

# GENERAL NEWS

## Florence-Yachats Connector Service starts transportation Sept. 4

The long-awaited inter-city transit pilot project between Florence and Yachats is set to begin Sept. 4 at 8 a.m. Tickets are \$2.50 one-way and \$5 for all-day service. The bus will make four round-trips each day, departing from the Florence Grocery Outlet stop, 2066 Highway 101, making one stop at Carl G. Washburne State Park, then arriving in Yachats at the Log Church, Third and Pontiac streets. Service hours are Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 7:35 p.m., except holidays. Saturday service is expected to begin later this year. Tickets are available for cash purchase on the bus — though the driver cannot make change — or through River Cities Taxi, 1699 Pine St., Florence. This vehicle is fully accessible and bicycles are welcome, space permitting. For more information, please call Florence-Yachats Connector at 541-902-2067 or visit [www.ci.florence.or.us](http://www.ci.florence.or.us).



## Demolition proceeds on former La Bu La building

Demolition has begun on the former La Bu La Restaurant on Highway 101 in Florence after a fire destroyed the building in March. According to Siuslaw Valley Fire and Rescue Fire Prevention Captain Tony Miller, "With a joint investigation between Siuslaw Valley, the Deputy State Fire Marshall and Oregon State Police, the fire was officially titled 'undetermined cause.'" The City of Florence executed City Code Title 4 Chapter 5: "Abatement of Dangerous Buildings" procedures this summer to encourage the property owners to begin removal of the building's charred remains. "That process allowed the Building Official to set a timeline that the property owner needed to abide by to dispose of the remaining building per the Building Code, which included the asbestos abatement that they needed to perform before demolition," said City Project Manager Megan Messmer.

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## Community Chorus begins rehearsals

Join the Community Chorus on Thursday, Aug. 23, at 6:30 p.m. at the Presbyterian Church of the Siuslaw, 3996 Highway 101, in order to register and begin rehearsals for the Christmas Concert. Auditions are not required. David Aakre will conduct the chorus. All singers from high school age and older are welcome. There is a registration fee of \$70 to cover the costs of 15 rehearsals and two concerts. High school students will automatically receive waivers. The Chorus regularly rehearses on Thursday evenings from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at the Presbyterian Church and will sing traditional choral Christmas music. For additional information, call 541-997-3469. Watch for the communitychorusflorenceoregon.org website with registration forms to complete and bring in.

### FOOD BACKPACK FOR KIDS

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### Area veterans invited to DAV barbecue

On Saturday, Aug. 18, the Disabled American Veterans (DAV) are hosting an All Veterans Barbecue at the DAV Hall, 1715 21st St. Free hot dogs and hamburgers will be available starting at 11 a.m. DAV meets the third Tuesday of every month at 5 p.m. at the DAV Hall. The next meeting is Aug. 21. For more information, call 541-590-0420.

### CITY LIGHTS CINEMAS

\$9.50 | \$8.50 Sen/Student/Military | \$8 Matinees Before 2 | \$7.50 Child | \$6.50 Members | Performing Arts: \$19/\$15/\$10

August 17 - 23	FRI 17	SAT 18	SUN 19	MON 20	TUE 21	WED 22	THU 23
<b>LEAVE NO TRACE - Shot in Oregon!</b> PG 108 MIN - "The first few minutes are as entrapping as the spider webs the camera notices in passing. They catch you up in a suspenseful wilderness tale that opens out to an urgent drama of conflict, beauty and growth."	1:00 PM 6:30 PM	11:00 AM 1:25 PM 6:40 PM	12:20 PM 5:05 PM	12:20 PM 5:05 PM	12:20 PM 5:05 PM	12:20 PM 2:45 PM	12:20 PM 5:05 PM
<b>THE MEG</b> PG-13 113 MIN - "The Meg is the most enjoyable movie of the summer. Everything you want out of a trip to the movies."	12:50 PM 3:40 PM 6:20 PM 9:10 PM	1:00 PM 3:40 PM 6:30 PM 9:10 PM	12:50 PM 3:50 PM 6:40 PM	12:50 PM 3:50 PM 6:40 PM	12:50 PM 3:50 PM 6:40 PM	12:50 PM 3:50 PM 6:40 PM	12:50 PM 3:50 PM 6:40 PM
<b>MILE 22 - R 94 MIN - James Silva (Mark Wahlberg) is an operative of the CIA's most highly-prized and least-understood unit. Aided by a top-secret tactical command team, Silva must retrieve and transport an asset who holds life-threatening information to Mile 22 for extraction before the enemy closes in.</b>	1:10 PM 3:30 PM 6:15 PM 9:00 PM	10:50 AM 2:20 PM 4:30 PM 6:20 PM 9:10 PM	12:40 PM 3:00 PM 5:15 PM 7:25 PM	12:40 PM 3:00 PM 5:15 PM 7:25 PM	12:40 PM 3:00 PM 5:15 PM 7:25 PM	12:40 PM 3:00 PM 5:20 PM 8:05 PM	12:40 PM 3:00 PM 5:15 PM 7:25 PM
<b>MISSION: IMPOSSIBLE - FALLOUT</b> PG-13 147 MIN - "Fallout is the film he's always promised us, and it was totally worth the wait." IndieWire	12:40 PM 3:20 PM 6:10 PM 8:50 PM	12:40 PM 3:30 PM 6:10 PM 9:00 PM	12:30 PM 3:30 PM 6:30 PM	12:30 PM 3:30 PM 6:30 PM	12:30 PM 3:30 PM 6:30 PM	12:30 PM 3:30 PM 6:30 PM	12:30 PM 3:30 PM 6:30 PM
<b>SORRY TO BOTHER YOU</b> R 105 MIN - "Boots Riley's first feature is a scintillating comedic outburst of political imagination and visionary fury." New Yorker	3:50 PM 8:40 PM	3:50 PM 8:40 PM	2:45 PM 7:30 PM	2:45 PM 7:30 PM	2:45 PM 7:30 PM	7:30 PM	2:45 PM 7:30 PM

### Events & Performing Arts:

	FRI 17	SAT 18	SUN 19	MON 20	TUE 21	WED 22	THU 23
<b>ROYAL SHAKESPEARE CO: ROMEO &amp; JULIET</b> 180 MIN - "Erica Whyman's fresh, engaging production is more successful than most in this respect." Stage		11:00 AM					
<b>EXHIBITION ON SCREEN: MATISSE</b> 90 MIN - "Henri Matisse: The Cut-Outs was hailed the most successful exhibition in Tate Modern's history. See the show at City Lights!"						6:00 PM	

Box Office opens 30 min. prior to 1<sup>st</sup> Film | 1930 HWY 101 | [www.citylightscinemas.com](http://www.citylightscinemas.com) | Times: 541-305-0014

SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
AUGUST 18	AUGUST 19	AUGUST 20	AUGUST 21	AUGUST 22	AUGUST 23	AUGUST 24
Sunny	Sunny	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny
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