

# THIS WEEK ON THE COAST

## A WEEKLY LISTING OF COMMUNITY EVENTS IN THE FLORENCE AREA

SUBMIT ALL EVENTS INFORMATION VIA EMAIL TO [PRESSRELEASES@THESIUSLAWNEWS.COM](mailto:PRESSRELEASES@THESIUSLAWNEWS.COM)

### Saturday, Feb. 13

#### CPR CLASSES TODAY

The Western Lane Ambulance District is offering CPR classes today at the WLAD office, 410 Ninth St., from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., or 1 to 3 p.m.

Cost is \$50 for Adult CPR and First Aid, and/or Child Infant CPR Supplemental for \$25, or both for \$75.

Classes are held the second Saturday of each month. For more information, call WLAD at 541-997-9614.

#### ART GALLERY TOUR

Celebrate the coast's love of the arts by taking the self-guided Second Saturday Gallery Tour from 3 to 5 p.m. in Old Town Florence and the Uptown 101 Region. The tour begins at any of the 12 participating locations.

For a list of galleries and more specific event information, visit [2ndSaturdayGalleryTour.com](http://2ndSaturdayGalleryTour.com).

#### VALENTINE'S DANCE IN YACHATS

Bring your little sweetheart to the fourth annual Yachats Youth and Family Activities Program Family Valentine Dance. The dance will be held from 6 to 8 p.m., at the Yachats Commons. All are welcome.

There is no age limit. Each adult will receive a flower to give their special little date and there will be refreshments and couples photos too. Music will be provided by DJ-JD.

Cost is \$10 per couple or \$15 per family.

### CROW SHARES ITS HEART

Children's Repertory of Oregon Workshops (CROW) welcomes the public to the second annual Share Your Heart fundraiser at the Florence Events Center, 715 Quince St., tonight, Feb. 13, starting at 6:30 p.m.

Performances by CROW students, auctions and hors d'oeuvres are features of the event.

Tickets are available by calling 541-997-1994.

### Sunday, Feb. 14

#### MAPLETON LIONS BREAKFAST

The next Mapleton Lions Club pancake breakfast will be Sunday, Feb. 14, from 7:30 to 10:30 a.m.

Menu includes pancakes, sausage, ham and eggs. Cost is \$7 for adults, or \$3 for children age 12 and under.

Breakfast is held at the Mapleton Lions Club, 88148 Riverview Ave.

### Monday, Feb. 15

#### LCC CLOSED PRESIDENTS' DAY

Lane Community College will be closed to the public for the Presidents' Day holiday. No classes will be held at the Florence Center and no services will be available, unless otherwise announced by a department or program.

### Tuesday, Feb. 16

#### DIABETES SUPPORT MEETING

The Diabetes/Pre-diabetes Support Group will meet at 2 p.m. in the Bromley Room at the Siuslaw Public Library. Bring a healthy snack and

recipe to share. For more information, call 541-902-6059.

#### PROSTATE CANCER EDUCATION

The Us TOO Florence Prostate Cancer Education/ Support Lunch Bunch meets today at Ichiban Restaurant from noon to 1 p.m. Bring questions and get answers, or just come to enjoy lunch, listen and learn.

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

### Wednesday, Feb. 17

#### VAN FANS HOST CARD GAME

Get together with friends for a fun day of card games and lunch at the Van Fans fundraiser at 11:30 a.m. at the Florence Events Center, 715 Quince St. There will be raffle prizes and other exciting games and happenings throughout the event. Ticket price, with or without card games, is \$15 per person and includes lunch.

For more information or to sign up for card games, call Karen Lee at 541-997-9669.

### Friday, Feb. 19

#### NEW FOLKSTERS IN YACHATS

The New Folksters will be at the Drift Inn in Yachats from 6 to 8:30 p.m. This widely popular group sings a variety of '60s and contemporary folk songs.

### Saturday, Feb. 20

#### COME LISTEN TO FIDDLERS

The Oregon Oldtime Fiddlers, District 5, will be making music at

the Winchester Bay Community Center from 1 to 3 p.m., with an acoustic jam following from 3 to 4 p.m. The public is invited and there is no charge.

There will also be a meeting at 11 a.m. for members only.

For more information, call 541-759-3419.

#### WRITING WORKSHOP AT FRAA

Writers on the River presents "Writing from the Heart: Storytelling Essentials" from 10 a.m. to noon at the Florence Regional Arts Alliance (FRAA) Art Center, 120 Maple St.

All levels and genres welcome. Learn how to find your natural voice, awaken your creative genius and write your own myth.

Space is limited; pre-registration required.

For more info, call Catherine Rourke at 541-708-2120 or email [CJReditor@gmail.com](mailto:CJReditor@gmail.com).

#### LOVE GOES BAD AT FRAA

Original songs or spoken word poetry will be the focus of the "Love Gone Bad, You Done Me Wrong" Poetry and Song Fest, at the Florence Regional Arts Alliance Art Center, 120 Maple St.

Prizes will be offered for first-, second- and third-place as determined by the audience, and a special recognition prize for "most pathetic, saddest loser in love" will be decided by three judges.

Tickets can be purchased at FRAA for \$10, and any ticket holder can sign up to perform.

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