

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Community Dinner and Outlaws BINGO

On Monday, January 23, all are invited to Sisters High School for a night hosted by Outlaws Together and Sisters Park & Recreation District. From 5 to 6:30 p.m., enjoy a delicious dinner for just \$2 per plate! Bingo follows at 6:30 p.m., \$15 for 11 games. Great prizes, with a grand prize of an iPad Air 2! The evening is a fundraiser for SHS athletics. For more info: Tim Roth at 541-549-4050 or tim.roth@sisters.k12.or.us.

"Soup & Civility" Event

All are invited to the Sisters Fire Hall Wednesday, January 25 for a free light meal at 5:30 p.m., followed by a workshop on "constructive confrontation" with OSU Communications Professor Gregg Walker from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Presented by the Sisters Country Civility Project. For more information go to Citizens4Community.com or call 541-549-1482.

CPR and First Aid Class

Sisters-Camp Sherman RFPD will offer the American Heart Association "Heartsaver" CPR class on Friday, February 3. The Adult CPR segment is from 9 a.m. to about 1 p.m. For those who need it, the child & infant CPR immediately follows. The First Aid segment will be held Saturday, February 4 from 9 a.m. to about 1 p.m. Register online at sistersfire.com (CPR tab) or at the Sisters Fire Hall, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays. Questions? Gail, 541-595-5712.

Help for Veterans

American Legion Post 86 Service Officer Tom Barrier is available to veterans seeking assistance with the Veterans Administration. Those needing help applying for disability benefits, with vision or hearing appointments or enrollment should call Tom at 541-408-5594. Please note: No questions are insignificant!

All Veterans Invited!

Sisters VFW Post 8138 and American Legion Post 86 meet the first Wednesday of every 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!

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. Info: 541-410-2870.

Box Tops for Education

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

Annual Art Exhibit Reception at the Library

The Friends of the Sisters Library 12th Annual Art Exhibit, featuring works by local artists, runs *Tuesday, January 17* (date changed due to weather) through Friday, February 24. The public reception, with a silent auction, complimentary hors d'oeuvres and beverages, and the announcement of the ever-popular People's Choice Awards, will be held at the library on Friday, January 27 from 6 to 7:30 p.m. For info call Zeta Seiple at 541-549-6157 or Paul Bennett at 541-588-0156.

Shelter Seeks Volunteers

Sisters Cold Weather Shelter is now open and volunteers are needed! You may sign up to volunteer on the Facebook page or leave a message at 541-639-7321. In January the shelter will be at Westside Church Sisters campus from 6 p.m. to 7 a.m. on nights when the temperature is 32° or below. The message phone will also be updated daily by 2 p.m., January through March.

Hunter Education Class

For a hunter's education class beginning Monday, February 6, register online at odfw.com (hunting-resources-education). It runs two nights per week for three weeks, plus a required field day. Questions? Please call Rick Cole at 541-420-6934 or Dave Jones at 541-863-0955.

Help with Bird Rescue

Native Bird Care of Sisters needs the help of volunteers for a variety of tasks, including transporting birds from the site of rescue to Sisters; cleaning and disinfecting enclosures; maintenance of flight cages and more. *Also, they can use your Christmas tree for their aviary!* If you'd like to recycle your bare tree, call Elise, 541-728-8208. For additional information go online to nativebirdcare.org.

Help Keep Seniors Warm

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

See's Candy at Cost!

Due to unexpected events (candy delivered four days late and trailer closed due to snow), Sisters Kiwanis has a large amount of See's Candy left: milk and dark chocolate, soft centers, peppermint and peanut brittle, mostly in 1-lb. boxes. To purchase, please call Tom Kopeck at 541-588-6255.

Kiwanis Meetings

Interested in a local civic organization? Sisters Kiwanis raises gifts and money for our community! For a hosted visit or to request additional information, please call 541-410-2870 or go online to sisterskiwanis.org.

