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MHS cooks make art you can eat

McNary High School culinary arts students found themselves at the intersection of cooking and visual art in December.

The young chefs turned their attention to graham cracker houses and churned out an awe-inspiring display using traditional graham crackers, cereal and all the sugary, and sometimes salty, building blocks they could find.



Submitted Foster Parent's Night Out representatives Laurie Wobbe, Karen Salinas, Tony Aguilar with Elks Exalted Ruler Corrine Arehart.

Keizer Elks give back

A \$1,500 grant from the Elks National Foundation, is now being put to use in Keizer.

Keizer Elk Bruce Plummer submitted an application for the 2019 Anniversary Grant on behalf of Keizer Lodge, to Elks National Foundation (ENF). Keizer Lodge was awarded the grant on Dec. 1.

The charities designated to receive the funds were Foster Parents Night Out (FPNO), an organization to provide a night of respite to foster parents to relax and refresh while the children are in the care of trained staff; and to Keizer Community Food Bank which provides assistance for families in need. Keizer Community Food Bank is able to purchase \$3 of food for each dollar donated.

On Dec. 5, representatives Laurie Wobbe, Karen Salinas, and Tony Aguilar from FPNO were presented with a \$500 check; and Jim R. Johnson representing Keizer Community Food Bank was presented with a \$1,000 check.

Chamber gears up to name city's next First Citizen

The Keizer Chamber of Commerce is prepping one of its biggest parties of the year on Saturday, Jan. 19.

Tickets are now on sale for the upcoming First Citizen & Awards Banquet sponsored by the Keizer Chamber of Commerce. Ticket cost is \$55 for individuals or \$400 for table sponsorship. The night begins at 6 p.m.

To purchase tickets, go to www.keizerchamber.com.

In addition to naming the city's new First Citizen, awards are presented for Merchant of the Year, Service to

Education and a President's Award goes to a person selected by the outgoing president of the Chamber board of directors.

The Keizer Civic Center, 930 Chemawa Road N.E., will host the event.

The event's sponsors include Bonaventure Senior Living, K's Catering and Oregon State Credit Union.

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