

GENERAL NEWS

CROW on the go

Public speaking class offered

The Florence Toastmasters, Siuslaw Tale Spinners, will host a free workshop on Saturday, April 11, at the Florence Playhouse, 208 Laurel St., called "Public Speaking 101 and Beyond." The class is geared for the novice and professional alike. Doors open at 8:30 a.m. and the first session, Public Speaking Tips, starts at 9 a.m. The afternoon session, Guided Speech Evaluations, starts at 1:30 p.m. Contact Irma at 541-999-0912, or register at www.goo.gl/6uDcxX.



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Children's Repertory of Oregon Workshops (CROW) sent ambassadors to Elderberry Square, Shorewood Retirement Residences, Spruce Point Assisted Living Community (above), Coast Radio, Kiwanis Club, Rotary and Siuslaw Elementary and Middle School assemblies to share songs and scenes from their upcoming show with audiences who otherwise might be unable to attend shows. "I think we've got an amazing group of kids, boys and girls," CROW director Melanie Heard said. "There's 45 kids in the show, and CROW has very high standards. ... We treat our shows like Broadway shows. We give our kids the best sets, the best costumes and the best special effects. We really work hard to do that." CROW's young cast will perform "Once Upon a Mattress" April 10 to 12 at Florence Events Center.

CITY LIGHTS CINEMAS

1930 Hwy 101 • Florence, OR 97439
Showtimes: April 3 - April 9, 2015

\$9 Regular/\$8 Senior or Student/\$7.50 Matinee/
\$7 Child/\$6.50 Member

Cinderella - 112 min (PG) - FINAL WEEK!

Fri, Mon, Thu: 2:20, 7:00 | Sat: 2:20, 9:00 | Sun: 3:20 | Tue, Wed: 2:20

The Divergent Series: Insurgent - 119 min (PG-13) - "...non-stop action, pretty dazzling special effects and solid acting...Insurgent will not disappoint." Chicago Sun-Times

Fri: 12:50, 3:50, 6:50, 9:30 | Sat: 2:30, 5:10, 8:00 | Sun: 3:20, 6:00
Mon, Wed, Thu: 12:50, 3:50, 6:50 | Tue: 3:50, 6:50

NEW: Furious 7 - 137 min (PG-13) - "Furious 7 provides both a satisfying chapter in the movies' preeminent gearhead soap opera and a tactful, touching memorial to Walker." - Variety

Daily Except Fri, Sat: 12:30, 3:30, 6:30 | Fri, Sat: 12:30, 3:30, 6:30, 9:30

Home - 94 min (PG) -

Voiced by Jennifer Lopez, Jim Parsons, Rihanna, Steve Martin
Fri: 12:40, 3:40, 6:40, 9:00 | Sat: 12:10, 3:45, 6:00, 8:10 | Sun: 1:10, 4:45, 7:00
Mon: 12:40, 3:40 | Tue: 12:50, 3:40, 7:00 | Wed: 12:40, 3:40, 7:00 | Thu: 12:40, 3:40, 6:40

NEW: Red Army - 76 min (PG) -

A brilliant and fun to watch documentary that goes far beyond hockey to Russia-US relations and more. Highly recommended!
Fri: 12:20, 5:00, 9:30 | Sat: 12:20, 7:00 | Sun: 1:20, 6:00 |
Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu: 12:20, 5:00

Special Events:

The Winter's Tale - 180 min - From Royal Opera House
Sat: 12:00 | Wed: 6:00

Song of the New Earth - 87 min - Encore! Tom Kenyon and the power of sound

Sat: 4:50 - With a singing bowl demonstration

Behind The Beautiful Forevers - 180 min -

Encore! National Theatre Live

Sun: 1:00

CED's: Back to the Future of Home Entertainment - FREE!

Mon: 7:00 - Meet the filmmakers for this documentary-in-the-making

Glen Campbell: I'll Be Me - 116 min -

Glen's moving, fascinating farewell tour.

