Here, There & Everywhere

T. PARTY - An award party/potluck dinner to honor T. Lund will be held on Saturday, Feb. 1, from 5 to 7 p.m. in the IVHS cafeteria. The public is invited and is encouraged to bring their favorite dish. Donations will be accepted and will benefit the music department. For more information phone Andrea at 592-6419. The celebration is being sponsored by the Wies family.

AIRPORT ADVISORY - The Illinois Valley Airport Advisory Board will be holding an airport planning workshop on Monday, Feb. 3 from 2 to 4 p.m. at the county building in downtown Cave Junction. Josephine County Commissioners, representatives from FAA and ODA have been invited. The workshop is also open to the public.

SCRAPBOOK SAVERS - Rogue Community College Community Education will offer a class on how to preserve family photographs and other memories in an album but not spend a lot of money. "Pennies per Page Scrapbooking," will be held on Wednesdays beginning Jan. 29 through Feb. 19 at the RCC Belt Bldg. in Kerby. Illinois Valley resident Elizabeth Davis will teach the class. To register, or for more information, phone 592-2120. Community Education schedules and registration forms are available at the Belt Bldg. or at the Josephine County building in Cave Junction.

SAR CELEBRATION - Josephine County Sheriff's Patrol Search and Rescue will host an open house and membership drive on Wednesday, Jan. 29 from 7 to 9 p.m. at Search and Rescue headquarters, 1202 Redwood Ave., Grants Pass. Volunteers will be on hand to answer questions about the all-volunteer organization and take membership applications.

SCHC 30 YEARS - Siskiyou Community Health Center begins a year-long celebration "Thirty years of helping people," Friday, Feb. 7. There will be a potluck dinner at the Takilma Community Center starting at 6 p.m. Photographs taken by Dr. Jim Shames (co-founder of the clinic) that span SCHC's thirty years will be exhibited at the dinner. Guests are encouraged to bring photos and clippings for the "Time Line" collage and acoustic instruments for impromptu musical performances.

COFFEE TALK - The Illinois Valley Chamber of Commerce will hold a "get acquainted coffee" on Friday, Jan. 31 from 8 to 10 a.m. at the chamber office in the I.V. Visitor Center. Refreshments will be served.

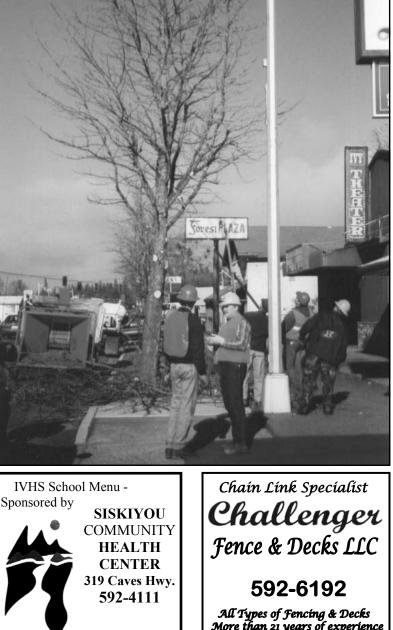
CHINESE NEW YEAR - A Chinese New Year celebration, to benefit The Shining Stars, a not-for-profit organization benefiting Illinois Valley youth, will be held on Saturday, Feb. 1. Dinner will be served from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Music will begin at 8:30. There will be dinner, gourmet desserts, a bar and dancing. Two live bands, "Jupiter Hollow" from Eugene, and "Brothers of Max Catharsis," from Seattle, will play. For more information phone 592-5460.

OMSI TIME - OMSI (Portland-based Oregon Museum of Science & Industry) will conduct science classes at Dome School on Saturday, Feb. 8. The classes are for those in kindergarten through eighth-grade. Enrollment is limited. Phone 592-3911 for more information.

BRINGING UP BABY - During January and February, Living Alternatives is conducting a Baby Bottle Campaign to raise funds. Bottles are available at the office, between Klamath First Bank and Carlos' Restaurante, and from some valley churches. People are being asked to take bottles home or to their workplace, and fill them with money or checks. The deadline to return the bottles is Valentine's Day, Feb. 14. Funds will be used to support continual pregnancy testing, and the pregnancy and parenting support programs of Living Alternatives. Services are provided free to anyone, but financial help is needed. CHANCE MEETING - Jim and Kathy Lombardo's son, Vince Lombardo, lives in Burbank, Calif. and subscribes to the "Illinois Valley News." Last week, he not only received his own copy of the paper, but a copy addressed to Jim Lord, son of Jim Lord of O'Brien, who also lives in Burbank. Taking his mom's advice, Vince looked on a map to see how close he was to the younger Jim. As it turned out, Vince realized he lived less than one-half mile from Jim, and he hand-delivered Jim's paper to him.



TREE TRIMMING - Concerned citizens Kathy Lombardo and Sonny Ness guided a crew of City of C.J. employees in tree trimming along Redwood Hwy. in downtown Cave Junction on Tuesday, Jan. 7. C.J. city council considered removing trees for better visibility. Lombardo and Ness helped provide an alternative to tree removal. (Photos by Kathy Lombardo)



Clubs & Organizations

Laurette Beta Beta Laurette Beta Beta, the local chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, spent the first meeting of December in Grants Pass alalong with the sister chapters of Josephine County, where we held our annual Christmas get-together and fund-raiser "Rudolph's Rumble." Food items were donated and raffles were held to benefit those in need during the Christmas season.

