

UFO Fest brings out aliens



Left: Two people cosplay as X-Files characters at the UFO Festival May 20 in McMinnville. Right: Other festival goers dressed in their best alien garb. Read the story online at theclackamasprint.com



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College looks for new president

Clackamas Community College President Joanne Truesdell announced that she will retire in spring 2018. Between now and then, the college is making an effort to fill the shoes of the soon to be ex-president.

Clackamas held multiple events for the public, students and staff give input to help create a profile for the next president.

These forums have ended, but the process has just begun.

"We are at the very beginning of the process and quite far from looking at candidates," said transition liaison Amanda Coffey, an English instructor.

According to Coffey, those involved in the process gathered with Dr. Preston Pulliams, the college's consultant from Gold Hill Associates and the former president of Portland Community College, to build a success profile in a board meeting.

Along with the forums, the college had opened up surveys online for those who did not attend the forums, to participate in the college's search for the next president to replace Truesdell.

- COLLIN BEREND

Board of ed. election brings new face

If you never submitted the Clackamas County special district election ballot, it's too late now; May 16 was Election Day, the final day to vote.

The Clackamas Community College's Board of Education representative, serve for four years. Each person is from a different area and there are seven zones in the college district.

This year, there were four zones that ended up on the ballot for voters. In zone two, the central north part of the Clackamas County area, Rob Wheeler was elected as a representative and he is replacing Jean Bidstrup, who has served on the Board for the past 11 years.

In zone three, the Gladstone area, Dave Hunt was re-elected.

Then, for zone six, the east Clackamas County area, Jane Reid was also re-elected and she has been on the Board since 2007.

Zone seven was the only one with two people running, Irene Konev and her opponent Michael D. McNichols. Konev has lived in Canby for more than 11 years and has previously attended Clackamas Community College as a student.

Konev came ahead with 2,687 votes and McNichols lost with only 2,093 votes. Now, Konev will be replacing Richard Oathes, who had the Board position since 2007.

- MERARI CALDERON RUIZ



Konev



Hunt



Reid

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