

North Douglas

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South Lane

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Real Estate:

For Rent:

General For Sale:

Brand new household overstocks liquidations, custom apparel, tumblers and laser engraved gifts!
407 S. Front Street Unit C Creswell
Open to the public Wed-Fri 11-6

1993 Harley Davidson

Custom Bagger Softail
All new Reconstruction
\$6500
Rusty 541 221-3283

**Country Moving Sale
Yoncalla Area**

Lumber, Plywood, Steel, Pipe'
Building Supplies, welding Supplies
541 849-3487
Call 7am-8pm for directions

Help Wanted:

Seeking Work:

In Search Of:

Looking to buy junk cars


Condition does not matter
Cars will be recycled
Free pick up and removal
Contact Nathan at (541) 510-2074

Business Card Directory



American TATTOO Cycles
Sales Service Accessories

Custom Harley's
Custom Parts
Custom Builds
Used Bike Sales
329 N 1st St
Drain OR
541 221-3283



Elkton Outfitters
Darrell Moore
Salmon, Steelhead, Bass,
Shad & Perch
P.O. Box 491
Elkton, Or. 97436
541-817-7656
elktonlive@me.com

DRAIN SAW SHOP, INC.
COMPLETE CUTTING SUPPLIES
& Lawn Mower Repair
Shane Laycock
P.O. Box 712 - 325 West A St. Drain, OR 97435
STIHL Husqvarna Phone: 541-836-2423

BEAVER CREEK UNIQUE



DRAIN OREGON
CONTACT RUSS/CHARLOTTE
541-228-6044 / 541-914-9973

October 2023 Weather Forecast

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
67° 47°	67° 45°	66° 45°	66° 49°	67° 48°	65° 42°	67° 49°
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
66° 49°	66° 48°	67° 48°	65° 42°	70° 44°	70° 44°	67° 47°
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
68° 46°	70° 45°	69° 43°	66° 45°	67° 42°	67° 42°	64° 43°
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
66° 40°	60° 44°	63° 45°	65° 45°	67° 44°	66° 43°	65° 45°
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
64° 44°	63° 43°	65° 42°	63° 43°	63° 41°	62° 35°	54° 37°

Dollar General

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revenue. Smaller store footprints compared to dollar stores reduce property taxes and the chains get tax subsidies from some communities. Keeping prices and costs low means hiring fewer workers without as many hours.

Some stores may have just one employee punched in at a time. This type of understaffing creates the stores' notoriously messy aisles littered with unstocked merchandise boxes. Inspectors with the Occupational Safety and Health Administration have found merchandise blocking fire extinguishers and tripping hazards regularly created by blocked aisles. For this, and other reasons, the agency has hit Dollar General for more than \$15 million in fines since 2017. These are a roadmap for the dangerous and tragic situations often read about in the news lately. Combine all of this with lax security, and it makes the stores a target for robberies and violence on staff and customers. It is noted here that Dollar General and Dollar Tree has not invested in even basic safety features or prevention.

So that was a lot to digest and I'm not sure what it means to us here around Yoncalla and in North Douglas or South Lane Counties. I know that, as a community, we would always like to have our choices and options open. We do want convenience and competitive pricing, as well as abundance in style and choices of goods. We don't want to live in a food desert and we want our establishments to respect our community, provide working wages and environments and be a worthwhile neighbor in the community.

Stay tuned till next month for part 2, where I will take a deep dive into some of the topics mentioned here and some information for consumers and neighbors to contemplate, regarding OSHA and Employee complaints, as well as more on security and in depth look at the effects on communities.