

PCC Spring Registration Now Open

PCC Credit Classes in Columbia County Begin the Week of April 2, 2018
Details at www.pcc.edu/about/locations/columbia-county/

Welding Technology (Credit) Courses at St. Helens High School 6 to 9 p.m.

- WLD 111 SMAW:(E7024) & Oxy-acetylene
- WLD 112 SMAW: Mild Steel I (E7018)
- WLD 113 SMAW: Mild Steel II (E7018)
- WLD 114 SMAW: Mild Steel III (E6011)
- WLD 116B Basic Welding Practice
- WLD 126A Beg Gas Tung Arc Weld Heliarc
- WLD 131 Gas Metal Arc Welding
- WLD 136A Beginning Wire Welding
- WLD 136B Basic Wire Welding
- WLD 141 FCAW I (Gas Shielded)
- WLD 152 FCAW-G Cert. Practice
- WLD 190B Basic Welding Practice
- WLD 190A Beginning Welding Practice
- WLD 221 GTAW: Mild Steel
- WLD 223 GTAW: Stainless Steel
- WLD 256A Int Oxy-Acetylene Welding Practice
- WLD 271 Oxy-acetylene Welding Projects

Community Education (Non-Credit) Classes in Scappoose

Details at www/pcc.edu/community

Kayaking—All Non-Credit

Advanced registration is necessary to ensure equipment availability. All equipment costs and instruction are included in class prices. Kayaking classes meet rain or shine, dress for the weather.

9SPR 622N Kayak: Nocturnal Paddle
Join us as we leave the marina at sunset and paddle through Scappoose Bay, spooking up nocturnal animals. We will finish by paddling back in just after dark. Guide, upgraded Kayaks, dry bags, snacks and beverages provided. 22153 Scappoose SCABMP SHOP, 7:30 to 10:20 pm, Sat. 4/28. \$59. Must register or drop by 4/21. Beginner friendly.

9SPR 622W Kayak: Migratory Birds of Scappoose Bay
Paddle in the beautiful wetlands of Scappoose Bay and watch flocks of Canada Geese, Tundra and Trumpeter Swans and Sandhill Cranes as they migrate for the spring. Guide, kayaks, dry bags, snacks and drinks provided. 26917 Scappoose SCABMP SHOP, 9 to 11:50am, Sat. 5/5. \$59. Must register or drop by 4/28.

9SPR 622L Stand Up Paddle Board: Scappoose Bay
Learn balance, paddling techniques on Stand Up Paddleboards (SUP) and tour beautiful Scappoose Bay, enjoying a different perspective of the great blue herons, eagles, osprey and other wildlife while having fun.

23546 Scappoose SCABMP SHOP, 1 to 3:50 pm, Sat. 5/12. \$59. Must register or drop by 5/5. Beginner friendly.

26919 Scappoose SCABMP SHOP, 1 to 3:50 pm, Sat. 5/19. \$59. Must register or drop by 5/12. Beginner friendly.

26921 Scappoose SCABMP SHOP, 1 to 3:50 pm, Sat. 6/9. \$59. Must register or drop by 6/2. Beginner friendly.

Woodworking All Non-Credit

9MW 628A Woodworking 101 Basics: Part 1
Hands-on class covers tools, safety, materials and tricks of the trade. Projects teach proper use of machinery to help get you started on your own project. First class attendance required. 23480 Scappoose MMPS SHOP, 6 to 8:50 pm, Tue. 4/3 to 6/5. \$169 + \$125 fee.

9MW 628B Woodworking 101 Basics: Part 2
Using the foundations of Woodworking 101, learn to make samples of common woodworking joints. With this technique you will then work on your own projects. High quality layout tools are required to complete this class. Prereq: Woodworking 101 Basics. 23716 Scappoose MMPS SHOP, 6 to 8:50 pm, Wed. 4/4 to 6/6. \$169 + \$125 fee.

