

Food bank: '90 percent of my volunteers are not coming back'

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mismangement. It could jeopardize Thanksgiving and holiday meals and leave thousands of dollars in Christmas gifts undelivered, she said.

Late Friday, South County Food Bank board members released a statement that the food bank would close for two weeks for an "internal restructuring."

"With the consistent growth in the number of people we are serving on a daily basis, we really need to make sure we have the infrastructure in place to continue to feed everyone who comes through the doors," board president Darren Gooch said.

Gooch said the closure provides an opportunity to focus on "future sustainability."

The food bank, located at 2041 N. Roosevelt Drive, is a private nonprofit serving the hungry in Seaside. It survives

on contributions from individuals, organizations, foundations, businesses and cities.

Board member Alan Evans said the food bank will work to guarantee no break in services. There will be changes to some management and volunteers, as well as paperwork and internal policies.

"We have realized that the need for our services becomes more important daily as more people find themselves in need," Evans said. "With that increase in need becomes a bigger responsibility for us to be sustainable. We realize that stronger policies are needed to be enforced to our management, volunteers and the foundation of our services to our partnering agencies and the people we serve."

Board members said any delivery changes would be for the purpose of better service.

Regional food banks will supplement private food dona-



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The South County Food Bank.

tions, Evans said. Food donations will be accepted during the restructuring.

Board members will also take the time during the closure to clean, organize and deal with inventory.

'Totally devastated'

The South County Food Bank was launched with donations from a Seaside grocery in 1981 and incorporated as a nonprofit in 1986. It is associated with Clatsop Community Action and an affiliate of the

Oregon Food Bank Network. It was housed in a location in a building provided by the Moose Club for 28 years, until the Moose Club disbanded in 2013.

Gann, who is unsalaried, took over as the food pantry's managing director in 2013, replacing Norm McLaren.

From 390 to 470 families use the food bank each month.

Gann said changes in the board, including departures of key members, changed its composition. "It's all a big

clique of friends now," she said.

Gann, who said she'd worked 70 to 80 hours a week at the food bank, clashed over a request by board members to provide personal information on food bank patrons.

The board cut Christmas and Thanksgiving dinner boxes because of the belief that patrons were "double-dipping and getting stuff everywhere," Gann said.

"We've got a room in the back of my office of Christmas presents for kids people already sent in, and they're going to get rid of it all," she said.

An aisle offering patrons free shoes, clothing, blankets and cookware was also an issue. "They're getting rid of all that stuff," she said.

'Rotting in the fridges'

Of the 240 people to lose service at the food bank this

month, about 100 who need to walk for their food "are going to suffer" because they can't get to food banks in Gearhart or Cannon Beach, Gann said.

"Food is rotting in the fridges because they did this," she said.

Regular donation pickups from North Coast Family Fellowship in Seaside — yielding 1,000 pounds of food a month — will be interrupted, she said.

Gann does not expect most of the 60 volunteers to return after the food bank's reopening, she said.

"My people are up in arms and 90 percent of my volunteers are not coming back," she said. "I'm totally devastated. This is the busiest time of the month and there will be a week-and-a-half people will go hungry. I am so sorry for these people. I am so upset."

The food bank is scheduled to reopen Nov. 7.

McClure: Much of his job involves teaching students how to access information

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at the University of North Carolina in Greensboro. McClure started his career at the Greensboro Public Library before working at the university.

In 2005, he and Noelle moved back to the Pacific Northwest, where he held positions at the Fort Vancouver Regional Library, Lewis and Clark College's National Crime Victim Law Institute, law firm Miller Nash and the Art Institute of Portland.

McClure then spent eight years as the director of library services at the Pacific Northwest College of Art before his wife was recruited to Seattle for a job at billionaire Paul Allen's Vulcan Inc.

He found work at Vulcan and later as an adjunct librarian at Olympic College in Bremerton, Washington, but felt underemployed as a seasoned library director.

Like so many other people who have moved to the North Coast, McClure remembers visiting as a child and falling in love with the natural beauty, history and architecture. He and his wife had a tradition over the past decade of visiting the North Coast each year for his birthday in the dead of winter, wishing they could move.

The college had lost its previous library director and was looking for a replacement at the same time McClure was looking

for a better position. After talking it over with Noelle, the two decided to make the move with their two cats and chickens.

McClure checks out books, but much of his job involves teaching students how to access information. He oversees seven employees and maintains the library's paper and digital collections and website while helping develop curriculum and policies. A big focus is help-

ing students scrutinize the sources of information they use, especially online.

"It's not always apparent to college students and other people, information consumers, where information comes from and why it is produced. Really scrutinizing the purpose for the production of information may help people understand the cultural biases and agendas of the information itself."

A film noir buff, McClure

is planning film nights at the library, along with a technology-free longhand writing club called Freewriters.

He is getting to know other local librarians who partner with the college, each with different specialties, such

as the college's art literature collection provided through a New York nonprofit helping underfunded communities. McClure is also trying to advertise the \$20 annual pass residents can use at the college.



