

Upcoming Events

Garage Sale Shuffle – Fri, Sat, Sun, April 8-10, 9 am - 4 pm at the American Legion Vernonia Post 119, 627 Adams Ave.

Spring Native Plant Sale – Saturday, April 9, 9 am - 3 pm at the Scappoose Bay Watershed Council nursery, located behind Scappoose High School. For more information see <https://www.scappoose-bay-wc.org/native-plant-nursery/>.

Church Directory

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

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

Nehalem Valley Bible Church
Sunday School all ages: 9:45 am
Sunday Worship Service: 10:45 am
Mark Organ, Senior Pastor
Gary Taylor, Associate Pastor
<https://www.NVBibleChurch.org>
Email: nvbc98@gmail.com
500 North Street 503-429-5378

St. Mary’s Catholic Church
Sunday Mass: 12:00 pm
Fr. Joshua Clifton, Administrator
<https://www.facebook.com/-StMarysOfVernonia>
960 Missouri Avenue 503-429-8841

Vernonia Christian Church
Worship Service in Youth & Family Center: 9:30 and 11:00 am
www.Vernonia.Church
Sam Hough, Pastor
410 North Street 503-429-6522

Vernonia Seventh-day Adventist Church
Sabbath (Saturday) Services
Sabbath School: 9:30 am
Worship Service: 11:00 am
Pastor Antonee Leo Aguilar
Email: antonee.aguilar@oc.npuc.org
<https://VernoniaOR.AdventistChurch.org/>
1294 Nehalem Street 503-429-8301

Kids Easter Egg Hunt – Saturday, April 16, 10 am Sharp! at Spencer Park

Bingo – Saturday, April 16, 6-9 pm at the American Legion Vernonia Post 119, 627 Adams Ave.

Chat with Chip: Interactive Zoom program on garden and related topics with Chip Bubl – Tuesday, April 19, 6:30-8 pm. Monthly Zoom Presentations each 3rd Tuesday evening. Register https://oregon-state.zoom.us/join/register/tJYrdeppjsvH9RRqhWQDsp-NI_ZE252EiA2.



UNWC ANNUAL MEETING

Join us for a free, Zoom optional meeting with an exciting presentation and light refreshments. Family friendly, all are welcome.

Vernonia Grange
Thursday, April 28
5:30 - 7:30 pm

AGENDA

5:30 pm - Call to Order

5:40 pm - PRESENTATION:
A Year in Our Watershed: 2021 Annual Report
- Discussion and Q&A

6:50 pm - Break

6:55 pm - Council Business

- Establish Council membership
- Bylaw Amendments vote
- Board of Directors Elections
 - Member-at-large, 2 yr term
 - Member-at-large, 2 yr term

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FREE Hazardous Waste Collection – Saturday, April 23, 8 am - noon at 377 Bridge St. Lawn/garden chemicals, herbicides/pesticides, pool/spa chemicals, fluorescent tubes, art/hobby chemicals, solvents/thinners, items containing mercury, propane cylinders, batteries (auto, rechargeable, button, alkaline), cleaners/detergents, poisons, ammunition, fireworks/flares, gas/diesel/fuels accepted. Call Kathy at 503-397-7259 for more information.

The Chronicle Home and Garden Show – Saturday, April 23, 10 am - 5pm, **Sunday, April 24**, 11 am - 3 pm at the Columbia County Fairgrounds. https://www.thechronicleonline.com/2022_columbia_county_oregon_home_and_garden_show/ for more details.

Columbia County Master Gardeners™ Spring Fair Returns – Saturday, April 30, 9 am - 3 pm at the Columbia County

Mist-Birkenfeld RFPD Board of Directors
will meet by teleconference for their regular board meeting
Tuesday, April 19, 2022
at 7:00 pm.

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us-06web.zoom.us/j/84191292436?pwd=SXFXYjJxcG91Nzc2bFJRUU9mTHp2UT09>
Call In: 1-971-247-1195
Meeting ID: 841 9129 2436
Passcode: 026578



503-755-2710
<http://www.mistbirkenfeld-rfpd.org>

Fairgrounds. 3,000 tomato plants, peppers, and garden related items by other vendors.

Camp 18 Loggers Memorial Annual Dedication – Saturday, May 7, 9 am, 42634 Sunset Hwy, Seaside

Cinco De Mayo Gala: Dinner & Fiesta – Saturday, May 7, doors open at 6:30 pm at The Historic Mason House, 847 Jefferson Ave. Adults only 21+. \$35 includes dinner and 1 drink ticket. <https://vernoniasociety.org/>

Blood Drive – Tuesday, May 10, 12-5 pm at Grace Family Fellowship, 957 State Ave. Schedule an appointment at www.red-crossblood.org or call 1-800-red-cross.

