

# GENERAL NEWS

## City Lights to screen documentary on stand-up

City Lights Cinemas will be presenting the documentary film, "Dying Laughing," on Thursday, March 9, at 12:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Dying Laughing is a candid look inside the agony of making people laugh for a living.

The film stars Jerry Seinfeld, Amy Schumer, Jerry Lewis, Bob Saget, Chris Rock, Jamie Foxx, Sarah Silverman, Steve Coogan, Bobby Lee and the late Gary Shandling.

A stand-up comedian must be the writer, director and star performer. There's no real rehearsal, no practice and no safety net when you're in front of a live audience.

For most people, baring their soul on stage and having

an audience "boo" (or worse) at you would become a life-long trauma, but for stand-up comedians it's a nightly challenge.

The funny and heartfelt documentary contains original interviews interlaced with personal footage of life on the road — all from the comedian's point of view.

Once you take this step behind the curtain, you will never look at these funny folks the same way again.

Tickets for Dying Laughing are currently available at City Lights Cinema or online at citylightscinemas.com.

Tickets are \$9 for adults, \$8 for seniors and students.

## Harley Huff Sr. Scholarship application deadline is April 1

Ada Grange #570 is offering scholarship applications for a Harley Huff Sr. Memorial Scholarship in the amount of \$500.

The scholarship is open to seniors from Siuslaw and Mapleton high schools who wishes to continue education in any university, community college, vocational or trade school.

The scholarship will be awarded on the merits of involvement in community service and the applicant's financial need.

Return applications by April 1, mailed to Ada Grange #570 C/O Linda Pugh, 8087 Fiddle Creek Rd., Westlake, OR 97493.

For more information, call 541-997-4254.

## Library announces 2016's 'Best Books' list

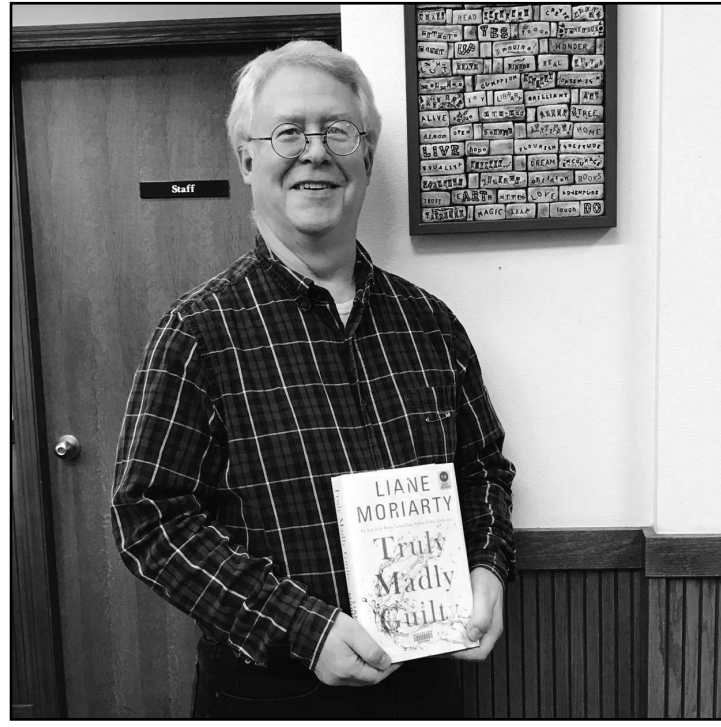
Siuslaw Public Library will present its popular annual Best Books list on Friday, March 10, beginning at 1 p.m., at the main branch of the library in the Bromley Room.

This hour-long program is exciting, fast-paced, and covers about 60 books in 60 minutes. The list of best books is once again prepared by Adult Services Librarian Kevin Mittge.

Each year, Mittge solicits recommendations for the list from library patrons, staff, volunteers and national critics.

And, being a prolific reader himself, he also adds his own favorites. The event is free and all genres are included in the lightning-speed book summaries.

This fun, annual program is a must for both avid and casual readers. Attend the popular program to check the list for the top 2016 favorites. One book that library patrons raved about in 2016 was Liane



Siuslaw Public Library Adult Services Librarian Kevin Mittge with one of this year's "Best Books."

Moriarty's "Truly Madly World," a National Book Award finalist by Paulette Jiles. And topping the critic's list was "News of the

Every attendee is guaranteed to learn about a new and interesting author or an intriguing book during the presentation.

A Best Book list will be available to take home. Anyone unable to attend can pick up the library's Best Books List at the library following the program.

When asked what he enjoyed most about compiling this year's Best Books list, Mittge said, "Learning about all the great books out there that I haven't read yet but now want to."

Everyone is sure to find a new favorite read on his list.

The library is at 1460 Ninth St., in Florence. Everyone is welcome to drop in and see if his or her favorite book is included in this year's list.

For more information about the program, visit the Siuslaw Public Library in person, call 541-997-3132 or visit www.siuslawlibrary.org.

## Volunteer firefighters work toward EMR certification

Siuslaw Valley Fire Rescue (SVFR) and Western Lane Ambulance District (WLAD) are working together to teach a 40-hour Emergency Medical Responder (EMR) certification class to members of SVFR, Swisshome/Deadwood Fire District and Mapleton Fire District.

This training is funded through the SVFR SAFER Grant and the WLAD first responder training fund. The training is intended to enhance the capabilities of local first responders to better serve their communities.

"This is an example of how partnering with other responding agencies improves the service to the people we are called to help," said Fire Chief Jim Langborg, who also mentioned that this demonstrates how much dedication local volunteers put into becoming firefighters and serving their communities.