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Evening listings MONDAY

MONDAY EVENING		A - Charter Astoria/ Seaside - L - Charter Long Beach										OCTOBER 23	
A	L	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
2	KATU	(2) KATU News at 6 (N)		Jeopardy! (N)	Wheel Fortune (N)	Dancing With the Stars Celebrities compete in a ballroom dancing contest.		Good Doctor "Point Three Percent" (N)		KATU News (N)	(3:55) Jimmy Kimmel		
5	KOMO	(4) KOMO 4 News (N)		Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dancing With the Stars Celebrities compete in a ballroom dancing contest.		Good Doctor "Point Three Percent" (N)		KOMO 4 News (N)	(3:55) Jimmy Kimmel		
6	KING	(5) NBC News (N)	KING 5 News (N)	KING 5 News (N)	Evening	The Voice "The Battles, Part 3" (N)		The Brave "Enhanced Protection" (N)		KING 5 News (N)	(3:55) Tonight Show		
6	KOIN	(4) KOIN Local 6 (N)	Evening News (N)	Extra	Ent. Tonight	Big Bang Theory 9JKL (N)	Kevin Can Wait (N)	Me, Myself & I (N)	Scorpion "Sci Hard" (N)	KOIN 6 News (N)	(3:55) Colbert		
6	KIRO	(7) KIRO 7 News (N)	Evening News (N)	KIRO 7 News (N)	Ent. Tonight	Big Bang Theory 9JKL (N)	Kevin Can Wait (N)	Me, Myself & I (N)	Scorpion "Sci Hard" (N)	KIRO News (N)	(3:55) Colbert		
8	KGW	(3) KGW News at 6:00 p.m. (N)		Live at 7 (N)	Inside Edition	The Voice "The Battles, Part 3" (N)		The Brave "Enhanced Protection" (N)		KGW News (N)	(3:55) Tonight Show		
9	KRCW	(3) Modern Family	Modern Family	The Goldbergs	The Goldbergs	Supergirl "Far From the Tree" (N)	Valor "Soldier Ready" (N)	News at 10 (N)	Mom	Two and a Half	(3:55) Two and a Half		
10	KOPB	(10) This Old House	Business (N)	PBS NewsHour (N)		Antique "Baton Rouge (Hour Three)"	Oregon Experience "Broken Treaties"	Antiques Rd. "Kansas City (Hour One)"		POV "Cameraperson" (N)			
12	KPTV	(12) 6 O'Clock News (N)		Family Feud	Family Feud	Lucifer "What Would Lucifer Do?" (N)	The Gifted "eXit strategy" (N)	10 O'Clock News (N)		News (N)	Page Six TV		
13	KPDx	(12) Mike & Molly	Mike & Molly	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	FOX 12's News (N)	9 O'Clock News (N)	Family Guy	American Dad!	The Game	The Game		
13	KCPQ	(13) Modern Family	Modern Family	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Lucifer "What Would Lucifer Do?" (N)	The Gifted "eXit strategy" (N)	Q13 News at 10 (N)	American Dad!	American Dad!	Q13 News (N)	The Simpsons	
20	TBS	(20) Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Conan			
22	KZJQ	(22) Friends	Friends	The Goldbergs	The Goldbergs	Modern Family	Modern Family	Q13 News at 9 (N)		Two and a Half	(3:55) Two and a Half		
29	ESPN	(29) NFL Football	Washington Redskins at Philadelphia Eagles (L)			(2:20) SportsCenter	Scott Van Pelt presents the day in sports. (N)	NFL PrimeTime		SportsCenter With Scott Van Pelt	Jalen & Jacoby	SportsC Featured	
30	ESPN2	(30) NFL Football	Washington Redskins at Philadelphia Eagles (L)			(2:20) SportsCenter (N)		E:60		SportsCenter With Scott Van Pelt	Jalen & Jacoby	SportsC Featured	
31	NICK	(31) The Loud House	Henry Danger	Henry Danger	The Thundermans	NickyRickyDicky	Full House	Full House	Full House	Friends	Friends	Friends	
32	DISN	(32) Jessie	Jessie	Bunk'd	Bunk'd	Andi Mack	Bizaardvark	Raven's Home	K.C. Undercover	Bizaardvark	Raven's Home	Raven's Home	
34	FAM	(34) Movie	(5:00) *** Sleepy Hollow (1999, Horror)	Christina Ricci, Miranda Richardson, Johnny Depp.		(2:20) *** The Nightmare Before Christmas '93	Chris Sarandon.		(2:20) FXM Presents	*** The Boy Next Door	The 700 Club		
35	FMC	(35) (5:00) Unfriended	(4:45) Matthew Bohrer, Courtney Halverson, Heather Sossaman.			[The Call (2013, Thriller)	Halle Berry.						
38	LIFE	(38) *** Marley and Me (2008, Drama)	Jennifer Aniston, Eric Dane, Owen Wilson.			*** Hitch (2005, Comedy)	Eva Mendes, Kevin James, Will Smith.						
