Happenings may be edited for length. Listings may also be found online at hoodrivernews.com; click the Events tab.

CALL TO ARTISTS

■ KOOBDOOGA: An Exhi**bition** — Entry deadline Jan. 24, 2015. Exhibition at White Salmon Library; artists' reception Jan. 31, 2-4 p.m. Artwork, photographs, bead work, fiber arts, mediums to relate to the library's first Community Reads Event featuring book "Short Nights of the Shadow Catcher." Interested artists may pick up a copy of the book, exhibition details, display agreement and registration form at the library. KOOBDOOGA Committee reserves the right to reject works that do not meet the exhibition criteria. More info at 509-493-1132.

AUDITIONS

■ Jan. 18-19 — "Good People," Sun., 1-3 p.m. and Mon., 6-8. At the Columbia Center for the Arts. Roles for 4 women and 2 men. Readings will be from script. Sides are available at the art center at the gallery desk. For more information, please email judieh@ gorge.net or call 541-386-6221.

FOR CHILDREN

■ Story Time at Hood River Library: Baby/Toddler storytime & Big Kids story time, 10:30 a.m. Thurs. mornings.

New Parent Services Playgroups

For parents and their children ages newborn to 5; for more info contact Nancy Johanson Paul at 541-436-0319 or nancyp@nextdoorinc.org.

Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at Cascade Locks City Hall gym.

Tuesdays, 9-10:30 a.m. at Hood River Alliance Church, 2650 Montello Ave. (Contact the church at 541-386-2812 for details.)

Fridays, 10-11:30 a.m. at HR Early Childhood Center (former Pine Grove School), bilingual, with developmental specialists available (follows school calendar). For more info call 541-386-4919.

■ Jan. 17 — Hood River Library family matinees, "Tale of Despereaux," 2 p.m. at the downtown library. The library bills its series "great books made into great movies" and is free. There will be a drawing for a copy of the book, by Katie DiCamillo. ■ Jan. 24 — Hood River Library family matinees, "The Sword in the Stone," 2 p.m. at the downtown library. The library bills its series "great books made into great movies" and is free.

"Fossil Fools," a collaborative at 5. installation by Diane Gadway and Janet Essley, at White Salmon Valley Library, 77 Wauna Ave., White Salmon; open 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Mon., 10-8 Tues., 10-6 Wed. thru Fri.; 9-5 Sat.

■ Through Jan. 31 — "New Year, New Work," 11-5 p.m. at the Center for the Arts, 215 Cascade St. Featuring work of 10 local artists: Julie Abowitt, Laurel Bushman, Merilee Cooper, Charlene Fort, Sally Gilchrist, Barbara Murphy, David Ryan, Sally Reichmuth, Steve Stegall,

and Jennifer Szolnoki. ■ Jan. 31 — Columbia Gorge Discovery Center and **Museum** in The Dalles presents Braceros of the Pacific Northwest presentation with Dr. Roberto de Anda, 5:30-8:30 p.m. Optional dinner (\$15) at 6 p.m.; presentation at 7. RSVP by Jan. 28 to 541-296-8600 ext. 201 or gorgediscovery.org.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

■ Jan. 16 — HR History Museum fundraiser, "Maverick," 300 E. Marina Dr. Doors open at 5:30 p.m.; movie at 6. 1994 movie featuring Mel Gibson, Jodi Foster and James Garner. Funds to repair museum's paddlewheel. Movie is cosponsored by HR County Library District. Free with museum admission: \$5 adults, children under 10 free, museum members and active military free.

■ Jan. 17 — Discussion, "Grave matters: Cultural Diversity on Life and Death," 2 p.m. at the Hood River Library. Free. Hosted by Hood River County Library District and sponsored by Oregon Humanities. With Courtney Campbell, Oregon State University. More info at 541-386-2535 or info@hoodriverlibrary.

■ Jan. 17 — Scrabble tournament, 2-4:30 p.m. at the White Salmon Valley Community Library, 77 NE Wauna Ave. Raise funds for teen summer reading. Teams of two players (parent/child teams, etc.); will pair up single players. Refreshments, prizes. More info at 509-493-1132.

∎ Jan. 17 — Wild Bill's Bingo at the Elks Lodge, fundraiser for Elks scholarship programs, 7 p.m. Open to the community. Minimum \$250 progressive blackout each week. Hosted by the Elks and the Mid-

HAPPENINGS

■ Jan. 20 — Senior meals, noon at the Lyle Lions Community Center, corner of 5th St. and Hwy 14. Public always welcome.

er, 541-386-3996. ■ Jan. 24 — "Painting

from the Heart," 10:30-1 p.m. at New Leaf Studio, between Oak & Cascade. Express your true ■ Jan. 20 — Big Bingo at ideal, shadowy, divine self. \$50;

Kids' Gorge Soup deadline is near

The deadline for Gorge Soup for Kids is Feb. 9. Young people starting a business or community project may vie for cash awards at the Feb. 26 soup dinner.

Last year Gorge Soup awarded just under \$3,000 to new student businesses and initiatives, with the first prize winner taking home almost \$1,500.

