

GENERAL NEWS

IMPOUNDMENT

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Winners selected at FlorenceFest art show



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The winners of the Florence Fest '17 Art Show were selected Thursday evening, March 30, at the Florence Events Center. Among them were (from left): art show judge Robert Canaga, judge SK Lindsey, first-place winner Collen Goodwin Chronister, FRAA event coordinator Harlen Springer, third-place winner Michael Wood and judge Steve Dennis.

Siuslaw News columnist receives national press award

Journalist Catherine J. Rourke received four national press awards for her work in The Siuslaw News from the National Federation of Press Women (NFPW) on March 29.

Rourke garnered two first place awards in the Editorial/Opinion and Personal Opinion Column categories for her essay "Celebrating the Role of Community Newspapers in Democracy" (Oct. 8, 2016) and her "Extraordinary People" feature on food service workers (Sept. 24, 2016).

The column also won two second-place awards in the General Column and Personality Profile categories, for her features on Gilmar Ortiz (June 1, 2016), Greg Williamson (Nov. 26, 2016) and local "Santa Claus" Eloyd Ray (Dec. 24, 2016).



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Catherine Rourke

"Catherine's ability to capture the uniqueness of individuals within our community is a true gift, and one we feel very fortunate to share with our readers," said Siuslaw News editor Ned Hickson.

Rourke's entries were selected from the work of thousands of journalists at daily and weekly newspapers around the country.

"What a wonderful service sharing these stories that elevate hard working, good people who inspire readers," one NFPW contest judge said of Rourke's profile series.

The NFPW annual press

competition recognizes the work of journalists on four tiers — First, Second, Third Place and Honorable Mention — and in more than 37 news categories.

All first-place stories are then entered in the National Finalists Competition. NFPW will announce the final round of first-place winners at its annual journalism conference in September.

Rourke has been a member of NFPW since 1996. The Washington, D.C.-based press association, founded in 1938, supports women's work in the media, upholds First Amendment rights and advocates for Freedom of the Press as its mission.

Educated at the City University of New York, the University of Oxford/England and the Walter Cronkite School of Journalism, Rourke began her career at The Miami Herald in the 1970s and has served as a reporter, photographer and editor at daily and weekly newspapers around the country and as an editor for national

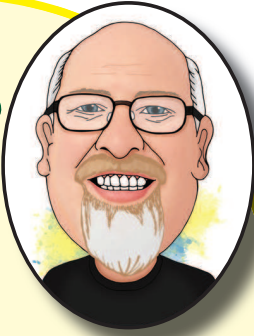
magazines. Known for her unusual style of "narrative literary journalism," she worked for 20 years as an investigative reporter specializing in social justice and medical issues and as a book editor for Amazon and Random House.

The native New Yorker and author moved to Florence in 2013. She teaches creative writing at the Florence Regional Arts Alliance (FRAA), serves as a freelance book editor and is completing a memoir about her adventures titled "Forgive Us Our Press Passes — Confessions of a Modern-Day Muckraker."

"Journalism is not about awards but about the reward of telling people's stories and giving them a voice," Rourke said. "In a world obsessed with celebrities, I prefer to share the wisdom of unsung heroes and celebrate their extraordinary contributions to humanity and our community."

"My pen is simply the violin through which the music is played."

Dave's RE-CORNER



Most people have heard of the 3Rs of environmentally friendly behavior-

REDUCE is to use less of something. Use less water, turn off lights, use both sides of a paper.

REUSE is to use an item again. Refill a water bottle, reuse a container and buy reusable bags.

RECYCLE is to make new items from old ones; recycle bottles, glass, paper, cans, plastic, cardboard & more.

Tip

Decluttering, Spring Cleaning and Recycling

Donate or Sell: There are probably plenty of items that you don't need or want anymore, but someone else would appreciate. If you think the item has value, try selling it on a garage sale, swap and sell site, or online site like eBay. Donating your items to places like Goodwill, St. Vincent De Paul or a local clothing drive, will help to give the items new life.

