

Poet laureate to visit Sisters schools

Former Children’s Poet Laureate Kenn Nesbitt is scheduled to visit Sisters Elementary School and Sisters Middle School on Tuesday, April 25 and Wednesday, April 26.

Nesbitt, known for his humorous style, will be on hand to help students celebrate National Poetry Month.

Thanks to a grant from the Sisters-based Roundhouse Foundation, Nesbitt will present at school assemblies at each school about his writing, poetry and publishing. He will also host a writing workshop

for fourth- and fifth-grade students and a publishing workshop for sixth-grade students.

Parents are invited to a parent presentation on Tuesday, April 25, at 6 p.m. at Sisters Library.

Originally a computer programmer from California, Nesbitt wrote his first poem, “Scrawny Tawny Skinner,” in 1994 after attending a dinner with a friend whose 4-year-old daughter did absolutely everything she could to get out of eating dinner. He wrote his first book of poems in 1997

and has since published 18 books. Most recently he selected poems for the anthology “One Minute Till Bedtime: 60 Second Poems to Send You Off to Sleep.”

He was selected as the Children’s Poet Laureate 2013-2015 from the Poetry Foundation.

According to an interview on PoetryFoundation.com, Nesbitt says his inspiration for his poems is primarily “...to get kids excited about reading. I want them to have as much fun with books as is humanly possible.”

Kindergarten Round-Up set

Sisters Elementary School kindergarten teachers and administrators are hosting Kindergarten Round-Up on Friday, April 28, for all incoming kindergartners in the 2017-2018 school year.

For the past several years the staff at SES has hosted this event to help families get prepared for starting the next chapter with their young children. All students will meet with the kindergarten teachers and parents will have a chance to hear from the principal and other district personnel on what their kids’ first year of school will

look like.

“Kindergarten Round-Up is a great way for us to begin to get to know incoming kindergartners and have them see our classrooms,” said kindergarten teacher Sara Elliott.

For families with students who will be entering kindergarten in the 2017-2018 school year, parents will need to stop in or call Sisters Elementary School at 541-549-8981 to

sign up for a time to participate; either 8:30 a.m. or 1:30 p.m.

All students need to be 5 years of age by the beginning of school and be up to date on all of their immunizations. More information on district immunization policy can be found at www.ssd6.org.

For more information on Kindergarten Round-Up contact Sisters Elementary School at 541-549-8981.

THE OLD STONE

— Friday, April 21 —
Jeffrey Martin & Anna Tivel
7:30 doors 8:00 show
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Fri 4:00, 6:45
Sat-Sun 1:15, 4:00, 6:45
Mon-Thurs 4:00, 6:45

The Zookeeper's Wife (PG)
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Movie times and titles are subject to change. Visit website or call for latest information.

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Wed.~April 19

Sisters Saloon Texas Hold 'Em Tournament 7 p.m. Every Wednesday! For additional information call 541-549-7427 or go online to sisterssaloon.net.

Hardtails Bar & Grill Karaoke Night! 9 p.m. Every Wednesday, no cover! For more information call 541-549-6114 or go to hardtailsoregon.com.

Paulina Springs Books Book Discussion with Barbara Pettersen 6:30 p.m. Pettersen will discuss “The Gene” by Siddhartha Mukherjee. Presented by the Sisters Science Club. For info go to sistersscienceclub.org.

Thurs.~April 20

Sisters Fire Hall Soup & Civility Discussion 5:15 to 7:30 p.m. Presented by Citizens4Community. Free, and all are welcome, but an RSVP is requested at citizens4community.com.

Hood Avenue Art Live Music with Melanie Rose Dyer & Daniel Cooper 6:30 p.m. Suggested donation at the door is \$10, with all proceeds going to Circle of Friends in Sisters! Refreshments available. Info: 541-719-1800.

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Friday~April 21

Hardtails Bar & Grill Karaoke Night! 9 p.m. Every Friday, no cover! For more information call 541-549-6114 or go to hardtailsoregon.com.

Saturday~April 22

Cork Cellars Live Music with Bill Keale 7 to 9 p.m. No cover! For additional info call 541-549-2675 or go online to corkcellarswinebistro.com.

Hardtails Bar & Grill Karaoke Night! 9 p.m. Every Saturday, no cover! For more information call 541-549-6114 or go to hardtailsoregon.com.

Sisters Saloon Live Music with the Bobby Lindstrom Band 8 to 11 p.m. No cover for blues & rock! For additional information call 541-549-7427 or go to sisterssaloon.net.

The Belfry Birthday Extravaganza for Joe Leonardi 8 p.m. A night of community celebration & song! For additional information go to belfryevents.com.

Sisters High School Mr. SHS Pageant 6 p.m. \$10 at the door. All proceeds go to Sisters Family Access Network. For more info call 541-549-4045.

Monday~April 24

Sisters High School Bingo & Community Dinner 5 p.m. dinner just \$2 per plate from Three Creeks Brewing, and 6:30 p.m. for Bingo, 11 games for \$15. Sponsored by SPRD & SHS Athletics. For more info call SPRD at 541-549-2091.

Listings are free to advertisers and subject to change. Submit by 5 p.m. Fridays to teresa@nuggetnews.com

Tuesday~April 25

The Belfry Frontiers in Science 7 p.m. Asst. Prof. Chris Hagen, OSU Cascades presents “Bio Fuels or Fossil Fuels: Choices, Consequences.” Sponsored by Sisters Science Club. Doors open at 6 p.m. \$5 (free to club donors, teachers & students). sistersscienceclub.org.

Wed.~April 26

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Thurs.~April 27

The Belfry “Now You're Talking...” One-Act Plays 7:30 p.m. Presented by Silent Echo Theater Co. Tickets at bendticket.com are \$12 adults, \$10 students & seniors 65 & older (cash-only at the door: \$15 and \$12). 541-719-8779.

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Downtown Sisters 4th Friday Art Stroll 4 to 7 p.m. Galleries & shops feature live entertainment & refreshments! Info: sistersartsassociation.org.

Saturday~April 29

Sisters Saloon Live Music with the Riley's Range Benders 8 to 11 p.m. No cover for blues & rock! For additional information call 541-549-7427 or go to sisterssaloon.net.

Cork Cellars Live Music with Brian Odell & Fiddler Bob 7 to 9 p.m. No cover! For info call 541-549-2675 or go to corkcellarswinebistro.com.

Hardtails Bar & Grill Karaoke Night! 9 p.m. Every Saturday, no cover! For more information call 541-549-6114 or go to hardtailsoregon.com.

The Belfry “Now You're Talking...” One-Act Plays 3 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Presented by Silent Echo Theater Co. Tickets at bendticket.com: \$12 adults, \$10 students & seniors 65 & older (cash-only at the door: \$15/\$12). 541-719-8779.

Tuesday~May 2

Sisters Movie House Screening of a Live Performance of “Madama Butterfly” 6:45 p.m. Recorded live from the Royal Opera House. One-time-only presentation, part of the “Spring into Culture” series. Tickets are \$15 at sistersmoviehouse.com or by calling 541-549-8833.