

Santa visits Boys and Girls Club



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Santa Claus stopped by the Boys and Girls Club of Western Lane County Teen Center last Friday to greet students and give out presents, including backpacks filled with school supplies, compliments of Banner Bank. He also gave backpacks to the students of the club's elementary after-school program, Twilight. More than 75 filled backpacks were distributed.

City Council grant program seeks applicants

The City Council Grant Program will be accepting applications Friday, Jan. 1, through Monday, Feb. 15, at 5 p.m. Applicants can apply for up to \$1,000 and the program will be awarding a total of \$5,000 for fiscal year 2015-16. Applicant funding requests need to relate to at least one of the City Council Goals.

In order for an application to be eligible, it must meet the following eligibility criteria:

- Organization is a recognized nonprofit organization or affiliate of such an organization; and
- Organization is located within the City of Florence or serving City of Florence residents; and
- Provides assistance for essential utilities, food, cloth-

ing or shelter; or

- Provides educational or recreational opportunities for children or seniors; or
- Generates/supports economic activity in Florence.

Applications, eligibility information and submission instructions are available on the City of Florence's website at www.ci.florence.or.us or by calling 541-997-3437.

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SVFR removes holiday trees

Siuslaw Valley Fire and Rescue (SVFR) volunteers will be picking up Christmas trees on Tuesday, Dec. 29, from 4 to 9 p.m. and Saturday, Jan. 2, from 9 a.m. to noon. Call 541-997-3212 to schedule one of the two dates. The SVFR Firefighters Association is asking for a \$5 donation to assist in its variety of programs. All of the trees will be recycled by the City of Florence as bark mulch.

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 TIMES BELOW ARE ONLY VALID
 FRIDAY, DECEMBER 25 - THURSDAY, DECEMBER 31

\$9 Regular/\$8 Senior or Student/\$7.50 Matinee/\$7 Child/\$6.50 Member | Performing Arts \$19/\$15/\$10
 NO SURCHARGE FOR 3D - GLASSES TO KEEP \$2

Alvin and the Chipmunks: The Road Chip - 86 min (PG) - FINAL WEEK
 Daily Except Sun, Wed: 12:30, 3:30, 6:10, 9:10 | Sun: 12:30, 3:30, 8:45 | Wed: 12:30, 3:30, 6:10

NEW: Joy - 120 min (NR) - "Since Joy is a David O. Russell film, the presence of a) [Jennifer Lawrence and b) bizarre, fizz-popping explosions of catharsis are to be expected. But the ringmaster of *The Fighter*, *Silver Linings Playbook* and *American Hustle* seems to have mellowed a little, which means fewer outright belly laughs, but a more layered & involving emotional landscape." Telegraph
 Daily Except Wed: 12:10, 3:10, 6:10, 8:50 | Wed: 12:10, 3:10, 6:10, 9:10

Sisters - 118 min (R) - "The best comic duo since Lemmon and Matthau." MovieNation
 Daily Except Wed: 12:20, 3:20, 6:20, 9:00 | Wed: 12:20, 3:20, 9:00

Star Wars: Episode VII - The Force Awakens 2D - 136 min (PG-13)
 "Rarely have age and shining youth been juxtaposed more affectingly, but that's only one of many moments of grace...that mines its resonant mythology while moving its story ever forward." WSJ
 Every Day: 12:00, 6:00

Star Wars: Episode VII - The Force Awakens 3D - 136 min (PG-13)
 Every Day: 3:00, 8:20

Special Events:
Jane Eyre - 180 min - Drama fans rejoice - the ecstatic reviews are in, and Jane Eyre at The National is one for the ages. "5/5 Stars: Sally Cookson presents a picture of exultant feminism in *Jane Eyre*. Forget the word "adaptation". Cookson's production is a tumultuous re-creation of Charlotte Brontë's novel. "It's a girl" are its first and last words." The Guardian
 Wed: 6:00

Coming Soon:
Brooklyn, opens 1/1: OSCAR WATCH - Best Actress: Saoirse Ronan. "It's possible to be heartwarming and tough-minded, as this wonderful film demonstrates. And it's possible to be both "old-fashioned" and vibrant, too. It's the best new/old movie in town." Christian Science Monitor

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