

Community News

SMS team wins county 'Brain Bowl'



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Siuslaw Middle School Knowledge Bowl Team members (from left) Sam Castle, Ava Glowacki, Jeff Edmond, Landon Severy, Kyle Hughes and Ian Sissel with their first-place plaque.

On May 31, 16 members of Siuslaw Middle School Knowledge Bowl Team traveled to Lane Community College to compete against 38 other middle school teams from around Lane County in the Lane County Brain Bowl competition.

In the end, one of the three teams

from Siuslaw made the finals of the event and won first place, doubling the score of the second-place team in the finals.

The winning team consisted of seventh graders Landon Severy and Sam Castle and eighth graders Jeff Edmond, Ava Glowacki, Ian Sissel and Kyle Hughes.

It is the first time that a team from Siuslaw has won the competition. Last year, one of the teams placed fourth.

This was the final event for the Knowledge Bowl Team for the school year.

Registration for Festival of Books opens June 10

Registration is about to open for authors or publishers who wish to participate in the 9th Annual Florence Festival of Books, held Saturday, Sept. 28, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., at the Florence Events Center.

Registration opens June 10 and tables generally fill up well before the Sept. 1 deadline.

Large and small publishers as well as fiction, non-fiction and children's authors are welcome to participate. The festival is a celebration of print books and is free to the public.

For authors and publishers participating, it's a networking opportunity, and potential authors can discuss their manuscripts with participating publishers.

The fees are \$60 for a single 6-foot table, \$75 for a single 8-foot table, \$90 for a shared 8-foot table, and \$100 for a group of three at an 8-foot table. There is no fee for authors under 18 years of age.

Participants keep 100 percent of sales.

Besides the book fair, there are two events on



Friday, Sept. 27. The first is at 7 p.m., when best-selling author Bob Welch, award-winning newspaper columnist and author of more than 20 books including "The Wizard of Foz," will be the keynote speaker.

Tickets are \$8 in advance and \$10 at the door.

Then, from 3 to 4:30 p.m., all are invited to a free authors and publishers panel discussion. This year's topic will be "The Ins and Outs of Publishing."

The application is available as of June 10 on the FFOB website at www.florencefestivalof-books.org.

For more information and keynote tickets, contact the Florence Events Center at 541-997-1994 or 888-968-4086.

Siuslaw student among Kaiser scholarship winners

Hayley Meier, a senior at Siuslaw High School, has been awarded a \$2,000 scholarship through the Kaiser Permanente Northwest Health Care Career Scholarship Program. She plans to pursue a health

care career.

Thirteen students in Lane County were awarded a total of \$37,000. Overall, Kaiser Permanente Northwest has awarded more than a half million dollars (\$549,000) in college scholarships to 173 diverse students in Oregon and Washington in 2019 through its Health Care Career Scholarship Program.

The program is part of the organization's ongoing efforts to improve community health by increasing

access to educational opportunity and developing a health care workforce that mirrors the communities it serves.

This year's investment brings the total scholarships awarded since the program's inaugural year in 2009 to over \$4 million.

Recipients of the scholarship receive more than financial assistance. Kaiser Permanente also connects recipients throughout college with professional development and career

learning opportunities such as free resume and interview workshops, paid internships and volunteering opportunities to support their persistence to degree completion and readiness to enter the health care field.

More information on the Kaiser Permanente Northwest Health Care Career Scholarship Program is at share.kaiserpermanente.org/article/northwest-health-care-career-scholarship-program.

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June 7 - 13	FRI 7	SAT 8	SUN 9	MON 10	TUE 11	WED 12	THU 13
ALADDIN - PG 128 MIN - "A great deal of fun, with charming leads and elaborately mounted songs. It's hardly a whole new world, but in this suddenly well-populated land of live-action reboots, makes the most out of its familiar one."	1:10 PM 3:45 PM 6:00 PM 8:35 PM	12:30 PM 3:45 PM 6:00 PM 8:35 PM	1:10 PM 3:45 PM 6:00 PM	1:10 PM 4:00 PM 6:30 PM	1:10 PM 4:00 PM 6:30 PM	1:10 PM 4:00 PM 6:30 PM	1:10 PM 6:50 PM
GODZILLA: KING OF THE MONSTERS PG-13 131 MIN - The crypto-zoological agency Monarch faces off against a battery of god-sized monsters, including the mighty Godzilla, who collides with Mothra, Rodan, and his ultimate nemesis, the three-headed King Ghidorah.	12:50 PM 3:35 PM 6:20 PM 8:55 PM	3:00 PM 6:00 PM 8:55 PM	12:50 PM 3:35 PM 6:20 PM	12:50 PM 3:50 PM 6:50 PM	12:50 PM 3:50 PM 6:50 PM	12:50 PM 3:50 PM	12:50 PM 3:50 PM
MEN IN BLACK: INTERNATIONAL PG-13 115 MIN - <i>Previews!</i>							4:00 PM 7:00 PM
ROCKETMAN - R 121 MIN - "What makes Rocketman a gift of entertainment that keeps on giving is the brilliance of the musical numbers coupled with the complexity of the star's portrayal." Wall Street Journal	1:00 PM 3:35 PM 6:10 PM 9:05 PM	1:00 PM 3:25 PM 6:10 PM 9:05 PM	1:00 PM 3:35 PM 6:10 PM	1:00 PM 3:45 PM 6:40 PM	1:00 PM 3:45 PM 6:40 PM	1:00 PM 3:55 PM 6:50 PM	1:00 PM 3:45 PM 6:40 PM
THE SECRET LIFE OF PETS 2 PG 86 MIN - "The formula may be familiar, but the personalities are completely fresh, yielding a menagerie of loveable - if downright ugly - cartoon critters banding together to help these two incompatible roommates from ending up on the streets." Variety	1:30 PM 3:55 PM 6:30 PM 8:45 PM	12:10 PM 2:00 PM 4:00 PM 6:30 PM 8:45 PM	1:30 PM 3:55 PM 6:30 PM	1:30 PM 4:10 PM 7:00 PM	1:30 PM 4:10 PM 7:00 PM	1:30 PM 3:45 PM 7:00 PM	1:30 PM 4:10 PM 6:30 PM

Events & Performing Arts:	FRI 7	SAT 8	SUN 9	MON 10	TUE 11	WED 12	THU 13
EXHIBITION ON SCREEN: VAN GOGH & JAPAN - NR 85 MIN - Discover how important Japan was to the artist.		12:00 PM					
BOLSHOI BALLET: CARMEN SUITE / PETRUSHKA NR 140 MIN - Carmen features Bolshoi star Svetlana Zakharova						6:00 PM	

Box Office opens 30 min. prior to 1st Film | 1930 HWY 101 | www.citylightscinemas.com | Times: 541-305-0014

SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
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