

BUTTE FALLS LIONS CLUB

The Butte Falls Lions Club is busy with its winter projects to benefit our community. I want to take this opportunity to share a few things with you. Attendance at our last few meetings has been low and our membership is showing signs of dwindling. I am encouraging all members to come to our meetings so that we can successfully implement the projects we are planning. At the same time, I encourage you to look around and invite your neighbor to join our club so they can be a part of helping out our community. The success and longevity of Lions in our community is dependant on those with a desire for community service to help others in time of need. Your support for this endeavor is greatly needed at this time.

On another note, we have found it necessary to make the following change at our community trap shoots:

Consumption of alcoholic beverages will no longer be allowed due to liability concerns. Lions International does not provide liability coverage at events that permit alcohol and the cost of this insurance is beyond the reach of our club. Your understanding and compliance with this rule is necessary if we are to continue with trapshoots in the future.

Your support of Lions events is greatly appreciated and we encourage you to bring the family to our trap shoots. The Butte Falls Scholarship Committee sells food and beverages at the snack shack. Come out and enjoy our various community functions.

Carlos Carrillo, President, BF Lions



NINE WAYS TO KEEP THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OFF OF YOUR CHRISTMAS GUEST LIST.

1. Check each set of lights to be sure they're in good repair. Fix or discard damaged sets.
2. Do not run electric cords under rugs. Use no more than three standard size set of lights per single extension cord.
3. Do not use electric lights on a-metallic tree.
4. Place your tree far from your fireplace, woodstove or other heat sources.
5. Turn off tree lights when you're away and when you go to bed.
6. Keep small decorations, small toys, matches, candles, lighters and small batteries away from infants and kids.
7. Use your fireplace screen whenever a fire is burning.
8. Do not burn wrapping paper or your tree branches in your fireplace or woodstove. (Reason: toxic fumes, flash fire).
9. Saw two inches off your tree's trunk when you get it home. Keep the trunk submerged in water at all times to keep it fresh.

HAVE A SAFE CHRISTMAS !!



A proud USMC, PFC Johnnie Mac Bowen, the son of Gail and Mel Bowen, will be home until January 3. He is currently on a Marine Corp recruiting circuit around the Rogue Valley. His next training assignment will take him to Oklahoma.

The Family of Allen R. Hilkey wish to convey our deepest appreciation for the outpouring of love, prayers, condolences, food and assistance during this most difficult time of loss. Thank you to the Butte Falls Lions and Lioness Club Members.

**Ina Pearl Hilkey
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Bobbie and Nikki Ross, busy raking leaves at the Bill Edmondson Memorial Museum. These two youngsters help other communtiy members keep the yard looking nice.

A BIG THANKS

This year the United Way of Jackson County reached a total contribution of \$1,063,357. The Rogue River National Forest employees, through their "Combined Federal Campaign" contributed \$12,707. The local employees at Prospect and Butte Falls raised \$2325 of that total. At Prospect and Butte Falls, employees held bake sales, potlucks, raffles and silent auctions. Local Butte Falls businesses who made contributions for the auctions and raffles were: TC's Butte Falls Service Station, Red Pony Cafe, Totem Pole, Butte Falls General Store, Butte Falls Tavern and Eagle Aviation. An employee of the Red Pony Cafe donated homemade necklaces. A BIG THANKS to each.