

## What's Happening at the Vernonia Library

### Election Ballot Drop

The Library is an official ballot drop box. The drop box is inside the Library, just past the entryway. In addition to regular Library hours, the Library will be open on Election Day, November 6, from 9 am - 8 pm. No stamp is required when using a ballot drop location.

### Mad Science: Spin! Pop! Boom!

Saturday, November 10, 1 pm  
Learn about crazy chemical reactions, the amazing properties of acids and bases, and the greatness of gravity! Mad Science is a leading science enrichment provider, delivering unique, hands-on science experiences for children. Don't miss it! Free event.

### Ongoing Programs

#### Writer's Group

Thursday, November 15, 6 - 7:30 pm

3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of every month. For writers with all levels of experience.

### Book Discussion Group

Monday, November 26, 5:30 pm  
Discussion selection for November: TBA

### Storytimes

#### Community Helpers Storytime Series

No School Fridays in November, 10:30 am  
November 2: 4-H  
November 16: Jack's Hobo Bakery  
Stories read by a special guest, show and tell of their role in the community, followed by a craft. See Preschool Storytime schedule below for regular Friday storytime activities.

#### 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, activity, and a craft. Planned for children up through age 6.

### Library Closures

Monday, November 12 for Veterans Day  
Thursday and Friday, November 22 and 23 for the Thanksgiving Holiday

### 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

## PCC to Purchase Property in Columbia County *continued from front page*

approved the first OMIC registered apprenticeship standards for machinists.

- In August 2018 PCC brought in a national workforce agency, the National Coalition for Advanced Technology Centers, to host OMIC training center stakeholder meetings and provide recommendations on the facility.

- In October 2018 PCC collaborated with OMIC R&D and a variety of community and business and industry partners to host the first "Makers Gone Pro West" event. More than 230 local area

high school students and nearly 40 manufacturers, makers, and robotics teams participated.

Also in October, PCC hosted a kick-off meeting for a new K-12 council, in partnership with Stand for Children. School district superintendents and PCC leaders attended the event, which illustrated how OMIC is establishing strong pathways for both Career Technical Education and transfer students in the local area.

"OMIC will be transformation-

al for Columbia County and northwest Oregon, and I am excited to see it continue to grow and move forward," said U.S. Representative Suzanne Bonamici, whose congressional district includes Columbia County. "Advanced manufacturing has a bright future in Oregon, and the training center will provide workers with both the classroom and on-the-job

learning they need to fill high-demand, living wage jobs in advanced manufacturing. I am proud to be a champion for OMIC and will continue to support efforts that use education to strengthen our local economy," said Bonamici.

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*Every vote counts*

Vote for our Democratic candidates:

- Congresswoman Suzanne Bonamici
- Governor Kate Brown
- Senator Betsy Johnson
- Representative Brad Witt

We recommend a NO VOTE on the following:

- Measures 103 & 104 – Anti-Democracy
- Measure 105 – Anti-Immigrant
- Measure 106 – Anti-choice
- Measure 5-270 – Anti-Safe Gun Use

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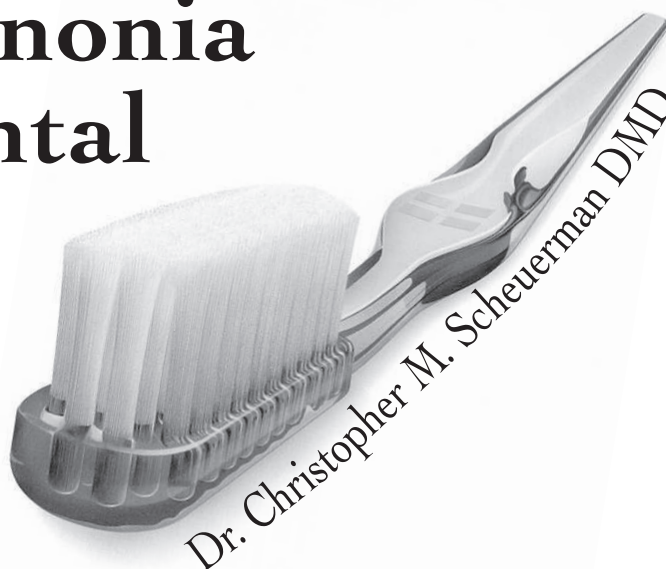
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