I.V. aid main CRT goal

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ward its goal of affordable housing in Illinois Valley. It helps those seeking housing assistance to access existing government programs.

*Secured a \$185,000 grant to aid construction and other costs for I.V. Safe House Alliance, Siskiyou Field Institute, I.V. Family Coalition, and Kerbyville Museum.

*Assisted with formation of the Southern Oregon Guild for artisans, and supported local woodworker's efforts to develop a photo studio and website.

*Funded a plan to build a pavilion at "Forks" State Park, where it hosts the Illinois River Celebration and runs its annual "Down By the Riverside" clean-up.

*Funded computers for Illinois Valley High, Lorna Byrne Middle, and Evergreen Elementary schools, Selma, and Boys and Girls Club. It helped bring Internet to I.V. schools, built the Takilma Dome School kitchen, renovated the IVHS music room, and supplied the I.V. tissue culture laboratory. It also sponsored the I.V. community education program in conjunction with RCC.

*Supported I.V. health facilities, including the Siskiyou Community Health Center and the I.V. Medical Center. It helped the people of Kerby establish a water district to provide safe and plentiful drinking water, and continue to assist them.

*In 1996, it began helping with construction of the I.V. Family Coalition site, a vital valley resource. It contributed \$52,000 to I.V. Boys and Girls Club's fund-raising, which netted \$878,000. It

Those who haven't

had a sports physical in

more than a year might

miss the first few practices

unless they get a sports

until they have their physi-

cal," said the center.

Junction

AMONGST THE WOODS

24126 Redwood Hwy., Kerby • 541-415-0090

(Above Kauffman Woods)

Grand Opening

Exotic Wood – Furniture • Sculpture • Carvings

Gemstone Beaded Jewelry

Featuring Ryan Jantz • Handblown Glass

CONE TEN POTTERY Studio & Gallery

New Location 25895 Redwood Hwy. ● 592-4646

Grand Re-Opening

(North of Wild River Brewery)

Refreshments Served

VIDEO EXPLORER

222 Lister St. • 592-6649

New Location Grand Opening

(Next to New Life Natural Foods)

Independent & New Release DVDs

Featuring Bruce Stone Digital Imaging

CHILD'S PLAY

140 S. Redwood Hwy. • 592-4983

Paint a Pet Rock Materials Provided

BEBE'S ART FOR EVERYONE

148 S. Redwood Hwy. • 592-5343
Featuring Lena Hurd

Traditional Native Yurok Basketry & Jewelry

George Shook & Friends

"Old Time Music" 6:30 p.m. in the Art Garden

Literary Arts

BLUE MOON

119 S. Redwood Hwy., • 592-2266

Dinner • Espresso • Desserts

Featuring **Deborah Ann Dawson**

Jennifer Ambrose Folk Music

Sponsored in part by

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helped establish the I.V. Safe House Alliance, so women in crisis could receive help for themselves and their children. It also funded other programs to help youth such as Project Respect and the Cave Junction skate park.

IVCRT's new engine for economic and social progress is social ventures. The Oregon Caves Outfitters (OCO) is its first venture, providing jobs, keeping the profits in the community, and putting them back into investments at the Oregon Caves Chateau complex, as well as funding community development grants and other opportunity investments such as its planned business incubator.

OCO will be a catalyst for the growth of local businesses by providing a reliable market for products such as food, beverages, souvenirs, and arts and crafts, said IVCRT.

IVCRT has served as the valley's advocate, a community forum for the various dialogues needed; a place for people to work together to develop strategic plans for the valley and volunteer for community projects; and as a governing body small enough to be responsive to I.V. needs, but big enough to take on some large jobs.

During the past two years, its SSBG grant has been running out, and it had to concentrate on sustaining itself.

It still has been able to provide development grants of up to \$500 for areas including I.V. wrestling, a youth marimba band, the I.V. historical pageant, airport development, Rough & Ready Lumber Co. workers, and Little League.

Sports physicals at the

LBMS Student Health

Center cost \$10 and are

available Mondays, Tues-

days and Wednesdays until

have a written consent

form on file," Meyers said.

RISING SUNS

146 S. Redwood Hwy. • 592-2430
Featuring Barbara Leon • Clay Sculptures

CLEAR SPACES GALLERY

Now a Multimedia Gallery 144 S. Redwood Hwy. • 592-6833
Featuring Jim Shames • Photography

RIGHTEOUS RAGS

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Wearable Art at Discount Prices

Come By & Create Something New

Featuring Spring Fling Things

Friends of the Valley • Drummers

A CREATIVE SPACE Art Collective

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Singing Loom presents

Judy Taylor Quilt Art

David Lance Goines Poster Art Surprise Music in the "Community Room"

Epicurean Arts

PIZZA PIT

316 S. Redwood Hwy., • 592-6111

Featuring Bob Burt "Reflections"

Cole Brashear Guitar & Vocals 7 p.m.

