### CAT holds auditions for 'Sylvia,' a play about a dog

with Florence along Repertory Theatre Company, also known as Fatcat Productions, announce open auditions for two adult male roles in the upcoming production of "Sylvia," written by A.R. Gurney.

The male actors' ages can range from young adult to retirement age.

Audition dates and times for "Sylvia" are 7 p.m. on Thursday, June 30, and Friday, July 1. Auditions will take place at CAT, 509 Kingwood St. in Florence, at the corner of Kingwood Street and Rhododendron Drive.

A monologue is not necessary, but those auditioning are encouraged to borrow a script from CAT by calling 541-997-4815 in order to be prepared.

Class Act Theatre (CAT) males is anywhere from 20 to 50, but acting range is required because this actor plays three very different characters, both male and female.

> The other male is a retirement-age husband who loves his wife, but believes she can't understand the relationship between a man and his dog.

"Sylvia" is a modern romantic comedy about the relationship of a man, his dog and his marriage. The dog, Sylvia, comes home with Greg after he rescues her at a park.

jeopardy after a series of hilarious and touching complications. This play is

the weekends of Sept. 23 to 25 and Sept. 30 through Oct. The stage age of one of the 2. Rehearsal begins in July.

Greg's marriage is put in "howlingly" funny.

"Sylvia" will be performed





eroy Krzycki (far right), author and publisher of the fine-art book, "The Art of Katheryn Davis," donated two copies of the recently published Volume Two of the book for the Florence and Mapleton branches ✓ of the Siuslaw Public Library. Accepting the books are Meg Spencer, Library Director (center) and Mary Colgan-Bennetts, Art Committee Liaison. Volume Two has some 350 paintings and sketches that are not in Volume One, which is already in each library. Krzycki also donated the track lighting system in the book checkout area at the front of the Florence library.

# SWC to discuss effects of barred owl removal

The Siuslaw Watershed murrelets and corvids and the Council (SWC) will host a general meeting Wednesday, June 29, at 6:30 p.m., to discuss the experimental removal of barred owls to benefit northern spotted owls.

There will be a 2016 status

effects of the program on landscape and location. The Siuslaw Watershed

Council's general meeting will be held at the Grange in Blachly on Blachly Grange Road, near the Triangle Lake Schools campus.

Doors open at 6 p.m. and the meeting gets underway at 6:30 p.m.

The meeting agenda includes a presentation by Dave Simon, U.S. Geological Survey Research wildlife biologist, on the "Experimental Removal of Barred Owls."

Barred owls were discovered in the Pacific Northwest in the 1960s and are now abundant in the region. Barred owls are larger and more aggressive and have taken over much of the habitat of the northern spotted owl. In 2015, field operations for an experimental barred owl removal began, and Simon will summarize the results.

Kim Nelson, a research wildlife biologist at Oregon State University, will present on the effects of marbled murrelet predation by corvids crows, ravens and jays.

The SWC board of directors and executive director will give project updates and announcements of upcoming activities.

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