

ANNOUNCEMENTS

All Veterans Invited!

Sisters VFW Post 8138 and American Legion Post 86 will meet Wednesday, October 5 at 6:30 p.m. at Sisters City Hall (and the first Wednesday of each month at that time). All veterans in the Sisters area are encouraged to join. Questions? Please call Lance at 541-903-1123 or Bill at 541-549-1132.

Sisters Garden Club

Sisters Garden Club will meet on Saturday, October 8 at Sisters City Hall at 9:30 a.m. Guest speaker Glenda Hyde will present "Preserving Your Harvest." All are welcome! For more info call 541-549-6027.

Stars Over Sisters Star Party

Stargazers are invited to gather at the Sisters Park & Recreation District building on Saturday, October 8 at 7 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.

CPR Training

Sisters-Camp Sherman RFPD will offer the AHA Heartsaver First Aid and CPR/AED class at the Sisters Fire Hall Saturday, October 15 from 9 a.m. to about 4:30 p.m. Class size is limited to 12, so register early. Log on to sistersfire.com and print the registration form from the CPR tab, or stop by the fire hall, 301 S. Elm St., to register. Questions? Call 541-595-5712.

SES Book Fair

The Sisters Elementary School Book Fair will be held at the school on October 13, 17 and 18 from 7:45 to 8:15 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., and on October 19, 8:45 to 9:30 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. to 8 p.m. (during conferences). All proceeds benefit the SES library. For more info call 707-599-5774.

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

On Thursday, October 27 at 10 a.m. at Sisters City Hall (conference room B), Sisters Cancer Support Group will meet, with guest speaker to be scheduled. Info: Jan at 541-549-2015, Marilyn at 541-382-4492, or Maggie at 541-815-8131.

Volunteers Needed

Native Bird Care of Sisters needs a variety of help, from handy-person tasks, to seamstresses, to bird-care tasks. Nothing high demand, infrequent, often task oriented. Call Elise, 541-728-8208 or go to www.nativebirdcare.org.

AARP Driver's Safety

AARP's Driver Safety Course, a classroom refresher for motorists 50 and older, will be offered on Tuesday, November 15 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Sisters Community Church. There will be a one-hour lunch break. Call 541-390-6075 to register. Cost is \$15 for AARP members, \$20 non-members.

Street Closure for Faire

For Sisters Harvest Faire, Main Avenue from Larch to Elm streets will be closed at 6 a.m. Friday, October 7, reopening Sunday, October 9 at 7 p.m. The Bank of the Cascades drive-thru will be open until 5:30 p.m. Friday, then open for walk-up only until Sunday evening. Spruce and Fir streets will be closed from the alleyway to Main Avenue as of 6 a.m. Friday, but the alleyway will still be driveable. Questions, call 541-549-0251.

Open House at the Fire Hall

Sisters-Camp Sherman RFPD invites the community to an Open House on Saturday, October 8, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tour the facility, meet staff, see firefighter demonstrations, learn about volunteering opportunities and more! For more info call 541-549-0771.

Sisters Children's Choir

Rehearsals for Sisters Children's Choir take place every Monday at 4:30 p.m. at Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church, 386 N. Fir St. The choir is open to all children who love to sing, ages K through 4th grade. This year the choir will be singing two numbers during performances with the Sisters High Desert Chorale and Bell Choir. For info call Lola Knox, 541-390-4615.

Help Keep Seniors Warm

The Central Oregon Council on Aging seeks to keep local area seniors warm and is compiling a resource list of where seniors in need can locate free firewood or pellets in Central Oregon. The list will not be published and will only be available through COCOA. Companies, residents, or organizations that have the ability to offer free firewood or stove pellets, please contact Melissa at 541-678-5483 x109.

Cloverdale RFPD Yard and Surplus Sale

The Cloverdale Fire District surplus sale will be held on Saturday, October 8, 8 a.m. until noon at Fire Station 601, at 68787 George Cyrus Rd. The District will sell surplus equipment items in preparation for moving into the new station being built. Inspection is during the 8 to 11:30 a.m. sale; final bids accepted until 11:30 a.m.; bid opening at 12:30 p.m. For more information and a list of items/equipment call the district office at 541-389-2345.

Family Fun Story Time

Family Fun Story Time for ages infant to 5 are held at the Sisters Library at 10:30 a.m. every Thursday and feature songs, rhymes and crafts, all designed to grow young readers. Caregivers must attend. For more information call the library at 541-312-1072.

DLT Walk + Hike series

October is the final month this year for the free walks and hikes with the Deschutes Land Trust, led by volunteer naturalists. Explore birds, wildflowers, and geology at various protected lands in small groups. Registration online is required; once registered, directions are provided. Visit deschuteslandtrust.org/hikes or call 541-330-0017 for info.

