

Butte Falls Community School Partnership

February 1st - Nature Friday from 10 am to 1 pm at the BF Elementary Library.

February 6th - Board meeting at 7 pm at the District Office building.

February 8th through the 15th - Community Service days. Meet at 10 am at the Elementary Library.

February 22nd - Bingo and a movie at the BF Community Hall. Starts at 7 pm.

February 29th - ski trip to Mount Ashland for the 4th through 9th grade.

Tuesdays and Thursdays - exercise class from 6 pm to 7 pm at the BF Elementary school.

For more information contact us at 865-3563 x 285.

- A WORLD OF THANKS TO -

Santa, Thank You for the bike. I'll be really good this year and please bring cookies. Robbie Bray.

Thanks so much to Carrie Driskell, Shelly Conopa and Jeff Gorman. You all are AMAZING!! Watching you in action with Mike, (Dad) back in early October, was amazing. Your professionalism, care and sensitivity are appreciated more than we can say. You are true HEROES! Thanks again.

The Stritenberg, Ellis and Givens families.

I would like to thank Marshall Don Leahan for his good work in our town. His is a difficult, thankless and unpopular job. But in the two years my husband and I have lived here, the late hours of the night have gone from busy with unwanted activity to quiet and safe. Thank You, Don for your diligence. Helen Coe.

During our crisis (storm) last month it was wonderful to see the community pull together to help one another out. Dan and Brian Shafer for delivering wood to someone in need, and bringing me food. Marc and Shone Ellis for making sure the community got 3 hot meals a day at the Community Hall and Lori Paxton, mother of the whole town, made sure other people were taken care of, myself included. From someone who is proud to be a member of this wonderful community. Mavis Freeman.

POWER CREWS AWESOME

Due to a huge ponderosa pine tree falling on my mother-in-law's house and husband's shop, our home was without power for five days and her home for seven days. Our area between Butte Falls and Willow Lake was heavily hit by the Jan 4th windstorm. With 40 trees down and a dwelling destroyed, we had offers of help from friends and neighbors, but the real heroes in our crisis were the Pacific Power guys. They were out in dangerous high winds before any of us were jolted out of bed. They persevered for days restringing power line, helping folks, fighting snowstorms and cutting their way into inaccessible areas.

I speak for many when I say that we have never experienced such a fierce storm. I speak for many when I say we are grateful for Pacific Power's hard work, endless hours, attention and care. Thanks guys, for all the verbal encouragement you gave as a gift to one who was in despair. "A word spoken at the right time is like golden apples in a silver tray." You guys are awesome! Cher Rydberg

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