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Resident Volunteer EMT Rita Hodge gave a brief orientation on how AED equipment works.

**AED:** Several businesses now have life-saving equipment

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at these businesses, the AED location will be entered into PulsePoint and anyone with the PulsePoint App (available in Google Play or the App Store) will be alerted to sudden cardiac arrests in their immediate vicinity, so that CPR can be started in the critical lifesaving minutes before EMS teams arrive. More information regarding PulsePoint can be found at [www.pulsepoint.org](http://www.pulsepoint.org).

Fire Chief Roger Johnson said, "We are honored to have these businesses and church as our community partners in life safety. I think it shows how much they care about their customers, employees

and congregations."

The fire district contributed 25 percent of the purchase price of the AEDs and the businesses contributed the remaining 75 percent.

Sisters-Camp Sherman Rural Fire Protection District offers monthly CPR/AED classes for community members and they strongly recommend attending the training.

For more information about CPR/AED classes, contact the Sisters-Camp Sherman Rural Fire Protection District online at [www.sistersfire.com](http://www.sistersfire.com) or call 541-549-0771.

### Greasers vs. Socs...

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Seventh-grade Sisters Middle School students just finished the novel *The Outsiders*, and decided to bring it to life. Students were to choose a Greaser or Socs character and come dressed up to school. They enjoyed Pepsi from a bottle and a photo opportunity with Gary Olsen's rat rod.

## Oregon bill would increase gas taxes, fees

SALEM (AP) — A proposed 10-year, \$8.2 billion transportation infrastructure bill for Oregon has been unveiled.

The measure, introduced Wednesday, May 31, would impose higher gas taxes, increased vehicle title and registration fees, tolls on portions of Interstate 5, and a payroll tax to fund public transit.

The *Statesman Journal* reports large cities would have to salt at least 25 percent of their roads if more than 2 inches of snow falls over a 12-hour period. And a proposed tax on new car sales also would apply to used cars.

chance to weigh in on the bill at hearings June 5, 6 and 7.

Lawmakers have been working for a year to gather public input and put together a bill. The effort follows a failed attempt to pass a transportation infrastructure funding package during the 2015 legislative session.

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