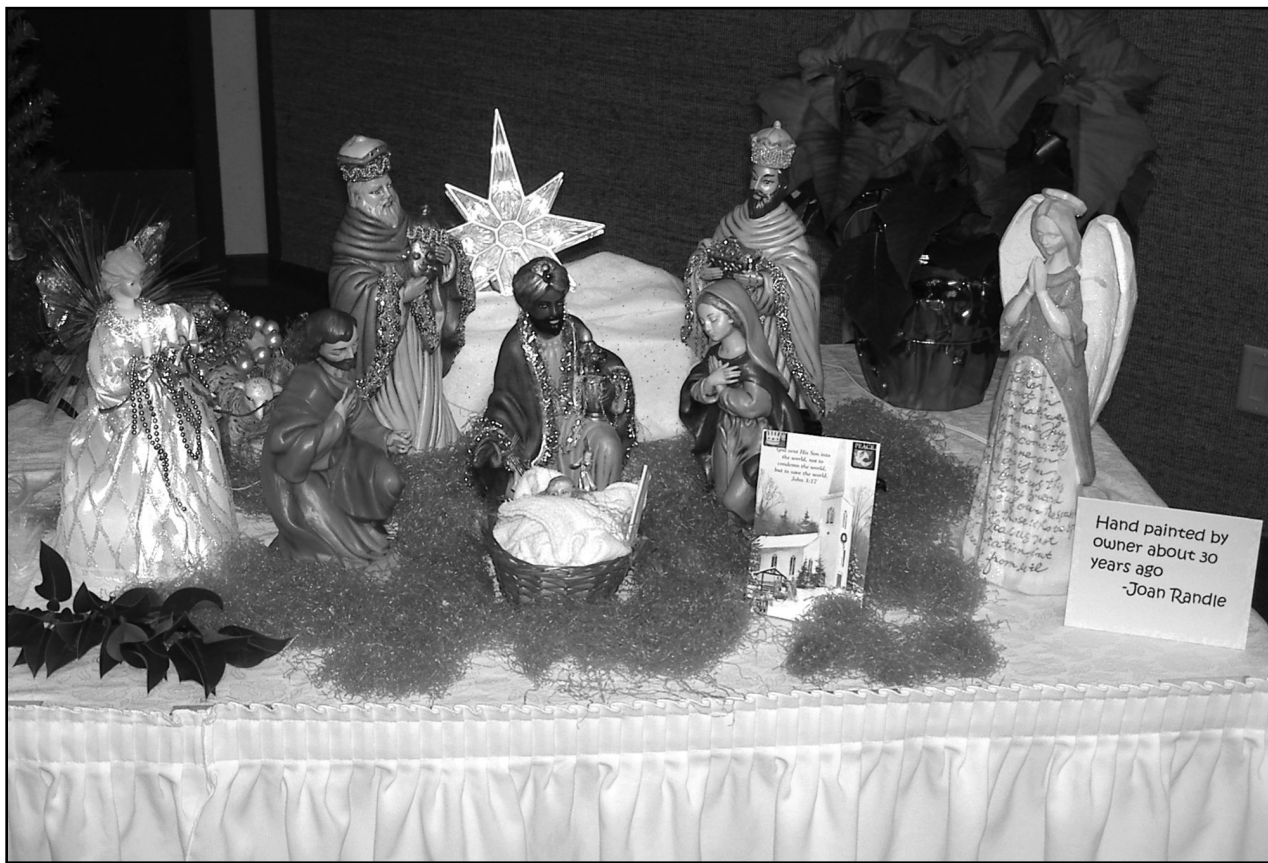


Community News

FRAA hosting 'Spooky Words' Friday

The community is invited to participate in the Spooky Word contest and costume party this Friday, Oct. 25, at the Florence Regional Arts Alliance (FRAA), 120 Maple St. in Old Town Florence. Admission is free and gift certificates will be awarded for audience-voted winners and best costume.

