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Calendar

MORE EVENTS

For a complete list of events, view our online calendar. You can reach the calendar from any of your favorite websites:

From gonortheastoregon.com:

Select the Plan it widget in the "See Upcoming Events!" section. On the desktop version, the widget is on the right-hand side bar. On the mobile version, scroll down past the stories.

From bakercityherald.com or lagrandeobserver.com:

Click the Events widget in the light gray bar under the news section of the homepage.

SUBMIT AN EVENT

The community calendar includes events from all over and can be searched by town, date, category or keywords. To ensure your event is included in the calendar, follow these steps.

1. Once on the Plan It events page, click "+Add event."
2. Enter the details of the event to check whether someone else has already input details for your event.
3. If not, fill out the form as directed. You can add multiple dates for ongoing or recurring events.
4. You will have a chance to review your details then submit and finish or submit and close.
5. There are options to pay for higher play on the calendar, but it is not necessary. You can submit events for free.

11 WEDNESDAY

- **Learn to Love Watercolor and Pastels:** Taught by Becky Litke; choose one of two sessions: 3-5 p.m. or 5-7 p.m.; Crossroads Carnegie Art Center, 2020 Auburn Ave., Baker City; 541-523-5369; www.crossroads-arts.org
- **LEGO Play:** Free LEGO playtime; 3:30 p.m.; Cook Memorial Library, 2006 Fourth St., La Grande, 541-962-1339
- **Santa on the Train:** Santa is coming to town — on a train! The Union Pacific Employees Club #17 invites everyone to come down to the depot and welcome him; 4 p.m.; La Grande Depot
- **Bingo:** Doors open at 5 p.m., early-bird games start at 6 p.m., regular session starts at 7 p.m. Last game of the night, blackout can pay up to \$500 if won within the first 50 numbers; VFW High Valley Post 4060, 518 N. Main St., Union
- **Meditation Wednesdays:** For adults. Led by Kitia Chambers, these sessions explore a variety of meditation and relaxation styles and techniques; 5:15 p.m.; Cook Memorial Library, 2006 Fourth St., La Grande, 541-962-1339
- **Figure Drawing:** 6 p.m.; Josephy Center for Arts and Culture, 403 N. Main St., Joseph, 541-432-0505, www.josephy.org
- **Mark O'Connor's 'An Appalachian Christmas':** American musical icon in concert; OKTheatre, 208 W. Main St., Enterprise
- **Teen Writing Circle:** A place to exchange ideas, brainstorm, and get feedback from peers. Bring your stories and writing ideas to share. No registration needed; 4 p.m.; Cook Memorial Library Community Room, 2006 Fourth St., La Grande, 541-962-1339
- **Wallowa County Chess Club:** All experience levels welcome; 4 p.m.; Josephy Center for Arts and Culture, 403 N. Main St., Joseph, 541-432-6309, 541-432-0505, www.josephy.org
- **Carols & Cocoa:** ACE and Studio Della Bella Voce invite you to the 4th annual community caroling event; gather at Art Center East and then head out together to carol among the streets of La Grande. Cookies and hot cocoa bar back at ACE when we are done; 6 p.m.; donations welcome; Art Center East, 1006 Penn Ave., La Grande, 541-624-2800
- **Fused Glass Bottle Stopper:** Create a bottle stopper out of glass in this fun make & take class; 6 p.m.; Art Center East, 1006 Penn Ave., La Grande, 541-624-2800, www.ArtCenterEast.org
- **Grande Ronde Community Choir Rehearsal:** 7 p.m.; Loso Hall, Room 123, EOU, La Grande, www.ArtCenterEast.org
- **'Nuncrackers' — A Christmas Musical:** Presented by Eastern Oregon Regional Theater; 7 p.m.; \$17 adults, \$15 EORT members, \$12 youth; 2101 Main St., Suite 207, Baker City, www.easternoregonregionalthatre.com
- **Elks Wallowa County Hoop Shoot Championship:** Enterprise Elks Wallowa County Free Throw Championship for 8-13 year old students; 7:30 p.m.; Enterprise High School, 201 SE Fourth St.

