

SENIOR NEWS

CALENDAR OF EVENTS APRIL 12 — MAY 13

SUNDAY MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY

	<p>CROW serves up a helping of spooky fun in 'The Addams Family' April 21-23</p>	<p>12 Siuslaw News website luncheon noon Open to public Florence Events Center</p> <p>Florence Garden Club 1 p.m. Open to public Presbyterian Church 3996 Highway 101</p> <p>Community Supper 5-7 p.m. Open to public Presbyterian Church of the Siuslaw</p> <p>RAIN Entrepreneurial Speaker Series 5 to 6 p.m. Open to public Oregon Pacific Bank</p>	<p>13 Toastmasters Tale Spinners noon-1 p.m. SVFR Station 2625 Highway 101</p> <p>Chamber Noon Forum noon-1 p.m. Meeting open to public Pierpoint Inn 85625 Highway 101</p> <p>Master Recycler Meeting 5:30 p.m. Port of Siuslaw meeting room</p>	<p>14</p>	<p>15 2017 Yard Debris Disposal Day 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Fee required Kingwood and 27th streets</p> <p>Rotary of Florence Community Easter Egg Hunt 10 a.m. Open to public Miller Park</p>
<p>16 <i>Easter Sunday</i></p>	<p>17 Memory Loss Respite Center every Mon., Wed. & Thurs. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Senior Center</p> <p>Congressman Peter DeFazio Town Hall Meeting 11 a.m. Florence Events Center Kingwood and 27th streets</p> <p>Florence City Council Open to public 5:30 p.m. Florence City Hall 250 Highway 101</p>	<p>18 Siuslaw Public Library Computer Class — Email 1:30-3 p.m. Open to public Siuslaw Public Library</p> <p>"NW Coastal Explorer" with author Robert Steelquist 6 p.m. Open to public Siuslaw Public Library</p>	<p>19 Community Supper 5-7 p.m. Open to public United Methodist Church</p> <p>Port of Siuslaw Commission meeting 7 p.m. Port Office</p>	<p>20 Siuslaw Vision 2025 Celebration & Business After Hours 5:30-7 p.m. Open to public Lane Community College Florence 3149 Oak St.</p>	<p>21 Florence Hazardous Waste Round-Up noon-5 p.m. Florence Transfer 2820 Rhododendron Drive</p> <p>CROW's "The Addam's Family" 7 p.m. Tickets required Florence Events Center</p>
<p>23 Early Rhody Flower Show 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Open to public Florence Events Center</p> <p>CROW's "The Addam's Family" 2 p.m. Tickets required Florence Events Center</p>	<p>24 Memory Loss Respite Center every Mon., Wed. & Thurs. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Senior Center</p>	<p>25 Rhody Society 6:30 p.m. Presbyterian Church of the Siuslaw</p>	<p>26 Community Supper 5-7 p.m. Open to public St. Andrew's Episcopal Church</p> <p>RAIN Entrepreneurial Speaker Series 5 to 6 p.m. Open to public Oregon Pacific Bank 1355 Highway 101</p> <p>SEACoast presents Barrage 8 Pre-concert talk at 6:15 p.m., show at 7 p.m. Tickets required Florence Events Center</p>	<p>27 Toastmasters Tale Spinners noon-1 p.m. SVFR main station 2625 Highway 101</p>	<p>28 Rainspout Music Festival 6-11 p.m. Single event and three-day passes available Yachats Commons Hwy 101 & W 4th St</p> <p>NATIONAL ARBOR DAY</p>
<p>30 Rainspout Music Festival 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Single event and three-day passes available Yachats Commons Hwy 101 & W 4th St</p>	<p>1 <i>May Day</i></p> <p>Memory Loss Respite Center every Mon., Wed. & Thurs. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Senior Center</p> <p>Florence City Council Open to public 5:30 p.m. Florence City Hall 250 Highway 101</p>	<p>2</p>	<p>3 Community Supper 5-7 p.m. Open to public New Life Lutheran Church</p>	<p>4 <i>STAR WARS DAY</i></p>	<p>5 <i>Cinco de Mayo</i></p>
<p>7</p>	<p>8 Memory Loss Respite Center every Mon., Wed. & Thurs. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Senior Center</p> <p>Lane Blood Bank 11:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Open to public Florence Events Center</p>	<p>9</p>	<p>10 Florence Garden Club 1 p.m. Open to public Presbyterian Church 3996 Highway 101</p> <p>Community Supper 5-7 p.m. Open to public Presbyterian Church of the Siuslaw</p>	<p>11 Toastmasters Tale Spinners 5:30-6:30 p.m. Port of Siuslaw 100 Harbor St.</p>	<p>12 FRAA Big Wave Poetry Fest — Spoken Word Poetry Slam Contest 6 p.m. Registration required Florence Events Center</p> <p>Platypus Clarinet Orchestra — SHS Fundraiser 7-9:30 p.m. Donations accepted Florence Events Center</p>
<p>13 Plant and Marketplace Sale 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Open to public Florence Senior Center</p> <p>2017 Yard Debris Disposal Day 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Fee required Kingwood and 27th streets</p> <p>FRAA Big Wave Poetry Fest 2 p.m. Teen Contest 6:30 p.m. "From Prison to Purpose" Registration required Florence Events Center</p> <p>Wallflowers and Wine 6:30-9:30 p.m. Registration Required Florence Events Center</p>					