Tue: 12:40, 6:00

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PeaceHealth offers next in 'Aging Well' series

PeaceHealth Peace Harbor Medical Center, in coordination with Lane Community College in Florence, is once again offering its "Aging Well" series.

These educational classes are free and focus on preventative care, alternative therapies and advanced care planning and self-care.

Topics vary from month to month and presentations are conducted by health care and community professionals on the second Thursday of each month.

The following classes will be offered:

• April 9 - "Optimism: Positive Impacts and How to Incorporate It into Your Life"

by gerontologist Donna Peterson.

• May 14 - "Consider the Conversation: A Documentary on a Taboo Subject" is being offered.

• June 11 - "Diet Facts for Seniors" given by diabetes educator Joan Tabor.

The lecture series is held at LCC and begins at 9 a.m. Each

class generally lasts an hour. The presentations are free but registration is required to ensure enough space and materials are available. Classes fill quickly so register early.

For more information, call 541-997-8444, register online at www.lanec.edu/florence or stop by the school at 3149 Oak St.

Wind ensemble to play benefit concert

On April 26, at 2:30 p.m., the Pacific Coast Wind Ensemble, the community concert band of the central Oregon coast, will present a concert at New Life Lutheran Church in Florence to benefit the Florence Emergency Cold Weather Shelter.

Pacific Wind Ensemble's 30 members are from Newport to Dunes City and several points in between.

They all love music and rehearse weekly in order to offer the public the best possible concerts. In the past 10 years their concerts have been warmly and

enthusiastically received by audiences.

The concert theme will be "Themes Like Old Times" and will include a medley of favorite big-band pieces, such as "In the Mood," "Let's Dance" and "April in Paris."

Another medley includes "Pretty Baby," "Me and my Gal" and "Tiger Rag."

Other audience favorites will also be performed.

The concert this year benefits the Florence Emergency Cold Weather Shelter and will provide some much-needed funds in order to provide a safe warm place for people to take

shelter from dangerously cold temperatures that often hit Florence in the winter months.

The FECWS is short on resources and is doing all it can during the warm months to prepare for the cold ones.

The suggested donation for the concert is \$10 and a non-perishable food.

There will also be a raffle for a Rhododendron donated by Bones Nursery.

New Life Lutheran Church is located at 2100 Spruce St. in Florence.

For more information, contact Beth Newell at 541-997-3248.

C.R.O.W. A show so good...it's dreamy!

presents

Once Upon A Mattress
April 10 - 12

Florence Events Center (541) 997-1994 Adults: \$16
Kids Under 12: \$8

www.crowkids.com

VOLUNTEERS WANTED

Saturday, May 9th, 2015 from 6:45 am to approximately 1 pm.

Safety, caring and integrity are priorities at Dunes City Hall and Best in the West Events, so come out, get involved and have a great time.

The commitment is only one day and all volunteers will receive a free t-shirt and enjoy the day supporting these wonderful athletes.

This year we will award a monetary donation of \$250.00 to the organization that recruits the most volunteers.

This can be a civic club, athletic club, homeowners association or similar type of group. PLEASE don't forget to include your organization's name when registering. If your group has the most volunteers present on May 9th, your organization will be awarded a \$250.00 check!

TO VOLUNTEER CONTACT Volunteer Coordinator, Renee Green at Dunes City Hall, 541-997-3338 or permits@dunescityor.com. Or come by Dunes City Hall, 82877 Spruce Street, Westlake, and get signed up in person.

SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
APRIL 4	APRIL 5	APRIL 6	APRIL 7	APRIL 8	APRIL 9	APRIL 10
54°F 40°F	52°F 42°F	54°F 43°F	56°F 44°F	58°F 43°F	59°F 45°F	55°F 47°F

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Part of protecting your automobile investment is finding an auto repair shop you can trust. A trustworthy mechanic whom you're comfortable with can ease any concerns you have when taking the car in for maintenance, whether that maintenance is a routine tuneup or more extensive repairs. Though mechanics differ greatly, find one you can trust and one who knows your car.

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