Volunteer firefighters from Florence (above), Mapleton, Swisshome and Deadwood

## Florence yard debris disposal days start March 18

The first City of Florence Yard Debris Disposal Day of 2017 is scheduled for Saturday, March 18, from 9 a.m. to 2

p.m. at the 27th Street entrance to the airport (Kingwood St. and 27th St.). The city is providing disposal of yard debris on the third Saturday of each month from March through October.

The disposal day in May will be held on the second Saturday, May 13, so as not to conflict with Rhody Days.

The current cost to dispose a standard pickup truck load or

small utility trailer (single axle or less) of yard debris is \$10; medium utility trailer (10-12 feet in length) is \$15; and a large utility trailer (greater than 12 feet in length) is \$20.

For loads larger than 20 cubic yards, the cost is \$20 plus \$5/yard over.

Debris loads must be tied, tarped, secured or covered in the vehicle or trailer in a manner that prevents any material

from leaving the vehicle or trailer while in motion.

The 2017 Yard Debris Disposal Days are: March 18, April 15, May 13, June 17, July 15, August 19, Sept. 16, and Oct. 21.

For more information on the City of Florence 2017 Yard Debris Disposal Days, visit www.ci.florence.or.us or call Public Works at 541-997-4106.

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Now Showing March 10 - 16	FRI 10	SAT 11	SUN 12	MON 13	TUE 14	WED 15	THU 16
<b>BEAUTY AND THE BEAST</b> - [No passes] PG 129 MIN - "Here's some Disney magic for you: The new Beauty and the Beast actually improves upon the animated classic." USA Today	New Disney Live Action!						7:00 PM
<b>BEAUTY AND THE BEAST 3D</b> - No surcharge 3D							8:00 PM
<b>GET OUT</b> - One week only! R 104 MIN - "...In addition to being an unsettling, and occasionally very funny, thriller-[it's] pretty close to a work of genius." Time	12:45 PM 3:20 PM 6:05 PM 8:55 PM	11:00 AM 3:10 PM 6:20 PM 9:20 PM	2:30 PM 5:00 PM 8:35 PM	12:45 PM 3:20 PM 6:05 PM 8:55 PM	4:00 PM 6:00 PM 8:55 PM	12:45 PM 3:10 PM 8:55 PM	12:25 PM 3:20 PM 6:10 PM 8:40 PM
<b>KONG: SKULL ISLAND</b> PG-13 119 MIN - "Ten times as good as "Jurassic World"; [and] it's a rousing and smartly crafted primordial-beastie spectacular." Variety	12:50 PM 3:35 PM 6:20 PM	1:15 PM 3:35 PM 6:45 PM	12:15 PM 3:10 PM 6:00 PM	12:50 PM 3:35 PM 6:20 PM	12:50 PM 3:35 PM 6:20 PM	12:50 PM 3:35 PM 6:20 PM	12:45 PM 2:45 PM
<b>KONG: SKULL ISLAND 3-D</b> - No surcharge 3D	9:05 PM	9:05 PM	8:40 PM	9:05 PM	9:05 PM	9:05 PM	5:20 PM
<b>LOGAN</b> - R 141 MIN - The final Wolverine "It's not just "great for a superhero movie," it's a great movie for any genre...the rare blockbuster that could be a game-changer." Ebert.com	12:40 PM 3:25 PM 6:10 PM 8:30 PM	12:40 PM 3:50 PM 6:10 PM 8:40 PM	12:10 PM 3:00 PM 5:45 PM 7:20 PM	12:40 PM 3:25 PM 6:10 PM 8:30 PM	12:40 PM 3:25 PM 6:10 PM 8:30 PM	12:40 PM 3:25 PM 6:10 PM 8:00 PM	12:40 PM 4:00 PM 8:30 PM
<b>A UNITED KINGDOM</b> - One week only! PG-13 111 MIN - "Cinema often shines a light on stories that might have been lost to history, and that's certainly true of "A United Kingdom.""	1:00 PM 3:30 PM 6:00 PM 8:30 PM	10:50 AM 1:20 PM 3:45 PM 6:00 PM 8:30 PM	12:10 PM 2:40 PM 5:05 PM 7:30 PM	1:00 PM 3:30 PM 6:00 PM 8:30 PM	1:00 PM 3:30 PM 6:00 PM 8:30 PM	1:00 PM 3:30 PM 6:00 PM 8:30 PM	1:00 PM 3:30 PM 6:00 PM

Events & Performing Arts:	FRI 10	SAT 11	SUN 12	MON 13	TUE 14	WED 15	THU 16
<b>ROYAL OPERA BALLET: WOOLF WORKS</b> 188 MIN - Triptych based on Virginia Woolf		11:00 AM					
<b>PAINTER'S SERIES: I, CLAUDE MONET</b> 90 MIN - Cinematic exploration of his work			12:00 PM				
<b>REVOLUTION NEW ART FOR A NEW WORLD</b> NR - Discussion w/FRAA's Harlen Springer!					12:30 PM 6:30 PM		
<b>NATIONAL THEATRE LIVE: SAINT JOAN</b>						6:00 PM	

Box Office opens 30 min. prior to 1<sup>st</sup> Film | 1930 HWY 101 | www.citylightscinemas.com | Times: 541-305-0014

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<b>MARCH 8</b>	<b>MARCH 9</b>	<b>MARCH 10</b>	<b>MARCH 11</b>	<b>MARCH 12</b>	<b>MARCH 13</b>	<b>MARCH 14</b>
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