ONGOING ACTIVITIES

Health & Nutrition

Better Breathers Club—PeaceHealth Peace Harbor Medical Center, Conference Room C, fourth Wednesday, 2 p.m., 541-902-6300 ext. 5635

Chair Yoga—Shorewood Retirement Residences, 9 a.m., every Friday, \$5, 541-997-8202

Disabled American Veterans Vans to Roseburg and Portland Medical Centers—Florence Elks Lodge, 6 a.m., Mondays through Fridays

Helping Hands Lunch Program—United Methodist Church, 333 Kingwood St., Monday, Wednesday, Friday of each week, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Senior Meals Program—Senior Center, 11:30 a.m., Monday, Wednesday, Friday, \$3 suggested donation with reservations requested, 541-997-5673

Senior Sunday Brunch—Shorewood Retirement Residences, 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m., every Sunday, \$6, 541-997-8202

Singing Pines Café—Senior Center, 11:30 a.m., Tuesday & Thursday, \$7 with reservations requested, 541-997-8844

Music

Community Chorus—Cross Road Church, 10th & Maple streets, 7 to 8:30 p.m., every Monday, 541-997-3469

Community Concert Band—Siuslaw High School music room, 6:30 p.m., every Monday, Gail Nichols, 541-999-6907

So You Think You Can Sing! Karaoke—Three Rivers Casino Resort, 7-10 p.m., every Wednesday, free, 877-374-8377

Yachats Big Band—Yachats Commons, 7 to 9 p.m., first Thursday, \$5 donation with children 12 and younger free, 541-547-4308

Social

Bible Study—Shorewood Retirement Residences, 10 a.m., every Monday, 541-997-8202

Bingo—Florence Elks Lodge, 3:45 and 5:45 p.m., every Tuesday

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Bingo—Senior Center, 1-4 p.m., every Thursday, 541-997-3945

Central Coast Miniatures Club—Senior Center, 6 p.m., second Thursday

Chess Club—Siuslaw Public Library, 1 p.m., every Sunday; Spruce Point, 6 p.m., every Monday, Fred Catania, 541-997-5216

Florence Duplicate Bridge—St. Andrews Episcopal Church, 12:30 p.m., every Tuesday and Thursday, 541-997-2677

Line Dancing—Senior Center, 1:30-2:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Pat Wheeler, 541-999-0797

Masonic Lodge of Florence State Communication—84910 Highway 101, first Tuesday, family dinner 6:30 p.m., open lodge 7:30 p.m., 541-997-9728

Pinochle Group—Laurelwood Community Center, 1137 Maple St.; every Thursday, 9:30 a.m. Walk-ins welcome

Professionally Retired Ornery Single Seniors (PROSS)—60 years of age and older, Lunches, 12:30 p.m., second and fourth Wednesdays, 541-991-6430