In addition, there will be a silent auction for other gifts. Poetry maven Jorah Lafleur will emcee the event. FRAA artwork is on display and available for purchase. Doors open at 6:30, with the poetry contest beginning at 7 p.m.



COURTESY PHOTO

One of nearly 400 Nativity scenes on display at last year's festival. This year's event will be Dec. 6-8.

Registration begins for 14th annual Nativity Festival

The Florence Nativity Festival Committee began meeting recently in preparation for its 14th annual exhibit to be held in early December. The festival for 2019 will be held Dec. 6-8, from 1 to 5 p.m. each day. The event takes place at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints building, located on the corner of North Fork and Munsel Lake Roads, and is free of charge. Children are welcome.

The festival has grown from a one-day event displaying 119 nativity scenes to a three-day festival with almost 400 crèches, tapes, and other art forms depicting the birth of Christ. Visitors who attend will be able to enjoy the sights, hear live music and capture the feeling of Christmas. Anyone in the area who wishes to display a nativity scene this year is invited to participate; displayers from past years are welcome to

join again. All nativity sets, large or small, are welcome. Security is provided for the nativity scenes once they are set up at the church. For registration information, contact Carol Parrish at 541-997-6678. More information can also be found at the Florence Nativity Festival Facebook page. The program is also looking for community members who would be willing

to assist the committee with hosting duties, musical performances as well as staging and presentation of nativities. Any help in these areas is appreciated. The festival is sponsored by the woman's auxiliary of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints. Community members of all faiths are invited to come and begin the Christmas season with focusing on the true purpose of this joyous time.

Christmas on the Coast
with
Charles Suniga and the Angels

Saturday, December 14th • 6pm
Florence Events Center

Charles Suniga a Florence native, Siuslaw High School Alum, and two time grammy nominee brings his classic holiday cheer back to the coast. Charles will be backed up by the "Angels" Audrey Breznikar, Jeannine Harwood, and Julia Weiss along with returning guest vocalists performing many of the holiday tunes we all grew up with.

For more information or to charge by phone, call the Florence Events Center's ticket office at 541-997-1994 or visit their website at www.eventcenter.org. Tickets for the performance are \$20 each.

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Wandering Reel film festival to be at City Lights Monday

Now in its fifth season of bringing powerful, thought-provoking cinema to small towns and rural communities all over North America, Wandering Reel Traveling Film Festival is back in Florence for another line-up of award-winning short films from around the world. For the fifth straight year, City Lights Cinemas, 1940 Highway 101, hosts this year's festival. The program showing is called "Is This

Love?" and features seven short stories of compassion, connection and adventure that question the power of love. This year, audiences will have two chances to catch the festival: 12:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. on Monday, Oct. 28. Tickets are \$9.50, \$8.50 for seniors/students/military or \$6.50 for City Lights members. Screenings will be followed by Q&A discussion with festival director, Michael Harrington.

Wandering Reel is a traveling short film festival with a focus on bringing meaningful films to communities with limited or no access to compassionate, thought-provoking cinema. Each film is chosen based on its merit of telling a powerful story, then programmed with films that, together, are an integral part of a larger story, represented in the theme of the program.

For the second year in a row, the festival proudly features a line-up of films feature a majority of female filmmakers, a sign that, according to festival director, Michael Harrington, "short films are once again ahead of the pack and paving the way for innovation and true gender equality in the film industry." Harrington will lead a Q&A discussion after each screening.

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SIUSLAW NEWS

Halloween party to benefit HCHA Monday

The Heart of the Coast Housing Alliance is inviting the community of Florence to a family Halloween Party event at the Elks Club this Monday, Oct. 28, from 6 to 10 p.m. Suggested donations are \$10 per adult or \$15 per couple, kids under age 12 will be admitted free. Bring

the family, wear a costume (or not) and be ready to win prizes and have some fun. There will be costume contests for both kids and adults. Bring a carved pumpkin for a Jack-O-lantern contest, enjoy music, dancing and entertainment along with appetizers and no-host bar.

