

A Cool Walk by Two Lakes

The Yachats Coastal Gems walking group invites the public to join members on Tuesday, Sept. 3, in Florence to explore both sides of Honeyman State Park along the shores of Woahink and Cleawox lakes in a beautiful and peaceful park setting.

Dogs are allowed but must be on a six-foot non-extendable lead to walk with them and owners must carry and use appropriate cleanup materials.

The 5k (3.1 miles) walk is rated 1B for fairly level footing on natural trails. The 12k (7.5 miles) [all three sections] walk is rated 2B for those same trails

and a couple of easy hills. The distance and speed of walking is tailored to those at the walk that day. Walking sticks and sturdy shoes recommended.

The Yachats Coastal Gems will meet first at the Sportsman, 249 Highway 101, at 9:45 a.m. then drive to the walk at 10 a.m. Though people may share rides to the walk start, please do not leave vehicles in the Sportsman parking lot during the walk.

Call Maryann at (541) 961-4279 for more information or email yachats-coastalgems@gmail.com. On the day of walk, please use text or phone.

Community News

Yachats Arts Guild hosts fall show

The Yachats Arts Guild Fall Show begins Saturday, Aug. 31, and continues through Monday, Sept. 2, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day. The show is located in rooms 7 and 8 of the Yachats Commons, 441 Highway 101 N. Yachats, Oregon.

The guild will have over 20 framed art items in the exhibit, including watercolor, oil, acrylic, mosaics and stained glass, vintage collage, jewelry and photography. Also available are cards, prints and ceramic tiles of the original art.

The art displayed will be for sale as well.

The Yachats Arts Guild began in 2007 with seven founding members and has grown to the present 28 members, all from the Central Oregon Coast.



Yachats Arts Guild members' work will be on display in the annual Fall Show Aug. 31 to Sept. 2, including paintings by Carol Cassidy (above).

The guild has an ongoing display at the Yachats Public Library. Art by members also can be seen in local galleries, restaurants, book stores and gift shops.

Come meet the artists at the Fall Show at the Commons in Yachats. Individuals can also check out the art on the Yachats Arts Guild Facebook page and

on the sponsor's website at www.pollyplumb.org.

Applications for membership are available from artists who are in attendance each day.

Moving? Art Project?
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New Life Lutheran welcomes new pastor

On Aug. 4, New Life Lutheran Church welcomed their new pastor, Pastor Rachel Simonson from Minnesota.

Rachel grew up in Moorhead, Minn., and attended Lutheran Seminary in St. Paul, where she met her husband John, who was also a student. In spite of neither of them wishing to date a fellow pastor, fate or a higher power intervened. They met and were married in the summer. Both of them did their internship in Seattle, where they decided they liked the West Coast.

Their first call was to a rural parish in North



Pastor Rachel Simonson

Dakota. Pastor Rachel worked as a three-quarter pastor because she was ex-

pecting their first child.

The second call was to Minnesota Detroit Church, a small community of 9,000, which was equivalent to her third call which is Florence, Oregon. She says the weather is more clement and she finds the congregation of New Life alert and willing to work for the good of the church.

Rachel and John both enjoy hiking and have tried several of the local trails. She thinks

Florence is very nice and a good place to bring up children.

The couple have two beautiful children, Anna, 6, who will begin first grade in September, and Charlie who will attend Bright Beginnings Preschool located on church property.

The New Life Lutheran Congregation is pleased to have such a bright, dedicated young person to lead it.

New Life Lutheran Church is located at 2100 Spruce St.. For more information, call 541-997-8113 or visit www.florencechurch.org.

Learn qualification process to be Habitat homeowner

Florence Habitat for Humanity will be hosting informational meetings regarding the steps and qualification process to become a Habitat Homeowner.

There are three meetings for maximum convenience, and people only need to attend one meeting.

The nonprofit will be holding these informational meetings as it is currently accepting applications for

its next Habitat Home located in Florence.

This attached two-story, three-bedroom and 1.5-bath town home is close to local schools, childcare facilities, grocery stores and health care services, and within walking distance to Historic Old Town Florence.

Habitat Homes are sold to qualifying families.

Mortgage payments are set at no more than 30 percent of the family's income to help ensure affordability.

Florence Habitat Homes are perfect for someone living in the Siuslaw Fire District who has a need for affordable housing and would like to be a home-

owner. Employers who want to see their employees live in permanent and affordable housing should help share this information.