Quiz

Answer to Previous Quiz: A Reducing

If you take your old fluorescent lights to a drop off site you are...

A) reducing. B) reusing. C) recycling.

Did you Know?

People in the U.S. make up 5% of the world's population but use 25% of the world's resources and generate 30% of its garbage.*



Now Showing March 31 - April 6	FRI 31	SAT 1	SUN 2	MON 3	TUE 4	WED 5	THU 6
BEAUTY AND THE BEAST - [No Passes Thru 4/2] PG 129 MIN "Here's some Disney magic for you: The new Beauty and the Beast actually improves upon the animated classic." USA Today	1:20 PM 3:15 PM 6:20 PM 8:20 PM	11:00 AM 1:20 PM 3:00 PM 6:20 PM 8:00 PM	12:20 PM 3:00 PM 5:20 PM 7:55 PM	1:20 PM 3:30 PM 6:20 PM 8:25 PM	1:20 PM 3:15 PM 6:20 PM 8:30 PM	12:40 PM 3:30 PM 6:20 PM 8:00 PM	11:20 AM 1:20 PM 4:15 PM 6:20 PM 8:50 PM
THE BOSS BABY PG 97 MIN - Meet a most unusual baby. He wears a suit, and speaks with the voice and wit of Alec Baldwin.	1:00 PM 4:10 PM 6:00 PM	1:45 PM 4:10 PM 5:45 PM	12:45 PM 3:10 PM 5:45 PM	1:30 PM 4:10 PM 6:15 PM	1:30 PM 4:10 PM 6:30 PM	12:50 PM 3:00 PM	2:00 PM 4:10 PM 6:30 PM
THE BOSS BABY 3D - Animated/Comedy	9:05 PM	9:05 PM	8:05 PM	9:05 PM	9:05 PM	9:05 PM	9:05 PM
GHOST IN THE SHELL PG-13 106 MIN - Action/Adventure In the near future, Major is the first of her kind: A human saved from a terrible crash, who is cyber-enhanced to be a perfect soldier devoted to stopping the world's most dangerous criminals.	1:10 PM 3:40 PM 6:10 PM 8:30 PM	11:00 AM 1:20 PM 3:40 PM 6:10 PM 8:30 PM	12:40 PM 3:05 PM 5:30 PM 7:50 PM	1:10 PM 3:40 PM 6:10 PM 8:30 PM	1:10 PM 3:40 PM 6:10 PM 8:50 PM	1:10 PM 3:40 PM 6:30 PM	1:10 PM 3:40 PM 6:10 PM 8:30 PM
GOING IN STYLE - Opens 4/7 PG-13 96 MIN - with Caine, Freeman and Arkin!	Preview!						7:00 PM
KEDI - NR 80 MIN - Cat Lovers Unite!			3:30 PM				11:30 AM
LIFE - Jake Gyllenhaal/Ryan Reynolds NR 103 MIN - Sci-Fi/Horror/Thriller "A riveting reminder that it still ain't smart to mess with Mother Nature!"	1:30 PM 4:00 PM 6:30 PM 8:50 PM	11:00 AM 4:05 PM 6:30 PM 8:50 PM	1:00 PM 5:50 PM 8:10 PM	4:00 PM 6:30 PM 8:50 PM	4:00 PM 9:00 PM	1:30 PM 4:00 PM 8:50 PM	1:30 PM 4:00 PM 9:10 PM

Events & Performing Arts:	FRI 31	SAT 1	SUN 2	MON 3	TUE 4	WED 5	THU 6
NATIONAL THEATRE LIVE: HEDDA GABLER 160 MIN - 4 Stars - Ruth Wilson is A+		11:00 AM					
1984 R 110 MIN - Big Brother is Watching You					12:30 PM 6:30 PM		
NATIONAL THEATRE LIVE: AMADEUS 210 MIN						6:00 PM	

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SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
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Cloudy	Partly Sunny	Partly Sunny	Mostly Cloudy	Showers	Showers	Showers
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