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In one such case, the burglars cut a hole in the roof and upon gaining entry they stole money and cigarettes. In two of the other incidences their shed was broken into. One of the more memorable items having been stolen was a camera.

"The criminal element is just ridiculous in Cave Junction," Sue said in conclusion, "but I don't know what else to do. We just try to prevent it as much as possible."

Ray's Food Place reported that the group of individuals broke two of their doors but failed to gain entry. It was theorized that the burglars somehow got spooked because, after breaking the hinges, they could clearly get inside but didn't. Interestingly enough, the group was going to use a red wagon to haul off their spoils.

"I feel bad for the kids doing this because one time they're going to run into the wrong person and someone's going to get seriously hurt." Town said of the entire situation, "I'm afraid it's going to escalate until it gets to that point."

LIBRARY . . .

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The library doors will still be open to those without cards, who will be able browse the collection of books and other materials, read, connect to wireless internet, and participate in programs. They will not be able to check out books or other materials.

Another option is for any individual property owner or group of owners to file a routine application to the board of commissioners to have their property added to the library district. The property does not need to be adjacent to the district.

Lasky also addressed the issue of children who live outside the district, especially children from lower income families.

"All of us who are involved with the library want to make sure those kids have access. We are all committed to fundraising and grant writing to provide cards without charge. Also, we already partner with the Three Rivers School District, and we're going to continue that partnership."

Lasky noted that grants to serve children, especially low income children, are the easiest to get. Those for adults are much harder.

And she added that the board will look at ways to ameliorate the cost of library access, so that larger families are not unduly impacted.

When Lasky was asked how the level of individual donations will be impacted she replied: "We expect a significant decrease in donations if the measure

passes. But new taxes will make up for that drop. Instead, we will ask donors to pay for special projects or capital projects. We are currently stuck in a donor model plateau, with about 2,500 donors supporting 35,000 library card holders."

Regarding the opinion that we should just be happy with our current level of library service since we are such a poor county, Lasky explained, "We've done a good job with the dollars we have. Imagine what we could do with another dollar. In the Illinois Valley, the library could be a champion for economic development and lifelong learning."

For more details and to find out if your home is within the proposed district, go to keepourlibrariesopen.com.

SOUP . . .

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Alliance spokesperson Susie Ellwood said the same sort of auction items will again be made available.

Ellwood said one of the most popular activities during the evening is the cake walk, with a DJ playing popular music, door prizes and a 50/50 raffle will also be part of the evening's entertainment.

Alliance Executive Director Chris Mallette will give a short presentation and

information on the non-profit's mission will also be displayed on the tables.

The Alliance was started in 2000 as a result of two former survivors who polled the community and developed a board of directors.

The organization began providing direct services to victims of sexual and domestic violence in 2002.

Currently, services include crisis intervention, safety planning, emergency shelter, food and transportation. Clients may also receive assistance obtaining protection orders, public benefits and crime victim compensation.

The Alliance is offering two different support groups on a rotating basis: Helping Children Exposed to Batterers will begin mid-April at Project Baby Check, located at Siskiyou Community Health Center in Cave Junction and Unconditional Self Love.

The organization also maintains a community garden which the I.V. Garden Club participates in to help provide fresh produce for people in need and the local Master Gardeners offer weekly classes, from identifying weeds and preparing your soil to how to plant peas.

The Alliance's prevention efforts focus on high school health classes, school leadership

groups and volunteer opportunities for teens, including their Super Kids Summer Program.

Tickets for Soup for the Souls are available for purchase in advance from the Alliance office, located at 103 S. Kerby Ave. and at the door the night of the event. LBMS is located at 101 S. Junction Avenue in Cave Junction.

For further information, email alliance@ivsha.org, visit their Facebook page: Soup for the Souls - Josephine County, or call Ellwood at 541-592-5332 during regular business hours, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Wednesday and Friday.

<p>Art's Red Garter Homestyle dinner specials Tues - Sat 5-9 PM in Lounge KARAOKE Wednesdays @ 9 p.m.</p>	<p>WIZ KRISA acoustic covers Friday, March 31 @ 5:30 from Taylor's Country Store</p>	<p>Wild River HANDCRAFTED FOOD & ALE GUPPY Saturday the 1ST @ 6 p.m. Every Wednesday Open MIC Night 6 - 8 p.m. J Barley Fridays @ 6 p.m.</p>	<p>KARAOKE w/ Steve - Off Friday, March 31 @ 9 p.m. Saturday Pool Tourney @ 7 Free pool on Sundays Sportsman Tavern</p>	<p>The SPOT Hump day Karaoke w/ Jammer Dave 8-midnight Open Mic w/ B Thursdays @ 7 p.m. BUCKLE RASH Friday, March 31 @ 8 \$10 at door</p>	<p>PARTY OF FOOLS Rosie Wittman & Dawna Crocker Saturday, April 1, 8 PM free show @ McGrew's!</p>
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