

FOREST SERVICE NEWS

It was the Ranger Districts fifth year assembling and delivering Christmas baskets. Six were distributed in our Community and here's a big thanks to those at the office that donated food for this great effort.

If you have any questions about snow level, camping, woodcutting, etc., don't hesitate to call; 865-2700. Or stop by the new office and browse through the Forest Service and BLM brochures or the Northwest Interpretive Association items.

A PERSONAL NOTE FROM A FRIEND

The following is from **Rod Wilson**. "I want to thank everyone who helped with and contributed to the fundraiser for the Wilson Family. The response was overwhelming. The fundraiser was a complete success. The outpouring of friendship from the folks in this community and in the Forest Service has been a great encouragement to me. The burden regarding medical bills has been greatly eased. More than this is the encouragement to me (and perhaps others) reinforcing what I already knew - that this is a wonderful community to live in and to raise children in. You have surely shared in my burden.

I may not be able to thank each person individually for the kind words of encouragement, understanding, and financial assistance offered. Please know that your help will be forever remembered and appreciated. A crises like this increases ones awareness of how precious life is, how important family and friends are, and how important community spirit is. Together, this community is doing wonderful things in many areas, improving the quality of life for all of us.

Many thanks to all. May 1995 bring happiness, joy and peace to all of you.

Rod, Ross, and Ryan Wilson."

NEWS FROM ABOVE

Community Bible Church

Pastor, Gary Shultz. Phone number, 865-3389. Sunday services begin at 10:00 am, Youth

group begins at 6:00 pm every Sunday (Jr. High age).

Assembly Of God Church

Pastor, Steve Harvey. Phone number, 865-3227. Sunday services begin at 10:00 am.

HOME EXTENSION

Their next meeting is **January 12th** at 9:30 am. There will be a presentation by Beth Coleman on 4-H. The lesson for the day will be on making casserole cover totes. Please bring one yard of material and three yards of extra double-wide bias tape and thread. This will be fun and informative. Luncheon will be served at noon.

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

We have a new librarian for our wonderful little library! Welcome Karen Taylor!! She and Joanne have done a wonderful interim job with the library. The President of Friends of the Library, Tacey Hoban, will be working closely with Karen and her assistants. Tacey has volunteered to hold this position for one year. Dan Murphy is Secretary/Treasurer. You are welcome to join in on the next meeting. They meet **every three months, on the third Tuesday at 7:00 pm**, in the library. *There is a meeting in January!!!*

Come to **STORYTIME** for stories, songs, and games by Charlene Brown. Sweet treats, and lots of fun! Pre-schoolers and parents welcome. **Wednesdays, 10:30 to 11:30 am** at the Library.

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Butte Falls Volunteer Ambulance

Your Butte Falls Volunteer Ambulance is fully staffed and operating, thanks to kind Town citizens who have supported them in donations and have helped in organizing special events to raise needed funds to keep operating.

Many thanks to the **BUTTE FALLS LIONESSES'!!!** The 50/50 raffle they held for the ambulance brought them a whopping \$485.00!!! The other half of the pot went to Linda Johnson. Congrats to her. The **FOOD SERVICE CLASS** held a pizza feed to raise some money and that brought in another whopping \$503.00!!! This support is fantastic. The dinner the ambulance had at

