Old Town Coffee displays Pinnock art

Cheryl Lynn Pinnock is showing her latest collection of a whimsical look at life with photo manipulation at Old Town Coffee Co. and Gallery through July.

Pinnock is a native Oregonian who, with her husband of 38 years, raised her family in Florence. She loves hiking and kayaking with her family and friends, which gives her that special connection with the art she creates. Her artistic direction is painting, photography, crafting or anything "artsy."

Her latest "steering" has been working with photos. This allows her the extra time she needs for volunteering. Pinnock has been involved

"Boys Playing in Waves" by Cheryl Pinnock

with the Florence Events Lions" public art project and Center's "Dancing with Sea Bark for Life.

and food production.

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COURTESY PHOTO

Plant sale to benefit local school gardens

Anyone interested in volun-

On Saturday, July 16, from more year-round instruction teering or donating can contact 10 a.m. to noon at the south end of Siuslaw Elementary School, 2221 Oak St., there will be a plant sale to benefit the school's gardens.

This is the program's third growing season at the Siuslaw School Gardens. With the help of garden coordinator Lyza Houlihan, students have successfully harvested food from the gardens for students to eat in the cafeteria.

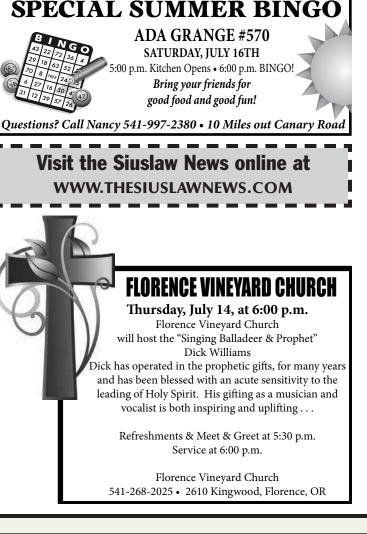
Houlihan has also established a composting system, where food waste from the cafeteria is being used to create food for the plants.

Kids involved with the Boys and Girls Club summer program and the summer school program have been caring for the garden this summer.

During the school year, many of the classes are involved in planting, weeding, harvesting and composting.

The garden provides students with the opportunity to develop a relationship with their food, from seed to table.

The Siuslaw School Garden is currently seeking to expand by purchasing a greenhouse for



OCHS sells burgers, hot dogs Saturday

hot-off-the-grill will be available on Saturday, July 16, in the Grocery Outlet parking lot during the Power of Florence event.

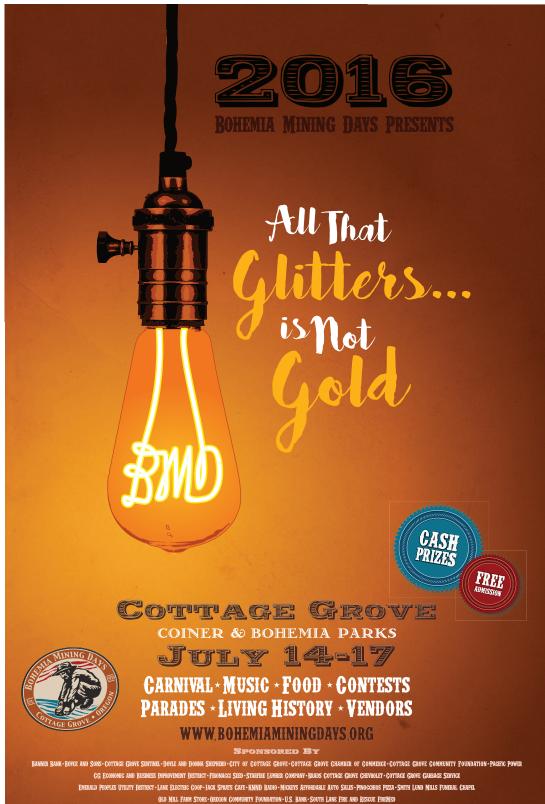
This event, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., raises money to help provide care for the once-home-

Hot dogs and hamburgers less cats and dogs awaiting a home at the Oregon Coast Humane Society (OCHS).

This month's event includes the "Stuff The Van" fundraiser to accept donations of pet food for families who cannot afford to feed their companion animals.

Inside Grocery Outlet, adoptable cats with OCHS volunteers will be the main attraction. These volunteers also offer information about OCHS services.

Grocery Outlet owner Woody Woodbury sponsors this event.





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We would love for you to support one or as many as possible!

EARLY EVENTS:

- 9:00 a.m. POWER Walk- Official Start of Power of Florence. Mayor Henry will officially start the walk, which begins at Florence Christian Church 990 2nd St. Wear your Power of Florence shirt! Shirts are \$10 each and available while they last at beginning of walk.
- 7:00 11:00 Pancake and Scrambled Egg Breakfast at the United Methodist Church at 333 Kingwood St proceeds will be donated to the "Imagine no Malaria"
- 7:00-2:00 Saturday and Sunday: Little Brown Hen Cafe will donate 50% off their coffee sales Power of Florence weekend, with donation boxes out and split the proceeds with Food Share, Humane Society and C.R.O.W.
- 8:00-4:00 Florence Senior Center Fundraiser- The first annual Senior Center Garage Sale. Sellers will be set up both inside the Senior Center and in the parking lot. The is a fund raising effort in support the expansion of the Senior Center.
- 9:00 am Delta Gamma is Beautifying Rolling Dunes Park

10:00 Florence area Cub Scouts are weeding and beautifying the Veterans Memorial Park.

