

Siuslaw News Sports & Recreation

On the Bite

A WEEKLY FISHING REPORT FOR THE LOCAL REGION

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MID COAST LAKES:
Most of the North Coast lakes were stocked with trout recently. Water temps are great and fish should be hungry, so go catch them!
The 2017 trout stocking schedule is available online.

ALSEA RIVER: Trout
Trout season opened May 22, and there should be some nice cutthroat around.

Remember the limit on streams and rivers is two per day over 8-inches.

SALMON RIVER: Steelhead

The Salmon River closed for wild and hatchery steelhead on March 31 to protect spawning wild steelhead.

SILETZ RIVER: Steelhead, Chinook, trout

The Siletz River opened for wild Chinook on April 1 (1 per day and 2 per season). Spring Chinook and summer steelhead are being caught. Drift boaters are having success from Moonshine Park to Siletz and bank anglers are catching hatchery fish in the

See **FISHING 4B**

TIDE TABLE

Entrance Siuslaw River

High Tide Low Tide

June 10
12:41am / 7.2 7:42am / -0.9
2:14pm / 5.9 7:32pm / 2.7

June 11
1:15am / 7.1 8:16am / -0.9
2:52pm / 5.9 8:09pm / 2.8

June 12
1:49am / 6.9 8:52am / -0.8
3:31pm / 5.9 8:49pm / 2.9

June 13
2:25am / 6.7 9:29am / -0.7
4:12pm / 5.9 9:33pm / 2.9

June 14
3:05pm / 6.3 10:08am / -0.4
4:54pm / 5.9 10:24pm / 2.9

June 15
3:52am / 6.0 10:49am / -0.1
5:39pm / 6.0 11:36pm / 2.8

June 16
4:48pm / 5.6 11:36am / 0.3
6:25pm / 6.1

Siuslaw's Rose commits to Concordia University

Concordia University head women's volleyball coach Melanie Hamblton has announced the commitments of three student-athletes for the upcoming 2017 Cavaliers volleyball season — among them, Siuslaw High School senior Elyssa Rose.

This will be the third season of NCAA Division play for the Cavaliers, who are members of the Great Northwest Athletic Conference.

"We looked to create some depth in the middle and on the outside with this recruiting class and I believe we have done that with the group of athletes we have signed," Hamblton. "I'm excited for the season to begin and look forward to working with this group of student-athletes."

"As we begin full membership in D2, we believe we have the necessary tools to make an impact on the GNAC."

At 6-foot-1, Rose is a formidable middle blocker who is a four-time varsity letter winner who led the Vikings to the league championship this past fall, where they advanced to the second round of the state play-offs. Rose was named to the All-State Honorable Mention Team as well as being First Team All-League, the team's Most Valuable Player and team captain.

During her junior season, Rose earned First Team All-League honors as well as Team MVP honors. Siuslaw finished third in the league and advanced to the first round of the



Elyssa Rose

play-offs that season. Rose also received First Team All-

League honors her freshman and sophomore seasons. In both seasons, the Vikings finished second in the league and advanced to the second round of the playoffs.

"We are grateful for the addition of Elyssa to our program," Hamblton said of Rose. "Elyssa puts up a great block, works hard to get to the pin every time as a blocker and reaches high on her attack. I believe her potential has yet to be tapped and that she can be an impact player for us in the middle."

Hamblton described Rose is a dedicated student as well, and one who has high expectations for herself

See **ROSE 4B**

Annual 'Cool at the Coast' set to swing

Rotary's "Cool at the Coast" golf tournament sponsorships for tees, greens, KPs and other prizes sold out almost immediately at the tournament kickoff luncheon June 6, giving Rotarians good reason to expect yet another successful fundraising event as it heads into its eighth year.

The host sponsor of this year's tournament again is Three Rivers Casino Resort and Ocean Dunes Golf Links. Three Rivers will also sponsor the grand hole-in-one prize on the eighth hole — a 2017 Ford Mustang.

"Three Rivers and Ocean Dunes have been our lead sponsors from the beginning," said tournament co-chair Deb Lamb. "We could never have enjoyed the success we have had without their support."

Premier sponsors of this year's tournament include PeaceHealth, Oregon Pacific Bank, Coldwell Banker Coast Real Estate, Banner Bank and Shervin's Tire and Automotive.

PeaceHealth and Oregon Pacific Bank have been major sponsors since the tournament began eight years ago.

Shervin's Automotive is a new

See **SWING 3B**

This year's Rotary 'Cool at the Coast' golf tournament will tee off Saturday, Aug. 5.



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Columbia nearshore halibut fishery opens

NEWPORT — The Pacific halibut nearshore sport fishery in the Columbia River Subarea will open to seven days per week starting Monday, June 12.

The all-depth fishery closed, with approximately 1,000 pounds remaining on the quota. That is not enough to open for additional all-depth days.

That remaining quota has been transferred to the nearshore fishery, allowing the additional days per week to be open.

The nearshore fishery will be open



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Nearshore halibut fishing opens Monday and continues through September.

until the revised quota of 1,511 pounds is harvested, or Sept. 30, whichever comes first.

Opportunities to fish for Pacific halibut remain open in other areas of Oregon as well, including off of the central Oregon between Cape Falcon

See **HALIBUT 3B**

NO FEES RECREATION, DAY-USE SITES TODAY

The U.S. Forest Service is waiving fees at day-use recreation sites in Oregon and Washington today, June 10, in recognition of National Get Outdoors Day.

Within the Umpqua National Forest, day-use fees will be waived at eight locations:

- Trailheads for Umpqua Hot Springs, Howlock Mountain and Mt. Thielsen

- Boat ramps at Diamond Lake's Thielsen View, South Shore and North End, and Lemolo Lake's Poole Creek.

- Day-use area at South Umpqua Falls

As a reminder, fees are not waived at campgrounds or for cabin rentals.

National Get Outdoors Day encourages Americans, particularly our youth, to seek healthy, active outdoor lives and embrace our parks, forests, refuges and other public lands and waters.

"The Pacific Northwest is blessed with incredible natural beauty and world-class recreation opportunities," said Regional Forester Jim Peña.

"Whatever your interest or skill level, there's something for everyone, so get outdoors and enjoy your public lands."

No fees are charged at any time on 98 percent of national forests and grasslands, and approximately two-thirds of developed recreation sites in national forests and grasslands can be used for free.

To find a hiking trail near you, visit the interactive recreation map at www.fs.fed.us/ivm.

SPORTS Calendar

- **JUNE 14**
SHS FOOTBALL SUMMER CAMP BEGINS

- **JUNE 16-18**
OREGON DUNES BASKETBALL TOURNAY AT SHS
FRIDAY NOON TO 8:15 P.M.
SATURDAY 9 A.M. TO 7:30 P.M.
SUNDAY 9:45 A.M. TO 5:15 P.M.

- **SBA FATHER'S DAY BASEBALL TOURNAY AT MILLER PARK**
FRI: 5 TO 8 P.M.
SAT: 8 A.M. TO 8 P.M.
SUN: 8 A.M. TO 8 P.M.

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