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After a delay of a few hours, the repair was completed, and the Corsair again attempted to make its way to Florence. Unfortunately, white smoke billowing from the engine compartment forced the plane back to the airfield and another plane was called in from California to replace the damaged Corsair.

The danger faced by the pilots of these older planes seemed far from the mind of Doug Griffin, the pilot of the damaged plane, and its replacement, as he described the Corsair's difficulties.

"We were going to bring the Corsair, but she needed some work, so we brought her back and substituted this airplane, which is still a Navy carrier fighter," he said.

The second plane ended up being a Grumman F2 Wildcat, which was used by the U.S. Navy later in World War II.

"When this plane was first produced and delivered to the Navy, it was originally delivered to Tillamook," Griffin said.

He also commented very positively on the Wings and Wheels event, which he clearly enjoys.

"We like coming to this show, as there's always a great turnout with lots of people, especially for a small town. We were here in the Mustang two years ago and the World War II SBD Dauntless last year," Griffin said. "We really enjoy coming here, it's a lot of fun."

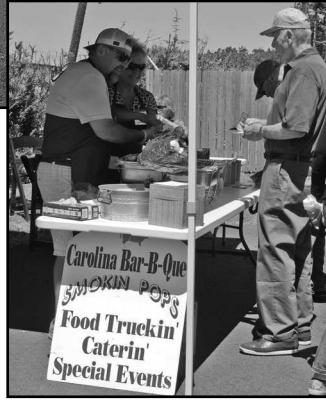
Members of the public paid for rides in the T-6 Texan and flights were also available from AeroLegends, which offers rides in a 1944 Stearman Kaydet bi-plane, the same model that was featured in the Alfred Hitchcock film "North by Northwest."

"It's no different than flying a modern plane or a plane made today," Griffin said about flying the historic planes. "All the pilots that fly these planes are also mechanics, so we are familiar with what can go wrong, and we are prepared for most situations that come up."

The other main draw at



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Wings & Wheels and the Oregon Coast Military Museum brought several organizations together Saturday off Kingwood St.

Wings and Wheels were the 110 classic automobiles that entered the car show portion of the event, which was coordinated by the Oregon Coast Hot Rod Club. Central Oregon Coast British Car Club also showcased vehicles.

A total of 32 trophies were handed out, with Dave Walmer of Portland winning Best in Show with his 1915 Overland Speedster.

New this year was the Cloud City Garrison of the 501st Legion, a nonprofit Star Wars costume group with several local members. For more info, visit cloudcitygarrison.com.

Back In Time provided rock-

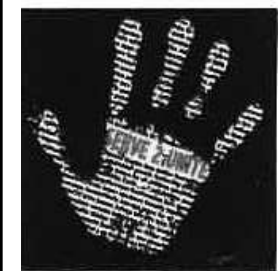
ing music throughout the day, including crooned favorites, doo-wop hits and a variety of oldies.

Wings and Wheels' other vendors and exhibitors included Ada Grange, the Disabled American Veterans Chapter 23, Veterans of Foreign Wars - Post 3232, Florence Police Department, Siuslaw Valley Fire and Rescue, Western Lane Ambulance District, Florence Siuslaw Lions Club, Mo's Restaurant, Eugene Metro Bomb Squad, Central Oregon Coast Amateur Radio Club, Florence Area Radio Control Aircraft Association and more.

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8:00 - 3:00 PM

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"Gift of Our Wounds: Forgiveness After Hate"

to be held at the Presbyterian Church of the Siuslaw

at 3996 Highway 101 N, Florence

on July 15th at 6:00pm

Pizza and refreshments will be served at 5:00pm

Everyone is Invited ~ Donations Accepted

END HATE THROUGH KINDNESS!

SPEAKERS:

The Serve 2 Unite Mission:
 A message for all age groups of forgiveness, compassion and peace in the face of hate, racism, and bullying.

In the wake of the Sikh Temple of Wisconsin shooting on August 5, 2012, Serve 2 Unite emerged in a spirit of defiance. The hate behind the murders was met with an ongoing practice of fearlessness and creative compassion. Rooted in the principles of service to others, and relentless optimism in the face of adversity, Serve 2 Unite today engages young people of all backgrounds to value humanity and the aspiration of living a genuine, honest life as a peacemaker.



Pardeep Kaleka

"My Humanity rests in your humanity"

~ Archbishop Desmond Tutu

Pardeem is the eldest son of Satwant Singh Kaleka, the president of the Sikh Temple of Wisconsin, who was gunned down during the attacks of August 5th, 2012. Pardeep grew up in Milwaukee and graduated from Marquette University.

Being a former Milwaukee Police Officer and a current teacher in the inner city - Pardeep is no stranger to the never ending battle against racism, bigotry, and ignorance. He firmly believes that the lamp of knowledge and truth will outshine all the darkness in the world, and does his best to profess this through his work with Serve 2 Unite.



Arno Michaelis

"Tenderness and kindness are not signs of weakness and despair, but manifestations of strength and resolutions."

~ Khalil Gibran (1883-1931)

In the late 1980's and early 1990's, Arno Michaelis was a founding member of what went on to become the largest racist skinhead organization on Earth, a reverend of a self-declared "Racial Holy War," and lead singer of the hate-metal band **Centurion**, which sold 20,000 CDs by the mid-ninteies and is still popular with racists today.

Single parenthood, love for his daughter, and the forgiveness shown by the people he once hated all helped to turn Arno's life around, bringing him to embrace diversity and practice gratitude for all life. Today Arno is a speaker, author of *My Life After Hate*, and very fortunate to be able to share his ongoing process of character development working with Serve 2 Unite.