Christmas Tree Recycling

During the month of January you may take your Christmas tree to the Sisters Recycling Center at no charge. Trees must be bare and free of any decorations. Residents with yard recycling service may cut down trees to fit their cart. Questions? Call High Country Disposal at 541-548-4984.

Sponsor an Impoverished Child from Uganda

Hope Africa International, based in Sisters, has many children awaiting sponsorship! For additional information, please call Katie Keranen at 541-719-8727 or go online to hopeafricakids.org.

Food Assistance at the Kiwanis Food Bank

Your family may be eligible for food assistance at the Sisters Kiwanis Food Bank. Eligibility rules may be found online at fns.usda.gov/tefap or visit the food bank for complete information. The food bank is located at Main Avenue and Oak Street and is open once a week, every Thursday, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. You may also get cat and dog food during those hours at no charge, provided by Furry Friends Foundation of Sisters.

SISTERS LIBRARY JANUARY CALENDAR

STEAM Team at the Library

At 10 a.m. on Saturday, January 14 at the Sisters Library, ages 9 to 17 are invited to make "slime surprise" with the STEAM (science, tech, engineering, art, math) team. For more info call the library at 541-312-1072.

"Check it Out" at the Sisters Library

"Check it out" and explore something new at the library! Learn about what's offered at the Sisters Library at 8 a.m. on Tuesday, January 17. For more information call 541-312-1072.

Budgeting with Excel

On Tuesday, January 17 at 9 a.m. at the Sisters Library, learn how to create a budget using Microsoft Excel. For more information call 541-312-1072.

The Musical Puzzle

At the Sisters Library on Wednesday, January 18 at noon, Michael Gesme will explain the ins and outs of musical "movements." Gesme is a professor of music at COCC. Info: call 541-312-1072.

Animal Adventures with High Desert Museum

On Tuesday, January 24 at 11:30 a.m., the High Desert Museum presents live animals, stories, and crafts at the Sisters Library for kids ages 3 and older. Limited to 30 children; parents or caregivers must attend. Info, call 541-312-1072.

The Library Book Club

Read and discuss "The Circle" by Dave Eggers with other thoughtful readers at the Sisters Library on Wednesday, January 25. The book club runs from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Questions? Contact Paige at 541-617-7078 or paigeb@deschuteslibrary.org.

Lego® Block Party

Build! Read! Play! On Saturday, January 28 from 10 to 11 a.m., kids are invited to the Sisters Library to join other builders and a gazillion Legos! For more information 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 problems at the open computer lab. 541-312-1072.

Family Fun Story Time

Family Fun Story Times for kids ages birth through 5 take place at the Sisters Library every Thursday at 10:30 a.m. They feature songs, rhymes and crafts. Caregivers must attend. For info call 541-312-1072.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

LUCIA MAYE FRANDSSEN

Proud parents Clay and Romina, and the happiest big sister Isabella, announce the birth of Lucia Maye Frandsen, born November 24, 2016. The beautiful baby girl weighed 9 pounds, 1 ounce and measured 21 inches.



DOG OF THE WEEK

Humane Society of Central Oregon
541-382-3537



BETTE is a sweet, smart 8-year-old hound mix who has traveled from Maui to find her forever home in Central Oregon. She is a loving girl who gets along very well with all people and dogs. Don't let her age fool you – Bette is an active gal who can't wait to get out and explore Oregon with her new family. If you think Bette would be the perfect companion for you, come meet her today!



CAT OF THE WEEK

BRIGHTSIDE ANIMAL CENTER
541-923-0882



TARZAN is an absolutely stunning cat! A Maine Coon mix, he has the long, silky hair of that breed but is standard sized, not huge like many Maine Coons. He is very sweet and social, but will need quiet time with you, time to get used to being in your home, since he lived outside on his own for over a year. But the wait will be worth it! If you're looking for a truly beautiful, long-haired guy, come meet Tarzan 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