There will also be a silent auction. Heart of the Coast is working for in the Florence-area community to help solve the affordable housing crisis for seniors and low-income working families. Learn more at heartofthecoast.org.

CITY LIGHTS CINEMAS

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October 25 - 31	FRI 25	SAT 26	SUN 27	MON 28	TUE 29	WED 30	THU 31
THE ADDAMS FAMILY - PG 105 MIN "Frighteningly funny and fresh, this hilarious animated treat will introduce a whole new generation to the loving and strange family."	12:30 PM 4:40 PM 7:10 PM 9:10 PM	2:35 PM 4:30 PM 7:10 PM 9:10 PM	1:45 PM 3:45 PM 5:45 PM 7:45 PM	2:55 PM 4:35 PM 7:20 PM	11:45 AM 1:45 PM 3:45 PM 7:55 PM	12:00 PM 2:00 PM 4:00 PM 8:15 PM	12:20 PM 3:00 PM 7:40 PM
JUDY - PG-13 118 MIN - "Renée Zellweger is absolutely fantastic in this role." Film Threat	12:20 PM 5:25 PM	11:10 AM 4:35 PM	12:00 PM	2:45 PM	12:00 PM 5:10 PM	12:10 PM 4:55 PM	12:00 PM 4:35 PM
MALEFICENT: MISTRESS OF EVIL PG 118 MIN "Easily the best live-action Disney fairytale since Pete's Dragon." Digital Spy	12:10 PM 2:25 PM 6:00 PM 8:35 PM	11:20 AM 1:30 PM 6:30 PM 8:30 PM	11:50 AM 2:35 PM 4:35 PM 7:10 PM	12:10 PM 2:20 PM 4:35 PM 7:10 PM	2:35 PM 4:35 PM 7:10 PM	12:10 PM 4:35 PM 7:10 PM	12:25 PM 2:35 PM 7:10 PM
MILES DAVIS: BIRTH OF THE COOL NR 115 MIN - "Truthful, gritty, elegantly musical, unpredictable and even surprising."	2:55 PM	2:00 PM	5:10 PM	5:20 PM	2:00 PM	2:45 PM	5:10 PM
OFFICIAL SECRETS - Keira Knightley R 112 MIN - "Spread the word - this is an ace political thriller." The Herald (Scotland)	3:00 PM 8:00 PM	11:00 AM 6:20 PM 8:45 PM	2:10 PM 6:55 PM	11:50 AM 4:55 PM	12:20 PM 4:55 PM 7:20 PM	2:10 PM 7:30 PM	2:10 PM 5:25 PM
TERMINATOR: DARK FATE R 128 MIN - Linda Hamilton returns!							7:00 PM
ZOMBIELAND: DOUBLE TAP - R 93 MIN - "Serves up a platter of good clean fun once more. It has plenty for first comers to enjoy and fans of the franchise to go nuts over." Filmfare	12:15 PM 2:30 PM 6:40 PM 8:50 PM	1:45 PM 4:00 PM 6:20 PM 9:05 PM	12:00 PM 2:30 PM 4:45 PM 7:40 PM	12:00 PM 2:10 PM 7:50 PM	11:50 AM 2:45 PM 5:45 PM 7:45 PM	12:00 PM 2:45 PM 5:25 PM 7:35 PM	12:00 PM 2:35 PM 4:45 PM 7:50 PM

Events & Performing Arts:	FRI 25	SAT 26	SUN 27	MON 28	TUE 29	WED 30	THU 31
RAISE HELL: THE LIFE & TIMES OF MOLLY IVINS - NR - "A hoot and a half." NPR	5:00 PM	4:10 PM	11:40 AM				
NT LIVE: A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM PG-13 180 MIN - "5 Stars." The Guardian		11:00 AM					
WANDERING REEL FILM FESTIVAL 120 MIN - Short Film Fest - "Is this Love?"				12:30 PM 6:30 PM			
EOS: LEONARDO: THE WORKS 104 MIN - Exhibition on Screen Continues						6:00 PM	

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

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