

# GENERAL NEWS

## Florence Elks partner with Habitat program

Elk committee members Karen Smales, Joyce Middleton and Sandy Kulman have applied for a grant from the Elks National Foundation to provide housewarming gifts to Florence's Habitat for Humanity (FHH) new homeowners this past year. The three committee members meet with the new owners to determine what would assist the families the most as they move in.

Sandy Kulman explains, "Those grantors who provide monies for local projects really like it when local organizations come together to serve those in the community."

So far, three families have benefited from the Beacon grant money, which is available for ongoing annual projects in a community.

The Durgan family will be given pavers to keep the sand at bay in their yard, while the Fuller family received a table's worth of housewarming gifts last spring.

The committee members met with the Pinnock-Davis family on the job site at Nopal Street recently and determined the family will receive a newly refinished table and six reupholstered chairs so they can all eat together.

With the donations received from the Beach Walk on Sept. 9, FHH will continue these efforts into the future.

For more information about the upcoming event, contact Linda Stent at 541-844-5573.

## Watershed to 'Celebrate Salmon' at fundraiser Sunday

The Siuslaw Watershed Council is excited to announce its annual fundraiser "Celebrate Siuslaw Salmon" on Sunday, Sept. 17.

Festivities include a special dinner including local wines and brews, silent and live auctions, stories of the Siuslaw and live music featuring Atmojazz.

Doors open at 5 p.m. at the Florence Event Center and the evening should wrap up by 9 p.m. Tickets are available now for \$25 each or for \$30 at the door. Purchase tickets in advance online at brownpaper tickets.com using the search

word "Siuslaw," or by calling the Siuslaw Watershed Council office at 541-268-3044.

For more than 20 years the Siuslaw Watershed Council has been engaging residents, landowners, businesses and other interested parties to help improve and enhance the quality of life for all inhabitants in the Siuslaw.

Come hear inspiring stories of the past, why the Siuslaw is an important watershed and celebrate ways to contribute to furthering watershed health and the important work of the SWC.

## PEACEHEALTH PEACE HARBOR VOLUNTEERS START NEW YEAR

Peace Health/Peace Harbor volunteers will kick off their new year on Sept. 21 at 11:30 a.m. at the Florence Events Center, located at 715 Quince St.

The cost of the luncheon is

\$5 for members, \$10 for non-members.

An RSVP is required by calling 541-902-1368, or via email at womangolfer7@gmail.com.

## SIGN OF THE TIMES



Members of the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla 52 stand with the newly added sign on Highway 126 recognizing Florence as an official Coast Guard City. Individuals from Roseburg to Florence currently make up the Flotilla 52 membership, which is assigned under the Department of Homeland Security, as active-duty US Coast Guard. The local Auxiliary augments Station Siuslaw River in the areas of watch standing, culinary services, engineering and public affairs.

## International marching band coming to Florence

The Beat Goes On (TBGO) is an international award-winning all-adult band based in Portland, Ore., that will be coming to Port of Siuslaw Boardwalk in Florence on Friday, Sept. 15.

Renowned for its upbeat attitude and feel-good musical selections, TBGO features a high-energy, brassy, rock and roll style.

"We may be a marching band," said music director Steve Tolopka, "but we're more likely to play Bruno Mars or Pitbull than John Philip Sousa."

The band has performed at venues from British Columbia to the Bahamas and holds the honor of being the first marching band to open a session of the Oregon House of Representatives.

Recent major appearances have included the world's third largest St. Patrick's Day Parade in Savannah, Ga.; San Antonio Fiesta Flambeau Parade; and an 11-day trip to China as the United States representative to



The Beat Goes On all-adult band performs on the Great Wall of China. The band will be in Florence Sept. 15.

the Shanghai Tourism Festival. The band played a selection of its favorite tunes atop the Great Wall of China.

In April 2018, the band travels to The Netherlands to make its first European appearance at Bloemencorso Bollenstreek, the world's only floral parade with floats constructed using bulb flowers like hyacinths, tulips and daffodils.

The parade traveled more

than 25 miles through communities near Amsterdam.

"Fortunately," said TBGO travel director Tom Higham, "we'll only march about four or five miles, not the whole parade."

