

What's happening in the Siuslaw region

Tuesdays
Yoga for Pain Management & Easeful Body
Sponsored by PeaceHealth Peace Harbor; 2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.
Free and drop-ins welcome
Lane Community College Florence Center

Wednesdays
Fun Connections Playgroup
For children 5 and under
9:30 to 11 a.m.
Open to families of young children
Pregnancy & Parenting Center, 1525 12th St., Suite G

Points of Grace Community Acupuncture
Experience relief from pain and stress
11 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Donations accepted
1845 Highway 126

Exploring Biblical Topics with Pastor George Pagel
6 to 7 p.m.; Open to the public
Florence Foursquare Church, 1641 Highway 101

Thursdays
Community Chorus of Florence
7 to 8:30 p.m.; Open to new members
Presbyterian Church of the Siuslaw
541-997-3469, www.communitychorusflorenceoregon.org

Mapleton Cribbage Club
Second and fourth Thursdays
5 p.m.; Open to public
Mapleton Branch of Siuslaw Public Library

Every 2nd & 4th Friday
Florence Testing for HIV and HepC
Hosted by Alliance for Men's Wellness and HIV Alliance
11 a.m. to 3 p.m.; Free to public
PeaceHealth Oregon Cardiology, 310 Ninth St.

Weekly
Yoga at the Yachats Commons
Therapeutic — Tuesday 9:30 to 11 a.m. & Friday 8 to 9:30 a.m.; gym
Vinyasa Flow for beginners/intermediate — Thursday 3 to 4:30 p.m.; Room 8
Bikram-Ease — Tuesday 4:20 to 6 p.m.; Room 8
541-47-4139, altruh444@gmail.com

Florence Pickle-Ball Association
Monday, Wednesday and Friday — weather permitting
8:30 to 11 a.m.; Open to all ages and skill levels
Rolling Dunes Park, 35th St, Florence

Through Jan. 1
Winter Break for Lane Community College Florence Center
lanecc.edu/florence/florence-classes

Through Jan. 6
Winter Break for Mapleton and Siuslaw school districts
mapleton.k12.or.us, siuslaw.k12.or.us



Bret Lucich and the Paul Biondi Experience play throughout the weekend at Three Rivers Casino Resort's Blue Bills Sports Bar & Tap Room, 5647 Highway 126 in Florence. Dance your way into 2019 with this dynamic group, which plays from 8 p.m. to midnight from Dec. 29 to 31. Come experience all their top jazz hits and don't feel shy about getting up to dance! Guests will enjoy a wide array of sounds as Lucich's vocal abilities, in combination with Biondi's saxophone, create an unique experience listeners won't soon forget!

As a reminder, there is no cover charge, but patrons must be 21 or older to attend. To learn more about Three Rivers Casino Resort and the October entertainment line-up at Blue Bills Sports Bar & Tap Room, visit www.threeriverscasino.com/events.

On New Year's Eve, party favors will be passed out on the casino floor throughout the evening and hot seat drawings will be from 1 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 9 p.m., with grand prize drawings at 4:30 p.m. and 9:30 p.m.

Dec. 29
Christmas Tree Pick-Up Fundraiser
Siuslaw Valley Firefighters Association
10 a.m. to 2 p.m.; Donations accepted
Call 541-997-3212 to schedule pickup

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Jan. 1
New Year's Day

New Year's Peace Hike
6-mile round trip hike to the Amanda Trail Grotto
9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Open to public
Yachats Commons, 441 Highway 101

Jan. 2
Florence Area Community Coalition
Featuring 90 by 30 Child Abuse Prevention Project
9 to 10:30 a.m.
Open to public; refreshments served
Siuslaw Public Library

Blood Drive by Bloodworks NW
9 a.m. to noon
Open to public; bring photo ID
Florence Senior Center, 1570 Kingwood St.

Friends of Florence Van Fans Luncheon Meeting

11:45 a.m.
Open to public, lunch available for \$8.50
Shorewood Senior Living, 1451 Spruce
541-991-3209

Alzheimer's Support Group
1 to 2:30 p.m.
Open to public; light refreshments
Regency Florence
541-997-8436

Florence Community Suppers
5:30 to 6:30 p.m.
Open to public
Presbyterian Church of the Siuslaw, 39996 Highway 101
United Methodist Church, 333 Kingwood St.

