#### M N T C E

# THIS WEEK'S Highlights

Wednesday, March 6 **Age-Friendly Sisters Country** 6 p.m. at SPRD

> Friday, March 7 **Red Cross Blood Drive**

9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at SHS

Friday, March 8 **Cat Video Fest Begins Showing** Sisters Movie House

Friday, March 8 **Quilt Project Documentation** 2 to 5 p.m. at The Stitchin' Post

Saturday, March 9 **Quilt Project Documentation** 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at The Stitchin' Post

> Saturday, March 9 **Sisters Garden Club** 9:30 a.m. at Sisters City Hall

Saturday, March 9 **CPR/AED and First Aid** 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Sisters Fire Station

Monday, March 11 **Sisters High Desert Chorale** 6:30 p.m. at the Episcopal Church

Tuesday, March 12

**One Woman's Journey** noon to 1 p.m. at Sisters Library

**Tuesday, March 12 Clean Energy Jobs Forum** 6:30 to 8 p.m. at Sisters Library

#### CPR/AED and **First Aid Class**

The next CPR/AED and First Aid class with Sisters-Camp Sherman RFPD is scheduled for Saturday, March 9 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. The cost is \$30, which covers Adult CPR/AED, Child and Infant CPR (optional) and First Aid modules, a student workbook and completion card. Register by Tuesday, March 5. To register, go online to sistersfire.com and select the CPR tab, or stop by and register at the Sisters Fire station during business hours (8 to 5). Pick up the student workbook at the station after you register. If you have questions, call Beverly Halcon at 818-674-7686

# Come Sing With Us!

The Sisters High Desert Chorale will begin rehearsals for spring concerts on March 11. The Chorale meets each Monday night at 6:30 in the Community Hall of Transfiguration Episcopal Church on Brooks Camp Rd. All singers of all ages are welcome to join this community group. No audition is required. Spring concerts are scheduled for the end of May 2019. Info: 541-588-0362.

### **Age-Friendly Sisters Country Activity**

An invitation is extended to youth and others to participate in a planning program at SPRD on Wednesday, March 6 at 6 p.m. This is in preparation for a program to be presented on June 1, 2019 at Sisters High School. Conceived by Claudia Bisso Fetzer, Ph.D., the purpose is to promote the benefits of connecting youth with older others in activities they select and do together. They can then choose to share with the community in the program in June the product or benefits of their activity. For more information call 541-719-1276.

### **Oregon Quilt Project Documentation Days**

The Oregon Quilt Project will be in Sisters documenting quilts residing in Oregon that are old, new or made elsewhere. Quilts that have not been quilted, "summer quilts" (with a backing but no quilt padding), tied quilts, and quilted garments can also be documented. Each person can bring two quilts for documentation. The documentation days are Friday, March 8 from 2 to 5 p.m. and Saturday, March 9 from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at The Stitchin' Post (311 W. Cascade Ave.). Contact Zeta Seiple at 541-549-6157 for information and appointments. Documentation appointments are limited and will be scheduled on a first come first served basis.

# **Support for Caregivers**

A free support group for those who provide care in any capacity meets at Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church, 386 N. Fir St. at 10:30 a.m. the third Tuesday of each month. Call 541-771-3258 for additional information.

#### Sponsor an Impoverished Child from Uganda

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

# Sisters Garden Club

The next meeting of the Sisters Garden Club is at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday, March 9 at Sisters City Hall. Patricia Kolling, physical therapist, will present "Garden Smarts – Beating the Aches & Pains of Gardening" All are welcome! For more information call 541-549-6390 or go to sistersgardenclub.com.

#### Clean Energy Jobs Bill **Educational Forum**

Tuesday, March 12, from 6:30 to 8 p.m. at the Sisters Library conference room. This forum will cover key features of HB 2020 now before the State Legislature to limit emissions from the largest Oregon polluters and create clean energy jobs in Oregon, especially in communities that need jobs the most. Additionally, there will be a brief overview of the Energy Innovation and Carbon Dividend Act - HR 736 of US house. Includes Q&A time. Call 541-400-8312 for more information.

#### ART-i-facts, an Interactive **Art Experience (rescheduled)**

Tuesday, March 19 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. is a night of art in the Sisters High School Commons. Sisters Country is invited to attend the 22nd annual celebration of the arts at SHS! Bring the whole family to participate at our handson art stations. Student-designed silkscreen T-shirts, collaborative art stations, a take-away prize for visiting all the stations, and more! Enjoy our pop-up gallery of student art, luthier designs, and live entertainment from SHS music programs as well as refreshments. Admission is \$5, \$20 for family. Info: 541-549-4045.