Applications can be found on Gorge Soup's website: gorgesoup.wordpress.com.

Applications must be handwritten, mailed, and posted marked by Feb. 9.

Buy tickets at brownpapertickets.com/event/888297.

the HR Valley Adult Center, 2010 Sterling Place, off Brookside Drive. Doors open and food available at 5 p.m.; games begin promptly at 6 p.m. Funds raised support the Meals on Wheels program.

■ Jan. 21 — Gentle yoga for beginning seniors 50 and over, 10:30-11:30 a.m. at the Hood River Care Center, 729 Henderson Rd. Free. Taught by certified yoga instructor Christine Shannon. Wear loose, comfortable clothing; bring yoga mat and water bottle; some mats available onsite. No experience necessary.

■ Jan. 21 — Successful Habit Change, 7-8:15 p.m. at Providence Hood River Memorial Hospital board room (second floor). With Shelley Smith, MD. Create successful change. Sign up through Community Ed, 541-386-2055, community.ed@hoodriver.k12.or.us, or hrcommunityed.org. Free.

■ Jan. 22 — CASA volunteer training begins. Five week, 30 hour training course; learn to be an effective advocate for a local foster care child. Preregistration required. Call 541-386-3468 or visit gorgecasa.org.

Jan. 22 — Forklift Operator Training, 10-2 p.m. at Your Rental & Party Center, 1113 Tucker Rd. With Tom Heep and Woody Eskilen. OSHA approved; receive an operating card. Sign up through Community Ed, 541communi-386-2055, ty.ed@hoodriver.k12.or.us, or

scholarships available. Three week class (Jan. 31 and Feb. 7). For more info contact Amy Zacher at 541-386-3996.

■ Jan. 24 — Free sleep **presentation**, 1-2 p.m. at Trinity Natural Medicine. Jennifer Szolnoki, MSW, LCSW, will talk about how to get a good night's sleep

tworiverscoaching.com or 509-281-1008.

■ Jan. 24 — Wild Bill's Bingo at the Elks Lodge, fundraiser for Elks scholarship programs, 7 p.m. Open to the community. Minimum \$250 progressive blackout each week. Hosted by the Elks and the Mid-Columbia Knights of Columbus. Dinners, starting at \$8.50, are available from 5-7 p.m.

■ Jan. 25 — Author reading, Molly Gloss, 2 p.m. at the Hood River Library. Gloss will read and discuss her new book "Falling from Horses." Free. For more info, contact the Library District at 541-386-2535, info@hoodriverlibrary.org, or hoodriverlibrary.org.

■ Jan. 27— Senior meals, noon at the Lyle Lions Community Center, corner of 5th St. and Hwy 14. Public always welcome.

■ Jan. 27 — Big Bingo at the HR Valley Adult Center, 2010 Sterling Place, off Brookside Drive. Doors open and food available at 5 p.m.; games begin promptly at 6 p.m. Funds raised support the Meals on Wheels program.

■ Jan. 27 — HR Watershed without medication. More info at **Group,** 6-8 p.m. at the OSU Ex-

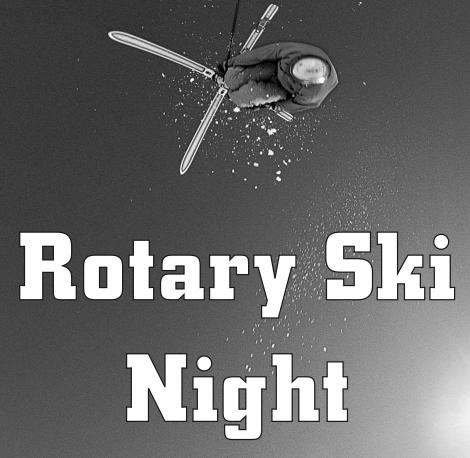
tension meeting room. Focus on urban portion of Indian Creek, fire hazard reduction, birds to see and highlights from Indian Creek Stewards.

■ Jan. 28 — Gentle yoga for beginning seniors 50 and over, 10:30-11:30 a.m. at the Hood River Care Center, 729 Henderson Rd. Free. Taught by certified yoga instructor Christine Shannon. Wear loose, comfortable clothing; bring yoga mat and water bottle; some mats available onsite. No experience necessary.

Jan. 28 — Breastfeeding Support Group, 12-1 p.m. at Riverside Church, Fourth and State. Mother-to-mother support led by Columbia Gorge Breastfeeding Coalition and facilitated by a Certified Lactation Consultant. For more info call Jennifer McCauley, RN, IBCLC, 541-387-6344.

■ Jan. 28 — Brown Bag Workshop: Google Drive, 12-1 p.m. at Gorge Innoventure, 1000 E. Port Marina Dr. Ste. 101. Learn to use Drive to create and edit files, upload and store files, etc. Bring your computer or smart phone; attendees are also encouraged to bring a brown bag lunch. \$5.

