

# Garden Club awards scholarship



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The Florence Garden Club is very proud to award its Adult Water Resources/Sustainability Scholarship for 2019 to Kyle Terry (above left, with Florence Garden Club member DeEtte Miller.) Terry has an extensive background in forestry, native plants and habitat restoration for water quality and aquatic life. He is currently the programs manager for the Siuslaw Watershed Council, managing the Fivemile-Bell restoration project, Volunteer Water Quality Monitoring, Native Plant Distribution, Knowles Creek Smolt Trap and Summer Youth Camps. Terry earned a B.S. in Environmental Geography and Geographical Information Sciences (GIS) from the University of Oregon. This \$635 award will fund his summer courses in continuing education as he serves the local watershed and community.

# Join the Rotary Youth Exchange

Florence Rotarians are currently looking for students and host families to be involved in Rotary International's Youth Exchange Program this coming year. The Youth Exchange Program is a structured program of Rotary International to provide young people with an opportunity to meet individuals from other countries, experience new cultures, and learn first-hand about all aspects of life in another country. These exchanges are open to students 15 to 19 years old, and usually span for one academic year. Students live with more than one family in the host country and are required to attend school there. Host families, host clubs and entire communities are enriched by extended friendly contact with someone from a different culture. The program instills in young people the concept of international understanding and goodwill. Florence Rotary provides

three host families for approximately three months each. If you are interested in becoming a host family for one of these young students, please contact Beth Webb at 509-389-8619 or Jody Driver at 509-378-5710. For students and families interested in the outgoing student program, there will be an informational presentation coming this September, with the date and time of the event to be announced through the high school and local media.

# New Life Lutheran helps feed the hungry

When the offering plate is passed around during the Sunday service at New Life Lutheran, Florence Food Share "keeps the change" as all the coins go to it. The church also hosts a community supper once a month during nine months of the year and has a "bread Sunday" once a month to add to the food pantry.

A new program has just been initiated with the Church Council's blessing by Bryant and Gail Payne. Green bags are given to members of the congregation to fill with canned goods and other nonperishable foods. Bryant reported that he collected 225 pounds of food and delivered it to food share. This is the way the church fulfills the biblical directive to feed the hungry.

Florence Food Share began in 1980 as a grassroots movement to provide emergency food to the needy, elderly, unemployed and underemployed of Florence. It was put together by a group of churches, including New

Life Lutheran, and operated out of people's garages and car trunks. Originally called Manana Ministries, the food share operated out of various locations until 1994 when it found a permanent home at New Life Lutheran Church.

The Florence Food Share building was built with grants and a local building fund drive led by Del Phelps and Dave Dahlberg. Local contractor Robert Wilcox led the volunteers and paid workers for the completion of the building. The land on which it is built is leased to the food share by the church for \$1 a year.

Florence Food Share handles not only packaged food items but grows a garden with fresh produce. The food is given at no cost to those who submit an application and qualify.

Florence Food Share is located on New Life Lutheran property at 2100 Spruce St. It continues to thrive and grow.

# Lane Community College board seeks applicants for Zone 5

The Lane Community College Board of Education invites applications for appointment to its Zone 5 vacancy for the 2019-23 term.

The appointee would serve two years and then run for election in 2021. Under Oregon law, appointees serve until the district's next election.

Applicants must live within Zone 5 which includes downtown and south Eugene.

A complete zone description is available online at [www.lanec.edu/board/zone-descriptions](http://www.lanec.edu/board/zone-descriptions).

To apply, applicants should send a letter of interest and a resume including previous board or leadership experience to Lane Community College Board of Education Chair

Mike Eyster in care of Executive Assistant to the President and Board Donna Zmolek, 4000 E. 30th Ave., Eugene OR 97405, or email [zmolekd@lanec.edu](mailto:zmolekd@lanec.edu).

The deadline to apply is July 1. Interviews will be held July 9, with final interviews on July 11.

At its May 23 special meeting, the board decided to leave the current Zone 5 vacancy open; it expires June 30.

The board cannot declare a vacancy for the 2019-23 term until election results are certified by Lane County, expected to be around June 10, but the board can begin a search process.

For more information go online at [www.lanec.edu/board](http://www.lanec.edu/board).

# Drivers needed for seniors

People are invited to sign up with Florence Senior Connections to drive their own vehicle to take senior citizens who otherwise have no transportation to their medical appointments in Florence, Eugene, Springfield and the Coos Bay/North Bend areas.

Mileage is reimbursed at .405 cents per mile, which is not taxable and does not interfere with Oregon Health Plan or Food Stamp

determination. The hours are typically weekdays. People who sign up can decide which days and hours they are willing to help.

In addition, people can accept or decline rides any time and will not be asked to drive during dangerous road conditions.

If interested in volunteering, contact Kristine Sirmans with Florence Senior Connections at 541-902-9430 x7830.

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**THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS**  
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**CROSS ROAD ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
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Adult Bible Class, 9:30am on Sundays.  
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[florencecrossroadag.org](http://florencecrossroadag.org) • [office@florencecrossroadag.org](mailto:office@florencecrossroadag.org)

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH - SBC**  
1935 25th St. - 997-7660 • Pastor, Ron Allen  
Series "People of the Bible." on Wednesdays 6 p.m.  
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Worship Service: 9:00 am & 10:30 am  
Middle School and High School youth groups meet on Wednesday.

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Pre-Denominational (Romans 16:16)  
1833 Tamarack Street (2 blocks east of Hwy. 101 on 18th St.)  
Bible Study: Sunday 10 a.m.; Worship: Sunday 11 a.m.  
[www.churchofchristflorence.org](http://www.churchofchristflorence.org)

**FLORENCE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
12th and Nopal -997-9020 • Worship Service 10:30 a.m.  
Saturdays, Mens' Breakfast @ 8 a.m.  
Online Worship Service@ [florencenaz.church](http://florencenaz.church)  
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**FLORENCE UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST FELLOWSHIP**  
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[www.FlorenceUUF.org](http://www.FlorenceUUF.org) - (541) 997.2840

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