

IN BRIEF

Fall 2015 SES registration for kindergarten

Kindergarten registration for fall 2015 within the Siuslaw School District will be through April 30, from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. each day at Siuslaw Elementary School.

Enrollees must be 5 years old on or before Sept. 1, 2015. Parents should bring proof of age and an immunization record.

No child will be admitted or allowed to attend school in the fall without proof of age and immunizations.

Bingo, sundaes at Ada Grange tonight

The public is invited to bingo at Ada Grange tonight. Come for good food and family fun at 5 p.m., with Bingo starting at 6 p.m.

In celebration of "Grange Month," enjoy an ice cream sundae at intermission. The Ada Grange Hall is 10 miles out Canary Road.

For more information call Nancy Flatley at 541-997-2380.

Come see British cars today

The Central Oregon Coast

British Car Club will hold its monthly meeting, rain or shine, today at 9 a.m., at Kozy Kitchen Restaurant, 820 Highway 101.

Plan to attend and have breakfast with other British car enthusiasts. Anyone who enjoys British vehicles is welcome to attend.

For more information, call 541-997-7354.

Buy books, help library today

The Siuslaw Public Library Book Sale is today from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

This sale will include only non-fiction books, such as cook books, how-to books, biographies and other subjects. The sale will be in the Bromley Room at the Siuslaw Public Library. Cash, checks and credit cards will be accepted.

All proceeds benefit the library. This event is sponsored by the Friends of the Siuslaw Public Library.

Flukes to strum tomorrow

Florence Ukulele Club (The Flukes) will meet tomorrow, April 26, from 3 to 4 p.m., for a song circle in the Bromley Room of the Siuslaw Public Library, 1460 Ninth St.

Meetings are open to ukulele players of all levels and anyone interested in learning more about the club, as well as anyone who just wants to listen and/or sing along.

Beginners meet first from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m.

For more information email janetwellington@charter.net.

Pioneers of Faith to ROAR April 27-29

Aaron Auer with ROAR ministries will be sharing little-known history of Oregon, including Native American and early settler stories, items and clothing.

Auer will be connecting this amazing heritage with today's most important life issues.

The event is free and open to everyone and to all ages.

It will take place Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, April 27 to 29, at the Swisshome Church, Highway 36, at 7 p.m. each night.

For more information, call Bryan Moore at 541-999-0312.

Vote for Siuslaw School Garden once a day through Monday

The Siuslaw School Garden Program entered the Seeds of Change Grant Program for an opportunity to win a \$20,000 grant.

Through April 27, the community can support the garden program by visiting facebook.com/seedsofchange or seedsofchange.org and vote each of those days.

Church on the Rock to host Boutique

The Lace Boutique Sale hosted by Church of the Rock, 1750 18th St. will be Saturday, May 2, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. There will be handcrafted items and a bake sale.

The sale is a fundraiser for the COR Women's Ministry.

Sen. Roblan to speak to Dems May 2

Florence Area Democratic Club will hold a business meeting May 2, from 1 to 2 p.m., in the Bromley Room of the Siuslaw Public Library.

At 3 p.m., everyone is invited to join the Town Hall in the Bromley Room with Sen. Arnie Roblan.

Community Chorus to take stage May 3

May 3, at 2 p.m., the Community Chorus of Florence will present "Hooray for Hollywood" at the Florence Event Center.

Special guests the Flotones and the Siuslaw Children's Choir will perform.

In addition, scholarships will be presented to deserving students.

Call the FEC at 541-997-1994 for tickets. or visit the chorus website www.communitychorusflorenceor.org.

Meet the chief May 5

The City of Florence invites everyone to come meet Florence's new Police Chief Tom Turner.

The meet and greet will be held at the Florence Events Center on Tuesday, May 5, from 4 to 6 p.m.

LCC to host program on sustainability

The LCC Florence Center, 3149 Oak Street, invites the public to attend "Sustainability: Surviving and Thriving in a Changing World," presented by LCC faculty member Margaret Robertson, on Thursday, May 7, at 5:30 p.m.

Learn about the possibilities for a regenerative future in a healthy and sustainable world. Refreshments will be served.

Dunes City Triathlon run, ride, swim

The annual Oregon Dunes

Triathlon and Duathlon will be held May 9. Interested athletes can register at www.oregon.dunestriathlon.com.

Anyone that is interested in volunteering for this one-day event can call Renee at Dunes City Hall 541-997-3338.

Pre-race announcements will begin at 7:45 a.m. The transition area will open at 6:30 a.m.

Women's retreat in Mapleton May 9

The Mapleton Grange will host a one-day retreat by and for local women. Spring Renewal for Women will be held Saturday, May 9, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. It will focus on health and wellness for women ages 18 and older.

Tickets are available at Banner Bank, Real Food Co-op and at the door.

Toastmasters to host workshop May 9

The Toastmasters club in Florence, Siuslaw Tale Spinners, will hold the second in their series of free community workshops on Saturday, May 9, from 1 to 3:30 p.m., at the Siuslaw Public Library.

The workshop, Set Powerful Goals That Motivate You, will be held as part of the Open House program.

Boardwalk Market re-opens May 16

The Florence Boardwalk Market's 2015 season kickoff is Saturday, May 16. The market is located adjacent to the Port of Siuslaw Boardwalk at Bay and Nopal Streets.

Local and regional vendors sell produce, handmade crafts, pottery, baskets, Oregon-specialty products, gemstones, rocks and minerals, jewelry, plants, clothing, art, photography, blown glass, face painting, and more.

Hours are Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Sundays, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.



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