

Upcoming Events

Ridge Riders Prize Ride - Saturday, June 23, 9:00 am at Anderson Park. Contact Deloris Bellingham (503) 327-5641

Great American Bash - Wednesday, July 4, 5:00 Parade, 5:30 Concert at Hawkins Park featuring Jesse Cain and Hill Road Band, Fireworks at Spencer Park at dusk.

Vernonia Friendship Jamboree & Logging Show - Friday, August 3 - Sunday, August 5

Bear Creek Run - Saturday, August 18, 9:00 am start at Anderson Park. Register at RunSignUp.com

TOPS Group (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) meet Fridays at the Mist-Birkenfeld Fire Dept. 8:30 am weigh in, 9:00 am meeting. Men and women invited to join. (503) 429-7505

HOW TO SEND LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Vernonia's Voice welcomes and requests your thoughts, opinions and ideas. Please include your name, address and phone number, limit your letters to 300 words or less. Vernonia's Voice reserves the right to edit, omit, respond or ask for a response to letters submitted. We will print letters space permitting. Deadline is the 1st and 3rd Monday of each month. Email: scott@vernoniasvoice.com or mail to: Letters, PO Box 55, Vernonia, OR 97064.

Vernonia Weather May 2018

DATE	HIGH	LOW	PRECIP
1	56	43	0
2	72	42	0
3	74	42	0
4	67	44	0
5	71	43	0
6	66	43	0
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11	67	40	0
12	78	41	0
13	88	40	0
14	90	43	0
15	72	51	0
16	67	50	0
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18	71	51	0
19	67	41	0
20	66	41	0
21	71	41	0
22	82	43	0
23	78	45	0
24	71	43	0
25	69	45	0
26	64	37	0
27	75	38	0
28	68	36	0
29	63	36	0
30	65	42	0
31	64	35	0
Ave/Tot	70.5	42.5	0.13

Weather data is collected at the U.S. Weather station at the Vernonia Water Plant

P.E.O. Announcement: "Junk-in-the-Trunk" Is Coming Up Soon in Vernonia!

Last year's sale was well-attended, everyone had a good time, and P.E.O. received a much-appreciated boost for support of ongoing projects. P.E.O.'s mission is, as always, to support women in reaching their educational goals.

Here's a fun way to find enticing treasures—by browsing through the trunks of cars. It's amazing the volume and variety of items that can be displayed this way—of course goods overflow the trunks, so tables are added for the overflow, and there's ample room to explore.

This crazy event will be held on July 14 from 9:00 am until 3:00 pm, or until the junk (treasures, that is) are sold out.

The location will be next to Meyer's Auto Body on the grassy area next to Spencer Park. Look for signs.

Recent P.E.O. business included election of officers for the chapter:

President: Coni Hodgson; V. President: Tobie Finzel; Recording Secretary: Mary Tolonen; Treasurer: Myrrhina Kibben; Corresponding Secretary: Patty Buchanan; and Guard: Beth Kintz.

Any of these ladies will be happy to answer any questions you have about the Junk in their Trunks!

Upper Nehalem Watershed Council Meeting

5:30 pm on Thursday
June 28, 2018

at the UNWC office 1201 Texas Ave. Suite A. Entrance is around the back of the building

For more info call (503) 396-2046 or email maggie@nehalem.org



INVITATION TO BID

ROSE AVENUE SENIOR CENTER/FOOD BANK PROJECT

Notice is hereby given that the City of Vernonia intends to contract for the construction of the ROSE AVENUE SENIOR CENTER/FOOD BANK building, located at 547 Weed Avenue, Vernonia, Oregon. Project will be constructed under a single prime contract.

The Rose Avenue Senior Center/Food Bank project located in Vernonia, Oregon consists of a new 8,264 square foot, Type 5-B construction, non-sprinklered senior center and food bank building. The Work includes the furnishing of labor, materials, and equipment for the construction of all work as described in the Drawings and Project Manual including, but not limited to general construction, HVAC, plumbing, electrical, fire protection systems, installation of all owner furnished/contractor installed items, and final connection of all food service equipment. The full extent of the Work is described in the Drawings and Project Manual.

Sealed bids will be received up to the hour of 2:00 PM, local time on July 31, 2018 by Josette M. Mitchell, City Administrator, City Hall, 1001 Bridge Street, Vernonia, Oregon 97064. Any bids received after the above specified time will not be considered. The carrier, including the United States Postal Service, is considered an agent of the bidder. NO faxed or electronic bid submittals will be accepted, under any circumstances. Bids will be publicly opened and read in the Vernonia City Council Chambers, City Hall. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check, a cashier's check or bid bond in an amount equal to at least 5% of the total bid.

A Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting & Building Walk-Thru will be held on July 9, 2018 at 10:00 AM at the VERNONIA CITY HALL, located at 1001 Bridge St. Vernonia, OR.

Questions regarding the project during the bid period shall be submitted to Josette M. Mitchell, City Administrator by email only, jmittell@vernonia-or.gov.

Project Substantial Completion shall be 292 calendar days after the notice to proceed (NTP) is issued, Project Final Completion shall be no more than 30 calendar days after Substantial Completion.

Plans and Specifications may be reviewed at and must be obtained from Precision Images, 900 SE Sandy Blvd., Portland, OR 97214, 503-274-2030 at www.precisionimages.com.

Prior to submission of its bid, bidder must be registered with the Oregon Construction Contractor's Board as required by ORS 701.055, and thereby comply with the requirements of ORS 701.035 to 701.55.

Bidders shall be qualified in accordance with the applicable parts of ORS 279C in order to submit a bid for public works in Oregon.

Oregon Prevailing Wage Laws - Contractor shall pay each worker employed in the performance of the work not less than the higher of the wage rate for the type of work being performed as set forth in either the Oregon Prevailing Wage set forth in the "Prevailing Wage Rates for Public Works Contracts in Oregon" or the applicable federal Davis-Bacon Wage Decision.

Work under this contract will be funded in part with Federal Grant Funds from the Oregon Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program.

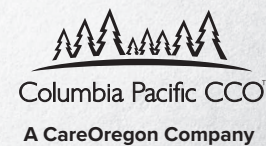
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Columbia Humane Society Featured Pet



Emma came from a high kill shelter in California. She is kind of shy, but does not seem to mind other cats in the cattery. She is about 2 years old, is spayed, and weighs right around 8 lbs. She would love a home to call her own. Once she is settled we feel that she is going to be very loveable and sweet. Her adoption fee is \$145. If you would like to meet this sweet girl please don't hesitate to call 503-397-4353 or email animalwelfare@columbiahumane.org.

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AA Meetings

Open Meetings
Mondays & Thursdays
6:30-7:30 pm
Vernonia Christian Church
410 North Street

Women's Meeting
Tuesdays 6:30-7:30 pm
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