

Anvil Blasters to play at Black Butte Ranch

Live music has been severely curtailed due to the coronavirus pandemic — but it hasn't gone away completely.

Black Butte Ranch will offer its traditional Wednesday evening concerts on the lawn near the barn west of Lakeside Bistro. The expansive lawn allows plenty of room for groups of people to set up with appropriate physical distancing.

Americana folk outfit The Anvil Blasters will kick off the series on Wednesday, July 1, at 6 p.m. and will play again on July 8 and July 22.

"We're looking forward to playing out again — it's been a while," said Jim Cornelius of The Anvil Blasters. "This is about the ideal set-up for music in these times; lots of room in the open air."

Cornelius noted that, due to the pandemic, The Anvil Blasters bandmate Lynn Woodward opted to stay in North Carolina where she winters, rather than returning to Sisters for the summer. The band's configuration for the Black Butte Ranch performances will be Jeff Wester (banjo/vocals); Jim Cornelius (guitar/harmonica/vocals); and Mike Biggers (guitar/mandolin/vocals).

"We're going to miss Lynn," Cornelius said. "And I know she hates missing these gigs. But she made the smart choice not to make a cross-country trip right now and to stay close to her family. I guess I'll just steal a couple of my songs back from her while her back is turned."

Cornelius noted that the band expects to be joined by a special guest or two for some of the Black Butte Ranch shows.



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Following a warm and dry spring, drought is emerging and expanding across much of the west. Central Oregon is expected to see warmer- and-drier-than-average conditions this summer. At the same time, as many facilities and areas are closed or allowing a limited number of visitors due to COVID-19 response measures, a higher-than-normal number of people are using public lands for recreation.

To reduce the number of preventable wildfires, the Prineville District Bureau of Land Management, the Deschutes National Forest and the Ochoco National Forest, and the Crooked River National Grassland, are implementing public use restrictions.

Effective Friday, June 26, open fires, including wood stoves and charcoal briquette fires, will be prohibited, except in the following designated campgrounds (Sisters Ranger District): Allen Springs, Allingham, Blue Bay, Camp Sherman, Candle Creek, Cold Spring, Driftwood, Gorge, Graham Corral, Indian Ford, Jack Creek, Lava Camp Lake, Link Creek, Lower Bridge, Lower Canyon Creek, Perry South, Pine Rest, Pioneer

Ford, Riverside, Scout Lake, Sheep Spring, Smiling River, South Shore, Three Creek Lake, Three Creek Meadow, Three Creek Horse Camp, and Whispering Pines.

These restrictions do not apply to wildernesses on the Deschutes National Forest; however, these restrictions do apply to wildernesses and wilderness areas on the Ochoco National Forest and Prineville BLM.

Additionally, under the public use restrictions, smoking is prohibited, except within an enclosed vehicle or building, developed recreation site or while stopped in an area at least three feet in diameter that is barren or cleared of all flammable material. Traveling off developed forest roads and trails also is not allowed, except for the purpose of going to and from a campsite located within 300 feet of the open developed road.

Officials remind the public that using explosive target material, such as Tannerite, explosives, and fireworks is prohibited on all federal lands.

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prepare for their space walks.

"Since I spent so much time on boats, I was always curious what was underneath and further the knowledge base. I didn't really know what I was getting myself into," she said.

She worked in commercial diving from 2013-2019, as well as her work with NASA. In 2019, she wanted to focus on fishing and getting her own commercial boat up and running.

Cattell's work as a fisherman comes from a passion she's had her whole life.

"I love the type of people fishing brings, and love the day-in-and-day-out grind," she said.

Being out on the ocean and

in the elements is another reason she loves fishing.

"You do your best to not be affected by your surroundings. Its eight weeks on a boat with no shower or bathroom with an entire crew and that is part of the challenge of it all," she said.

Cattell was approached by a casting recruiter for "Tough As Nails" via Instagram.

"At first I thought it was a joke, but they were persistent and I realized how big of a deal this was, and it turned into being an incredible experience," said Cattell.

One thing she looks forward to most about people seeing the show, is the world seeing a female commercial fisherman competing against a number of various people in different professions. "It's incredible to be successful as a female in a man's industry and becoming a boss and

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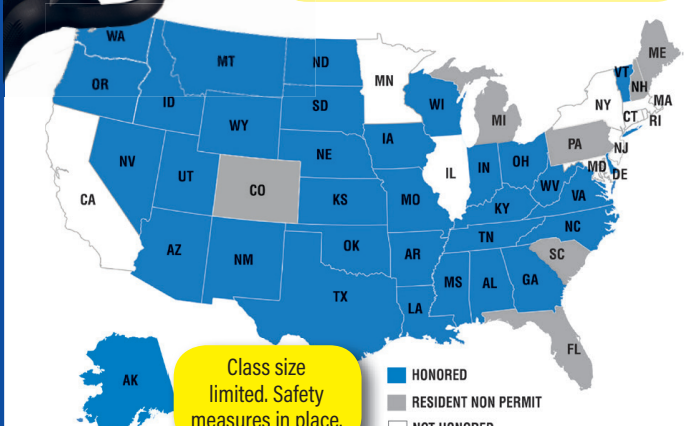
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