

Senior Center food lady seeks replacement (please)

Sarah Hertel, kitchen manager for Illinois Valley Senior Center, always knows what's on the menu, but there's one item she can't seem to get.

It's her retirement from the volunteer job.

She's had the job -- which doesn't include cooking -- for three years, and would like to let one or more others take over the responsibilities. Although she's been doing the ordering, buying and scheduling pretty much on her own, it seems to be a job for three people.

As such, she's been training another volunteer to do the ordering.

Although there's no pay for the community service, she does receive mileage reimbursement from RSVP (Retired Senior Volunteer Program).

Hertel, 71, is retired after 35 years as a Blackjack dealer in Reno, Nev. Now she'd like to retire from the

volunteer post for I.V. Senior Center.

Experience is not necessary, as on-the-job training



Sarah Hertel

will be provided.

"It's gratifying to do a good job," she explained, "but it's time for others to step up."

She emphasized that there are many fine volunteers who cook, serve and handle other duties to help her. Her job as overseer takes approximately 15

hours per week; 20 hours each first Saturday when a public breakfast is served.

Otherwise, there are the Wednesday night bingo games when the snack bar is open. Plus, 25-cent winner-take-all bingo each quarter. (See ad in this issue).

Besides supervising and handling the three principal duties, "occasional pep talks" are needed, and there are times when replacements must be found for absent workers.

Hertel said that volunteering is an enjoyable situation. It's not that she doesn't like her volunteer position; it's a matter of wanting to take time off.

As such she will be gone for a month to her native North Carolina. "I'll be back in time for the next monthly breakfast," she said, with a smile.

"I'm not going to walk out, as I've threatened, but it's time for me to retire (again)."

Hertel comes from a food service family. Her parents had a restaurant in Dunsmuir, Calif., where she was trained by "real chefs from Russia and a Scandinavian country."

She also cooked at the Travelers Hotel in Dunsmuir. And she's worked as food-and-beverage manager for Machan Country Club at Waimea.

At I.V. Senior Center, her kitchen crew and oversight are appreciated by many. And the site regularly receives a 100 percent rating from Josephine County Health Dept., although it once "got only 98 percent."

For more information about getting involved as a volunteer kitchen manager, leave word for Mary Coyne, first vice president of the senior center board of directors, at 592-6888.

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Obituaries

Maxine Louise Peterson

Maxine Louise Peterson, 70, of Cave Junction died Sunday, Aug. 26, 2007 at Three Rivers Community Hospital in Grants Pass.

There will be a scattering of ashes in the Pacific Ocean at a later time. Condolences to the Peterson Family can be made at www.since1928Hull.com.

Mrs. Peterson was born at home to John and Phyllis Brett on Nov. 5, 1936 in Rhyll, North Wales. She weighed 2 pounds, 2 ounces. As a child she played hide-and-seek in the remains of old castles.

Growing up during World War II she lived in Wales and England. Her family hosted a young boy named Brian, who stayed with them away from

his family in London, where Hitler was headed, as in the movie *Narnia*. She spent many nights in bomb shelters.

She studied piano and violin as a child. She joined the British Royal Air Force as a young adult. She married her first husband, a U.S. Army soldier, and came to the United States with him in 1957.

She had many more adventures in her life before settling in Grants Pass in 1973 to finish raising her three children. In Grants Pass she worked in nursing homes, even operating a foster care provider home at a later time. She eventually went back to school at Rogue Community College; then went to work for Adult & Family Services.

On Oct. 27, 1981 she mar-

ried Donald Peterson, who had retired from NYPD, and who survives. They moved to Cave Junction around 1985.

She enjoyed being a housewife, a good cup of coffee, gardening, crossword puzzles, playing bingo, flying, reading, watching baseball games, golf, the BBC and harassing "Donald, Rambo" and her many kitties.

Besides her loving husband, she is survived by her daughter, Tina Lenhart, of Grants Pass; two sons, Russell Shrode and Gary Shrode; two step-children, Shawn Peterson and Dawn Marie Curran; 11 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

Hull & Hull Funeral Directors is in charge of arrangements.

James Russell

Cave Junction resident James Russell, 77, of Cave Junction, died Tuesday, Aug. 28, 2007 at Three Rivers Community Hospital in Grants Pass.

No service will be held. Illinois Valley Funeral Directors is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Russell was born on July 8, 1930 in Tacoma, Wash. to Clarence and Ann Russell. He served in the U.S. Navy. He moved from California to Cave Junction 15 years ago.

He especially enjoyed working in his yard.

Survivors include family members and friends.

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Church News

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

"Me Disease" affects many of us when we think of our priorities and not those of others.

The lesson Sunday, Sept. 2 was about the story by Jesus concerning taking a lower seat at a banquet, and being moved to a higher one, rather than vice versa, which would be a loss of face for the one going down.

Dayspring to our church members and guests.

The church also is on a journey through Nehemiah in the Sunday morning worship hour. One of the adult classes is Learning Spiritual Gifts during the Sunday School hour.