12 THURSDAY

- **Baby Tot Bop:** Age 3 and younger; 10 a.m.; Cook Memorial Library, 2006 Fourth St., La Grande, 541-962-1339
- **Adult Ceramics:** no experience necessary; 4 p.m.; Josephy Center for Arts and Culture, 403 N. Main St., Joseph, 541-432-0505, www.josephy.org

13 FRIDAY

- **Shop & Sip Holiday Bazaar at Stein Distillery:** The Joseph Tasting Room will be full of

local artisans with creative and scrumptious items; 9 a.m.-7 p.m.; Stein Distillery, 604 N. Main St., Joseph, 541-432-2009

- **Lower Valley Indoor Farmers Market:** Open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Friday and Saturday until Dec. 21; Old Telephone Building, Main Street, Wallowa, 541-398-0137
- **Cook Memorial Library Storytime:** 1:30 p.m.; Cook Memorial Library, 2006 Fourth St., La Grande, 541-962-1339
- **Young Artists' Studio:** Age 10+. Learn and refine artistic skills with artist instructor Paul Hoelscher; 1:45 p.m.; Crossroads Carnegie Art Center, 2020 Auburn Ave., Baker City, (541) 523-5369, www.crossroads-arts.org
- **Gemstone Chakra Bracelet:** Design and create your very own chakra healing bracelet in this fun, intuitive "make & take" class; 3:30 p.m.; Art Center East, 1006 Penn Ave., La Grande, 541-624-2800, www.ArtCenterEast.org
- **Sensory Friendly Santa:** Santa and Mrs. Claus will meet with kids and have pictures taken in a sensory-friendly environment; call 541-562-6137 for reservation of a time slot; 4 p.m.; Tri-County Equipment, 62460 Commerce Rd., La Grande, www.autismsocietyoregon.org
- **Foreign Film Friday:** free foreign film for adults, sponsored by the library the second Friday of the month; 4 p.m.; Cook Memorial Library, 2006 Fourth St., La Grande, 541-962-1339
- **Friday Night Piano Jam with Keith Taylor:** free; 4:30 p.m.; Crossroads Carnegie Art Center, 2020 Auburn Ave., Baker City, (541) 523-5369
- **Living Nativity:** free interactive walk through Bethlehem; 5:30-8:30 p.m.; Seventh-day Adventist Church, 2702 Adams Ave., La Grande
- **Beginning Abstract Painting:** teaching artist is Hillery Lay; ages 21 and older; 6 p.m.; Crossroads Carnegie Art Center, 2020

Auburn Ave., Baker City, 541-523-5369, www.crossroads-arts.org

- **Lush Canvas — Koi Fish:** learn how to paint these colorful Koi swimming along in a pond; teaching Artist is Jan Clark; 6:30 p.m.; Art Center East, 1006 Penn Ave., La Grande, 541-624-2800, www.ArtCenterEast.org
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- **Baker Community Choir Holiday Concert:** featuring the Baker Valley Children's Choir; 7 p.m.; free; Baker Heritage Museum, 2480 Grove St., Baker City
- **'A Christmas Carol':** 7:30 p.m.; \$17; Hale Turner Little Theatre, 104 N. Eighth Ave., Elgin, 541-663-6324, www.elginoperahouse.com

14 SATURDAY

- **Holiday Open House at ACE:** holiday wreath workshop from 8 a.m.-2 p.m., registration recommended (\$25 member/\$30 non-member); 9 a.m.-noon, sample a selection of Teahouse's premium loose-leaf teas (free); create a ceramic ornament with local artist Amanda Welch 11 a.m.-1 p.m. (\$10/ornament, 2/\$17 and \$5 each additional); Art Center East, 1006 Penn Ave., La Grande, 541-624-2800, www.ArtCenterEast.org
- **Santa Mall:** Shopping for kids, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Free gift wrapping courtesy of La Grande United Methodist Church; Blue Mountain Conference Center, 404 12th St., La Grande
- **Looking Glass Books Saturday Storytime:** 10 a.m.; Looking Glass Books, 1304 Adams Ave., La Grande
- **Christmas in Sumpter:** Sumpter Christmas Bazaar, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; followed by parade and tree lighting
- **Holiday Spectacular & Last**