

## Kelso students celebrate first year at new school

Students at Kelso School celebrated a special birthday party Tuesday as their school turned one year old.

To celebrate the special occasion, students released more than 250 brightly-colored balloons into the afternoon breeze. Each balloon carried a card with the name of a Kelso student asking the balloon's finder to get in touch with the student and tell him or her where the balloon was found.



Kelso students gathered for the mass release of balloons, above, and as they drifted up, students followed theirs as far as possible. Photos by Dan Dillon

### Farmers back proposed tax, budget cuts

The board of directors of Oregon's largest farm organization recently voted unanimously to support President Ronald Reagan's proposed budget and tax cuts.

The Oregon Farm Bureau Federation's 20 leaders, representing 10,500 farm and ranch families, adopted the policy during their quarterly meeting in Salem Feb. 26 and 27.

Endorsing the cuts, however, means that everyone will have to cut back. Nurseryman Jim Bushue of Boring reminded his colleagues, like everyone, they must be ready to accept the responsibilities cuts in funding impose on them.

Researchers and extensionists must budget their money effectively to cope with reductions, he said.

The resolution was proposed by Frank Nims of Cove to support federal cuts in public spending and reductions in taxes. Particular attention was given to supporting the elimination of inheritance taxes, a burdensome problem for farm and ranch families, Nims said.

### Gospel music concert slated this Sunday

A special worship service of gospel music will be presented at the Boring United Methodist Church this Sunday, March 15, at 9:30 a.m.

The music will be presented by the Country Gospel Singers of Forest Grove and Hillsboro, with music director Earl Birlaw. A surprise intermission program is planned for the children.

The public is invited to attend the program at the church at the corner of Church and Richey roads in Boring.

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### Keeping posted:

## Gardening class scheduled

**Thursday, March 12**  
The Sandy Golden Age Club will hold its semi-monthly potluck at the Sandy Senior Center at noon.

Jude Jensen will discuss organic gardening and companion planting in room 1 at Cedar Ridge School at 7 p.m. Registration is required through Sandy Community School, 668-5744.  
Rebekah Lodge meets at 8 p.m. at the I.O.O.F. Hall.

**Friday, March 13**  
Sandy's International Night and Dessert will be held at 7:30 p.m. in the Sandy Union High School commons. The event is sponsored by the AFS Foreign Language Club.

Mt. Hood Community College Theatre Arts Department presents "Grease" at 8 p.m. at the College Theatre.

The Sandy Community Players present "The Curious Savage" at 8:30 p.m. in the Sandy Community Theater on Proctor

Boulevard.

**Saturday, March 14**  
Mt. Hood Community College Theatre Arts Department present "Grease" at 8 p.m. at the College Theatre.

The curtain rises at 8 p.m. for the SCP presentation, "The Curious Savage," at the Sandy Community Theater on Proctor Boulevard.

**Sunday, March 15**  
The Country Gospel Singers of Forest Grove and Hillsboro will present a special worship service at the Boring United Methodist Church, corner of Church and Richey Roads, at 9:30 a.m. A surprise intermission is planned for the children.  
Another installment of the film series featuring family expert James C. Dobson will be shown at the Sandy Church of Christ at 6:30 p.m.

**Monday, March 16**  
Rainbow Girls meet at the Masonic Hall at 7:30 p.m.

Sandy City Council meets in the council chambers at Sandy City Hall at 7:30 p.m. for discussion on a proposed senior citizen housing complex.

The Cottrell School Board of Directors will meet at 8 p.m. in room 3 of the East Building.

**Tuesday, March 17**  
The Sandy Chamber of Commerce meets for its weekly luncheon meeting at noon at TJ's Fireside Dining.

**Wednesday, March 18**  
The Sandy TOPS Club meets at 9 a.m. in the Sandy Community Action Center, and at 6:45 p.m. in the community room at Independent Bank of Sandy.

**Thursday, March 19**  
Oregon Retired Educators Unit 23 will travel to the Oregon Legislature. This trip is in conjunction with the Sandy Senior Center. For more information, call 668-5569.

## Moonlighting income taxable

Oregonians who earn income from a second job, or who "moonlight," must report their earnings on the federal income tax return. Income derived from any source is taxable, whether in cash, property or services, unless excluded by law.

Some examples of moonlighting include an office worker who doubles as a babysitter in spare time; a newspaper reporter who freelances; a public school teacher who instructs night school for pay, and a construction worker who picks up extra money doing home repairs on weekends.

While the income is taxable, the Internal Revenue

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