Dayspring Baptist Church is resuming its senior fellow-

ship group ministry on Friday Sept. 7, gathering at the church at 11th and A streets. The meeting, open to all, runs from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. with a potluck lunch followed by games and fellowship.

Phone 476-4547 or 476-7766 to RSVP by Wednesday, Sept. 5, said Pastor Stan Smith.

Dayspring Baptist Church

The church in Grants Pass will celebrate this year's good Neighbor Day Sunday, Sept. 9 with the schedule the same as always: Sunday school for all ages at 9:45 a.m.; worship at 11.

Anyone can attend services and stay after for a potluck lunch and fellowship.

The specialty coffee truck will be at the church from 9:15 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. to provide free specialty coffees, smoothies, bottled water, and doughnuts as a special treat from

Senior Nutrition Menu
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592-3562

Meals are served in the CJ County Bldg.
592-2126, 474-5440

FRIDAY, SEPT. 7
TUNA & ROTELLE AU GRATIN
Green peas
Herbed carrots
Dill bread
Cranberry crunch bar
MONDAY, SEPT. 10
LIMA BEANS & HAM
Broccoli cuts
Cuke & tomato salad
Cornbread
Pineapple crisp
WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 12
THREE CHEESE LASAGNA
Italian blend vegetables
Marinated zucchini salad
Garlic French roll
Chocolate fluff

Places of Worship

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SELMA
18285 Redwood Hwy.
P.O. Box 279, Selma, OR
97538 - 597-4169
Pastor Monty Pope
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Worship - 11 a.m.
Sunday evening: 7 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

BRIDGEVIEW COMMUNITY CHURCH
P.O. Box 645
5181 Holland Loop
592-3923
"BCC invites you to experience God's love in music, prayer and His Word!"
Non-Denominational
Pastor Frank Salerno
* Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
* Children's Church-10:30 a.m.
* Bible Study Wednesday 7 p.m.
* Youth Group Wednesday 7 p.m.
* Men's Payer breakfast 1st & 3rd Saturday 8 a.m.

ST. MATTHIAS EPISCOPAL CHURCH
25904 N. Redwood Hwy.
Sunday Services:
1st three Sundays 11 a.m.
Fourth Sunday 5 p.m.
592-2006

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FOUNTAIN OF LIFE ASSEMBLY OF GOD
451 S. Junction Ave.
592-3956
Pastor Mark McLean
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Evening Worship - 6 p.m.
Wednesday - 7 p.m.
Adult Bible Study ***

ST. PATRICK OF THE FOREST CATHOLIC CHURCH
407 W. River St., CJ
592-3658
Father Gregory Moys, Pastor
Mass - Saturday 5:30 p.m.
No Sunday Mass
Holy Days TBA
Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday - 4:30 to 5 p.m.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
265 S. Old Stage Rd.
Sabbath School - 9:30 a.m. Sat.
Church Service 11 a.m. Sat.
Prayer & Praise 7 p.m. Tues.
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Church 592-3218
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Sr. Teacher: Mrs. Amy Whitchurch
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200 Watkins Ph. 592-3876
Pastor Charles Chase
Sunday School - 9:15 a.m.
Sunday Worship - 9:15 a.m.
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GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH
East River Street & Lewis Court
Pastor Don Torala
Sunday Worship - 9 a.m.
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Tuesday Youth group - 6 p.m.
Church Phone: 592-2290
www.goodshepherdlutheraniv.org

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139 Caves Ave. Front door
592-4775
Worship Schedule
Sunday Adult Bible Study 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:45 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Sunday School & Nursery 10:45 a.m.
Wed. Service 7 p.m.
Thurs. "First Love Kitchen" Free Hot Meal 11:30 a.m.
Sat. "Free Bread" 11 a.m.
Phone for Bible College Classes
Pastors:
Bob & Virginia Kurko

ILLINOIS VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH
2110 Caves Hwy.
Sunday School- 9:30 to 10:15
Sunday Worship - 10:30 to 11:30
Bible Study - Tuesday 12:30 p.m.
Refreshments after service
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207 Junction Ave., CJ
Sacrament Meet - 9 a.m.
Sunday School - 10:20 a.m.
Priesthood, Relief Soc. - 11:10 a.m.
Bishop John A. "Jack" Brown
1st Counselor Bob Knott
2nd Counselor Dan Fiske

ILLINOIS VALLEY PRAISE CENTER
28569 Redwood Hwy.
Cave Junction
Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship - 10:30 a.m.
Prayer Meeting - 6 p.m.
Thursday evening - 7 p.m.
Home Bible Study/Youth Group
Non-Denominational
Bible Teaching Church
Pastor Doug Wilson
592-4872

TAKILMA BIBLE CHURCH
10300 Takilma Road
Pastor Dan Robinson
Bible Study/Prayer Time 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

VALLEY EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH
498 Laurel Road
P.O. Box 1248
Pastor Les Knapp
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service - 11 a.m.
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