



Making way for a new CJ Video Mart/Radio Shack in Cave Junction meant that the former building was demolished last week. The new structure, with 4,000 square feet of space, is double the size of the old one. Although videos temporarily aren't being rented, items are being sold in the new structure. It's hoped that concrete work will be finished next week. The main contractor is A Better Builder; Doug Kendall is the architect. (Dusty Rhodes photo)

County designates 4-H observance

By **WALLY AIKEN**
For IVN

The 4-H Club program took center stage at Anne Basker Auditorium in Grants Pass on Wednesday morning, Oct. 3, during the regular meeting of the Josephine County Board of Commissioners.

Commissioners voted 3-0 to proclaim Sunday, Oct. 7 through Saturday, Oct. 13 as official Josephine County 4-H Week.

On hand to accept the proclamation was Sue Hart, 4-H program coordinator. She was accompanied by Samantha Harris and Alex Johnson, longtime 4-H members. During their acceptance remarks all three emphasized that 4-H is more than livestock.

Harris, a seven-year member, spoke of the contacts she's made through the community service projects in which she's been in-

volved. Johnson, a nine-year veteran sporting a large belt buckle he won for Reserve Champion Market Steer, said that the organization is "a major part of who I am." He recently returned from forestry competition held in West Virginia, where he took top honors among Oregon attendees.

Recognition also was given to several county employees for length of service. Calvin Harrison and Gary Ewing of the county Public Works Dept. received 10-year and 15-year pins respectively. Louise Harrison received a 20-year pin for service as an accounting clerk.

Dave Norton received a 10-year pin for his work as a metal fabricator, and Art Harvey, chief deputy for County Clerk Georgette Brown, received a 10-year pin as well.

Items on the consent

calendar included three airport lease agreements, one with the Illinois Valley Airport. Ronald Lindley and James Lambert agreed to a 20-year \$808.12 per year lease that will allow them to build a hanger at the airport.

Rogue Aviation and Daniel Linstad also agreed to leases with the county for the Merlin Airport.

The consent calendar also included a rate increase for Juvenile Shelter beds, from \$83.16 to \$89.11 per day. The rate increase will result in an estimated \$242,000 for the county.

The consent calendar was approved 3-0.



Autumn colors are in full force with the arrival of the changing season. Among the more striking views is this stunning tree near Bridgeview Community Church on Holland Loop. (Photo by Michelle Binker, *I.V. News*)

Riverside
PHYSICAL THERAPY

Edsen Donato, DPTSc, PT, OCS, CHT, CSCS
Ed Goll, DHSc, PT
Jeff Wood, MS, PT
Jim McCall, PTA
Sharla Smith, PTA

Three Convenient Locations

Grants Pass (541) 476-2502
1619 NW Hawthorn Ave. #109

Cave Junction (541) 592-6580
218 N Redwood Hwy.

Glendale (541) 832-2765
300 Pacific Ave.

- ◆ Joint Replacement
- ◆ Back & Neck Injury
- ◆ Sports Injury
- ◆ Certified Hand Therapist
- ◆ Gait/Balance Training
- ◆ Anodyne Therapy
- ◆ Aquatic Therapy
- ◆ Auto Claims
- ◆ Work Related Injuries
- ◆ Accept Medicare Assignment
- ◆ Blue Cross Preferred Provider
- ◆ Most Insurance Plans Accepted
- ◆ Member APTA & NW Rehab Alliance

Cave Bear Blend
COFFEE HEAVEN
CAVE JUNCTION • OREGON

SECOND FRIDAY ART WALK COFFEE TASTING & CHATEAU GIFT GALLERY ARTIST'S SALE

OCTOBER 12, 2007 • 5-8 P.M.

ILLINOIS VALLEY VISITOR'S CENTER • 201 CAVES HIGHWAY

- Coffee Heaven's new *Cave Bear Blend* Introduction and Tasting
- Featured Chateau Gift Gallery Artist: Kris Schumacher Pine Needle Baskets

A portion of proceeds from the sale of Cave Bear Blend Coffee benefit the restoration of the Chateau at the Oregon Caves National Monument. Marketing, graphic art and advertising support provided by Evergreen Federal Bank.

Creativity is allowing yourself to make mistakes.
Art is knowing which ones to keep.
- Scott Adams -

CAVE JUNCTION
ART WALK
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12 • 5-8 P.M.

Explore the Visual, Literary, Performing & Epicurean Arts of the Illinois Valley
Exhibits showing through October 2007

Eye Care Group
Optometric Physicians
355 Caves Hwy - 592-3921
Donna Wright
Watercolors
Viewing during Regular Business Hours

Rising Suns
146 S. Redwood Hwy - 592-2430
Yanase Jewelers
Featured Stone of the Month
"Pink Tourmaline"
New Custom Designs

Bagel Junction
119 S. Redwood Hwy - 592-0309
Serving Dinner 5 – 9pm
Reservations Recommended
"Pizza Night"
Mystery Musical Guest

Changes Art Gallery
144 S. Redwood Hwy - 592-6431
Terry Martens
Copper Red Amphors
Lidded Vessels
Music: Sara Austin
Solo Acoustic Guitar & Vocals
Folk Music

IV Senior Thrift Store
201 S. Redwood Hwy - 592-6630
Helen Pesterfield
Hand Painted "Mailing Pictures"
Demonstration
"Free" Toy for Kids
Refreshments

Jefferson State Financial Group
221-B S. Redwood Hwy - 592-6262
Reni Schaeffer
Mixed Media Wall Art
Jewelry & More!
Polymer Bead Making
Demonstration
Refreshments

Taylor's Country Store
202 S. Redwood Hwy - 592-5358
Finney's Seafood Fettucini Dinner
Alan Laurie
Graphic Art Retrospective
"Six Years in the Illinois River Valley"
Music: John Galfano
Solo Acoustic Guitar & Vocals

An Artist's Way
148 S. Redwood Hwy - 592-5343
Eclectic Multi Media Local Artist
Bruce Stone
Refreshments

IV Visitor Center
201 Caves Hwy - 592-4076
Featured Chateau Gift Gallery Artist
Kris Schumacher
Pine Needle Baskets
Coffee Tasting
Coffee Heaven's new Cave Bear Blend

Nacho Mama's Cantina
131 N Redwood Hwy - 592-2200
Serving full menu & bar till 9:30
Shrimp Taco
Dinner Special
Special Musical Guests
Wally Aiken
Charlie Greenwood

Support the merchants who advertise in the
Illinois Valley News