- 10:00-12:00 Scotch Broom Removal: Help remove invasive Scotch Broom at Heceta Dunes (corner of Joshua Lane and Nautilus) Bring water, gloves, sunscreen and tools (such as loppers, hand pruners and small hand saws). Dogs are welcomed. Sponsored by the U.S. Forest Service.
- 10:00 The Florence Rotary Club will be cleaning up and beautifying the front garden at Siuslaw High School.
- 10:00 Florence Area Ambassadors will be beautifying the Florence Visitors Center
- 10:00 The Florence Area Garden Club and Rhododendron Society will be beautifying the corner of Spruce & 126 at the Gallagher Memorial Park. We trim, cut & weed.
- 10:00 City of Florence: weeding on Kingwood Street dividers- Looking for volunteers to help. Bring gloves and weeding tools.
- 10:00-12:00 Plant Sale to Benefit School Garden- Located at the south end of Siuslaw Elementary there will be a plant sale to benefit the gardens.
- 1:00-4:00 Van Fans Ice Cream Social at the Florence Events Center. Serving homemade pie & ice cream with live music and entertainment tickets \$5 each.
- 1:00 5:00 SAPPSA will set up a community learning display and feature posters, audiovisuals, and give 4 short talks with information to help community members.
- 1:30-5:00 Car Wash Fundraiser at the OPB parking lot. All funds will go toward finalizing the building renovations and future programs for the CROW kids!
- 2:00 Siuslaw HS Choir will be singing for the residents at Elderberry Square. This is a program that they hope to continue doing throughout the school year.

PARTY IN THE PARKING LOT EVENTS- AT GROCERY OUTLET

- 10:00 2:00 Florence/Siuslaw Lion's Club Health Screening Booth will have four screening stations for vision, glaucoma, blood pressure, and blood sugar. They will be set up at City Lights Cinema.
- 10:00-5:00 Habitat for Humanity ReStore: Come and Shop and make a difference. Habitat ReStore is a nonprofit home improvement store and donation center.

- 11:00 3:00 FB4K's (Food Backpacks for Kids) Booth- Will be giving out water bottles and selling snacks such as Oreo's, Rice Krispie Bars, chips, etc.
- 11:00-3:00- Donate Life Northwest will have a booth set-up and will be registering donors and giving out information about their organization .
- 11:30 -2:00 Party in the Parking Lot: With Mike Bones as your MC and Live Music and entertainment by David Wiegan, Marty Adams, and Jason Wood's voice students
- 11:00-3:00 Florence Food Share: Beavers vs. Ducks Food collecting contest. Collecting food for the Florence Food Share.
- 11:00-3:00 Hamburger & Hotdog BBQ benefiting Oregon Coast Humane Society
- 11:00-3:00 "Stuff the Van"- Pet food drive for Oregon Coast Humane Society
- 11:00-3:00 Kitten Adoption- Come and meet some adorable kittens, ready for their forever home!
- 11:00 2:00 Lavender Bunches and lavender buds for sale benefitting Oregon Coast Humane Society
- 11:00-3:00 Lemonade for Love- Two cute kids, Eli and Keeton are raising money for Siuslaw Outreach Services.
- 11:00-3:00 Power of Florence T-shirt sales- Get yours while they last!
- 11:00 2:00 Oregon Coast Military Museum T-shirts for sale to raise money to support the museum. Learn more about the museum
- 11:00- 2:00 Oregon Coast Military Museum hopes to have military vehicles and historical weapons on display.
- 11:00-2:00 Public Works Department will have their vehicles on display for kids and adults to explore and learn more about.
- 11:00-2:00 Florence Police Department will have their vehicles on display for kids and adults to explore and learn more about.
- 11:00-3:00 Ink Cartridge and Small Electronic Collection: Siuslaw Genealogy Society will have a collection container for your empty inkjet and toner cartridges and small electronics. Laptops, cell phones, GPS, cameras, etc. are all accepted no matter their condition.
- 11:00-4:00 Habitat for Humanity donations: Clean out your own garage and bring in donations of used fixtures, sinks, faucets, windows, doors, etc. lighting, scrap lumber, plumbing parts, and so much more.
- 11:00 3:00 Isaac's Clothing Drive- 9 year old Isaac will collect clothing for the Siuslaw School District's homeless student closet. Please bring gently used or new clothing to donate.
- 11:00-2:00 KXCR Radio- The Florence non-profit radio will be informing people on what they do.

11:00- 3:00 Little Free Library- Collecting books for Florence's Little Free Libraries

11:00 - 2:00 Florence Area Community Coalition and the Friends of Honeyman State Park-Giving out brochures and sharing about their work and volunteering opportunities.

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