

## Mapleton Grange Spring Renewal for women May 9

A full-day women's wellness retreat is being offered on May 9, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., at the Mapleton Grange.

Participation based on interest and comfort level will include both morning and afternoon movement (yoga stretching, Vinyasa Yoga, yoga dance and Zumba), healthy food preparation, lunch, nature or wildcrafting walk, restorative postures and self-expression through art.

Practice and learn more about personal wellness and

connect with a community of residents and experts with similar goals.

Ticket sales will start in May. Pre-registration ensures your choice of activity levels.

This is a fundraiser for the Mapleton Grange. Tickets, are \$65, or \$50 for seniors, and includes access to a full day of programs as well as lunch. Mapleton Grange members will receive 50 percent off of the ticket price.

For more information email livingwellness@gmail.com.

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## STEM evening challenges students, adults



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Nearly 100 students, parents and others got to experience science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) night, April 23, at the Siuslaw Middle School gymnasium. Thirty hands-on stations, manned by 25 volunteers, were set up for visitors to explore STEM-related topics, such as making a neutrally buoyant fish out of a helium balloon. Participants were encouraged to engineer bridges and see how much weight they could hold, design and build racing cars, create butterflies, and make batteries and electromagnets. The 30 stations were brought to Florence by the Oregon Coast STEM Hub.

## 'With Time' art exhibit by Gigi Lissan now at FRAA

Springtime in Florence brings Gislene Gigi Lissan to brighten FRAA jewelry case. "Avec Le Temps..." (With Time...) is an inspired collection of jewelry often incorporating clock or watch parts.

A reception will be held in for Lissan May 9, from 3 to 5 p.m., during the Second Saturday Art Tour, at the FRAA Art Center, 4969 Highway 101, just north of Fred Meyer.

In the creation of her unique pieces of jewelry, Lissan gives a second chance to broken,

abandoned and forgotten objects.

"The joy of searching for the materials in second hand stores, garage and estate sales, even trash, then giving them a second life is a genuinely rewarding experience," said Lissan.

Not to be forgotten in some landfill, she gathers clocks, nuts, bolts, watches, loose beads, jewelry, and often mixes the old with the new in creating her fresh and imaginative pieces of jewelry.

Lissan was raised in the south of France. After moving to Los Angeles in 1978, she founded France Exchange School, a language school that received The Family Choice Award. She and her husband, Allen, came to Florence last year while continuing to create jewelry and painting.

Passionate about teaching, she holds French classes in Florence at the Kenneth B Gallery every Tuesday.

For information and registration visit [www.kennethbgallery.com/#!french-class/c19c](http://www.kennethbgallery.com/#!french-class/c19c).



COURTESY PHOTO

One of Gislene Gigi Lissan's "Avec Le Temps" artistic creations currently on display at the FRAA Art Center.

## Surfside Restaurant Presents

# A Mothers Day Brunchette



### SALAD and APPETIZER BAR

Garden Fresh House Salad w/ Choice of Salad Dressings  
 Shrimp and Asparagus Salad  
 Fresh Fruit Salad  
 Smoked Salmon Mouse  
 Crab Cakes Chili Puff  
 Cocktail Links

### ACCOMPANIMENTS

(Choice of One)

Wild Rice Pilaf

Garlic Roasted Mashed

Yukon Potatoes

### VEGETABLES

Fresh Steamed Vegetables

w/Cauliflower, Broccoli,

Carrots, Bell Peppers,

Zucchini in Garlic Sauce

### ENTREES

(Choice of One)

Beef Cutlets w/Cherry,

Whiskey Demi-Glaze

Apricot Brandy Glazed Ham

Romano Chicken. Dipped in

Butter Sauce, Panko Romano

Cheese Coating

Halibut Almandine. Butter

and Fresh Lemon topped

w/Toasted Almonds

and Parsley

### DESSERT BAR

Brownies

Pumpkin pie

Pecan Pie

Carrot Cake

Bread Pudding

w/Bourbon Sauce

Includes: Fresh brewed coffee, assorted teas and sodas

Join Us For  
 Mother's Day at  
 Surfside Restaurant  
 Sunday, May 10th  
 12 Noon—4 p.m.

Adults \$25.50

Seniors \$22.50

Children \$13.50

(10 and under)

Reservations

Needed

(541) 997-8263

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## FUNDRAISER CONCERT

May 9, 8-11pm, Doors open 7:30  
 No Cover - Donations Encouraged!  
 Silent Auction 7:30-10pm