Habitat asks the following questions:

- Are you ready to commit to the responsibility of homeownership?
- Do you qualify for a loan but cannot afford anything on the market?
- Are you ready and able to budget for ALL expenses of homeownership?
- Are you willing to partner with Habitat by completing "sweat equity?" volunteer hours on the construction of your home?

• Are you willing to spend time getting to know your neighbors, since good relationships with neighbors are the start of a healthy, strong community?

• Do you meet the Habitat program income eligibility requirements?

Attend one of the informational meetings to learn more and pick up your application package.

The final two meetings will be held today, Aug. 24, at 10 a.m. in the Bromley Room of the Siuslaw Public Library, 1460 Ninth St., and Monday, Aug. 26, at 5:30 p.m. at Banner Bank.

For more information, visit www.florencehabitat.org.

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Performing Arts: \$19/\$15/\$10

August 23 - 29	FRI 23	SAT 24	SUN 25	MON 26	TUE 27	WED 28	THU 29
THE ANGRY BIRDS MOVIE 2 - PG 96 MIN - "Van Orman brings just the right level of dippy zeal to the project [that] channel the pure, physical hilarity of vintage Chaplin or Sellers."	12:40 PM 3:40 PM 6:10 PM 8:55 PM	3:40 PM 6:10 PM 8:55 PM	2:25 PM 5:20 PM 8:10 PM	12:00 PM 2:25 PM 5:20 PM 7:25 PM	12:00 PM 2:25 PM 5:20 PM	12:00 PM 2:25 PM 5:20 PM	12:00 PM 2:25 PM 5:20 PM
THE FAREWELL - Universally Acclaimed! PG 98 MIN - "We love this family. We laugh with this family. We weep with this family... This is a viewing experience to be treasured. It is one of the very best films of 2019." Chicago Tribune	1:00 PM 3:20 PM 6:05 PM 8:45 PM	1:00 PM 3:20 PM 6:05 PM 8:45 PM	11:50 AM 3:40 PM 5:55 PM 7:40 PM	11:50 AM 2:40 PM 5:10 PM 7:40 PM	11:50 AM 2:40 PM 5:05 PM 7:40 PM	11:50 AM 2:40 PM 5:10 PM 7:25 PM	11:50 AM 2:10 PM 4:25 PM 7:40 PM
ONCE UPON A TIME... IN HOLLYWOOD R 161 MIN - "Wistful, funny and complicated in interesting ways, Tarantino's new movie may be his warmest since Jackie Brown." Original Cin	2:50 PM 8:20 PM	2:50 PM 8:20 PM	2:05 PM 7:20 PM	2:05 PM 7:20 PM	2:05 PM 7:20 PM	2:05 PM 7:20 PM	2:05 PM 7:20 PM
WHERE'D YOU GO, BERNADETTE PG-13 130 MIN - "Cate Blanchett's nuanced portrayal of stymied creativity, exacting taste and sensibilities too bold and well-judged for an uncaring world manages to be funny and uncompromising in equal measure." WAPO	12:50 PM 3:30 PM 6:00 PM 8:30 PM	12:50 PM 3:30 PM 6:00 PM 8:30 PM	11:40 AM 2:30 PM 4:35 PM 7:30 PM	11:40 AM 2:30 PM 4:35 PM 7:30 PM	11:40 AM 2:30 PM 4:35 PM 7:30 PM	11:40 AM 2:30 PM 4:35 PM 7:30 PM	11:40 AM 2:30 PM 4:35 PM 7:30 PM
WILD ROSE - R 101 MIN - "A sweet, stirring, and yet refreshingly unsentimental tale of a singer with ambition (and pipes to match)."	1:00 PM 6:20 PM	1:00 PM 6:20 PM	12:10 PM 5:15 PM	12:10 PM 5:15 PM	12:10 PM 5:15 PM	12:10 PM 5:15 PM	12:10 PM 5:15 PM

Events & Performing Arts:	FRI 23	SAT 24	SUN 25	MON 26	TUE 27	WED 28	THU 29
A BOY NAMED CHARLIE BROWN G 86 MIN - 1st time on big screens since 1969		12:30 PM					
APOCALYPSE NOW FINAL CUT - R 183 MIN - "This new interpretation of the beloved classic absolutely deserves to be seen in theaters."			12:00 PM		6:00 PM		
KINKY BOOTS THE MUSICAL NR 135 MIN - "Freshest, most fabulous, feel-good musical of the decade."						6:00 PM	

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