

# GENERAL NEWS

## Colorado Picnic is on Sunday

The third semi-annual Colorado Picnic is on 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.

## Young performers play at FunFolkFest tonight

KXCR's 90.7 FM's Summer FunFolkFest introduces three young performers to Florence Wednesday, July 15, at the Florence Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, Highway 101 and Heceta Beach Road, at 7 p.m.

Amy Sue Berlin, Dana Louise Idlet and John Craigie bring the vibrancy of youth to the stage.

Berlin knew she wanted to live in a warmer place. When the time came, she moved to Austin, Texas. One day she picked up a guitar and started to listen to the words coming to her from somewhere. Berlin found a pen and never put it down as lyrics seem to flow freely out of her, she says.

With new confidence to follow the creative life as a musician, she's found a path still traveled by her mother, the loved and respected folk singer and songwriter, Anne Feeney.

"I am thrilled to be hitting the road with my dear friend Dana Louise, based out of Fayetteville, Ark. We are both children of professional folk musicians, and neither of us



COURTESY PHOTO

Amy Sue Berlin and Dana Louise Idlet will perform in Florence at 7 p.m. as part of KXCR's folk music series.

began writing or playing until a couple of years ago," said Berlin.

"Now we are hooked and taking our music on the road. We both play in bands in our respective cities, but we decided to do this tour on our own," Berlin continues. "We'll also be doing a good portion of the shows with our good friend, John Craigie. We both fell in love with his incredible storytelling and his beautiful songs at the Folk Alliance Conference in Kansas City."

Although their music projects have very different sounds, the girls share an honest, playful, truthful message, both performing with wide eyes and smiles.

When these three get together on stage there is an undeniable electric charge that fills the room, connecting everyone.

The concert is free but donations are welcomed.

For more information, call 541-997-2997.

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**CONTINUING:**  
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**SPECIAL EVENTS:**  
**SUNSHINE SUPERMAN - True Story Encore, Saturday**  
**THE AUDIENCE - Sunday** - National Theatre w/ Helen Mirren - Final Show!  
**LIVE FROM NEW YORK - True Story Tuesdays** - SNL Doc

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## Microsoft offers tips to avoid phone scams

Cybercriminals don't just send fraudulent email messages and set up fake websites. They might also call on the telephone and claim to be from Microsoft. They might offer to help solve computer problems or sell a software license.

Once they have access to your computer, they can do the following:

- Trick you into installing malicious software that could capture sensitive data, such as online banking user names and passwords. They might also

then charge you to remove this software.

- Convince you to visit legitimate websites to download software that will allow them to take control of your computer remotely and adjust settings to leave your computer vulnerable.

- Request credit card information so they can bill you for phony services.

- Direct you to fraudulent websites and ask you to enter credit card and other personal or financial information there.

Neither Microsoft nor its partners make unsolicited phone calls (also known as cold calls) to charge you for computer security or software fixes.

### Telephone tech support scams: What you need to know

Cybercriminals often use publicly available phone directories, so they might know your name and other personal information when they call you.

They might even guess what operating system you're using.

Once they've gained your trust, they might ask for your user name and password or ask you to go to a legitimate website to install software that will let them access your computer to fix it. Once you do this, your computer and your personal information are vulnerable.

Do not trust unsolicited calls. Do not provide any personal information.

Here are some of the organizations that cybercriminals claim to be from: Windows Helpdesk, Windows Service Center, Microsoft Tech Support, Microsoft Support, Windows Technical Department Support Group, or Microsoft Research and Development Team (Microsoft R and D Team).

### Report phone scams

Help Microsoft stop cybercriminals by reporting information about your phone scam.

In the United States, use the FTC Complaint Assistant form. Whenever you receive a phone call or see a pop-up window on your PC and feel uncertain whether it is from someone at Microsoft, don't take the risk.

Reach out directly to one of its technical support experts dedicated to helping you at the Microsoft Answer Desk or by calling 1-800-426-9400.

### How to protect yourself from telephone tech support scams

If someone claiming to be from Microsoft tech support calls you:

- Do not purchase any software or services.
- Ask if there is a fee or subscription associated with the "service." If there is, hang up.

- Never give control of your computer to a third party unless you can confirm that it is a legitimate representative of a computer support team with whom you are already a customer.

- Take the caller's information down and immediately report it to your local authorities.

- Never provide your credit card or financial information to someone claiming to be from Microsoft tech support.

### What to do if you already gave information to a tech support person

If you think that you might have downloaded malware from a phone tech support scam website or allowed a cybercriminal to access your computer, take these steps:

- Change your computer's password, change the password on your main email account, and change the password for any financial accounts, especially your bank and credit card.

Scan your computer with the Microsoft Safety Scanner to find out if you have malware installed on your computer.

Install Microsoft Security Essentials, a free Microsoft program. If someone calls you to install this product and then charge you for it, this is also a scam.

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### You can obtain membership applications at the following locations:

- Western Lane Ambulance Office
- Peace Harbor Hospital
- Health Associates of Peace Harbor

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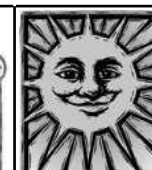




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