

Kelly, Terry to perform at Starlight Cabaret tomorrow

Judi Kelly and Jody Terry will be performing at Starlight Cabaret at 6 p.m. Thursday, July 14, at the Florence Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, Highway 101 at Heceta Beach Road. Tea and coffee will be provided, or people over age 21 can BYOB. Finger foods are welcome.

This music event is free to the public, but donations will be accepted.

Terry fell in love with the guitar at the age of 12 and has played ever since. She grew up

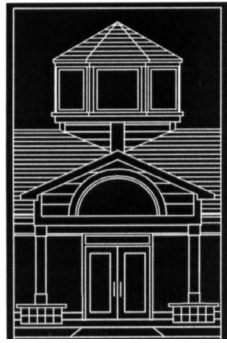
to the influences of Carole King, Joni Mitchell, Simon and Garfunkel, Steely Dan and Dan Fogelberg.

Kelly began playing piano at the age of 6 and was singing as a toddler.

She was influenced by musical parents and family, as well as music by Billie Holiday, Carole King, Joni Mitchell, Bonnie Raitt and Lena Horn.

Kelly and Terry formed their duo in 2013 and perform locally for public venues and private parties.

Library Tidings



News about the Siuslaw Public Library

Library Tidings, a regular feature of the Siuslaw News, features news about upcoming Siuslaw Public Library programs for adults and children, new books and videos, and other library news of interest to the community. Library Tidings by Kevin Mitige

Do Unto Animals

by Tracey Stewart

Tracey Stewart is an animal advocate. She and her husband Jon Stewart (formally of The Daily Show) own a 12-acre parcel in New Jersey.

In 2015, the couple decided to partner with Farm Sanctuary, America's leading farm animal protection organization, to help save abused animals.

"Do Unto Animals" is Tracey Stewart's way to share her passion for animals with a wider audience.

The book is divided into three sections: Animals at Home, Backyard Wildlife and Falling in Love on the Farm.

The Animals at Home section provides information about those animals that we invite into our homes — dogs and cats as well as tropical birds, rodents and fish.

Stewart offers very specific information about how to make dogs and cats happy, how to interpret the language of animals, how to go about finding a pet and many other useful tidbits of information.

She provides directions for homemade animal crafts and recipes for yummy treats in this section.

Stewart's passion for animals

does not stop at her front door. She also steps into her yard to embrace wildlife.

In section two, Backyard Wildlife, she addresses many pertinent issues such as the importance of pollinators in a garden. There are instructions for making a "bee house" on page 99. With the decline of the bee population, small measures like this can make a huge difference.

The final section of the book is Falling in Love on the Farm.

Stewart writes, "Our relationship with farm animals is perhaps the most fraught and complicated..."

She discusses in detail human relationships with cows, pigs, horses, goats, sheep, and other farm critters.

Stewart is a vegan, so the animals on her farm will never end up on the dining table. They will be petted and treated with loving kindness, just as we would wish to be treated.

Jennings and Keller — free concert

The library will present musicians and singers Laurie Jennings Oudin and Dana Keller on Tuesday, July 19, at 6 p.m. presenting "Fusion Folk Americana."

The award-winning duo is

based in Florida and offer up 21st century Americana with influences in folk, jazz and root music.

Jennings and Keller have received accolades and airplay from radio stations from one end of the country to the other.

Along with developing a large and loyal fan base, they have earned a reputation for quality musicianship and expert storytelling.

Don't miss this wonderful musical duo.

Friends of the Library to celebrate summer reading

The Friends of the Library are offering a free food event in conjunction with the library's Summer Reading program.

Feed Your Mind will be held Tuesday, July 19, from noon to 3 p.m., in the Bromley Room. In keeping with this year's theme the Friends are featuring games such as Scrabble and Sudoku, and foods to feed your brain.

Lunch will highlight such foods as salmon, walnuts, flax seed, dark chocolate and more.

All recipes will be drawn from the library's extensive cookbook collection.

Come join us for games and good food — and feed your mind!

Yard Debris Disposal

Next Date is July 16th
9am to 2pm

at the Kingwood entrance to the airport, located at Kingwood & 27th St.

