

HAPPENINGS

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EXHIBITS

• **Jan. 21-Feb. 8** — Wasco/Sherman County Elementary Student Art Show at The Dalles Art Center. Closing Reception Feb. 8, 3-4 p.m. Juried competition. **Entries accepted Jan. 14-18;** forms and info at www.thedallesartcenter.org.

• **Thru Feb. 1** — **Dreams** at Columbia Center for the Arts. More at columbiaarts.org.

ON STAGE

• **Jan. 18** — **Columbia Center for the Arts Children's Theater Teen Apprentice Program Fundraiser**, 6:30 p.m. at CCA. Raising funds for trip to London. Tickets at columbiaarts.org/events/teenshkspsfundr.

• **Jan. 31-Feb. 1 & Feb. 7-8** — **The Vagina Monologues**, 7:30 p.m. at Columbia Center for the Arts. **Matinee performances Feb. 2 & Feb. 9** at 2 p.m. **Jan. 31 is Ladies Only Show;** doors open 7 p.m., with Little Black Dress Cocktail Party from 6-7 p.m. CAST and THRIVE production. Tickets and details at columbiaarts.org/events/vagmono; tickets at Waucoma Bookstore and the CCA Gallery.

• **Feb. 7-8, Feb. 13-15, & Feb. 20-22** — **Leading Ladies**, 7:30 p.m. at the Bingen Theater, 210 Oak St., Bingen. **Matinee performances Feb. 9 & Feb. 16** at 2 p.m. Big Britches Production. Appropriate for all ages. Tickets and info at bigbritches.org.

CHILDREN & TEENS

• **Story Time at Hood River Library** — **Baby/Toddler and Big Kids story time**, Thursdays, 10:30 a.m.

• **Story Time at the Parkdale Library** — Fridays at 10:30 a.m.

• **Family Services Playgroups** — For parents and their children ages newborn to 5; for more info contact Elisa Cartwright at 541-296-8118 ext. 210. **Tuesdays**, 9:30-11 a.m. at Hood River Alliance Church, 2650 Montello Ave. (Contact the church at 541-386-2812 for details). **Wednesdays**, Cascade Locks School, 300 WaNaPa, 9:30-11:30 a.m. Info at 541-490-0659. **Fridays**, 10-11:30 a.m. at HR Early Childhood Center (former Pine Grove School), bilingual, with developmental specialists available (follows school calendar).

• **Tuesdays thru March 17** — **Chess Club**, 5-6:30 p.m. at the Hood River Library Maker-space. Drop in and instructional; all welcome, ages 7 and up. All supplies provided.

• **Wednesdays** — **Cascade Locks Play Group**, 9:30-11:30 a.m. at Cascade Locks Elementary. For babies and children 0-5. Meet other parents, enjoy playtime, exchange ideas, breastfeeding and other support. Free. More at 509-637-5717. Newcomers welcome.

• **Fridays** — **Magic Club**, 4-5 p.m. at Hood River Hobbies. Drop-in fee \$5. Parents must register the first time. Ages 10-15. Bring cards; loaner decks available. More at www.hoodriverhobbies.com.

• **Jan. 9** — **Copycat Masterpiece**, 5 p.m. at the Cascade Locks Library. Teens will recreate famous works of art. Supplies provided; suitable for ages 11-19. Free.

EXERCISE & MEDITATION

• **Mondays** — **Movement and Yoga**, 10 a.m. at the FISH Food Bank, 1130 Tucker Road. With Cindy Hurlbert; props provided. Donation class (part of proceeds donated to FISH). All abilities welcome.

• **Mondays** — **Meditation & Metta**, noon-1 p.m. at Trinity Natural Medicine, 1412 13th St., Suite 200 (new location). With Rev. Kozen Sampson; more at 541-386-2025.

