

Club from 1A

Trent plans to fund the covered basketball area project through a combination of grant money and private donations.

The \$7,500 necessary to replace the club's worn out furnace with a new heat pump was obtained through a grant.

The Teen Center, 1601 15th St., which reopened last September after having been closed for nine months, has seen a 400 percent increase in membership last school year.

"Given the growth trend we are seeing, especially with all the fifth graders coming in to the Teen Center, I think we will start the school year with over 50 students, compared to nine last year when we reopened the Teen Center," Trent said.

"On behalf of the board, I want to say thank you to our community that has been phenomenal in their support and encouragement," Trent said. "When I look back a year ago, it took a lot of faith for many of the people to stand behind us, considering where we were at the time."



PHOTOS BY JACK DAVIS/SIUSLAW NEWS

A worker installs a new heat pump (at right) at the Boys and Girls Club Teen Center. Other improvements include the expansion for the basketball court (above) and a new chain link fence with a locking gate that will separate the Teen Center from Miller Park.



Flight from 1A

After moving to Florence, she discovered the closest flying instructor was in Coos Bay. She was pleased to learn that Tomeny had retired to Florence and was giving flight instructions.

"I'm a current instructor and a retired Air Force test pilot," Tomeny said. "When I first got here, someone at the airport

gave me her card and said, 'There is someone in town that wants flying lessons.'

"She did fantastic. We flew four or five times and then she soloed. The first time we flew it was a new airplane and the second time there was a quantum leap in her ability," he said.

Lucio still has work to do before she can get her pilot's license.

"Solo flying is one step

closer to getting your license," Tomeny said. "On Monday, we did the next step, which is learning to navigate to other airports. Then, she will need to do some night flying and fly to other airports cross country before she can get her check

ride to get her own license."

Lucio hopes to earn her pilot's license by the end of summer.

"After I get my license, I will probably rent planes for a while. I'd really like to own one some day," she said.

Wave from 1A

The City of Florence will have no financial obligation under the grant, but will provide approximately 108 hours of staff time.

City staff will provide input and review the maps, assist with drafting policy and

implement ordinances based on the mapping products and moving the proposal through the land use adoption process.

Other participating communities and counties include Cannon Beach, Tillamook County, Waldport, Reedsport and Coos County, with Coos Bay and North Bend most likely joining in.

Multiple arrests made after police search business

Florence Police Department served a search warrant Tuesday, Aug. 9, at 2 p.m., at Fresh Detailing, 1745 15th St., regarding drug distribution.

According to police, multiple people were taken into cus-

tody and pending charges will be announced as the information is updated.

Police said the investigation into this incident is ongoing and more information will be forthcoming as it is available.

Free recycling event Aug. 27

The City of Florence Environmental Management Advisory Committee (EMAC) is offering Florence residential households free recycling of tires, appliances and propane tanks at Siuslaw High School, 2975 Oak St., on Saturday, Aug. 27, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the annual Black and White Recycling Day.

People can recycle: tires of 22 inches or less, at a maximum of 10 per household; small and large appliances of all kinds; and propane tanks of

5 gallons or less.

The Black and White event will not accept commercial waste such as vehicle tires, commercial appliances or hot water tanks.

The event partners with Central Coast Disposal, County Transfer and Recycling, Lane County, Les Schwab Tires and Potters Tire and Automotive.

For more information, visit the website www.ci.florence.or.us/planning or call 541-997-8237.

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Siuslaw River, Bridge & Old Town views, surrounded by park land, very private, septic approval, well in. Minutes to town. 1 acre
\$179,000 BH7288 ML#16510237

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Mercer lakefront custom "Builder Built" craftsman home. Private dock, boat lift, lawn area & running stream. 1 Bdrm, 2 Ba 1176 sq ft
\$384,500 BH7311 ML#16255144

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Light, bright updated double wide with new roof. Private, quiet backyard, tandem enclosed 10' carport. 2 Bdrm, 2 Ba 1440 sq ft
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