

Siuslaw News Sports & Recreation

SPORTS Calendar

Sept. 4

- MHS volleyball hosts Siletz 6 p.m.
- SHS volleyball at Bandon vs. Douglas 5:30 p.m.

Sept. 6

- MHS volleyball hosts McKenzie 7 p.m.
- SHS volleyball hosts P. Hill 6:30 p.m.

TIDE TABLE

Entrance Siuslaw River

High Tide	Low Tide
Sept. 1	
4:32am / 5.6	10:20am / 1.8
4:38pm / 6.8	11:28pm / 0.9
Sept. 2	
5:38am / 5.2	11:08am / 2.3
5:28pm / 6.8	
Sept. 3	
6:58am / 5.0	12:35am / 0.7
6:29pm / 6.8	12:11pm / 2.8
Sept. 4	
8:21am / 5.1	1:47am / 0.4
7:39pm / 7.0	1:30pm / 3.0
Sept. 5	
9:34am / 5.4	2:57am / 0.0
8:49pm / 7.2	2:49pm / 2.9
Sept. 6	
10:32am / 5.9	3:58am / -0.5
9:54pm / 7.6	3:58pm / 2.5
Sept. 7	
11:21am / 6.4	4:538am / -0.9
10:53pm / 7.9	4:58pm / 1.9

Free fishing throughout Oregon today, tomorrow

During today, Sept. 1, and tomorrow, Sept. 2, no fishing licenses or tags (including a Combined Angling Tag or Columbia River Basin Endorsement) are required to fish, crab or clam anywhere in Oregon for both residents and non-residents.

Although no licenses or tags are required, all other fishing regulations apply including closures, bag limits and size restrictions.

“Get out and enjoy the last weekend of summer and do some fishing with family and friends,” said Mike Gauvin, ODFW recreational fisheries manager.

Look for the best fishing opportunities in ODFW’s Weekly Recreation Report, which is updated every Wednesday. Some good bets for new anglers this time of year are warm-water fishing and trout.

Several waterbodies will be stocked with trout in time for the holiday weekend, see the Trout Stocking Schedule or Recreation Report for



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The dock at Cleawox Lake was a popular fishing spot during last year’s statewide Free Fishing days over Labor Day Weekend.

details. Oregon will have one final weekend of free fishing on Nov. 23-24, the Friday and Saturday after Thanksgiving.



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Mapleton wide receiver Evan Moso sprints to the end zone on an interception, with blocking from JJ Neece.

SAILORS SINK PIRATES, 74-36

By Ned Hickson
Siuslaw News

“It’s still not over. They could still come back,” said Jeff Greene, now in his eighth year as head coach of the Mapleton Sailor football team.

His remark came late in the first quarter, after the team took over on downs against the visiting Perrydale

Pirates, then scored on a quarterback keeper from JJ Neece to go ahead 30-0.

The Sailors were clearly in control from the opening kick-off, which led to a six-play, 65-yard drive to the end zone for an 8-0 lead less than 4 minutes into the game.

On the second play of the Pirates’ first possession, a fumble off the snap fell into the hands of Neece on

Perrydale’s 30-yard line. The Sailors promptly scored within two minutes, with Evan Moso breaching the end zone and Neece providing the conversion for a 16-0 lead with 7:51 still on the first-period clock.

Mapleton kept up the pressure on

See **SAILORS 3B**

SIUSLAW BOOSTERS CELEBRATES AUCTION RESULTS, LOOKS TO FUTURE

More than 250 people attended this year’s Siuslaw Athletic Booster Club (SABC) dinner and auction on Aug. 11, helping raise an estimated \$40,000 for athletics at Siuslaw Middle and High School.

It was the SABC’s 14 year of hosting the fundraising event, which consistently raises \$25,000 to \$50,000 annually. SABC president Steve Moser thanked those who donated “and

worked tirelessly on this year’s event, which would not have been possible without such generosity and talent.”

The Booster Club donates to the high school and middle school sports programs in three ways.

First, the club donates toward the actual cost of many of the school sports programs, providing additional funding where the district may fall short. This results in what the SABC esti-

mates to be about 20 percent of the total athletic funding each year.

Money raised by the SABC also goes to support the Ian Foster Fund, which awards scholarships to help cover sports participation fees for athletes at both the middle and high schools.

In the 2017-18 school year, the Ian Foster Fund awarded scholarships to

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TIME OUT

By Lloyd Little
Retired teacher, coach and game official

With more than 55 years as an athlete, coach, parent and spectator, Lloyd Little has gained some insights and perspectives regarding athletics. In this weekly column, he shares what he’s learned about sports from his multiple points of view.

Just One More

Many times in our lives we say to ourselves “just one more.” It may be to read one more page or chapter before going to sleep. We sometimes find ourselves reading far into the night only to be tired in the morning.

“Just one more” can also cause us to delay a new activity. This occurs more today with all the electronic

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On the Bite

A WEEKLY
FISHING REPORT FOR THE
LOCAL REGION
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MID COAST LAKES: Stocking of mid coast lakes stopped in early June, but fishing for warmwater species can still be good in several area lakes, including Ollala Reservoir, Mercer Lake, Siltcoos Lake and Tahkenitch Lake.

SIUSLAW RIVER: Cutthroat trout, fall Chinook

Fall Chinook fishing on the Siuslaw river/bay opened Aug. 1, a few fish are being caught low in the system but overall fishing has been slow. Expect numbers of fall Chinook entering the bays and estuaries to increase later in the month and into September. Best techniques include trolling herring/spinners and bobber fishing with bait.

Sea-run cutthroat will begin entering the lower river later this month and into the fall. These fish are very aggressive, respond well to flies and lures, and can be up to 20-inches long.

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