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which leads to noise complaints.

Even if the grant is successful, it might not mean the horn goes away entirely, but it could be replaced with wayside horns directed at oncoming traffic in both directions. Train crews could also still sound horns in emergency situations or for safety reasons.

The most visible change would likely be the installation of four-quadrant gates. Four-quadrant gates include an extra pair of gates blocking the roadway. The additional gates descend on a delay to avoid trapping vehicles and, once fully deployed, prevent drivers from attempting to go around them. The current crossing is a two-quadrant gate.

The deadline for applying for the grant is Sept. 17.

# October classes set at Keizer Art Association

Keizer Art Association has added two classes for artists in October. They will be held in the association's classroom at the Keizer Cultural Center.

An eight-week colored pencil class has been set for a fall term (beginning Oct. 1), a winter term (beginning Jan. 7, 2019) and a spring term (beginning April 1, 2019). The classes will be held 9 a.m. to noon on Mondays. Cost per term is \$70.

An eight-week calligraphy class, taught by Penny White, has also been set for a fall term (beginning Oct. 2), a winter term (beginning Jan. 8, 2019) and a spring term (beginning April 2, 2019). The classes will be held each Tuesday from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Visit [keizerarts.com](http://keizerarts.com) to see the supply list for each class. In addition, Ann Kullberg's SOAR Colored Pencil Workshops will present Blooming Roses with Drafting Film with instructor Rhonda Dickson taking place at the Keizer Heritage Center on October 13-24. The workshop fee is \$199, with a \$50 deposit required to hold a spot. Dickson will show students how to work effectively on drafting film, a versatile and very forgiving surface that allows artists to easily create bright, vibrant colors. Registration and more information is available now at [www.annkullberg.com/soar](http://www.annkullberg.com/soar).

The Keizer Art Association is located in the Keizer Cultural Center at 980 Chemawa Rd. N.E.



Submitted photo  
Randy and Paula Moseley recently took their *Keizertimes* with them on a trip to Iceland. You too can have your photo in the *Keizertimes*. Simply take the paper to your destination, snap a picture with you and your group holding it, and send the photo along with everyone's first and last names to [kt@keizertimes.com](mailto:kt@keizertimes.com).

# RENT: City required to hold meeting on path forward

(Continued from Page A1) additional work to make ends meet. Health crises, like Reed's, also figured heavily into some renters' struggles.

Chris Rands is currently in the process of moving to a nicer apartment but his family's rent is doubling – from \$650 to \$1,300 a month.

“What it means for me is I'll have to work more overtime to be able to make ends meet, which means less time at home with my wife and daughter. My wife does not work as of now so we live off of my

income. I'm a mental health therapist technician at the state hospital in Salem,” said Rands, 34.

He said the hard facts are the rental picture in Keizer is difficult for single-income or single-parent families. He said his family usually doesn't make it all the way through the month on his paycheck.

“You can't survive off minimum wage plus pay

what they're charging for rent these days. I'm very fortunate to have the career I have and praise the Lord every day for it but, even with what I make, it's difficult to make it being the only provider,” he said.

He plans to keep working hard to better himself and his family.

“You can't survive off minimum wage.”

— Chris Rands

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