• **Mon. & Thurs.** — **Tai Chi**, 2:30 p.m. at the Hood River Valley Adult Center. \$5 a week, all ages. More at 541-

PICK OF THE WEEK



Photo courtesy of WAAAM

LEARN THE HISTORY of racing during WAAAM's Second Saturday event Jan. 11.

WAAAM hosts 'All About Racing'

Flex your need for speed at the Western Antique Aeroplane & Automobile Museum on Saturday, Jan. 11 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the monthly Second Saturday event.

This month's theme is "All About Racing."

"Come learn about the history of racing from bicycles to airplanes and more through this temporary display and historic videos," said a WAAAM press release.

"Several of WAAAM's 1920s and '30s speedsters will be out giving rides for

the event in addition to some other cars from yesteryear that could be often used on official race tracks and unofficial back alleys."

In addition to the flying and driving, WAAAM's airplane restoration shop tour will occur at 11 a.m. and 1 p.m.

490-3738. (This month, Dec. 12 only.)

• **Wednesdays** — **Yoga**, 10-11 a.m. at the FISH Food Bank. By donation. For all abilities; mats available. Wear loose clothing, bring water. With Christine Shannon.

• **Wed. & Fri.** — **Exercise with Arthritis**, 1:30-2:15 p.m. at the Hood River Valley Adult Center.

• **Thursdays starting Jan. 2** — **Movement and Yoga**, 9 a.m. at the Mt. Hood Town Hall. With instructor Cindy Hurlbert. Pay what you can, all abilities welcome, props provided. Visit www.yogavisual.com for info.

• **Strong Women Exercise Classes** — **Strength training program for middle aged and older women.** Contact leaders in advance to get the most up to date information:

• **Mon., Wed. & Fri.**, 9-10:15 a.m. at the Mt. Hood Town Hall; 541-354-1264. Cost \$10/month or \$5/class.

• **Mon. & Wed.**, 10-11 a.m. at the Cascade Locks City Hall, 509-699-0842.

• **Tues. & Thurs.**, 10-11 a.m. (new, 541-386-3343) at Providence Down Manor.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

• **Daily Mon. thru Fri.** — **Senior Meals**, noon-12:45 p.m. at the Hood River Valley Adult Center, 2010 Sterling. Open to public, all ages. For transportation, call CAT at 541-386-4202. Suggested \$5 donation. Supports seniors.

• **Jan. 8** — **Alzheimer's Support Group**, 2:30-3:30 p.m. at the Hood River Valley Adult Center, 2010 Sterling Place, Hood River. More at 541-386-2060.

• **Jan. 8** — **Hood River County Democrats Meeting**, 6 p.m. in the Hood River County Library downstairs meeting room, 502 State St. More at hoodriverdemocrats.org.

• **Jan. 9** — **Hood River Art Club**, 10-1 p.m. at the FISH Food Bank meeting room, Tucker Road. Open to public. All levels and mediums. Bring project, lunch, supplies and \$1 for coffee & misc. More info at www.hoodriverartclub.com, on Facebook, or HoodRiverArtClub@yahoo.com.

• **Jan. 9** — **Lunch and Learn**, 1 p.m. at the Hood River Library. White Allyship in Close-knit Communities with Oregon Humanities Project facilitator Alexis James. Open and welcome to people of all racial backgrounds and identities. Lunch provided. Free.

• **Jan. 9** — **Pride Book Club Meeting**, 6:30-7:30 p.m. at The Dalles Library. "The Child's Child." Open to all 18 and over interested in LGBTQ+ literature.

• **Jan. 9** — **Harmony of the Gorge Women's Chorus**, 6:30-9 p.m. at Valley Christian. Four-part harmony, no need to read music. Call 541-490-2481 if weather looks bad.

• **Jan. 10-11 & Jan. 17-18** — **CERT Training**, 5:30-9 p.m. Friday and 9-4 p.m. Saturday at Mid-Columbia Fire and Rescue, 1400 W. Eighth, The Dalles. Community Emergency Response Team (CERT). Register at 503-806-7132 or lynette.black@oregonstate.edu.

