Group will be meeting at 10 a.m. on Thursday, April 28 at Sisters City Hall (conference room B). For more information call Jan at 541-549-2015, Marilyn at 541-382-4492, or Maggie at 541-815-8131.

Pajama Party for Kids

Every Tuesday evening at the Sisters Library at 6:30 p.m., kids from birth to age 5 are invited to evening story time with songs, rhymes, crafts and PJs! Parents or caregivers must attend. For additional information call 541-312-1072.

Sponsor an Impoverished Child from Uganda

Hope Africa International, based in Sisters, has many children awaiting sponsorship! For more information visit www.hopeafricakids.org or call Katie Keran at 541-719-8727.

Parade Applications Online

Applications for the Sisters Rodeo Parade are available online at sistersodeo.com. The deadline to apply is Sunday, May 15. Questions? Please call Jeri at 541-588-0689 or email buckmann88@gmail.com.

Science Club Presentation

At The Belfry on Tuesday, April 26, Sisters Science Club presents Dr. Bob Collins, speaking on "The Science of Sound: Music and the Brain." The lecture is at 7 p.m. and \$5 (but free to students, teachers, and club donors). Doors open at 6 p.m. For additional information call 541-549-8374 or go to sistersscienceclub.org.

Stars Over Sisters Star Party

Learn about the night skies! Stargazers are invited to gather at the Sisters Park & Recreation District building on Saturday, April 30 at 8:30 p.m. for a free presentation and slide show. If weather then permits, plan on heading out to the SHS sports fields to observe the night sky through powerful telescopes. Info, call Ron at 541-549-8846.

Tour Seeks Gardens

The Sisters Garden Club is seeking homeowners who would allow their gardens to be part of this year's "Quilts in the Garden" tour on Thursday, July 7, during Quilt Show week. If you are interested in sharing your garden this year, please call Jane at 541-719-1290.

Digital Downloads Lab

On Wednesday, April 13 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. Space is limited, so registration is recommended at the library or by calling 541-312-1072.

Board Openings for the BBR Police Service District

The board of the Black Butte Ranch Police Service District will have two positions to fill effective July 1, 2016. Resident and non-resident property owners may apply; forms are at blackbutteranchpolice.com. Deadline is Friday, May 13. Drop off at the Police Dept. Terms are for three years and require attendance at monthly meetings. For additional information call 541-595-2191.

CPR and First Aid Class

The Sisters-Camp Sherman Fire Department will offer the American Heart Association "Heartsaver" First Aid and CPR class on Saturday, April 9 from 9 a.m. to about 4:30 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.

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.

103rd Birthday Party!

Chris Dalton is turning 103! The community is invited to help her celebrate on Sunday, April 10 from 2 to 4 p.m. at Sisters Community Church. For info call Roxanne, 541-280-2053.

Volunteers Sought for Sisters Stampede

The annual Sisters Stampede mountain bike race takes place this year on Sunday, May 29. Lots of help is needed for numerous positions, both on the day of the event, and the previous day, Saturday, May 28. If you'd like to be part of the festivities, please call Andrew at 503-866-8394.

Spinners/Weavers Group

The Central Oregon Spinners and Weavers Guild will meet at the Sisters Library on Saturday, April 23 from 1 to 4 p.m. and will discuss card weaving. All fiber enthusiasts are welcome! For info call 541-639-3217.

DOG OF THE WEEK

Humane Society of Central Oregon
541-382-3537



ALEX is an incredibly sweet 1.5-year-old shepherd mix. She was brought to HSCO after her owners were unable to keep her due to changes in their life. Alex is a smart, active gal who would make an excellent addition to a family looking for an adventure buddy. Alex can be a timid girl in new situations, and will need a home with no children younger than 12. Come meet her today!

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541-549-2202



CAT OF THE WEEK

BrightSide Animal Center
541-923-0882



SHUNEE knows what she wants and is quick to tell you what she doesn't want! This queen will allow a few pets on her head and shoulders (not too much on the back and tail, thanks!) and will talk to you at meal time to make sure you're serving her at the proper moment. Her perfect home will be one with only adults (and maybe other cats). Are you ready to serve at Her Majesty's pleasure?

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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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