



An 18-wheel truck believed to be from Idaho jack-knifed in surprise snowfall early last Thursday morning near Alder Creek on Highway 26. The driver walked away, apparently without injury. No other vehicles were involved.

Keeping posted:

Cemeteries group schedules meeting

THURSDAY, MARCH 18
The Sandy Optimistics (Optimist Club auxiliary) meets at 7:30 p.m. at T.J.'s Fireside Dining. All women are invited.

FRIDAY, MARCH 19
Pete and Helen Sulzbach invite anyone interested in the work of the Clackamas County Board of Commissioners to a coffee hour discussion with Scott Taylor, commission candidate, from 1 to 3 p.m. at their home, 38630 SE Hudson Road, Sandy.

The Sandy Community Players' production, "Tribute," will be staged at 8 p.m. in the Sandy Community Theater on Proctor Boulevard.

SATURDAY, MARCH 20
The American Red Cross will kick off a series of classes to train volunteers interested in becoming involved in disaster relief assistance. The classes begin today with "Emergency Assistance for Families" at the Sandy Community Center, 38348 Pioneer Blvd., from 1 to 8 p.m. The class also meets Sunday, March 21, at the same time and place.

The SCP production, "Tribute," will be staged at 8 p.m. in the Sandy Community Theater on Proctor Boulevard.

SUNDAY, MARCH 21
The Baha'is of Sandy will celebrate the Baha'i New Year with a public pro-

gram at 7 p.m. in the Sandy Community Center, presented by Linda Popov of Portland.

MONDAY, MARCH 22
Sandy Cemeteries Association meets at 7:30 p.m. in the lower level of Immanuel Lutheran Church. All those who have an interest in either Sandy Ridge or Firhill cemeteries are urged to attend.

The Cottrell School Board meets at 8 p.m. in the East Building at the school.

TUESDAY, MARCH 23
Bruce Cook, owner of newly-expanded Bruce Cook and Associates in Sandy, will discuss "Interest Rate and You" at the

weekly luncheon meeting of the Sandy Area Chamber of Commerce at noon at the Tollgate Inn.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24
The Sandy TOPS Club meets at 9 a.m. in the Sandy Community Action Center.

THURSDAY, MARCH 25
The Sandy Golden Age Club holds its semi-monthly potluck at the Sandy Senior Center at noon. The second in a series of American Red Cross volunteer training classes will be held at the Sandy Community Center, 38348 Pioneer Blvd., from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Tonight's topic is "Survey and Damage Assessment."

Property tax deadline nears

Two groups of homeowners are approaching a deadline in filing for property tax relief.

They may qualify for state payment of part of their property taxes, regardless of their income, but must file with Clackamas County Assessor George Malin.

Sandy area homeowners who have not filed for relief but purchased and moved into homes by Jan. 1, 1982 have only until April 15 to file for the property tax relief.

And, homeowners purchasing between Jan. 1 and July 1 whose property didn't qualify for relief before (for example, new construction, property previously rented, or no application filed on the property) must file by April 15 or within 30 days of the purchase, whichever is later.

Under Oregon's Property Tax Relief (PTR) Plan, the state pays part of the property taxes on qualifying owner-occupied homes. The state payment is shown as a credit on the owner's November tax

statement, reducing the amount of tax the owner pays.

Homeowners who received property tax relief last fall on their present residences should not file again. Their tax relief will be continued automatically.

Homeowners who have changed the use of their property—such as converting it to rental units—must notify Malin of the change.

Homeowners who do not notify the assessor of a change in use must pay back any state payment

plus a 20 percent penalty.

Mobile homes, condominiums, houseboats and single units of multiple-unit residential housing qualify for property tax relief, along with conventional homes. The taxpayer must own an live in the dwelling.

PTR is one of two tax relief programs. The other is the Homeowner and Renter Refund Program (HAARP) which requires filing every year with the Oregon Department of Revenue.

This is your chance to learn more about the **Baha'i Faith**

"Mankind is on the Brink -- Bahai Solutions."