This "road trip" is TBGO's first-ever appearance along the central and southern Oregon Coast.

"We love playing for new audiences and hope to see you

at our show Sept. 15," said Higham. "We'll be down at the boardwalk with a rousing show beginning at noon."

"Admission is free, so come out and end your week on a high note."

From Florence, The Beat Goes On will head south to Coos Bay for the Steve Prefontaine Memorial Run and Bay Area Fun Festival.

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**CITY LIGHTS CINEMAS**

**SEPTEMBER 15 - 21**

	FRI 15	SAT 16	SUN 17	MON 18	TUE 19	WED 20	THU 21
<b>THE BIG SICK</b> R 119 MIN - Romantic comedy returns!	3:30 PM 8:40 PM	3:30 PM 8:40 PM	1:00 PM 6:10 PM	1:30 PM 6:50 PM	4:20 PM	1:00 PM	4:20 PM
<b>CLOSE ENCOUNTERS OF THE THIRD KIND</b> PG 137 MIN - New re-release celebrating the 40th Anniversary of this Steven Spielberg classic!	6:15 PM	12:30 PM 6:15 PM	3:20 PM	1:00 PM	4:00 PM	7:00 PM	4:00 PM
<b>HOME AGAIN</b> PG-13 120 MIN - "Meyers-Shyer's cheerfully low-key debut offers proof that someone making movies understands what Hollywood has in Reese Witherspoon." Village Voice	1:10 PM 3:45 PM 6:20 PM 8:55 PM	1:25 PM 4:00 PM 6:35 PM 9:10 PM	1:10 PM 3:45 PM 6:20 PM	1:20 PM 3:55 PM 6:40 PM	1:20 PM 3:55 PM 6:40 PM	1:20 PM 3:55 PM 6:40 PM	1:20 PM 3:55 PM 6:40 PM
<b>Stephen King's IT</b> R 135 MIN - "Creepy, bloody, super funny, adorably romantic and hands down among my favorite movies of the year." Fandango	1:20 PM 3:20 PM 6:30 PM 9:05 PM	1:20 PM 3:20 PM 6:30 PM 9:05 PM	12:40 PM 3:30 PM 6:30 PM	1:10 PM 4:10 PM 6:30 PM	1:10 PM 4:10 PM 6:50 PM	1:10 PM 4:10 PM 6:30 PM	1:10 PM 4:10 PM 7:00 PM
<b>KINGSMAN: THE GOLDEN CIRCLE</b> R 141 MIN - PREVIEW! Colin Firth returns							7:00 PM
<b>NEITHER WOLF NOR DOG</b> NR 110 MIN - "An impressive achievement and feels like an important story made with passion and deserves to be seen." Based on a true story.	1:00 PM 6:10 PM	11:00 AM 6:10 PM	3:40 PM	4:20 PM	1:30 PM 7:00 PM	3:35 PM	1:30 PM
<b>TULIP FEVER</b> R 107 MIN - "Lushly shot and stacked with Oscar winners - Alicia Vikander, Christoph Waltz, Dame Judi Dench." EW	12:50 PM 4:10 PM 9:20 PM	11:00 AM 4:10 PM 9:20 PM	12:50 PM 6:10 PM	4:00 PM 7:00 PM	1:30 PM 7:00 PM	1:30 PM 4:00 PM	1:30 PM 7:20 PM

**Events & Performing Arts:**

	FRI 15	SAT 16	SUN 17	MON 18	TUE 19	WED 20	THU 21
<b>ROYAL SHAKESPEARE CO:</b> <b>TITUS ANDRONICUS</b> - 205 MIN - Encore!		11:00 AM					
<b>NATIONAL THEATRE LIVE:</b> <b>ROSENCRANTZ &amp; GUILDENSTERN</b> 200 MIN - "Daniel Radcliffe and the equally brilliant Joshua McGuire co-star, a witty fireworks of a tragicomedy by Sir Tom Stoppard." Telegraph						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

WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY
SEPTEMBER 13	SEPTEMBER 14	SEPTEMBER 15	SEPTEMBER 16	SEPTEMBER 17	SEPTEMBER 18	SEPTEMBER 19
Mostly Sunny	Sunny	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Showers	Showers	Showers
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