

DUNES CITY CLEANS UP



PHOTO BY KELLY RIGGS

Dunes City Mayor Rebecca Reude and Administrator Fred Hilden braved inclement weather April 25 along with 10 other Keep Our Coast Clean volunteers to collect discarded trash from Highway 101 and Canary Road prior to the upcoming Dunes City Triathlon/Duathlon to be held May 9. More than six pickup truck-loads of litter were gathered during the three-hour event.

Klippel to speak at Herbalist club

Florence Herb Enthusiasts will host popular local speaker Frances Klippel during their Thursday, May 15 meeting. Klippel will share how to easily make healthy cleaning products using ingredients you probably already have available around the house. Common household cleaners contain items such as: ammonia, bleach, butyl cello-solve, cresol, dye, ethanol, formaldehyde, glycol, hydrochloric acid, hydrofluoric acid, naphthalene, paradichlorobenzenes, perchloroethylene, petroleum distillates, phenol, phosphoric acid, propellants, sulfuric acid, and trichloroethylene. Each of these chemicals is dangerous and most are considered hazardous waste. “It’s really easy to make your own natural cleaners with vinegars, essential oils and other basic items,” said Klippel. “We are commonly exposed to toxins on a daily basis from many commercial cleaners. The cleaners we make at home are ever so much more safe for humans and our animals to use on a regular



COURTESY PHOTO

Frances Klippel will speak at the next meeting of Herb Enthusiasts to discuss natural cleaning products.

basis around the home.” Did you know you can do your laundry with soap nuts? You’ve never heard of them? Come to the meeting and learn about this member of the Lychee family. Florence Herb Enthusiasts will meet at 11 a.m., at New Life Lutheran Church, 2100 Spruce St. (next to Food Share). Guests are welcome to attend their first meeting free; annual dues are \$10. For more information, call Robert McGlauflin at 541-513-1745 or Jacquie Beveridge at 541-997-8311. Whether you are a novice, professional or in between join us to expand your knowledge of the useful plants.

FLORENCE GARDEN CLUB

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SATURDAY – MAY 9th

9:00 A.M. TO 1:00 P.M.

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Raffle tickets will be sold at the door of the Plant Sale, Raffle tickets drawing starts at 11:00 am

FloTones to perform concert for ‘Love’

Since being formed in 2003, the FloTones have learned and performed literally hundreds of songs. Many of these have been from what is termed “The Great American Songbook.” No less an authority than Wikipedia calls these songs “principally created for Broadway theatre, musical theatre and Hollywood musical film in the United States.” For the upcoming performances of “The Glory of Love,” producers Lori Janowski and John Culp, along with accompanist Marty Adams, have selected more than 20 of these tunes that highlight the lyrics in the Billy Hill song of the

same name. Composed by such musical giants as the Gershwin brothers, Irving Berlin and Burt Bacharach, the songs expand on lyrics such as “you’ve gotta give a little, take a little, and let your poor heart break a little” and “you’ve gotta win and lose and sometimes sing the blues.” Included in the program are such crowd pleasers as “That Old Black Magic” by Johnny Mercer and Harold Arlen and Irving Berlin’s “Cheek to Cheek.” A seldom performed vocal version of the Dave Brubeck-Paul Desmond jazz classic “Take Five” will end the first half of the show on an appropriate note. The 10-person FloTone singers will be accompanied by Adams on the keyboard, supported by drummer Randy Curtola and bassist Lynette Kristine. Handling the instrumental solos are two very experienced jazz artists: trumpeter Ron Green and reed-player Lou Invernon. Two performances of The Glory of Love will be presented on the flat floor of the Florence Events Center on Friday and Saturday, May 29 and 30. Both performances will begin at 7 p.m. Seating is limited. Tickets are \$15 and are available now at the FEC Box Office or online at www.eventcenter.org. Call 541-997-1994 for more information.

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