Fish and Wildlife Commission Reclassifies Marbled Murrelet as State-Endangered

The Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission recently voted to move the marbled murrelet, a small seabird that nests in older forests, from threatened to endangered under the Oregon Endangered Species Act. This decision affects lands owned, managed, and leased by state agencies but will have no direct impacts on private landowners. Staff at the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife will now develop survival guidelines on state-owned, managed, and leased lands for the Commission to consider at its June 8 meeting in Salem. Survival guidelines are quantifiable and measurable guidelines necessary to ensure the survival of individual members of the species. They will serve

as interim murrelet protections until affected state agencies develop and adopt endangered species management plans. The Commission also heard an updated status report on white sturgeon in the Lower Columbia River and, based on that update, directed staff to work with Washington to develop 2018 sturgeon retention seasons similar to last year. Finally, the Commission approved new criminal records requirements in keeping with HB 3168. The Commission is the policy-making body for fish and wildlife issues in the state and it usually meets monthly. Its next meeting will be March 26 in Salem.

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NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF BALLOT TITLE
Filed in the Office of County Clerk 2/7/2018

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a ballot title for a measure proposed by initiative petition 18-1 has been filed with the Columbia County Clerk on February 7, 2018.

The ballot title caption is: **Columbia County Campaign Finance Regulation Ordinance**

Caption

Columbia County Campaign Finance Regulation Ordinance

Question

Shall Columbia County regulate the size of campaign donations in local candidate elections and require donor information in campaign communications?

Statement

This ordinance would regulate donations in county elections, and would apply to any local candidate including county commissioner, city councilor, mayor, and special districts board members.

The ordinance would prohibit individual or entity donations over \$500 to any County candidate for public office during an election cycle except from a Small Donor Committee and candidate loans of up to \$5000.

"Small Donor Committee" means a Political Committee that cannot accept contributions exceeding \$100 per individual.

This ordinance would also place aggregate limitations on candidate donations. Donations to all candidates could not exceed \$5000 for individuals and \$10,000 for Political Committees. Small Donor Committees could make unlimited contributions.

This ordinance would require entities contributing more than \$750 in the aggregate to register with the State as a Political Committee.

This ordinance would require campaign "communications" to include certain contributor information. The term "communications" does not include buttons, bumper stickers, small signs, and some literature

Violations of this Ordinance would be punishable by fines between two times and 20 times the unlawful contribution or expenditure.

In accordance with ORS 250.168 (2), the proposed initiative meets the requirements of Section 1 (2)(d), Article IV and section 10, Article VI of the Oregon Constitution.

Also, in accordance with ORS 250.175(5), notice is hereby given that any elector may file a petition for review of the ballot title in the Columbia County Circuit Court no later than the seventh business day after the title was filed with the county clerk, (ORS 250.195).

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Church Directory

Assembly of God Sunday School: 9:45 am Morning Worship: 11:00 am Sunday Evening Prayer: 6:00 pm Wayne Marr, Pastor 662 Jefferson Avenue 503-429-0373	Grace Family Fellowship Sunday School: 9:00 am Worship Service: 10:30 am Thursday Prayer: 6:00 pm Greg “Mac” McCallum, Pastor 957 State Avenue 503-429-6790	Open Door Gathering Place Service: Sunday 6:00 pm Grant Williams, Pastor 375 North Street 503-702-3553	Sam Hough, Pastor 410 North Street 503-429-6522
Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Sunday Schedule: Sacrament Meeting: 10:00 am Sunday School & Primary: 11:20 am Relief Society, Priesthood and Young Women: 12:10 pm Roger Cook, Branch President 1350 E. Knott Street 503-429-7151	Nehalem Valley Bible Church Sunday School: 9:45 am Worship Service: 10:45 am Tues. Ladies Bible Study: 9:30 am Wednesday Service: 7:00 pm Sat. Men’s Prayer Meeting: 6:30 am Gary Taylor, Pastor Grant & North Streets 503-429-5378	St. Mary’s Catholic Church Wednesday Religious Education: 3:15-4:30 pm Sunday Mass: 12:00 pm Rev. Luan Tran, Administrator 960 Missouri Avenue 503-429-8841	Vernonia Foursquare Church Sunday Worship Service: 10:30 am Children’s Sunday School Carl Pense, Pastor 358 A Street 503-429-1103
		Vernonia Christian Church Sunday School: 9:45 am Worship Service in Youth & Family Center: 11:00 AM www.VernoniaChristianChurch.org	Vernonia Seventh-day Adventist Church Sabbath (Saturday) Services Sabbath School: 9:30 am Worship Service: 11:00 am www.VernoniaSDAC.org Larry Gibson, Pastor 2nd Avenue and Nehalem Street 503-429-8301