

IMPORTANT STUFF FOR YOU TO KNOW!



Firehouse News and Views by- Chief Hugh Simpson

A big thanks to all who assisted in the saving of our elementary school on July 20th, when the roof caught fire during roofing operations. We only had three firefighters available initially, and we had our hands full. Police Chief Mel Ray, Public Works Director Tom Hayes, the roofers, people who volunteered to see that hose lines were free of kinks, those who brought fans so we could clear smoke from the building, etc. helped a lot.

Also, the U.S. Forest Service brought their engine in case we needed water or tools, and so did Oregon Department of Forestry.

Thanks to firefighters Tim Shaw, Patti Shafer, Jeff Gorman, Darren Kinyon, Cassie Wolfe, and Fire Districts #4 and #3, who responded to our mutual aid request, and to all the employers who allow our volunteer firefighters to leave their jobs in order to save lives and property in our community.

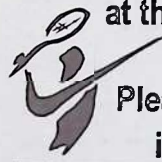
I also wish to compliment all the citizens who helped us by watching the firefighting operations from a safe distance, thereby enabling us to do our job without undue worry that someone might be injured.

Let's use this incident as a reminder that we all must be ever vigilant when it comes to fires and fire safety, and do our best to see that we are fire safe.

If you wish to help more by becoming a volunteer firefighter, please come to a meeting on a Tuesday evening at 6:30 and talk with us to see if you qualify. If you do, you may join us and become part of our team. Our community responded well to this emergency. We worked together and succeeded in saving a very important asset for our town. Good Job!

Tennis Pro Coming To Town!

Yes, on August 1st at 6:00 P.M.
Frank Inns a tennis pro will be putting on a special tennis clinic and exhibition at the tennis court. Everyone welcomed.



Please Call- Molly 865-3242
if you have questions

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Sandwiches with the crust
cut
off is proof that you are
loved.

Big Butte Historical Society Summer Fun!

Saturdays 10:00-12:00 a.m.
Meet at the Smith House unless stated otherwise.

July 29th- *Tree Time Line* in Caboose museum. Make a Time line by using the rings on the tree! Then head over to the Smith House for *Mystery History Items*.

Instructors: Arlen & Nellie Ragsdale
All ages

August 5th- *Hats From The Past* with Kaete at the Caboose museum! Make a hat from the past and model for your friends.

Instructor: Kaete Thompson
Ages 8 and up

August 12th- *Old Cameras to Digital Tech!* Picture taking then and now.
All ages

August 19th- *Book Junkies & Munchies!*
Do you have a favorite book? Bring it along and share it with us.

Instructor: Joyce Hailicka
All ages

August 26th- *Let's Relive a Train Ride from 1911!* Be a roving tourist or dignitary. We will start by taking a trip on the Caboose and end up in the park for some old-fashioned tennis and picnic.

If you look like your passport picture, you probably need the trip.