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July 16

August 20

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- Tree Clippings
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- Food & Household waste
- Animal Waste
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- Construction Debris
- Hazardous Waste

For questions, please contact the City of Florence Public Works Department at 541-997-4106

Social commentator Chris Chandler returning to Florence

Poet, artist and social raconteur Chris Chandler is returning to Florence on Sunday, July 17, in a KXCR-sponsored presentation at the Siuslaw Public Library.

This unique show will be

more than storytelling and stream of consciousness recitations of original satire and humor.

There's music, too.

Chandler will be accompanied by his acoustic guitar master sidekick, Paul Benoit, as he

depicts scenes from his travels across the United States.

Son of a Baptist preacher, Chandler began performing as a street musician. He describes driving his car across the country to shows as "taking the pulse of America."

Part preacher, poet, visionary and wandering minstrel, Chandler can cast a spell over his audience unlike any other performer. For close to 30 years, he has performed his vignettes about politics and modern culture in coffee houses and other venues about 250 times a year.

A show business veteran, Chandler promises to be provocative, hilarious and give his audience an entertaining evening.

To quote Mojo Nixon, "I thought I was the last American weirdo, and then I met Chris Chandler."

The show will take place at 7 p.m. in the library's Bromley Room, 1460 Ninth St.

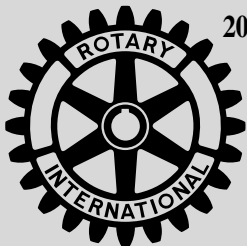
Refreshments will be provided.

Chandler's presentations are rapid-fire, poetic expressions which, below the surface, betray a deep respect for language, literature and democracy.

There is no cover charge at the door but donations for the performers will be accepted.

For more about Chris Chandler, visit www.chrischandler.org.

For more information, contact Stu Henderson at 541-997-2997.



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Classes and Workshops

How to Place Glass/Shiny Objects into Watercolor Paintings with Barbara Moore

Learn the technique to make vases/bowls in your watercolors look realistic. July 25th and 26th 9 am - 4 pm and July 27th, 9 am - 12:30 pm \$140/member, \$155/non-member Pre-registration at FRAA required 10 days prior to class start. Contact Polly 918-453-3244 or Barbara 918-869-8718 for questions Material list available at FRAA

Whimsical Hand Building Ceramics with Alissa Clark

Every Wednesday, 3 - 5 pm Per weekly session: \$10/member, \$15/non-FRAA member, Clay/Firing extra No experience required. Class held at Alissa's Studio at 180 Laurel Street. Register at FRAA or with Alissa. Contact Alissa for questions: 503-957-5222

Ceramics for Kids with Ben Calhoun and Alissa Clark

Thursdays, 4-5 pm starting July 14th Fees and location same as class above. No experience required. Will ship at cost.

Spoken Word Poetry Class for Teens with Noah Schultz and Stephen Fowler

Teens will be guided through writing their own poems and performing them. At the end, there will be a Teen Spoken Word Poetry Slam for them to perform their work. Free to all. Mondays, Jul 11 - Aug 29, 3 - 5 pm For questions call Bettie Egerton, 503-910-3625

Creative Writing Workshops - Writers on the River with Catherine Rourke

Upcoming classes: July 16th, August 20th 9 am - 11 am \$20/member, \$25/non-FRAA member To register, call 541-708-2120 or email CJReditor@gmail.com

Oil Painting with Michael Wood

Wednesdays 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm Contact: fmwood@msn.com for details, fees, and more information

Painting with John Leasure

Saturdays (July 2, 9, 23 and 30) Fridays (July 15) 9:00 - 12 noon Contact: jleasure@hotmail.com or 541-991-2754 for details and fees.

Florence Chamber of Commerce invites you to join us

Thursday, July 14th
Noon Forum at
Best Western Pier Point Inn
85625 Highway 101
Lunch \$12

The topic this month
"Effective Elevator Speech – Why & How To" facilitated by Russ Pierson, this crucial tool to building business communication and relationship is a big must have for you and your staff.



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