PROSS Social—Senior Center, 5:30 p.m., third Thursdays, 541-991-6430

Senior Party Bridge—Senior Center, 12:30 to 4 p.m., every Wednesday and Friday, 541-997-8827

Support Groups

Alzheimer's Support Group—Regency Florence, 1-2 p.m., first and third Wednesdays of each month, Dee Clymer, 541-997-8436

Caregiver Support Group—Spruce Point, 11 a.m., second and fourth Thursdays of each month, 541-997-6111 or 541-997-4866

Chronic Pain Group—Community Baptist Church, 4590 Highway 101, 5-7 p.m., every first and third Tuesday, 541-991-0037

Cancer Support Group—St. Andrews, 3 p.m., every Thursday, 541-997-3418

Florence Parkinson's Disease Support Group—Shorewood Senior Living Retirement Home, 1451 Spruce St, 1:30 p.m., fourth Wednesday, JoAnne 541-633-3330

Grief and Loss Support Group—St. Andrews Church, 3-4 p.m., every Wednesday, 541-997-3418

GriefShare Support Group—Florence Christian Church, 3 p.m., every Thursday, 541-997-2961

DivorceCare—Florence Christian Church, 6:30 p.m., every Friday

Memory Loss Respite Center—Florence Senior Center, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., every Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, \$10, 541-902-8539

Multiple Sclerosis Self-Help Group—PeaceHealth Peace Harbor Medical Center, Conference Room C, 6 p.m., second Wednesday, 541-902-1565 or 541-902-7683

Overeaters Anonymous—Coast Village Clubhouse, Rose Room, 131 Rhody Loop (enter east side of Coast Village at 27th and Spruce streets and follow signs to clubhouse), 7-8 p.m., every Wednesday, 503-775-6927 or 541-590-0738

Siuslaw Diabetic Support Group—Siuslaw Public Library, Bromley Room, 2 p.m., third Tuesdays, 541-997-1295

Support Group for Families, Friends of the Mentally Ill—Hospital cafeteria, 6:30 p.m., fourth Thursday, 541-902-8308 or 541-997-2026

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly)—New Life Lutheran Church, every Wednesday, 8-10 a.m., 541-268-4541

Us TOO Evening Prostate Cancer Support Group—5-7 p.m., second Tuesday of every month, Presbyterian Church, Bob at 541-997-6626

Us TOO Lunch Bunch Prostate Cancer Support Group—12-1 p.m., third Tuesday of every month, Ichiban Restaurant, Bob at 541-997-6626

Vision Northwest—Spruce Point, 10 a.m., second Tuesday, 541-902-1426

Veterans

American Legion Post 59 and American Legion Auxiliary—Florence Elks Lodge, 5 p.m. dinner, 6 p.m. meeting, fourth Tuesday of every month, 541-997-3082

Band of Brothers Koffee Klub—Florence Elks Lodge, 11:30 a.m., every Monday, former military members of all services invited, 541-997-5944

Coastal Women Veterans—place TBA, 11:30 a.m., second Friday, 541-997-4403

Disabled American Veterans and Auxiliary—Disabled American Veterans Building, 2 p.m., first Saturday, 541-997-1562 or 541-997-3720

Pointman Veterans Group—Potter's Tire & Automotive, 7 p.m., Tuesdays, 541-997-2074

U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary—USCG Siuslaw Station, 7 p.m., second Tuesday, 541-997-2486

VFW—Florence Elks Lodge, 6 p.m. meeting, second Tuesday, 541-997-5944

Other

Free Used Clothing—Better Living Center, 85134 Highway 101, 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m., every Wednesday, 541-997-2137

Oregon Dunes Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution—12:30 p.m., fourth Friday, September-May, contact E. F. Westphal at 541-517-5333

Toastmasters Siuslaw Tale Spinners—various locations, times weekly, 541-999-0912

For changes to the Senior Calendar, contact Siuslaw News Features Editor Chantelle Meyer at cmeyer@thesiuslawnews.com.

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2825 Hwy. 101, Florence
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