TAYLOR'S COUNTRY STORE

202 S. Redwood Hwy., • 592-5358

"A Collage of Tastes"

Pacific Rim Antipasto with Chef Michael Smith

Shrimp Rangoon •Coos Bay Fried Oysters

•Pacific Albacore Medallions •Baked Cheese

Featuring Kathi Pistone

"Collages of Shapes"
River City Rhythm & Blues

'ARKANSAS BEAR' FABLE PERFORMANCE - (From left) Alice Weber, Amara Snitkin and Tess Anawalt, who share roles as the character, 'Tish,' in the Illinois Valley High School production of, 'The Arkansaw

Bear.' Described as a 'delightful fable' with lessons on facing the challenges of life and death, the play will be presented at IVHS on Thursday through Saturday, May 13-15. (Photo provided)

JoCo boat facilities

The Oregon State Marine Board approved more than \$1 million in grant requests for recreational boating access projects, including \$10,000 designated for six boating facilities in Josephine County, during a regular board meeting in Gold Beach.

Improvements will be made at Pierce Riffle, Lathrop, Whitehorse, Ferry Hole, Robertson Bridge, and Hog Creek and Ennis

boat trailer parking areas, designate ADA stalls, and rebuild pedestrian access to the ramp, restroom and parking areas.

County.

Funds for the grants come from boat title and registration fees and motorboat fuel tax revenues. The board has now approved nearly \$5.3 million in grants since June 2003.

This compares to \$3.4 million spent during the entire 2001-2003 biennium. The increase in facility grants affects additional fees paid by boaters to register and title boats

Port of Brookings Harbor will build a new shower and restroom with funds approved by the board. The current facility is more than 40 years old. The new facility will be built adjacent to Basin II which accommodates recreational boaters as well as some commercial fishing boats.

Overall project cost is \$111,500, with Port of Brookings Harbor to provide \$55,750 cash match.

Scootin' ...

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hicle and driving policies and procedures, adopted as a resolution by the city

The need to establish a policy relating to driving and vehicle use was identified by a risk management representative for City County Insurance Services. The resolution passed 4-0.

Councilman Rita Dyer

net funds

Riffle facilities.

Crews will stripe the

State projects range from a \$7,687 grant for boarding floats at Ochoco Lake in Crook County to a \$111,500 grant for a boat ramp improvement at Wallowa Lake in Wallowa

beginning in 2004.

council.

did not attend the meeting.

A 35-year-old man was taken into custody and charged with burglary and assault after a lengthy foot-

The incident occurred in the vicinity of Williams Hwy. and New Hope Road in rural Grants Pass, Sunday night, May 9, said

*11"x17"

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*Tourism

Brochure

map

.75

tourist

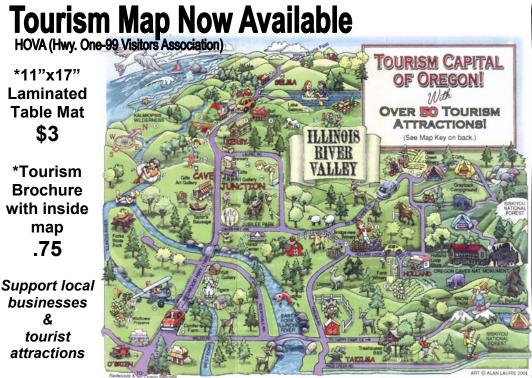
Grants Pass Dept. of Public Safety. Jody Hayton Palomo,

Burglary suspect caught after pursuit

address not given, is suspected of having forced his way into a residence in the 2700 block of Williams Hwy. and assaulting those who were at the house. Palomo fled upon an officer's arrival.

He was arrested after officers and a K-9 from the Grants Pass Dept. of Public Safety discovered his trail and located him on New Hope Road.

He is charged with first-degree burglary and fourth-degree assault.



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physical now. the end of the school year. So said Siskiyou Com-"Drop by or phone munity Health Center 592-6978 for your appoint-Lorna Byrne Middle ment," said Carol Meyers School-Based Health Cenof the center. "We'll need your inter in Cave Junction. Daily doubles will surance card and immunistart in August. "Many zation record," she said. people wait for the first "Students under age 15 day of practice, then realmust be accompanied by a ize they can't participate parent, legal guardian or

Friday, May 14th, 5-8 p.m. Exhibits Showing Thru May

Visual Arts

Students urged to undergo

sports physicals right away