

New LIHEAP funds available at SOS

Low Income Home Energy Assistance Programs (LIHEAP) funds are now available at Siuslaw Outreach Services.

Lane County LIHEAP agencies were recently awarded additional dollars to help low income households with electric, propane or oil bills.

Those who did not receive LIHEAP funds between Nov.

1, 2014, and March 31, 2015, are encouraged to sign up for this program by contacting Siuslaw Outreach Services between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Call SOS at 541-997-2816 or visit the office at 1576 12th St. in Florence.

Names will be taken until funds run out, so sign-up today.

Congratulations to our local scholarship recipients!

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We wish you the best of luck in all your future endeavors.

CELEBRATING 105 BIRTHDAYS



COURTESY PHOTOS

On June 4, Florence resident Helen Cunningham (far right) turned 105 years old. Earlier this month, she enjoyed an early birthday celebration hosted by the Florence Elks Club and the area veterans. Helen has made more than 25 crocheted blankets and five quilts for community members and veterans in need.

IN BRIEF

Start summer with splash for kids today

"Summer Splash Saturdays" for children is happening the second Saturday of each month at New Life Lutheran of Florence.

The first Summer Splash will be today, June 13, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Activities will include an art project, music, storytime and playtime outside.

Lunch will be provided. New Life Lutheran is located at 21 and Spruce streets.

Fir more information or to sign up, contact New Life Lutheran at 541-997-8113.

Free cooking class to feature picnic food

A free cooking class for the community includes heart-healthy, diabetic-friendly and cholesterol-free recipes.

The event is Sunday, June 14, from 6 to 8 p.m., at the Florence Seventh-day Adventist Church, 4445 Highway 101.

Contact Linda Lydick at 541-999-2052 or email lindasveg-

gies@gmail.com for more information.

Get diabetes support

The Siuslaw Diabetes/Pre-diabetes Support Group will meet Tuesday, June 16, at 2 p.m., in the conference room at the library. The group meets the third Tuesday of each month for education and sharing.

For more information, call 541-902-6059.

Get support, info for prostate cancer

The next meeting of the US TOO Florence Prostate Cancer Education and Support Lunch Bunch is Tuesday, June 16, at the Kozy Kitchen Restaurant from noon to 1 p.m.

This is an excellent source of prostate cancer information with Urologist Dr. Doug Hoff and prostate cancer survivors in attendance. Bring questions and get answers.

Call Bob Horney at 541-999-4239 for more information.

Library board to discuss new budget

The Siuslaw Public Library District board of directors will meet at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, June 17, in the Bromley Room of the Siuslaw Public Library, 1460 Ninth St. in Florence, for a regular monthly meeting. There will be a public hearing on the proposed 2015-16 budget.

A complete agenda for this meeting is available online at www.siuslawlibrary.org.

Senior driving class from AARP

The AARP Driver Safety Program will be offered Wednesday, June 17. Class is held from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., at Shorewood Retirement Apartments, 15th and Spruce streets.

Cost for AARP members is \$15; non-members is \$20.

To register, call LCC Florence Center at 541-997-8444.

Colorado Picnic returns in July

The third semi-annual Colorado Picnic is being planned for Sunday, July 19, from noon to 6 p.m., at the Woahink Lake picnic meeting place on Canary Road.

Bring a dish to share and your favorite Colorado stories.

Anyone with a Colorado connection is invited.

For more information, call Donna Dobson at 541-997-7383.



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