Jan. 3
City Club of Florence Oregon
Featuring Siuslaw News editors Ned Hickson & Chantelle Meyer
Noon
Open to public; lunch available for purchase
Ocean Dunes Golf Links Club House, 3345 Munsel Lake Road

Toastmasters
5:30 to 6:30 p.m.; Open to public
Port of Siuslaw Office

Yachats Big Band Plays
Dancing encouraged
7 to 9 p.m.; Donations appreciated
Yachats Commons, 441 N Highway 101 in Yachats

Jan. 5
Christmas Tree Pick-Up Fundraiser
Siuslaw Valley Firefighters Association
10 a.m. to 2 p.m.; Donations accepted
Call 541-997-3212 to schedule pickup

Florence Area Democratic Club Meeting
11 a.m.; Open to public
Siuslaw Public Library

Jan. 7
CROW holds open auditions for "The Wiz"
6:30 p.m.

Open to youth actors
CROW Center for the Performing Arts, 3120 Highway 101
www.crowkids.com/auditions

Jan. 8
Us TOO Florence Prostate Cancer Support Group
With Dr. Bryan Mehlhaff
5 to 7 p.m.; Open to public
Ichiban Restaurant; 541-999-4239

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Jan. 9
Advance Care Planning Health Care Decisions Workshop
1 to 3 p.m.; Open to public
Lane Community College Florence Center, 3149 Oak St.
541-997-3418

Florence Community Suppers
5:30 to 6:30 p.m.
Open to public
New Life Lutheran Church, 2100 Spruce St.

Invited callbacks for "The Wiz"
6:30 p.m.
Open to invited actors
CROW Center for the Performing Arts, 3120 Highway 101
www.crowkids.com/auditions

SEA Coastal Concert Series: Christian Howes
7 p.m.; Tickets required
Florence Events Center
www.seacoastea.org/

Jan. 10
Living with Alzheimer's: For Caregivers — Late Stage
Series continues Feb. 13
10:30 a.m. to 12 p.m.
Open to public; RSVP 1-800-272-3900
Siuslaw Public Library

Toastmasters
12:05 to 12:55 p.m.; Open to public
Siuslaw Valley Fire and Rescue Main Station

Jan. 12
2nd Saturday Gallery Tour
3 to 5 p.m.; Open to public
Various locations around Florence
2ndSaturdayGalleryTour.com

Jan. 13
Mapleton Lions Club Breakfast
Pancakes, Eggs, Ham and/or Sausage, OJ and Coffee
7:30 to 10:30 a.m.
Cost \$7 for adults, \$4 Kids
Mapleton Lions Club, 88148 Riverview Ave.

Jan. 14
Fresh Impressions Exhibit Reception
5 to 7 p.m.; Open to public
Florence Events Center

Jan. 15
Us TOO Florence Prostate Cancer Support Group
With Dr. Roger McKimmy
Noon to 1 p.m.; open to public
Ichiban Restaurant; 541-999-4239

Siuslaw Diabetes/Prediabetes Support Group
2 p.m.; Open to public
Conference Room at Siuslaw Public Library; 541-902-6059

Disabled American Veterans Meeting
5 p.m.
Open to area veterans
Florence DAV Hall, 1715 21st St.

Jan. 16
Alzheimer's Support Group
1 to 2:30 p.m.
Open to public; light refreshments
Regency Florence
541-997-8436

Florence Community Suppers
5:30 to 6:30 p.m.; Open to public
St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 2136 19th St.

A Weekly Listing of Community Events in the Florence Area

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Prostate Cancer Education Support on the Oregon Coast
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- Tuesday Evening Group (2nd Tuesday) 5-7 p.m. - Ichiban Chinese/Japanese Restaurant • Urologist Dr. Bryan Mehlhaff attends.
- Tuesday Lunch Group (3rd Tuesday) 12 noon - 1:00 p.m. - Ichiban Chinese/Japanese Restaurant • Urologist Dr. Roger McKimmy attends.

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