Hood River Rotary & Mt. Hood Meadows



EXHIBITS

■ Through Jan. 23 —

Columbia Knights of Columbus. Dinners, starting at \$8.50, are

of Martin Luther King Jr. Live On: Building a Community with Justice for All," 6:30 p.m. at Riverside Community Church. Musical celebration of the life, works and dreams of Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. directed by Tim Mayer. Sponsored by Gorge Ecumenical Ministries. A potluck for friends and members of GEM

hrcommunityed.org. \$120. ■ Jan. 23 — Friday Fun

available from 5-7 p.m. Lunch with Highline Express, ■ Jan. 19 — "The Dreams 11-1:30 p.m. at HR Valley Adult Center, 2010 Sterling Place, off Brookside Drive on the Heights. Dancers and listeners welcome.

■ Jan. 23 — Friday Craft Night, 6:30-8:30 p.m. at New Leaf Studio, Oak and Cascade. Learn to knit a hat, scarf or mittens. Class 1 of 3 (Jan. 30, Feb. 6); \$45, including classes and varn. For more info contact Amy Zach-

Jan. 19th 2-9 p.m. **MLK In Service Day**

\$15 in advance \$20 day of

Athlete of the Week **Cascade Yoga** at Cascade Locks School 300 Wa Na Pa Street Noah Noteboom Intro to Yoga **HRVHS** basketball Gentle, beginner-level class. Tues. & Thurs. - 3:45-5:00 pm Noah Noteboom had a team-high 21 points last week in the HRVHS Yoga for Everyone varsity boys basketball team's All-levels Hatha Yoga class. Tues. & Thurs. - 5:30-6:45 pm 69-61 home win over Woodburn. The Athlete of the Week will receive a large pizza with 2 toppings from Papa Murphy's. Register at Congratulations to our winner 1-17-15 www.hrcommunityed.org (Classes/Adult/Health & Wellness) \$72/month or \$12/drop-in Tomme Fent, RYT-200 TAKE 'N' BAKE PIZZA tommesyogaforlife@gmail.com 712-490-6417 1765 12th St. • Hood River • 541-386-713

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Fundraiser for Local Scholarships & Community Needs visit https://www.skihood.com/rotary-night

Public Notices

NOTICE OF APPLI-CATION HOOD RIVER COUNTY PLANNING DE-PARTMENT

Pursuant to the Hood River County Zoning Ordinance, the Planning Director will make a decision regarding the following application on or around Fri, Feb 27, 2015:

Hood River Sadposts and rails. dle Club (P-14-0268) is requesting a National Scenic Area Land Use Permit for the following improvements: Replace an existing sign with a new, slightly larger sign.

NOTICE OF PUB-LIC HEARING HOOD RIVER COUNTY PLANNING

General Manage-ment Area (GMA) of the Columbia River The proposed wood sign is 25 sq ft in size and two sided. The sign will be mounted on two 6-Gorge Scenic Area. If you have comments on inch by 6-inch wooden posts. The appliapplication, this please respond by 5:00 p.m., Fri, Jan cant is also propos-ing to replace approx. 1,800 ft of an existing barbed wire fence with a new 5-

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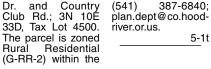
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30, 2015. The application and supporting docfoot high wire woven uments are available for review or pur-chase (0.25¢ /sheet) fence with wooden The subject parcel is located on the NE at County Planning, 601 State St., Hood River, OR 97031; corner of Belmont Dr. and Country Club Rd.; 3N 10E 33D, Tax Lot 4500. (541)387-6840;



Commission will Public conduct a Public Hearing on Wednes-day, January 28, 2015, beginning at 7

PM in the Board of County Commis-County Commis-sioners' conference room on the first floor of the County Business Administration Building, 601 State Street, Hood River, Oregon 97031. The meetina

agenda will consider amendments to the Hood River County Zoning Ordinance, Article 61 – Review By Board. File P-15-0007 includes the following proposed amendments (other than housekeeping) to address: (1) clari-fying and simplifying who has standing and how to deter-mine "party" status; (2) the Board of County Commissioners scope of review in an appeal;

and (3) the existing limits to reversing, remanding, or affirming the underlying decision by the planning commission. Notably, when conducting an on-the-record review the Board appears to lack explicit au-thority to modify the

planning commis-sion's decision of record. interested Any person may appear. Written comments or oral testimony by the public may be provided at the public hearing, or to staff in advance of the public hearing. those written For comments submitted the night of the hearing, at least 10 copies shall be provided for the Plan-

ning Commission and staff. A copy of the draft

will also be available

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amendments is available for review PUBLIC NOTICE purchase It is the policy of columbia Gorge (\$0.25'/page) at Hood River County Planning (601 State Street, Hood River) seven (7) days prior to the hearing. For additional informa Columbia Community College and its Board of Education that there will be no discrimi-nation or harassadditional informament on the grounds of race, color, sex, marital status, nation or auestions concerning the proposed amendments, please contact John tional origin, religion, age, disability, veter-an status, sexual ori-Roberts, Hood River entation, and any other status protect-County Planning Director, by e-mail at plan.dept@co.hooded by applicable loriver.or.us or by tele-phone at (541) 387-6840. Documents

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