

Ties To The Land: A Facilitated Workshop on Succession Planning

Keeping family forests and farms in the family

Few challenges that family forestland owners, farmers, ranchers, and other land-based family businesses face are more important than the issue of passing the business and its land base on to the following generation. Many small landowners want to preserve their family lands but don't know how to involve family members in ownership and operation of their small land-based businesses.

On Saturday, December 5th, OSU Extension will explore Succession Planning in a facilitated Ties to the Land

workshop. Succession Planning--the human side of Estate Planning--focuses on ways to maintain family ties to the land from generation to generation, building awareness of key challenges facing family businesses and motivating families to address those challenges. This workshop is a mix of presentations and practical exercises to help families develop techniques needed to address tough issues. Topics covered will also be relevant to professionals working with landowner families.

This is a DVD-based workshop featuring presentations by Clint Bentz (CPA, Boldt Carlisle & Smith) and Mark Green (Former Director, Austin

Family Business Program at Oregon State University), with live classroom activities conducted by an OSU Extension facilitator.

Each family will receive a copy of the Ties to the Land workbook & companion DVD, which are designed to help families continue to improve and direct their communications at home. More information about succession planning is available on the Ties to the Land web site.

Workshop Location: Pacific University, Forest Grove

Date: Saturday, December 5th
10:00 am – 3:00 pm

Workshop Fee: \$50 per family (up to 3 people). The fee includes lunch and one copy per family of the Ties to the Land workbook. If more than 3 people from the same family wish to attend, there is an additional \$10 fee per person.

Registration information: Contact Vicki Krenz, vicki.krenz@oregonstate.edu or (503) 397-3462.

Please register by November 30th.

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What's Happening at the Vernonia Library

Upcoming Events

Local Author Event:

D. Wallace Peach Book Signing

Tuesday, November 17, 6:30 pm
Vernonia resident and fantasy author, with five new books in 2015 -- all made in Vernonia. Stop by to meet the author, talk books, ask questions, or just say hello.

Family Movie Night

Tuesday, November 24, 6 pm
Relax and enjoy a new movie and free popcorn. Call or visit the library for movie titles.

Ongoing Programs

Stamp Club

November 5, 4:30-5:30 pm
1st Thursday of each month
Open to all ages! Come join us for some stamp learning, collecting, trading, and all around fun!

Tabletop Gaming

November 10 and 27, 4 pm
2nd and 4th Tuesday of every month
For teens and adults. New and experienced gamers welcome. Sign up at the library.

Writer's Group

November 19, 6 - 7:30 pm
3rd Thursday of every month,

Opportunity for writers with all levels of experience to get together, write, and get feedback.

Book Discussion Group

November 30, 5:30 pm
Last Monday of every month
Selection for November:
Last Bus to Wisdom by Ivan Doig

Storytimes

Baby and Toddler Time

Mondays, 10:30 – 11:15 am
Songs, rhymes, books, toys, and bubbles! For ages 0 – 3.
Older siblings welcome.

Preschool Storytime

Fridays, 10:30 – 11:15 am
Stories and a craft/activity for children up to age 5.

Holiday Closures

Closed Wednesday, November 11 for Veterans Day.
Closed Thursday & Friday, November 26 & 27 for Thanksgiving

Library Hours & Contact

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 10 – 5
Tuesday, Thursday: 1 – 7
Saturday: 10 – 4
Closed Sundays

Phone: (503) 429-1818
E-mail: library@vernonia-or.gov

Vernonia City Council Meetings and Closures

City Council Meetings are scheduled for 7:00 pm:

Monday, November 16, 2015
Monday, December 7, 2015

City Closures are scheduled for:

Wednesday, November 11, 2015
Veterans Day Holiday
Thursday, November 26, 2015
Thanksgiving Day Holiday
Friday, November 27, 2015
Staff Day

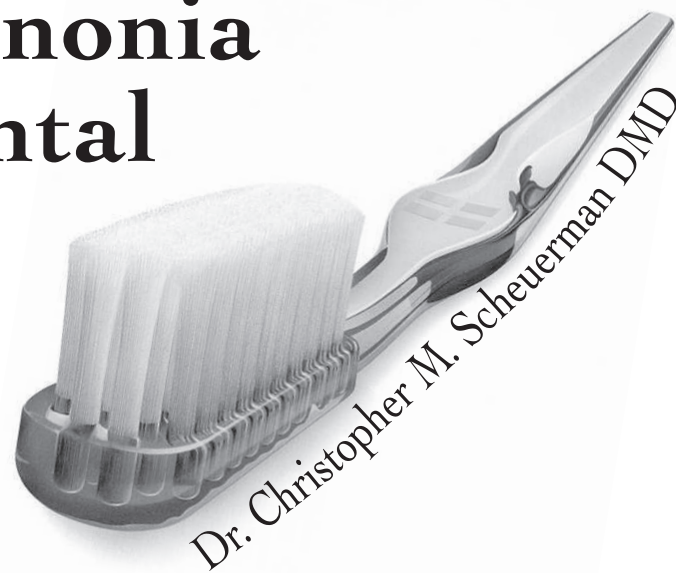
Dates and times subject to change due to conflicts of schedules



The Mist-Birkenfeld RFPD Board of Directors will meet Tuesday, November 17, 2015 at 7:00 pm at the Main Station, 12525 HWY 202, Mist, OR. Agenda items include but are not limited to usual order of business, citizen input, Fire Chief's report, financial reports and any other business needing to be discussed.

William DeJager
-Board President

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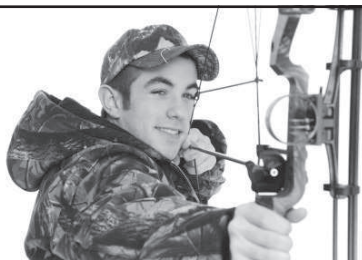


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