

Arts calendar

Jazz & Blues Jam Night
Wednesday nights in the Theatre 101 studio. Come with instrument and join in. All levels encouraged to attend. For more info call Francie 332-7100 or Julie 332-7635

Children's Art Classes * Beaded Critters
Saturday, April 18, 10am-Noon at the Port Orford Library. Taught by Kelly Fleming. For more info call Elaine Roemen 332-0688

First Mondays Art Group
May 4, noon-3pm at the Port Orford Library. All painters and sketchers invited, bring your art stuff. In cooperation with POAC, the Bandon Plein Air Painters, and the Port Orford Public Library.

Rhymes and Rhythms, "Open Mike without a Mike"
May 7, 7pm at Theater 101. Poets, Poetry Lovers and Musicians welcome. First Thursday of every month. For more info call Weld 332-8882

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Police report

Port Orford police report April 4

1.) Police responded to a verbal dispute involving a minor. Case is currently under investigation.

2.) Police received a tip about a possible crime in progress. Investigation continues.

April 6

1.) Police received a report of a dog at large. Attempted to locate owner, but were unsuccessful. Dog picked up by animal control.

2.) Police were contacted by a local business regarding a trailer parked in the roadway. This was a civil dispute, no further action taken.

April 7

1.) Police received a report of an intoxicated, possibly unstable person at a local business. Subject was provided a courtesy transport to their home.

2.) Report of a 911 hang up call. Police contacted subject and advised not to call 911 and then hang up.

3.) Police received a request for a welfare check on an individual potentially dealing with a mental issue. Officers contacted mental health in Gold Beach. Subject transported on peace officer hold to Curry General Hospital.

4.) Report of assault, victim transported to Southern Coos Hospital by Port Orford Ambulance Case is under further investigation.

5.) Police received a report of an overdue juvenile. Report taken. Officers filed report information with Curry County.

6.) Officer Fink, and two Volunteer Reserve officers, (Cpl. Breuer, R. Easlon) attended an electrical safety class instructed by Coos Curry Electric personnel for emergency responders at Pacific High School.

April 8

Report of neglected animal. Animal control requested officers assist to check conditions of animals. Photos taken and forwarded to animal control.

April 9

1.) Assist animal control on contact about horse reported to be neglected. Animal control will be following up and monitoring the situation for an undetermined amount of time. Thank you to a concerned citizen who reported the potential problems. Local officers will also monitor the situation.

2.) An arrest warrant for a local subject was served. Subject transported to Curry County Jail without incident.

Traffic enforcement activity increased somewhat this week. Sixteen citations were issued for excessive speed, along with 15 warnings for speed. Additionally, there were two citations issued for equipment violations and three warnings.

‘Pedestrian’ events planned in P.O.

The Port Orford Police Department will be conducting the first of four Pedestrian Safety Education and Enforcement events on April 17,

2009 from 11 am to 3 pm.

The purpose of these events is to educate motorists on the requirements of the pedestrian crosswalk laws, and their responsibilities under those laws. These events will be designated by signs ahead of time.

Port Orford is a great place to walk, but can be challenging at times. In order to increase pedestrian safety, the Bicycle Transportation Alliance has provided a grant to the Port Orford Police Department to conduct a series of Pedestrian Safety Enforcement operations. Your Police department has four events planned this spring and summer, with the first one being scheduled for Friday April 17 from 11 am to 3 pm.

We will have our paid officers and volunteer reserve officers participating in the event, which will be held at 20th and Oregon (Hwy 101).

Oregon law requires drivers to stop for pedestrians:

1. All intersections, marked and unmarked are a legal cross-

walk and drivers are required to stop when a pedestrian is in the crosswalk.

2. Drivers must stop and stay stopped for pedestrians in crosswalks until they have cleared the driver’s lane and the adjacent lane.

3 When a vehicle is turning, drivers must stop and remain stopped until the pedestrian has cleared the lane into which the driver is turning plus the entire adjacent lane. When turning at a traffic signal intersection, allow the pedestrian to clear the lane plus six feet of the adjacent lane.

