

GENERAL NEWS

Vacancy open on Dunes City Council

Dunes City is seeking candidates to fill an unexpired term on the Dunes City Council.

The appointee's term of office shall begin immediately upon appointment and shall continue until the end of the year following the next general biennial election, Dec. 31, 2016.

The term expires upon swearing in of new Councilors during the first

Council meeting in January 2017.

Applicants must be Dunes City residents.

Applications are available at Dunes City Hall, 82877 Spruce St., in Westlake, between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Thursday.

Applications must be received no later than noon on Thursday, Feb. 4.

For more information, call 541-997-3338.

Kettle Campaign raises nearly \$17,000

"We raised a total of \$16,805 by the end of December, including the \$1,000 that was donated by Ladies of the Elks in Florence and the individual checks sent into our local Post Office Box 1041 in Florence," announced Janet Snow, local volunteer coordinator of the Red Kettle Campaign in western Lane County.

Snow made the announcement during two dinners held on MLK Day to celebrate the official total. During dinner, each group contributed to the conversations about what the Salvation Army can do next for western Lane County.

"The bulk of the money raised is intended for the formation of a new 'agency fund' within the Western Lane Community Foundation," said volunteer Geraldine Lucio, who owns Old Town Barber Shop. "Once established, a fixed percentage of the fund will be paid out annually to the officers of The Salvation Army who oversee programs and services in western Lane County for their use."

Local volunteers and supporters plan to hold future events. Both Snow and Lucio were nominated for the annual Siuslaw Awards' "Volunteer of the Year" distinction.

Owners of Darlings Resort and RV Resort shared that they intend to hold their lighted boat parade this summer when better weather can be counted on. "We had a good turnout in December and we had a num-



COURTESY PHOTO

Celebrants at the Make a Difference Dinner at Siuslaw River Restaurant display the Kettle Campaign fundraiser total of \$16,805.

ber of boats decorated and ready to go, but the weather was so fierce we cancelled the boat parade — and still raised \$1,300," said Lori Olson.

Owners of The Siuslaw Riverside Restaurant on Bay Street, Blaise Khufu and Melonie Rollin, announced they will offer Making A Difference Dinners quarterly for supporters of The Salvation Army and other local charities and churches to gather socially and discuss what good works can be done to support the area.

Frank Nulty, Community Emergency Response Team coordinator, was in attendance and announced that discussions are underway to co-sponsor a special training ses-

sion in Florence for Central Coast communities from Bandon to Lincoln City this spring.

"The Salvation Army's Emergency Disaster Services Program wants to reach out, especially to church members, urging them to be better prepared in advance for any disasters that may strike our region of the state," said Nulty. "However, we have agreed to be sure anyone from the general public may participate."

Bill Olson, Director of Gift Planning for The Salvation Army in the Cascade Division, was on hand to read a note of congratulations from Major Tom Morrow who oversees all of Lane County.

In his message, Major Morrow said, "We salute all of the volunteers and supporters of the Red Kettle Campaign and we are amazed that the communities of Mapleton, Dunes City and Florence were able to far exceed their goal of \$10,000 by reaching near \$17,000 in this their first year of kettle operations in many, many years."

"Thank you for a job well done."

For more information or to support the Salvation Army in western Lane County, write to: The Salvation Army - WLC P.O. Box 1041, Florence, OR 97439, or email Bill Olson at bill.olson@usw.salvationarmy.org.

CITY LIGHTS CINEMAS

NOW PLAYING JAN 29 - FEB 4

NEW THIS WEEK:
THE FINEST HOURS (PG-13) - Tells the true story of a 1952 rescue by the Coast Guard after a massive nor'easter strikes New England and an oil tanker bound for Boston. 2D and 3D.
KUNG FU PANDA 3 (PG) - Po, the lovable kung fu panda hero, returns home to train a village full of potential panda warriors to overcome the dark, looming force known only as Kai. 2D and 3D.
CONTINUING:
13 HOURS: THE SECRET SOLDIERS OF BENGHAZI (R) - A six man security team defend the U.S. Consulate stationed in Benghazi from radical militants.
THE REVENANT (R) - In 1820, Hugh Glass (Leonardo DiCaprio) is left for dead by members of his own party in a fur trading expedition and must fight to survive the harsh wilderness. Winner of three Golden Globes for Best Picture (Drama), Best Director, and Best Actor for DiCaprio!
SPECIAL EVENTS:
JANE EYRE - 1/30, 11am - National Theatre Live Encore!
A BALLERINA'S TALE - 2/2, 11am + 5:45pm - True Story Tuesday returns with Misty Copeland, a ballerina returning to the craft after suffering a devastating injury.
BOLSHOI BALLET: THE LADY OF THE CAMELIAS - 2/3, 6pm - John Neumeier kicks off our Bolshoi Ballet line up with a critically acclaimed adaptation featuring music by Chopin.

Times, tickets, and trailers at CITYLIGHTSCINEMAS.COM
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Coast Guard to celebrate piece of history at City Lights

Tomorrow, Jan. 28, at 7:30 p.m., the Coast Guard will host a preview screening at

City Lights of the new Walt Disney motion picture "The Finest Hours," detailing the thrilling true story of a rescue attempt off Cape Cod during a monster storm in 1952.

Executive Petty Officer, BMC Ben Snider said he is excited to give audiences in Florence some added perspective.

"Our Officer in Charge, Senior Chief Tim Tregoning plans to deliver a short introduction about how the film is related to what we do today," said Snider.

In addition to the public screening with Coast Guard crews answering questions between 6:45 to 7:30 p.m., there is a private screening for Station Siuslaw River

(Florence) and Station Umpqua River (Winchester Bay) crew and their families starting earlier that evening.

Michael Harklerode, principal at Siuslaw Elementary, contacted City Lights in December to see if the school could provide appetizers for a Finest Hours reception.

"The USCGS members have a large presence in Florence and in our school community," said Harklerode. "Many members have students in our schools and volunteer frequently in classrooms, school events and sports. They are role models for our students and set an excellent example for hardwork and dedication."

"Coast Guard families

have been active members in scouts, local parades and community celebrations.

"Most Coast Guard service members are here in Florence for just a short period of time before moving on to other posts. We'd like to express our gratitude for their service and our appreciation for their impact on our community."

The film will start at 7:30 p.m. tomorrow, Jan. 28, before beginning a regular run on Friday, Jan. 29 for two weeks.

Tickets are available in advance or at the door: Cost is \$6.50 for City Lights members, \$7 children ages 12 and under, \$7.50 for matinees, \$8 for students/seniors/military, and \$9 for regular admission.

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Cloudy, Showers in the pm	Cloudy with Showers	Showers	Cloudy with Showers	Cloudy with Showers	Rain and Snow	Rain and Drizzle
59°F 52°F	54°F 49°F	51°F 40°F	49°F 36°F	47°F 37°F	48°F 41°F	51°F 36°F

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