• **Jan. 11** — **WAAAM Second Saturday**. Activities 10-2 p.m., lunch 11-1 p.m. Free parking. Theme: Racing. More info at 541-308-1600 or visit www.waaamuseum.org.

• **Jan. 11** — **Wild Bill's Bingo** at the Elks Lodge, 7 p.m. Fundraiser for Elks scholarship programs. Open to the community. Hosted by the Elks and the Mid-Columbia Knights of Columbus.

• **Jan. 12** — **Second Annual Chamber Music Concert**, 2 p.m. at Hood River Valley Christian Church. Columbia Gorge Orchestra Association; Eurotopia, Canticum Vocal Choir, more. Free, donations accepted.

• **Jan. 12-13** — **Oregon Heritage Commission Meeting** in Cascade Locks. Jan. 12 starting at 1:15 p.m. (tour of heritage sites); Jan. 13 starting at 9 a.m. at Best Western Columbia River conference room, 735 WaNaPa St. More at 503-986-0696 or Beth.Dehn@oregon.gov. Open to public.

• **Jan. 13** — **Hood River Valley Adult Center Board Meeting**, 5:30 p.m. at the center. All are welcome.

• **Jan. 14** — **Odell Garden Club Meeting**, 10 a.m. at the Hood River County Fairgrounds Community Building. Meets second Tuesday of each month. All gardeners welcome. Contact Club President Norma Curtis at 541-806-1019 or nlcurtis@hrecn.net for more info.

• **Jan. 14** — **Senior Meals**, noon at the Lyle Lions Community Center, corner of Highway 14 and Fifth. Everyone welcome.

• **Jan. 14** — **Friends of the Hood River County Library Meeting**, noon at the Hood River Library's Gaulke Meeting Room.

• **Jan. 14** — **Indivisible Columbia Gorge**, 6-7:30 p.m. at the Hood River Library. On Facebook and at ICGOregon.org. Meets quarterly.

• **Starting Jan. 16** — **CERT Training** at Mid-Columbia Fire and Rescue, 1400 W. Eighth, The Dalles. Meets Thursdays thru Feb. 20. Community Emergency Response Team (CERT). Register at 503-806-

7132 or lynette.black@oregonstate.edu.

• **Jan. 16** — **Hood River Art Club**, 10-1 p.m. at the FISH Food Bank meeting room, Tucker Road. Open to public. All levels and mediums. Bring project, lunch, supplies and \$1 for coffee & misc. More info at www.hoodriverartclub.com, on Facebook, or HoodRiverArtClub@yahoo.com.

• **Jan. 16** — **Lunch and Learn**, 1 p.m. at the Hood River Library. Gender Identity, facilitated by the Columbia Gorge Pride Alliance. Lunch provided. Free, open to all.

• **Jan. 16** — **Hood River Republicans Meeting**, 5:30 p.m. at China Gorge. Meets every third Thursday of the month.

• **Jan. 16** — **Harmony of the Gorge Women's Chorus**, 6:30-9 p.m. at Valley Christian. Four-part harmony, no need to read music. Call 541-490-2481 if weather looks bad.

• **Jan. 16** — **Writer's Talk**, 7 p.m. at The Dalles Art Center, 220 E. Fourth St., The Dalles. Music at 6 p.m., talk follows. With Dale Brandenburger, author of "Grizzly Trade." Free and open to all.

• **Jan. 18** — **Hood River Indoor Farmers' Market**, 10-1 p.m. at May Street Elementary cafeteria/commons. First and third Saturday of the month. Free parking.

• **Jan. 18** — **Wild Bill's Bingo** at the Elks Lodge, 7 p.m. Fundraiser for Elks scholarship programs. Open to the community. Hosted by the Elks and the Mid-Columbia Knights of Columbus.

