

On The Record

e-Property Tax option opens

Lane County property owners now have the option to receive electronic property tax statements via email rather than paper copies.

To opt into electronic statements, visit www.lanecounty.org/at.

"We hope this improves accessibility and convenience for our residents while decreasing our carbon footprint and reducing excess paperwork," said Assessor Mike Cowles.

The deadline to opt into electronic statements for the current tax year is Sept. 30. If property owners opt in after that date, they may receive both paper and electronic copies this fall before receiving only electronic statements next year.

The 2019-20 property tax statements are planned to be online on Oct. 14 and statements are anticipated to be mailed on Oct. 18.

POW/MIA Day ceremony Friday

This Friday, Sept. 20, a special presentation will be held at Veterans Park in Old Town in recognition of Pow/MIA Day. Presented by the VFW, American Legion, DAV and their auxiliaries, the ceremony will begin at 1 p.m.

In the event of rain, the presentation will be canceled.

SNF accepting applications for summer jobs


CORVALLIS — The USDA Forest Service will be accepting applications for over 1,000 seasonal spring and summer 2020 jobs in Oregon and Washington from Sept. 16-30.

The Siuslaw National Forest will be hiring 47 positions in Hebo, Waldport and Reedsport, and include specialties such as recre-

ation, biological sciences, visitor services, wildland fire and timber. These entry level positions require a varying degree of experience and are great opportunities for college students or those looking for a new,

challenging career.

Applications must be submitted on www.USAJOBSS.gov between Sept. 16-30. More information can be found at www.gov.usa.gov/xVRjW.



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QUESTION

I was recently diagnosed with early age-related macular degeneration. Should I ask for an optical coherence tomography test to get a baseline and monitor progression of the disease?

ANSWER

In general, optical coherence tomography has not been shown to play a critical role in monitoring progression of early age-related macular degeneration. However, you should obtain retinal photographs so your Ophthalmologist can determine any changes from baseline. Should you develop symptoms of wavy or distorted vision, optical coherence tomography can be valuable in identifying fluid under the retina that would suggest progression to a later stage of age-related macular degeneration, or what is called neovascular or wet age-related macular degeneration.

Please stop by our booth at the Good Life Senior Expo on Sept. 26 in Florence with any questions you may have. We look forward to seeing you then!

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CLARIFICATION

In the front-page story "Siuslaw School Board Considers Gym Floor, Climate Change at Meeting" (Sept. 14), the date for the Climate Awareness Event was incorrect; the event will be held Saturday, Sept. 28, beginning with a rally at Highways 101 and 126 from 12:30 to 2 p.m., followed by a presentation at the Siuslaw Public Library from 2 to 3:30 p.m. This event is not to be confused with the 350 Eugene presentation this Friday, Sept. 20, being held in conjunction with the global Climate Strike. *Siuslaw News* regrets any confusion.

9TH ANNUAL



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A Taste of Tuscany

October 5th • 5:00p • Florence Events Center



Award-Winning Jazz-pop singer/songwriter Halie Loren, hailing from Alaska and Oregon, is returning to Florence for the Boys & Girls Club A Taste Of Tuscany Gala October 5th at 5:00pm. Tickets are limited and can be purchased at the Boys & Girls Club Administrative Office at 1501 Airport Road or online at <https://bgcwl.cafrogs.org>. Tickets are \$75 each or a table of eight for \$600.

Halie is driven by a passion for authentic storytelling through music. Her award-winning original songs and ten albums to-date have topped international charts. Her multi-lingual performances have delighted audiences and garnered dedicated fans around the world for over a decade in every setting — from intimate clubs with her trio to grand halls with a symphony orchestra and everything in between. "Anyone who walks into a Halie Loren show comes away the better for it... an absolutely riveting and truly original artist." (FestivalPeak.com)

The 2019 Boys & Girls Club Lip-sync Grand Prize Winner, The Coastal Fitness Cuties, will also be performing a jaw-dropping, fun-filled Fraudville encore of one of your very favorite 1960 movie songs. We promise this will be a performance you will never forget, even if you try really hard. You will see moves that arewe are still searching for the right words. You just have to see it to believe it.

Come join us for an evening that will make your heart and your feet go "pity patter" under the Tuscan Stars. All proceeds are to fund the Boys & Girls Club After School Programs, creating Great Futures.



To the world, you may be one person,
but to one child in Florence,
you may be the world