Virginia Gilliam hosted the Christmas party with great food and good fun. Secret sisters were revealed and new ones chosen for the upcoming year.

The first meeting for the new year was held at the home of Kathy Young. Plans were discussed for a Valentine's Day celebration along with usual business. Kathy presented a program on the endangered Darlingtonia plant.

Jean McHie was the hostess at the home of Virginia Gilliam for the second January meeting. After the business meeting, the birthdays of Deon Jenkins, Jean McHie

and Cindy (Sam) Newton were celebrated.

Waldo Mining District

The Waldo Mining District (WMD) will hold its first meeting of 2003 on Wednesday, Jan. 29, at the Josephine County Building in downtown Cave Junction. The meeting begins at 7 p.m. The public is invited.

Items on the agenda include the recent expiration of the period of segregation on approximately 33,000 acres of Bureau of Land Management lands connected with the proposed mineral withdrawal of January 22, 2001, and the continuation of the illegally proposed mineral withdrawal and illegal segregation on approximately 83,000 acres of the Siskiyou National Forest.

The WMD, established in 1852, is Oregon's oldest mining district. The purpose of the WMD is to preserve, protect, and promote mining in Southwest Oregon.

Anyone interested in protecting individual rights to mine on public lands is encouraged to attend.





REP NOTE - Third District State Rep. Gordon Anderson (R-Grants Pass) is set up in his Salem office. His address is 900 Court St. N.E., State Capitol H-490, Salem OR 97301. His telephone number is (503) 986-1403; fax (503) 986-1160; email rep.gordonanderson@state.or.us; and website www.leg.state.or.us/anderson/home.htm.

R&R ESOP - Rough & Ready employees have raised approximately \$1,000 of the \$6,250 needed to begin the initial feasibility study to see if keeping Rough & Ready open is an option. Bob Webb, spokesperson for R&R said that anyone wishing to contribute to the "Buy Out Assoc." fund may do so at Home Valley Bank.

NOTEPAD - The Wednesday Night Alanon meeting will not be held again until sometime in the spring. For more information on other Alanon meetings, phone 888-794-7683. The Illinois Valley Cougar Booster Club will hold its next meeting on Monday, Feb. 3 at 6 p.m. in the high school cafeteria. The Josephine County Marine Patrol will offer boat exams at no charge on Saturday, Feb. 1 at the Rogue River Boat shop, 1815 SW Bridge St., in Grants Pass. The exams will be held from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Participants are to bring the necessary paperwork and appropriate boating equipment. For more information, phone the county marine patrol at 471-2114.



THURSDAY, JAN. 30 Grilled ham & cheese. cheeseburger, hamburger turkey & cheese sub, ham & cheese sub, chef salad, Mandarin chicken salad. vegetarian pizza, pepperoni pizza, nachos, spaghetti & breadstick FRIDAY, JAN. 31 Chicken sandwich, cheeseburger, hamburger, turkey & cheese sub, roast beef sub, chef salad, Mandarin chicken salad, Hawaiian pizza, pepperoni pizza, beef tacos, hot dog & fries MONDAY, FEB. 3 Cheeseburger, chicken sandwich, hamburger,

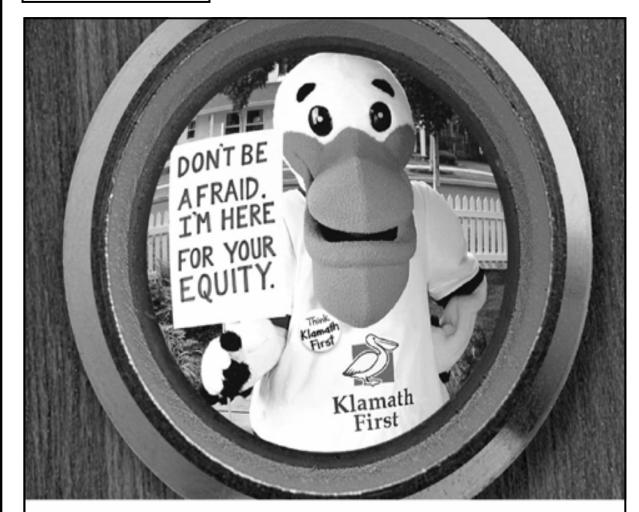
turkey & cheese sub, ham & cheese sub, chef salad, Mandarin chicken salad, vegetarian pizza, pepperoni pizza, chicken fajita, chicken nuggets with potatoes and gravy TUESDAY, FEB. 4 Cheeseburger, chicken sandwich, hamburger, turkey & cheese sub, roast beef sub, chef salad, Mandarin chicken salad, sausage pizza, supreme pizza, beef and bean burrito, rib-b-que, potato wedge

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 5 Cheeseburger, chicken sandwich, hamburger, turkey & cheese sub, veqgie sub, chef salad, Mandarin chicken salad, cheese pizza, pepperoni pizza, taco salad, soup of the day, hot ham & cheese pocket

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