• **Jan. 21** — **Senior Meals**, noon at the Lyle Lions Community Center, corner of Highway 14 and Fifth. Everyone welcome.

• **Jan. 23** — **Hood River Art Club**, 10-1 p.m. at the FISH Food Bank meeting room, Tucker Road. Open to public. All levels and mediums. Bring project, lunch, supplies and \$1 for coffee & misc. More info at www.hoodriverartclub.com, on Facebook, or HoodRiverArtClub@yahoo.com.

• **Jan. 23** — **Lunch and Learn: Cruzando la frontera / dejando a los que amas; Crossing the border/Leaving the ones you love**, 1 p.m. at the Hood River Library. Lunch provided. Free, open to all.

• **Jan. 23** — **Harmony of the Gorge Women's Chorus**, 6:30-

more. First Wednesday of each month during regular business hours.

• **Feb. 8** — **WAAAM Second Saturday**. Activities 10-2 p.m., lunch 11-1 p.m., open 9-5 p.m. Free parking. Theme: Beyond Tractors: The Velie Motor Corporation. More info at 541-308-1600 or visit www.waaamuseum.org.

• **Feb. 11** — **Odell Garden Club Meeting**, 10 a.m. at the Hood River County Fairgrounds Community Building. Meets second Tuesday of each month. All gardeners welcome. Contact Club President Norma Curtis at 541-806-1019 or nlcurtis@hrecn.net for more info.

• **Feb. 11** — **Friends of the Hood River Library**, noon at the Gaulke Meeting Room at the Hood River Library.

• **Feb. 12** — **Alzheimer's Support Group**, 2:30-3:30 p.m. at the Hood River Valley Adult Center, 2010 Sterling Place, Hood River. More at 541-386-2060.

• **Feb. 15** — **Hood River Indoor Farmers' Market**, 10-1 p.m. at May Street Elementary cafeteria/commons. First and third Saturday of the month. Free parking.

• **Feb. 19** — **Columbia Gorge Beekeepers Meeting**, 5:30 p.m. at OSU Extension, 2990 Experiment Station Drive. Pre-meeting 5:30-6:15 p.m. (demo of beekeeping technique), regular meeting 6:15-8 p.m. Open to anyone interested in beekeeping and/or bees. Free.

• **Feb. 20** — **Hood River Republicans Meeting**, 5:30 p.m. at China Gorge. Meets every third Thursday of the month.

• **March 4** — **Wellness Wednesday** at Rite Aid. For seniors; free BMI and blood pressure checks, free samples, walk-in vaccinations, more.

• **March 7** — **Hood River Indoor Farmers' Market**, 10-1 p.m. at May Street Elementary cafeteria/commons. First and third Saturday of the month. Free parking.

• **March 9-13** — **CERT Training**, 1-5 p.m. at Mid-Columbia Fire and Rescue, 1400 W. Eighth, The Dalles. Community Emergency Response Team (CERT). Register at 503-806-7132 or lynette.black@oregonstate.edu.

• **March 10** — **Odell Garden Club Meeting**, 10 a.m. at the Hood River County Fairgrounds Community Building. Meets second Tuesday of each month. All gardeners welcome. Contact Club President Norma Curtis at 541-806-1019 or nlcurtis@hrecn.net for more info.

• **March 11** — **Alzheimer's Support Group**, 2:30-3:30 p.m. at the Hood River Valley Adult Center, 2010 Sterling Place, Hood River. More at 541-386-2060.

• **March 14** — **WAAAM Second Saturday**. Activities 10-2 p.m., lunch 11-1 p.m., open 9-5 p.m. Free parking. Theme: March through Time with the Sensational '60s. More info at 541-308-1600 or visit www.waaamuseum.org.

• **March 19** — **Hood River Republicans Meeting**, 5:30 p.m. at China Gorge. Meets every third Thursday of the month.

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