Zhou Yi in Free Concert

The community has a rare opportunity to enjoy hearing world-renowned Chinese lute artist Zhou Yi, performing for free at Sisters High School at 7 p.m. on Friday, October 7. For more information contact David Perkins at 541-639-2102.

Homecoming Parade

The Sisters High School Homecoming Parade begins Friday, October 14 at 4:30 p.m. on Hood Avenue at Larch Street. It will head west to Pine Street, lasting about 30 minutes. Come enjoy floats from all three Sisters public schools! The football game on the new track begins at 7 p.m. Questions, call 541-549-4045.

Healthy Beginnings

Children ages birth to 5 are eligible to have a free health and development screening on Friday, October 21 from 9 to 11 a.m. at Sisters Elementary School. This is open to all income levels and is on a walk-in basis; no appointment necessary. Hablamos Español. Questions? Call 541-383-6357 or go online to www.myhb.org.

Outlaws Bingo & Dinner

On Monday, October 24, Outlaws Together and Sisters Park & Recreation District present a community dinner and Bingo at Sisters High School. Doors open at 5 p.m., with dinner from Los Agaves Mexican Grill available from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. for just \$2 per plate. Bingo begins at 6:30 p.m. Eleven games are \$15, with great prizes! For more info call Tim Roth at 541-549-4050.

Help with VA Benefits

The American Legion service officer will be in the Ray's Food Place meeting room the first Wednesday each month from 2 to 4 p.m. through November, to assist veterans applying for VA health and service benefits. Note: DD form 215 is required. Questions? For more info call Tom Barrier at 541-408-5594.

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. Thursdays, and during regular hours from the Sisters Habitat for Humanity office. Questions? Call 541-410-2870.

Scottish Dance Event

On Saturday, October 8 at The Belfry, the 20th Scottish Country Dance Ball will be held. The public is welcome to watch the dance, see the grand march with bagpiper, and enjoy the music by local Scottish band, A Scottish Heart. For info call Susie at 541-508-9110.

Family Harvest Party

Families are invited to a Harvest Party on Monday, October 31 from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at Sisters Community Church. Kids, parents, grandparents: come enjoy a free movie, pizza, and treats! Family-friendly costumes are encouraged, too. For more info call Lucie at 541-549-1201.

Food Assistance at the Kiwanis Food Bank

Your family may be eligible for food assistance at the Sisters Kiwanis Food Bank. Find eligibility rules online at www.fns.usda.gov/tefap or visit the food bank for info; located at the corner of Main Avenue and Oak Street. It is open every Thursday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Animal Adventures with High Desert Museum

On Tuesday, October 18 at 11:30 a.m., the High Desert Museum presents live animals, stories, and crafts at the Sisters Library. This is limited to 30 children, and parents or caregivers must attend. Arrive early! Info, call 541-312-1072.

Box Tops for Education

Clip box tops from numerous products and drop in the special pencil boxes at Sisters Park & Recreation District, the Sisters School District office, and *The Nugget Newspaper*. Each is worth 10¢ for Sisters Elementary School programs. For more info call Mylee Card at 541-549-8981 or email mylee.card@sisters.k12.or.us.

Crafters Wanted

Crafters are sought to be consignors for the 41st annual Snowflake Boutique on Nov. 4 & 5. Jury is Saturday, October 8 at 9:30 a.m. at Highland Baptist Church, Redmond. Info: Randi, 541-788-4452; Tina, 541-447-1640; snowflakeboutique.org.

CAT OF THE WEEK

Humane Society of Central Oregon
541-382-3537



SAKE is a gorgeous 10-year-old short-haired kitty who can't wait to get out of the shelter and into a loving home. This sweet gal doesn't mind other cats, but she would prefer a home without small children. Sake enjoys exploring outside but also loves to be pampered in the house, so she's hoping to find a home where she can be spoiled. Come meet her!

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DOG OF THE WEEK

BrightSide Animal Center
541-923-0882



SAMBINO: Let the good times roll with Sam! This active boy will teach you how to play ball & track squirrels through new territory. He is social and sweet with people, but doesn't care for dogs or cats, so he will need to be the only dog in the household. Sam will thrive with further training and lots of love. Come meet this cute boy today!

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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 (Nondenominational)
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 (Nondenominational)
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 • 503-910-9069
10:30 a.m. Sunday Worship

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 (Sunday school, childcare)
10:15 a.m. Episcopal Sunday Worship (Sunday school, childcare)

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 (Nondenominational)
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 • Branch President, 503-932-2401;
R.S. President, 541-549-4499. 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