Linda Popov, speaker

Sandy Community Center

Sunday, March 21
7 p.m.

"The earth is but one country and mankind its citizens."
--Baha'u-llah

No collection will be taken
Free refreshments
Public invited.

inside the church

Baha'is set 'Naw Ruz' celebration

A new year begins for members of the Baha'i Faith this Sunday, March 21, the first day of spring and the beginning of the year 138 B.E., which means Baha'i Era for the calendar dates since the time of the religion's origin in Persia during 1844.

Since that time, the independent world religion has spread to more than 330 countries and territories.

The Baha'is of Sandy will celebrate Naw Ruz by offering a public program March 21 at 7 p.m. in the Sandy Community Center, presented by Linda Popov of Portland.

She will speak on "Mankind on the Brink: Baha'i Solutions."

New Year's Day, or Naw Ruz in Persian, is one of nine Holy Days on which Baha'is suspend work each year. It always falls on

March 21 and comes at the end of 19 days of fasting when Baha'is completely abstain from all food and drink between sunrise and sunset.

The rhythm of Baha'i life is marked by a new calendar that is based on the solar year.

The Baha'i year consists of 19 months with 19 days each. The Baha'i month begins with a gathering called "Feast" when members of Baha'i communities around the world come together in their localities for prayer, community consultation and fellowship.

Popov, a former psycho-

therapist, attended the Columbia and Fordham schools of social work. She is the author of a forthcoming book on courtship.

She is chief executive officer of Advanced Information Designs, a Portland firm she founded with her husband, Dr. Dan Popov. The company specializes in organizational consulting.

She has recently been appointed assistant to Auxiliary Board member Paul Pettit who spoke in Sandy in January.

Popov is also a member of the National Education Committee of the Baha'i National Spiritual Assembly.

The Baha'is of Sandy have invited anyone interested in learning more about the Baha'i Faith to attend the meeting this Sunday.

The basis tenets of the faith include equality of men and women, the abolition of war as a means of settling international disputes, elimination of prejudice and the unification of the world.

Refreshments will be served. No collection will be taken and the talk will be followed by an informal question and answer period.



THE SABBATH

- 43. Luke, the inspired Christian historian, writing as late as A.D. 62, calls it the "SABBATH DAY." Acts 13:44
- 44. The Gentile converts called it the SABBATH. Acts 13:42
- 45. In the great Christian council, A.D. 49, in the presence of the apostles and thousands of disciples, James calls it the "SABBATH DAY." Acts 15:21
- 46. It was customary to hold prayer meetings upon that day. Acts 16:13
- 47. Paul read the Scriptures in public meetings on that day. Acts 17:2,3
- 48. It was his custom to preach upon that day. Acts 17:2,3
- 49. The Book of Acts alone gives a record of his holding eighty-four meetings upon that day. Acts 13:14,44; 16:13; 17:2; 18:4,11
- 50. There was never any dispute between the Christians and the Jews about the Sabbath day. This is proof that the Christians still observed the same day that the Jews did.
- 51. In all their accusations against Paul, they never charged him with disregarding the SABBATH DAY. Why did they not, if he did not keep it?
- 52. But Paul himself expressly declared that he had kept the law. "Neither against the law of the Jews, neither against the temple, nor yet against Caesar, have I offended anything at all." Acts 25:8. How could this be true, if he had not kept the SABBATH DAY HOLY?

To Be Continued....

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Stress class to answer questions

Is there a link between stress and cancer or stress and coronary heart disease?

The Stress Control Clinic, sponsored by the Adventist Community Education Service, will discuss this and other questions at the Sandy Adventist Center from 7 to 8:30 p.m. this Tuesday, March 23.

The class will cover ways the impact of change, through rapid pace of life today affects one's ability to cope.

It will address what happens within the biochemistry of the body when it is subjected to stress, and "adaptation energy" and how it explains why some people can cope with stress better than others.

Other questions that will be discussed include delaying the aging process through effective stress control, cancer-prone personalities and why churchgoers of all faiths have lower incidences of cancer and all other diseases.