

Community News

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FACC to discuss community holiday programs. The Florence Area Community Coalition (FACC) will hold its next monthly meeting on Wednesday, Dec. 4, in the Bromley Room, at 9 a.m.

This month's topic will focus on Holiday Helpers for those community members who may need assistance. Guest presenters will be Carol Bennett of the Soroptimists Club, which provided Holiday Baskets for those in need plus other services, and Patrick LaNasa of the Elks Club, who will share information on the club's toy give away and free Christmas dinner.

FACC meets the first Wednesday of every month, from 9 to 10:30 a.m., in the Bromley Room of the library.

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New Red Kettle coordinator Colinda Harris (left) with takes over for past coordinator Col. Sam Spayd

New coordinator for local 'Red Kettle' program

Col. Sam Spayd has handed over the 'Red Kettle Keys' of Florence to local resident Colinda Harris. Each year from the day after Thanksgiving until Christmas Eve, The Salvation Army of Western Lane County has volunteers sta-

tioned outside major grocery and retail stores in Florence as well as a 'roving' kettle that in the past has been kept on the Old Town Barbershop. It is available for visits to local service organizations and special events.

"Last year, over 100 good people stood at our kettles, some for several two-hour shifts," said Spayd, who was kettle coordinator for the past two years. "Our new kettle coordinator will need these folks and more to step up and serve again."

Harris served during the first Gulf War in the U.S. Navy aboard the U.S.S. Shenandoah. She left the Navy and came to Florence, where she has worked with

seniors. She is the mother of five and grandmother of seven. Her husband John is a mechanic and has an extensive collection of remote-control airplanes he has built.

Maj. Hendrik Sumpter has overseen the Service Extension Units of The Salvation Army in Oregon, like Florence. He recommended to the local Advisory Committee how the moneys from the Red Kettle Campaign can best be spent — with 90 percent of the moneys raised staying in Western Lane County.

Anyone interested in serving as a volunteer Red Kettle Bell Ringer can call Harris at 541-707-0920. Service organizations

and churches can also contact her about special opportunities to contribute to the kettles or supplying volunteers.

Red Kettle Kickoff Checks can be mailed to The Salvation Army, P.O. Box 1041, Florence, Ore., 97439 and will be credited to the local campaign.

All such donations received on or before Dec. 25 in the local P.O. Box 1041 will be credited to this year's campaign.

The Kick Off total thus far will be announced by KCST on Friday morning by on-air personalities and Red Kettle Volunteers Wayne Sharpe and George Henry.

Festival to display nearly 400 Nativity scenes

Hundreds of manger scenes will go on display during the 14th annual Nativity Festival. The festival is from 1 to 5 p.m. each day Dec. 6, 7 and 8 at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, 2705 Munsel Lake Road (at the corner of North Fork and Munsel Lake roads).

Admission to the festival is free.

Most Nativity sets on display are on loan from local community members and families. Many are part of sets that have been collect-

ed for years. Children are invited to color their own book of the first Christmas story. Coloring sheets are also available so that small children can also participate.

There will also be a seek-and-find game sheet for children and families.

This event has grown from a one-day show displaying 119 nativity scenes to a three-day festival with almost 400 crèches, tapes and other art forms depicting the birth of Christ.

Displaying a Christmas crèche is a way to focus on the real meaning of the holiday. They can be made from many different materials and can vary from single piece displays to a whole entourage of shepherds, wise men, cattle and the Holy Family.

The festival is open to people of all faiths and beliefs. All are invited to attend and enjoy the musical concerts that are being performed each day. Visit the festival's Facebook page for more information.

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Nov 29 - Dec 5	FRI 29	SAT 30	SUN 1	MON 2	TUE 3	WED 4	THU 5
FORD V FERRARI - PG-13 152 MIN - "It stands with the greatest racing movies ever, and it's certainly the most entertaining. But there is no doubt about one last superlative. [It's] one of the best pictures of the year." <i>Movie Nation</i>	12:20 PM 3:10 PM 6:15 PM 8:40 PM	12:10 PM 2:50 PM 6:00 PM 8:50 PM	12:20 PM 3:10 PM 6:15 PM	12:20 PM 3:10 PM 6:30 PM	12:20 PM 3:10 PM 6:30 PM	12:20 PM 3:10 PM 6:30 PM	12:20 PM 3:10 PM 6:30 PM
FROZEN II - PG 103 MIN - "While lacking the surprise and simplicity of the original, [it's] still largely wonderful in its own right. It fearlessly transforms the original characters and even its own storytelling format, eschewing the familiar for something grander and more complex."	12:40 PM 3:35 PM 6:20 PM 9:20 PM	11:00 AM 2:30 PM 4:50 PM 7:10 PM 9:30 PM	12:40 PM 3:35 PM 6:20 PM	12:00 PM 4:00 PM 6:50 PM	12:00 PM 4:00 PM 6:50 PM	12:00 PM 4:00 PM 7:35 PM	12:00 PM 4:00 PM 6:50 PM
JOJO RABBIT - PG-13 108 MIN - "Waititi ... finds such strange, sweet humor in his storytelling that the movie somehow maintains its ballast, even when the tone inevitably (and it feels, necessarily) shifts." <i>EW</i>	12:50 PM 6:30 PM	1:20 PM 6:40 PM	12:50 PM 6:30 PM	2:20 PM 7:35 PM	2:20 PM 7:35 PM	2:20 PM 7:35 PM	2:20 PM 7:35 PM
KNIVES OUT - PG-13 130 MIN - "Isn't just deviously intelligent but also consistently gut-busting, and an impeccably crafted blast of Hollywood entertainment, built around several exceptional performances." <i>A.V. Club</i>	12:30 PM 3:25 PM 6:10 PM 9:05 PM	12:00 PM 3:15 PM 6:05 PM 9:10 PM	12:30 PM 3:25 PM 6:10 PM	12:30 PM 3:35 PM 6:40 PM	12:30 PM 3:35 PM 6:40 PM	12:30 PM 3:15 PM 6:50 PM	12:30 PM 3:35 PM 6:40 PM
MIDWAY - PG-13 138 MIN - "It's spectacular and realistic-looking. That's to be expected. What's not expected is how serious-minded and well-acted the picture is." <i>The Seattle Times</i>	3:15 PM 8:55 PM	3:45 PM 9:05 PM	3:15 PM	12:10 PM 4:45 PM	12:10 PM 4:45 PM	12:10 PM 4:45 PM	12:10 PM 4:45 PM

Events & Performing Arts:	FRI 29	SAT 30	SUN 1	MON 2	TUE 3	WED 4	THU 5
ROYAL OPERA HOUSE: DON PASQUALE NR 175 MIN - with opera superstar Bryn Terfel		11:00 AM					
GAUGUIN IN TAHITI: PARADISE LOST NR 90 MIN - Take a trip to Paris, Bretagne, Edinburgh, and to the most prestigious art museums of the United States,						6:00 PM	

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