

Exchange student receives donation

Mount Hood Refuse helps with exchange

Cheryl Cochran is a little closer to her goal of participating in a student exchange program following a donation of \$470 from a local business.

Cochran, 16, is participating in the Rotary Youth Exchange program in the fall. She hasn't been assigned a country to visit yet, but she has been washing cars, working at Lewis Packing and collecting newspapers to earn money for the exchange.

When Tom Karlen, owner of Mount Hood Refuse, learned that Cochran was collecting newspapers, he decided to donate the money earned from recycling the contents of the box outside the Sandy Community Action Center.

The box contained almost 9 tons of old newspaper with a value, after the expense of hauling it to the recycling center, of \$470.

The owner of the garbage collecting and recycling business also donates to other causes. He donates time and equipment to participate in the city of Sandy's annual spring cleanup.

And after the Mountain Festival this year, he donated \$800 worth of service, hauling trash out of Meinig Park.



Tom Karlen, owner of Mount Hood Refuse, donated \$470 to help Cheryl Cochran defray expenses on a foreign exchange program.

Cochran said she appreciated the donation. Other people who would like to help her with the fund-raiser

should call 668-6551.

Cochran, who carries a 4.0-grade-point average, said she will attend

school at one of 13 countries in the fall. She said her goal is to teach English in a foreign country.

Drawing winner \$50 richer; survey results in

Jean Johnson took the advice of a friend recently, and is \$50 richer for doing so.

Johnson, owner of the Sandy Day Care Center, was urged by Chris Wilson, a teacher at the center, to fill out a survey being conducted by the Sandy Post.

People who filled out surveys were eligible for a drawing with the winner to receive \$50 worth of groceries from the store of his or her choice.

Johnson wasn't going to bother with the survey, but upon the urging of Wilson, filled it out and turned it in. Meanwhile, Wilson never turned hers in.

Johnson, who was recently

presented a gift certificate for \$50, has operated Sandy Day Care Center for two years. She is a Sandy resident.

About 35 people turned in surveys, according to Linda Shaffer, marketing director for the Gresham Outlook and Sandy Post.

"We'll take a hard look at who is reading our newspaper, and why, and try to provide a better service," she said. "Like any other retail business in Sandy, we have to create a product people want."

Shaffer said the survey showed people are definitely buying their groceries in Sandy. But, for other shopping needs, 14 of the respondents

shop in Gresham, eight in Sandy and seven at Clackamas Town Center.

The most overwhelming problem in Sandy, according to the people who filled out the survey, is high property taxes.

Twelve people feel the Sandy Mountain Festival is "extremely valuable" to the community, and another 10 said it is "fairly" valuable.

Shaffer said a good mix of professionals, blue collar workers, housewives and retired people filled out the survey. Twenty-one, or an "overwhelming number," were homeowners.



Jean Johnson

Obituaries

Joseph Ackers

Joseph B. Ackers, a former Sandy resident who lived here for 32 years, died July 14 at Ilwaco, Wash.

Mr. Ackers, who had recently retired from Murray Chevrolet in Gresham, was the victim of a boating accident. He was 66.

He was born March 10, 1921, to Harmon and Lucy Morgan Ackers in Dadeville, Mo. He was educated in Missouri and California.

He served in the Army Air Corps during World War II. He married Alice Van Daam in August of 1944 at Portland Air Base. The couple made their first home in Sandy, where they lived for 32 years.

He worked as a service manager for Chevrolet dealers and retired in

1987 from Murray Chevrolet after working there for 26 years.

He was a member of the Gresham Kiwanis Club and the Gresham Elks Lodge, was a past member of Sandy Odd Fellows, and a member of General Motors' Only the Best Club.

His hobbies were boating and fishing.

He is survived by his wife, Alice Ackers of East County, his children, Beth Rhinehart of Troutdale, Stephen Ackers and Randy Ackers, both of Portland, and Carol Brewer of Olympia, Wash.; his sisters, Madeline Householder of Cashmere, Wash., Thyra Harmon of San Bernardino, Calif., and Lyndle Wilkens of Hemet, Calif.; seven grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

A graveside service was held July 17 at Willamette National Cemetery

in Portland.

Andrew Minyard

Andrew Minyard, a longtime resident of Boring, died at his home on July 21 at the age of 74.

Services were July 24 in the chapel of Sandy Funeral Home. Interment followed at Willamette National Cemetery in Portland.

Andrew Jackson Minyard was born in Dayton, Texas, on March 30, 1913. He was raised in Texas, Arizona and California. Moving to Oregon in 1941, he worked in sawmills until entering the U.S. Army in 1942.

After his discharge in 1945, he returned to the Boring area where he

later began working for Reynolds Metals Co. in Troutdale.

On March 2, 1942, he was married to Mildred H. Skogan in Vancouver, Wash. They raised their two sons at Boring. After Andrew's retirement in 1975, he enjoyed spending time fishing and camping.

He was a member of the Sandy Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Mildred; two sons, Donald Minyard of Boring and Kenneth Minyard of Gresham; two sisters, Lucille Rodgers and Violet Hughes, both in California; four brothers, Jack of Columbia City, Ore., John in Washington, and Jack and Robert of Salem; and five grandchildren.

Volunteers help the forest

More than 1,700 volunteers donated their time and energy to the Mount Hood National Forest last year.

Volunteer programs in the Mount Hood National Forest have become a vital resource for the continuing management of the forest, said Linda Goodman, resource program manager for the national forest.

"Last year, volunteers contributed the equivalent of 34 person-years of work valued at over \$499,000," Goodman said.

This summer, full-time volunteers are filling positions as fish and wildlife biologists, campground maintenance crew supervisors, wilderness guards, interpretive naturalists and forestry technicians.

Volunteer crew projects include cleanup and revegetation at various sites, fish and habitat improvement, the removal of brush encroaching on trails, construction of bridges, and cleaning and maintenance of campgrounds.

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The Sandy Pioneer and Historic Association published a history of the area in 1973, but Haneberg said the group needs to supplement that history because not all families with pioneer ties participated.

Membership to the historical association, however, is not limited to people with ties to pioneer families.

A main part of the program was the reading of family histories of the royalty.

Ron Hegge, Ernie's son and a commercial fisherman in Alaska, admitted that some of the information was new to him.

Oichawa, who was born in 1901, told a number of stories of her childhood, including how she once

punched her grade school teacher in the nose during a boxing match the teacher encouraged.

"I gave her a terrible bloody nose, and I hate that to this day because she was my favorite teacher," Oichawa said.

She also asked if anyone in the audience knew who put the tack in Professor Warner's chair. "I'd like to know because I'd like to thank them personally," she said, adding that they got a lecture that day but didn't have to do any school work.

Hegge is known for his volunteer work at the Sandy Senior Center. He has run the gift shop since its inception in the mid-1970s, and makes coffee weekdays at the center.

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