Annual Rubber Duck Race – May 14, 11 am at the Rock Creek bridge by Shay Park. Cash prize and gift certificates to local businesses! \$5.00 <https://vernoniasociety.org/duck-race/>

Murder Mystery Dinner – Saturday, May 14 at the American Legion Vernonia Post 119. Tickets available on Bingo Nights or call (971) 288-8887, email: al.vernonia.post.119@gmail.com, and at <https://www.facebook.com/VernoniaPost119>.

Vernonia’s Voice is published on the 1st and 3rd Thursday. Look for our next issue on April 21.

The Vernonia Transfer Station is scheduled to be open on the 2nd and 4th Saturday January - October
April 9 & 23
May 14 & 28
Dates are subject to change

HOW TO SEND LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

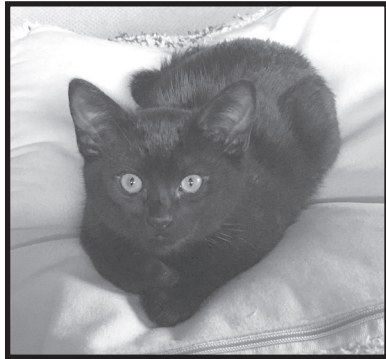
Vernonia’s Voice welcomes and requests your thoughts, opinions and ideas. Please include your name, address, and phone number, limit your letters to 300 words or less. *Vernonia’s Voice* reserves the right to edit, omit, respond, or ask for a response to letters submitted. We will print letters space 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.



Columbia Humane Society



Purr-fect Pals



Due to circumstances beyond his control, Dash is looking for a new forever home. Dash is 8 months old and is current on all vaccinations, and has been altered. He has only

ever been an indoor cat, so his new family will need to understand that he has no outdoor skills and needs to remain an indoor cat. Dash has not had any access to other cats so anyone interested in adopting must be willing to keep him separate from the other cats in the home to allow him a chance to adjust. If you are interested in meeting Dash we ask that you please email adoption@columbiahumane.org in order to obtain an application. Please note that all adoptions are completed by appointment only.

Featured Dog



This little dude is sure to tire anyone out. Volodymr is just as sweet as he is energetic. If you are unfamiliar with border collies, we suggest that prior to applying you please do some research on this breed so you have a good understanding of what you are getting into. This guy has a foundation for training, and is going to need so much more work. He is young enough that there will be no limits to what you will be able to do with him. He has a strong urge to please and is very food motivated. He can be very shy when you first meet him, but after a few minutes he will be all over you and want nothing but non-stop love. His ideal home will have a yard he can play in. We will not place him in an apartment setting. If he was to go with another dog we would like to see it be a kind, older female. His prior experience with other dogs has not been good, so it will be very important to his development that he gets good positive exposure to other dogs. We do not know his history with cats, however he is young enough that he can be taught how to live with them. We also do not know how he is with kids, but with his energy level we would only like to see him go with kids at least over 5 years old. If you are interested in meeting him we ask that you please email adoption@columbiahumane.org in order to obtain an application. Once you have an approved application on file we will then schedule a time for you to come and meet him. Volodymr’s adoption fee is \$350.

As we have a very small staff of two and have a lot of animals to care for, we ask that you please DO NOT CALL the shelter, phone calls will not be returned. We prefer email communication. Please understand that just because you put in an application it doesn't guarantee a meet and greet. Our adoptions are not performed first come first serve, it is about the best option for the pets. We will require vet references and if you rent we will be checking with your landlord prior to scheduling meet and greets. All of our adoptions start with a two week trial period in the home. We ask you to take the pet home on a foster basis so that we can be sure that it is a good fit. We want to make sure that the pet is right for your family and that your family is right for the pet. We believe that adopters should not be pressured into making a life long commitment to a pet unless they are 100% sure they are a good match. At the time the pet goes home with you we will ask that you put the adoption fee down as a deposit which would be refunded if the pet is returned in the first two weeks. This adoption fee will cover alteration, current vaccines, treatment for fleas and worms, and microchip. All adoptions can be finalized by email to make the process smoother. At the time the adoption is completed we will provide you with all necessary vaccination and medical records as well as an adoption contract and will register the microchip.