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**John Leroy Sanford**

January 8, 1931 - May 23, 2015

John Sanford was born and raised in Kalispell, Mont. The family moved to Spokane, Wash. where he graduated from John Rogers High School. The family moved to Salem in 1949.

He served in the U.S. Marine Corps for a short time, ranking corporal upon discharge. In 1951 he joined the U.S. Army, serving in the Korean War, receiving several medals for his service.

After his discharge, he entered a trade school for auto body repair. Once completed, he moved back to Salem to join the family-owned business, Sandy's Garage, volunteering at Keizer Fire Department as deputy chief, arson

investigator and EMT. He worked for Allstate Insurance Company as a property field adjuster from 1964 until his retirement in 1987.

John was one of five charter members of of the Keizer Elks Lodge. They got the lodge up and running successfully.

Some of his hobbies were gardening, travel and square dancing, yet he truly enjoyed restoring old cars, home repair and his yearly elk hunting adventures with his sons and friends.

John was preceded in death by his brother, Duane, and

his oldest son, James Robert Sanford (Bob) from Texas. He is survived by his wife Norma, brother Glenn, sister Laura, and his children John E. (Jack) Sanford of Salem, Jean

Brooks of Salem and Jane Fitzgerald of Rutland, Mass. and their mother Jo Ann, nine grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

A celebration of his life was held at Keizer Elks Lodge on June 11.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the Alzheimer's Association. Arrangements were by Keizer Funeral Chapel.



J. Sanford



**On the hunt**

Students at Crosshill Christian School took part in a scavenger hunt Thursday, June 4 that led them to the Keizer-times office to pick up a bag of sprinkles.

Top: Mason Zeeb, Isaiah Schaffner, Jack Davis, Landon Schindler, Noah Wade and Drew Schmidt.

Right: Carter Gill, Tanner Griffith, Jacob Hardin and Logan Bennett.

Below: (front row) Emily Heusser, Madeline Gill, Alexis Nicholson, driver Cheryl Davis. (back row) Macy Thomas, Brianna Saleen, Abby Johnson.



**Forest Fair at CCC June 20**

The Oregon Forest Fair is returning this month to Chemeketa Community College.

The event, taking place from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on June 20, was held at Chemeketa 10 years. It's been held every year since, but this is the first time back at Chemeketa.

The expo and educational event is free and open to the public. There will be dozens of exhibits representing a wide range of forest products and services, including four educational panel presentations.

The event is put on by the Oregon Small Woodlands Association. For more information, visit [www.oswa.org](http://www.oswa.org) or call Gene and Lynnette Henshaw at 503-623-5759.

When the event was last at CCC, Gene Henshaw noted about 750 people attended. He expects between that many and 1,000 people this year.



**2017 theme iris selected**

The theme iris for the 2017 Keizer Iris Festival has been chosen. Solar Fire, a tall bearded orange and red bloom was chosen in honor of the solar eclipse that will be seen on Keizer's 45th parallel on Aug. 17, 2017.

The theme iris is announced now so that artists can begin to plan their entries into next May's official Iris Festival art chosen as part of the Keizer Art Association's Celebration of Flowers exhibition held each year.

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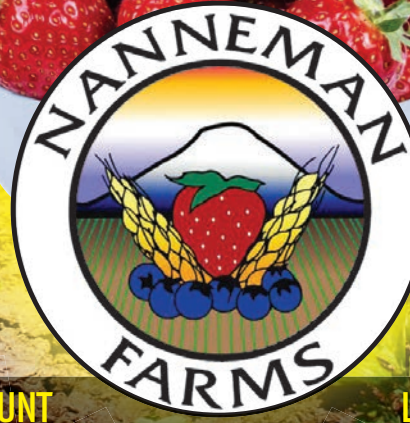


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