

Siuslaw News

Sports & Recreation

SPORTS

Calendar

JUNE 20-22

• SHS football weight training 8 to 10 a.m. and 6 to 8 p.m.

JUNE 23

• Kiwanis Golf Scramble 9 a.m. Ocean Dunes Golf Links

TIDE TABLE	
Entrance Siuslaw River	
High Tide	Low Tide
June 20	
6:00am / 5.8	12:25am / 1.9
7:13pm / 6.8	12:31pm / 0.1
June 21	
7:18am / 5.3	1:39am / 1.5
8:05pm / 7.0	1:28pm / 0.8
June 22	
8:37am / 5.0	2:48am / 1.0
8:54pm / 7.1	2:27pm / 1.4
June 23	
9:52am / 5.0	3:49am / 0.4
9:40pm / 7.3	3:23pm / 1.8
June 24	
10:56am / 5.2	4:40am / -0.1
10:22pm / 7.3	4:15pm / 2.2
June 25	
11:50am / 5.4	5:25am / -0.5
11:02pm / 7.4	5:03pm / 2.4
June 26	
12:36am / 5.6	6:06am / -0.8
11:40pm / 7.4	5:48pm / 2.6

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SMS FOOTBALL ALL-STARS TO PLAY FOR FOSTER KIDS


BY NED HICKSON
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Football season may have ended last fall, but four Siuslaw middle schoolers are back in their pads and helmets in preparation to play some football and help foster children around the country.


The Oregon All-State Game not only showcases some of the state's best sixth-, seventh- and eighth-grade football players, it also introduces them to dynamic guest speakers and other team-building activities while simultaneously bringing awareness to the nearly 450,000 kids in foster care nationally.

Among those who will be participating in this first-ever event will be Siuslaw sixth-grader Cort Waggoner, seventh-grader Jonathan Rose and eighth-graders Camp LaCouture and Henry Rankin.

Waggoner will play on the defensive line; Rose will be at



Cort Waggoner



Jonathan Rose



Camp LaCouture



Henry Rankin

defensive end and tight end; LaCouture will play at the defensive end or backfield offense; and Rankin will play at offensive guard and defensive tackle.

All four will compete in one of three games taking place June 30 at Sheldon High School in Eugene. That same weekend, players will stay overnight in the University of Oregon dorms and participate in team-building exercises.

Partnering with The Oregon All-State Games is Every Child Oregon, which works to bring awareness of the needs of kids in foster care and the crisis shortage of foster homes in Oregon.

In addition to raising awareness, the event also hopes to collect needed items for foster kids. For this reason, there is no admission fee to the games on June 30. However, attendees are encouraged to bring school supplies and personal items that can be put into backpacks that will later be distributed foster kids around Oregon, who often show up at foster homes with few belongings.

"We would love to bring a big care package with us to the games," said John Rose, a coach and father of Jonathan Rose.

To that end, area residents who would like to contribute items for the players to donate — particularly school supplies and toiletries — are asked to contact Rose by phone at 714-654-7056 or by email at john.rose7588@gmail.com.

"We'll be glad arrange a time and place to collect any items people would like to donate," said Rose.

Games will begin with the sixth-graders at 9 a.m., followed by the seventh-grade game at noon and the eighth-graders at 3 p.m.

All three games will take place at Sheldon High School in Eugene.

For more information, visit www.oregonallstategame.com

Rick & Corrine Gehlke Tournament 2018



Over the weekend, more than 30 teams were on hand at Miller Park for the annual Rick & Corrine Gehlke All-Star Baseball Tournament, which included teams from throughout the south coast. (See more photos 3B)

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On the Bite

A WEEKLY FISHING REPORT FOR THE LOCAL REGION

www.dfw.state.or.us/RR

It's a great time for trout fishing

Air and water temperatures are starting to heat up — and both fish and anglers are getting more active. Dozens of waterbodies are being stocked this week, and many others will still have fish from earlier stockings. Check out the zone reports for the latest conditions.

Warmwater fishing heating up

Smallmouth bass on the John Day or Umpqua rivers, walleye on the upper Columbia, bluegill on Empire Lakes, largemouth bass on Tenmile Lakes, crappie on Willow Creek Reservoir — take your pick! There are great warmwater fisheries in every corner of the state. You'll find fishing updates in the zone reports.

Spring Chinook ain't over yet

Anglers are still finding fair to good fishing for spring Chinook from the Oregon Coast to the northeast corner of the state. Check out reports for the Siletz, Rogue, Clackamas, North Fork and Santiam rivers.

See FISHING 2B



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Yeah! The summer season is almost upon us!!

I want to give a big THANK YOU! to Sue and Dan Gilday from State Farm Insurance and fellow Rotarians, for hosting the golf tournament this last Saturday at Ocean Dunes. A good time was had by all. Congrats to me and Andy Johnson(my boss and fellow Rotarian) for getting kp's on #4 and16(that's closest to pin for non-golfers). Another Congrats to fellow Rotarian Dana Rodet and all the cast of "A Nice Family Gathering". We went to the play Saturday night and what a talented group of people we have in this small town. Also went to see my brother this weekend, who was camping at Honeyman. What a great place! We have the ocean, river, lakes, a fantastic "Old town", great restaurants, two golf courses, an Events center that hosts wonderful talent and the list goes on and on. We're so lucky to live where we do!

Happy Summer!

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