On the day of the enforcement operation, a police officer or volunteer will cross a street at the intersection. Video, and/or still cameras will be used to document the operation. Motorists who fail to stop and yield to pedestrians will be stopped by police. They will receive educational materials, and depending upon the seriousness of their violation, a citation

Birthdays for April 2009

14 Jack Baker
14 Don Wolgamoth
20 Penny Walkup
21 Matt Hall
24 Perry Ashdown

24 Paula Cracas
27 Buddy Lee
27 John Phillips
28 Bobbetta Kron
28 Linda Culbertson

Send your birthday information to the Port Orford News at portorfordnews@gmail.com

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HEALTH, from page 1

furnishings and supplies.

Vocational instructor Charlie Klea donated his labor putting together a handsome room divider to separate the Health Center from its neighbor, the Clothing Closet. Shane Harris, Portside Plumbing, donated his labor installing a sink for the SBHC. Two microwaves were quickly contributed, but we don't have the names of the donors (who are you?! Pat and

Bruce Stannard gave a rug, Helen Wagner and Arlene Mossholder gave a refrigerator, Marilyn Oberbeck gave a fax machine, Paulianne Balch gave a scale, and John Johnston gave a copier/printer/fax.

A lot of work will have to go into funding the School Based Health Center. The Port Orford Rotary Club has contributed \$2,000 which will be housed in the Curry Health Foundation to

assist when students cannot afford to pay for prescriptions, lab tests and x-rays. At the ribbon cutting, Mary Jane LaBelle, Chair of the Friends of St. John's, presented the Superintendent with a check for \$400 to help with set up costs for the Health Center. Bill McMillan, CEO of the Curry General Hospital Health Network, is collaborating with the project by providing resources and seeing that students referred to Curry Family Medical get charged discounted fees when possible.

The School Based Health Center is a project for the whole community to support. We need to build a fund to help attract grant money to ensure next year's operations. Funding is also needed for medical equipment including a nebulizer, an oximeter to measure oxygen in the blood, and a hemocue to detect anemia, among others. We are still looking for the donation of a paper shredder. We need at least another \$1,000 to cover the set up costs.

If you wish to donate to this project, please write your check to 2CJ, with SBHC written on the memo line. Donations can be dropped off at any school office, or at the District Office

Contributed photo

Patty Savage prepares for an examination.

at Pacific High School.

If you wish to mail in a donation, send to: 2CJ School District, Attention Brenda, P.O. Box 8, Port Orford, OR 97465. If you prefer to donate cash, it must be delivered to the District Office.

The School Based Health Center will help our students understand how to take good care of their own health needs.

GRIFF’S, from page 1

They offer a full line of beverages plus beer and wine. Desserts are many kinds of gourmet pies, chocolate cake, and ice cream

New at Griffs is breakfast

including nine choices from bacon and eggs to chicken fried steak and gravy.

Don't miss a look into Port Orford's past in their museum.

They also sell fishing tackle and supplies.

They offer retail walk-in customer service in their well taken care of showcase that offers fresh seafood from shellfish, whole crab, to snapper fillets.

They are open seven days a week and their hours are 7 a.m.. to 8 p.m., except Sundays which is 7 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Griff's employs 11 persons both in the kitchen and servers.

Great job Jerry and Pat!

These two veteran restraunters run a fine eating-place. It is a beautiful place to relax and dine with a view.



Saturday Children's Art Classes
At the Port Orford Library
10 to Noon

April 4: Felting Fun with Kelly Fleming

April 16: Beaded Critters with Kelly Fleming

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Fone Finder!

PON is about to begin work on the 2009 Fone Finder. We will have it published the last week of April. You will notice that we are publishing it at a different time of year than in the past, and when you see the finished product, you will notice other changes that we hope you will like.

One of the changes is that we want to include your cell phone as well as your land line!

Please e-mail us at portorfordnews@gmail.com (use "FONE" in the subject line, please) or call us at 541-332-NEWS with your cell phone number if you would like it listed, or with any other needed changes, additions, or deletions, so the new Fone Finder will be as accurate and up-to-date as possible.

Second Annual Port Orford Water Festival

Saturday, April 18 from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm
Legion Hall and Community Building

K-8 Students get a free goody bag, raffle ticket and breakfast!

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