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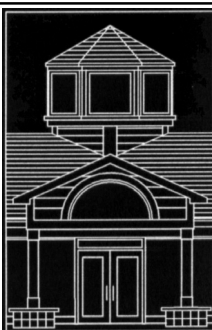
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Library Tidings

News about the Siuslaw Public Library



Library Tidings by Kevin Mittge features news about upcoming Siuslaw Public Library programs for adults and children, new books and videos, and other library news of interest to the community.

Book Review

“Lost Children Archive”

by Porter Fox

A mother and father set out with their two children, a boy and a girl, driving from New York to Arizona in the heat of summer. Their destination: Apacheria, the place the Apaches once called home. “Why Apaches?” asks the 10-year-old son. “Because they were the last of something,” answers his father. In their car, they play games and sing along to music. But on the radio, there is news about an “immigration crisis and thousands of kids trying to cross the southwestern border into the United States, but getting detained — or lost in the desert along the way.” As the family drives — through Virginia to Tennessee, across Oklahoma and Texas — we sense they are on the brink of a crisis of their own. A fissure is growing between the parents, one the children can almost feel beneath their feet. They are led, inexorably, to a grand, harrowing adventure — both in the desert landscape and within the chambers of their own imaginations. Told through several compelling voices, blending texts, sounds and images, “Lost Children Archive” is an astonishing feat of literary virtuosity. It is a richly engaging story of how we document our experiences, and how we remember the things that matter to us the most. With urgency and empathy, it takes us deep into the lives of one remarkable family as it probes the nature of justice and equality today.

Why DIY? Self-Sufficiency and American Life

“Why DIY? Self-Sufficiency and American Life,” is a free Oregon Humanities project conversation with Jennifer Burns

Bright on Tuesday, June 4, at 1 p.m. in the library’s Bromley Room.

Are we as self-sufficient as we can be? As we should be? What are the pleasures and pitfalls of doing it yourself? Join a free community conversation that investigates why we strive to be makers and doers in a world that provides more conveniences than ever before. Bright is an Oregon food educator and travel writer now based in Portland. She taught literature at the University of Oregon, where she researched modernism and desire, led a faculty research group in the emerging discipline of food studies, and won a national pedagogy award for a team-taught, interdisciplinary class on bread. She holds a PhD from the University of California at Irvine and a Master Food Preserver certification from OSU Extension. When she’s not out gathering seaweed or fermenting fruit, she might be found interviewing young farmers, old pirates and mad scientists. Through the Conversation Project, Oregon Humanities offers free programs that engage community members in thoughtful, challenging conversations about ideas critical to our daily lives and our state’s

Endowment Books

On Thursday, June 6, beginning at 1 p.m., librarian Kevin Mittge will be presenting a selection of this year’s endowment books, the purchase of which is made possible by the contributions to the Siuslaw Public Library’s Endowment Fund, administered by Western Lane Community Foundation. Attendees will get the first chance to view and check out some wonderful new library books.



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A great place to retire! Large living room, built in china hutch, kitchen/family room combo. Covered patio
2 Bdrm, 2 Ba 1440 sq ft
\$225,000 BH7858 ML#19618705



NEW LISTING
Cleared level corner lot near the heart of Old Town "Main Street A" zoning allows for a variety of uses
.21 acres
\$159,900 BH7857 ML#19016907



NEW LISTING
70' of Collard Lake frontage with private dock. Wall of windows capture the lake & tree views. 1488 sqft lower level ready to be finished for extra space w/separate entrance
3 Bdrm, 2 Ba 1986 sq ft
\$575,000 BH7853 ML#19692020



NEW LISTING
Fabulous 1st home or use as a 2nd home. Beautifully appointed. Private backyard with finished double garage. Must see!!
2 Bdrm, 2 Ba 1231 sq ft
\$325,000 BH7846 ML#19224795



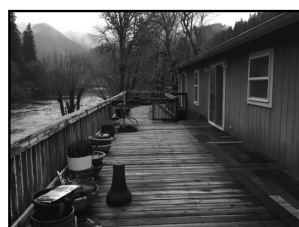
NEW LISTING
Gorgeous Golden West on 1.12 level acres with attached 24'x24' garage plus 15'x24' workshop & a 22'x26' detached garage, RV pad w/50 amp & dumpsite
3 Bdrm, 2 Ba 2389 sq ft
\$459,000 BH7847 ML#19013648



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3.5 ac estate property w/Woahink Lake access, common area trail to lake. 3 car attached garage plus Large RV garage. Waterfall & pond. Garden spot. 3 full en suites
3 Bdrm, 4 full & 3 partial Ba 3356 sqft
\$799,000 BH7729 ML#18280268



FEATURED LISTING
Enchanted Valley community dock on beautiful Mercer Lake. Build your dream home. .77 acre
\$39,000 BH7568 ML#17341221



FEATURED LISTING
Golden West beauty, well maintained home. River access or fish from the deck surrounding your home on the Siuslaw River. Fruit trees & a place to garden
3 Bdrm, 2 Ba 1674 sq ft
\$350,000 BH7829 ML#17341221



NEW LISTING
Panoramic views up & down the Siuslaw River from kitchen, great room, master bdrm & bath. 1.56 ac lot, RV parking, workshop. Skylights, New carpet, vinyl & paint throughout in 2019. BY APPOINTMENT ONLY 3 Bdrm + den, 3 Ba 1967 sq ft
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