

Yachats Art Guild to host 9th annual Fall Show

YACHATS — The Yachats Arts Guild Fall Show Monday, continues through Sept. 5 in room 8 of the Yachats Commons, 441 Highway 101.

The exhibition will be open daily from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The guild will feature new member Olivia Stephens. It will have 28 framed art items in the exhibit and for sale, offering a variety of art including watercolor, oil, acrylic, colored pencil, pen and ink, wood turning and photography.

Cards, prints and ceramic tiles of some of the original art are available.

The Yachats Arts Guild began in 2007 with seven founding members and has grown to the present 25 members, all from the Central Oregon Coast.

The guild has an ongoing display at the Yachats Public



COURTESY PHOTO

The Yachats Art Guild exhibit will feature 28 works.

Library.

Art by members also can be seen in local galleries, restau-

rants, book stores and gift shops.

Come meet the artists.

For more information visit the Yachats Art Guild Facebook page.

Humane Society seeks yard sale donations

Oregon Coast Humane Society (OCHS) volunteers are collecting items for the upcoming annual Christmas Store, a major fundraiser for the animal shelter.

OCHS is asking the community to donate items that are unsold during the Community-Wide Garage Sale to the animal shelter. Items such as warm shirts, jackets, sweaters, caps and mittens are always popular items at the Christmas Store, as well as Christmas

décor, including wreaths and trees, tree ornaments, indoor and outdoor lights and dishes.

Other popular items are games, books and toys in good condition, and can be dropped off to the OCHS Thrift Store, 1193 Bay St. in Old Town.

All donations are appreciated.

All sales from the Christmas Store help to provide food, shelter and essential care for the homeless dogs and cats awaiting homes.

Classes begin for Siuslaw, Mapleton schools

September means the end of summer for area students. Below are the start dates for the Mapleton and Siuslaw school districts.

MAPLETON

All three schools of the Mapleton School District begin Tuesday, Sept. 6.

For more information on the school year, go to www.mapleton.k12.or.us or call the district office at 541-268-4312.

SIUSLAW

Siuslaw School District grades one to five at Siuslaw Elementary, grade six at

Siuslaw Middle and grades nine to 12 at Siuslaw High School begin classes on Wednesday, Sept. 7.

Siuslaw Middle School grades seven and eight begin Thursday, Sept. 8.

Siuslaw kindergarten students begin Monday, Sept. 12.

The Twilight after school program will begin Monday, Sept. 19.

For more information on the school year, go to www.siuslaw.k12.or.us or call the district office at 541-997-2651.

ROTARY DONATION



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The Florence Rotary Club awarded \$250 to the Friends of the Florence Events Center for the Florence Festival of Books. President-elect Craig Sanders (right) awards the check to Bonnie MacDuffee to support this year's event.

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WORD ON THE STREET

Siuslaw and Mapleton School Districts begin classes this week. Siuslaw News welcomes teachers, staff and students back to the classroom.

What is the No. 1 thing on your back-to-school list?



"I get myself mentally prepared for the return of students and the new year. If I do that, the year usually goes pretty well."
—AARON LONGO
MAPLETON TEACHER,
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR



"My number one for this upcoming school year is to see bright yellow busses dropping off smiling students to energized teachers ready for learning."
—ANDY GRZESKOWIAK
SIUSLAW SCHOOLS SUPERINTENDENT



"No. 1 would be making sure my kids are signed up for soccer. It gives them a chance to make new friends with the kids they will be going to school with."
—AMY TREGONING,
INDEPENDENT EDUCATIONAL AIDE

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