39	ROOT	(39) MLS Soccer	Colorado Rapids at Seattle Sounders FC			Unhitchable Joe Buck "Ray Leonard"	Press Pass (N)	NCAA Football					
39	FS1	(39) UFC	UFC Fight Night			Speak for Yourself	Skip and Shannon: Undisputed Opinions on the biggest sports topics of the day.						
43	SPIKE	(43) Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	
44	COM	(44) Futurama	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	
45	HIST	(45) American Pickers	"Daredevil Duffey"	American Pickers	"Texas Hold 'Em"	American Pickers	"Mike's Big Buy"	Amer. Pickers "Ripe for the Picking" (N)	(05) Pawn Stars (N)	(35) Pawn Stars (N)	(05) Pawn Stars	(35) Pawn Stars	
46	A&E	(46) The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		To Be Announced					
47	TLC	(47) Say Yes-Dress	Say Yes-Dress	Say Yes-Dress	Say Yes-Dress	90 Day Fiance "Line in the Sand" (N)	Counting On "Joseph's Wedding" (N)	Fiancé "Bring on the 90 Days" (N)		Counting On "Joseph's Wedding"			
48	DISC	(48) Diesel Brothers	Diesel Brothers	Diesel Brothers	Diesel Brothers	Fast N' Loud: Revved Up (N)	Fast N' Loud (N)	Fast N' Loud (N)	Diesel Bros. "Bros to the Rescue" (N)	Fast N' Loud			
49	NGEO	(49) Wild Scotland "Spring Awakening"		Wild Scot "Mid Summer's Night Dream"		World's Deadliest Snakes		Snake City "The Cape Crusaders"		Snake City "Recipe for Disaster"	Snake City "The Cape Crusaders"		
50	TNT	(50) *** Why Did I Get Married? '07	Sharon Leal, Janet Jackson, Tyler Perry.			*** Remember the Titans (2000, Drama)	Will Patton, Wood Harris, Denzel Washington.			*** Remember the Titans '00	Denzel Washington.		
51	AMC	(51) (5:00) Halloween H2O: 20 Years Later		*** Halloween 2 (2009, Horror)	Chase Wright Vanek, Malcolm McDowell, Sheri Moon Zombie.			*** Halloween (1978, Horror)	Jamie Lee Curtis, P.J. Soles, Donald Pleasence.				
52	USA	(52) Modern Family	Modern Family	Modern Family	Modern Family	WWWE Monday Night Raw				(05) Modern Fam	(35) Modern Fam		
53	FOOD	(53) Halloween "Mummies vs. Werewolves"		Halloween Wars "Haunted Carnival"		Halloween Baking "Sweet Screams"	Baking "The Candyman Cometh" (N)	To Be Announced		Halloween "Zombie Cooking Show"			
54	HGTV	(54) Love It or List It "Site Unseen"		Love It or List It "Tree House Trouble"		TinyHouseHunters TinyHouseHunters	Tiny Luxury (N) Tiny Luxury (N)	House Hunters (N)	House Hunters (N)	House Hunters	House Hunters (N)		
56	FX	(56) (5:30) *** The Heat (13)	Melissa McCarthy, Michael McDonald, Sandra Bullock.			*** Spy (2015, Action/Comedy)	Jude Law, Rose Byrne, Melissa McCarthy.			*** Spy (2015, Action/Comedy)	Jude Law, Melissa McCarthy.		
57	CNN	(57) Anderson Cooper 360		CNN Tonight With Don Lemon		CNN Tonight With Don Lemon	Anderson Cooper 360			Anderson Cooper 360			
58	FNC	(58) Hannity		Fox News Tonight		Tucker Carlson Tonight	Hannity			The Story	Tucker Carlson Tonight		
61	CNBC	(61) Shark Tank		American Greed: Scam		American Greed: Scam	American Greed: Scam			American Greed: Scam "Sholam Weiss"	Paid Program		
63	BRV	(63) Real Housewives "Don't Rock the Boat"		Real Housewives "Armenian Rhapsody"		Orange County Social (N)	The Real Housewives (N)			The Real Housewives of Dallas (N)	WatchWhat (N)	Real Housewives	
64	TCM	(64) (5:00) The Elephant Man		(15) *** Hannah and Her Sisters (86)	Mia Farrow, Michael Caine, Woody Allen.			(15) *** Casino (1995, Crime Story)	Sharon Stone, Joe Pesci, Robert De Niro.				
65	SYFY	(65) The Sandman (2017, Horror)				Neverknock (2017, Horror)	Eliana Jones.			*** Underworld: Rise of the Lycans '09	Bill Nighy, Rhona Mitra, Michael Sheen.		
162	RFD	(162) Rancher (N)	Red Steagall	Horse Master	Inside Reining	Craig Cameron	Rural Eve. News	Rural America "Live" "AgXplore"		American Rancher	Red Steagall	Product Showcase	