

To the editor:

Thank you very much to Fawn Metcalf and CTSI for the pellet stove purchased for our family to make us warm and cuddly throughout years to come.

The Elkins Family



Courtesy photo by Chinook Winds Casino Resort staff

Tanya Gutierrez watches as her mini-rocket is launched by J.R. Pollnow, educational outreach coordinator for the Evergreen Aviation & Space Museum.

Rockets launch in casino parking lot

Carole Clark, manager of Chinook Winds Play Palace and Games Galore Arcade, has been busy planning educational events for youth to enjoy at the Play Palace. Among those events was a visit on Dec. 21 from J.R. Pollnow, education outreach coordinator for the Evergreen Aviation & Space Museum in McMinnville, Ore.

The outreach program sends him to schools all over Western Oregon. He anticipated seeing as many as 3,700 students in January alone.

Pollnow helped the children at the Play Palace better understand the concept of aeronautics with the help of a small rocket-launcher set up in the parking lot of Chinook Winds. It was a clear and beautiful December day, perfect weather for each child to launch a small rocket made of a tightly rolled piece of 8½x11-inch piece of paper.

Clark has many activities planned for youth in 2012. Among them is the return of Pollnow, hopefully during spring break in March.

Play Palace activities in February

Saturdays:

- Ice Cream Social, all day, \$1.25
- 2/4: Watercolor painting, 2 p.m. & 7 p.m.
- 2/11: Movie Matinee, 2 p.m.
- 2/18: Clay Art, 2 p.m. & 7 p.m.
- 2/25: Movie Matinee, 2 p.m.

Sundays:

- Root Beer or Orange Floats, all day, \$1
- Story Time, 2 p.m. & 6 p.m.
- 2/19: Sleepover party, 9 p.m. to 9 a.m. Must pre-register

Mondays:

- Board Games, 11 a.m. & 5 p.m.

2/20: Presidents' Day – no school, crafts at 2 p.m.

Banana Splits, all day, \$2

Tuesdays:

Tea Party, 1 p.m. & 6 p.m.

2/14: Valentine's Day, cards crafts

Wednesdays:

Ice Cream Social, all day, \$1.25

Parents Night Out, 5-9 p.m., \$10.95

Thursdays:

Bingo, 6 p.m.

Fridays:

Movie, 7 p.m.

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IN BINGO
All Month Long!



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- Visitor & Convention Bureau – oregoncoast.org

To the editor:

We would like to thank all of the family and friends who attended Roy Downey's memorial and those who sent cards and well wishes to us over the course of his illness and his passing. Your love and support meant a lot to all of us.

It is hard to say goodbye to a parent but knowing that we will see him again someday helps to get through the hurt. We also know that he is in good company and dancing up a storm in the presence of those who have gone on before him.

We would like to say a special thank you to the Elders staff and the volunteers who helped them in the kitchen and with serving the meal. We also want to thank the maintenance crew for being so kind and putting the chairs and tables back in order for us.

A huge thank you goes to the Kentta/Miller families for getting Dad's picture taken care of, donations of food, putting the music and video together and for always being there throughout our lives to support and love us whenever we have needed you.

To Kathryn Murders: Thank you for speaking for us. You did an awesome job and we are forever grateful. To our cousin, Buster Lane: We so appreciate you and your willingness to help us say goodbye to our Dad in a respectful and loving way.

Sincerely,

Michael and Denise Downey, Rebecca and Michael Williams, Penny and Steve Barclay, Scott Downey and Ginger Gabriel, Brenda West, Kathleen and Stan Murders and families

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BINGO

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
FEBRUARY						
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VALENTINE'S DAY – Tuesday February 14 will be our Valentine's Day special. We have an extra game called the Heart game that will be played. This game will cost \$1 and payout \$500. All guests who buy-in will also receive a free gift.

WILD WEDNESDAY NIGHTS – During the evening session every Wednesday night in February we will have our Wild Wednesday Nights special. All main games will pay \$300 and the 3 of our specials will pay \$500.

FREE 6-ON DAY – Every Thursday in February come in for our Free Six-On Day. With your buy-in you will receive 1 free main session game pack. These packs will payout \$300 instead of the normal \$200 and it's free!

COSMIC BINGO - Friday the 10th at 10pm will be our Cosmic Bingo session. If you like to party while you play Bingo then this is the session for you. Only \$5 to play all the games, but you must be 21 years or older to play.

SUPER GAME - February 5 come watch the game. Bingo will be giving out a special Super Game gift to all who buy in during the matinee session. During the evening session Bingo the Indian Star, CW Progressive and Bonanza games will all pay \$500!

MONDAYS ARE OCEAN PACKAGE DAY. ONLY \$42! THAT'S A \$36 SAVINGS!

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