# Career Funds Available

Applications are available for the Sisters Kiwanis Career Opportunity Fund to help adult residents of Sisters establish an occupational path. Pick up forms at the Kiwanis House, corner of Oak and Main, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Thursdays, and during regular hours from the Sisters Habitat for Humanity office. For additional information, please call 541-410-2870.

# **Organ Donor Awareness**

A new nonprofit is in the planning stages to educate the community on the importance of organ donation. Fundraisers and events will be discussed. If interested in taking part, please call Fifi Bailey at 541-419-2204.

# **Sisters Community Garden**

The Sisters Community Garden has raised-bed garden plots available for the 2019 gardening season. Application materials and information are available on the Garden's website, SistersCommunityGarden.org. For additional information, call 541-549-8664

#### Inside: One Woman's Journey Through the Inside **Passage**

On Tuesday, March 12 from noon to 1 p.m. author Susan Marie Conrad will speak at the Sisters Library about her journey with one woman, one kayak and 1,200 miles on the Inside Passage. No registration required. Call 541-312-1032 for information.

#### **Red Cross Blood Drive**

A blood drive is taking place at Sisters High School, as others around the state have been canceled. The drive is being held on Thursday, March 7 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. and is open to students, parents and community members alike. The state is experiencing a blood shortage because of the heavy snow, so we are trying to do our part. If you are interesting in donating, contact Tyler Cranor at 541-543-5383 to set up a time.

#### **Senior Luncheons & More**

Adults age 60 and older are invited to join the Council on Aging Senior Luncheon, served every Tuesday at Sisters Community Church. Coffee and various fun activities begin at 11 a.m. with lunch served at noon. Bingo is played after lunch until 2:30 p.m. For information call 541-480-1843.

# PET OF THE WEEK

Humane Society of Central Oregon 541-382-3537



Meet **MATT**, a fun-loving Pit mix who is looking for his forever home. Matt came to the shelter as a transfer from Alturas, California. This handsome man is a very friendly pup who loves to romp and play. Matt is a bit of a ladies man and seems to prefer the company of female canines to other males. If you have another dog or two in the home a meetand-greet will be required before adoption.

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#### **Furry Friends Movie** Fundraiser

It's the cat's meow on Friday, March 8 at 7:30 p.m. when "Cat Video Fest 2019" begins showing at Sisters Movie House. A fundraiser for Furry Friends Foundation (FFF), 10% of ticket sales will be donated to their free spay/neuter program for cats. Each year, Cat Video Fest curates a compilation reel of the best cat videos culled from countless hours of unique submissions. Dog-lovers welcome, too! Visit www.sistersmoviehouse.com for showtimes. For more information call FFF at 541-797-4023.

#### **Mom-to-Mom Meeting**

Moms are invited to get connected with other moms for support and fun! First Tuesday of each month, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Hangar at Sisters Community Church. Also meeting the third Tuesday of each month 10 a.m. to noon in the Fireside Room at Sisters Community Church. Childcare available in morning session — RSVP if needed. Info: 970-744-0959.

# Sisters Library COMING EVENTŠ

#### **Family Fun Story Time**

Family Fun Story Time for kids of all ages takes place at the Sisters Library on Thursdays, March 7, 14, 21 and 28 from 10:30 to 11 a.m., with songs, rhymes and crafts, all designed to grow young readers. Caregivers must attend. Info: 541-617-7078.

# **Animal Adventures**

Live animals, stories, crafts with High Desert Museum for kids ages 3 to 5. It's 30-45 minutes of adventure! Limited to 30 children and their caregivers. Sisters Library on Tuesday, March 19 at 11:30 a.m. Info: 541-617-7078.

# Tween Writing Camp

Workshops for budding writers ages 9 to 14 at Suttle Tea on Tuesdays, March 12 and 19 at 4 p.m. Write about a new topic each week. Registration required. Call 541-617-7078 for information.

# **Royal Tea Party**

Wear your finest crowns, sparkles and superhero capes for stories, entertainment and refreshments for ages 2-11 years. Saturday, March 9 at 1 p.m. at Sisters Library No registration required. Call 541-617-7078.

# The Library Book Club

Read and discuss "Rocket Men: The Daring Odyssey of Apollo 8 and the Astronauts Who Made Man's First Journey to the Moon" by Robert Kurson with other thoughtful readers at the Sisters Library on Wednesday, March 27, from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Info: 541-617-7078.

# **Gmail Management**

Learn to get the most out of Gmail on Friday, March 29 at 10 a.m. at Sisters Library Registration is required, along with familiarity with computers and internet. Call 541-312-1066.

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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 Hwv. • 541-549-120 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 • 541-550-0750 5 p.m. Praise and Prayer Service

**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 Sisters** 442 Trinity Way • 541-549-4184 | westsidesisters.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, 541-420-5670; 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