

Spirit of the Siuslaw Award nominations now open

Siuslaw Watershed Council is seeking nominations for an individual, group or organization to receive its highest honor, the Spirit of the Siuslaw Award.

Annually, an individual, group or organization who especially exemplifies work on watershed health and involving human and natural resources within our region is chosen by the Siuslaw Watershed Council Board of Directors for this

award. This award will be presented at the council's July 2021 public General Meeting via Zoom.

The community is invited to submit nominations by emailing watershed@siuslaw.org by June 30, 2021.

People should include contact information and the contact information for their nominee.

For more information on the Spirit of Siuslaw Award, visit www.siuslaw.org.

Community News

Florence Senior Center to reopen



Florence Senior Center, 1570 Kingwood St.

The Florence Senior Center will reopen on Monday, June 7, at 9 a.m. The center's hours of operations will be from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The Senior Center, 1570 Kingwood St., will be of-

fering activities including yoga, line dancing, billiards, cribbage and chair exercises. There will be BINGO games beginning June 10 at 10 a.m.

Masking and social distancing will remain in effect

until further guidance from Oregon Health Authority is received.

In addition, rental spaces are available evenings and weekends. As conditions improve, the center will restart its lunch program.

All ages are welcome and encouraged to participate in Florence Senior Center activities.

Please call 541-997-8844 for information or with questions regarding the reopening.

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Last Resort Players announce cast for 'Vagina Monologues'

Florence's homegrown community theater Last Resort Players is proud to announce the cast for its production of Eve Ensler's "The Vagina Monologues."

Men and women around the world have been moved by the joy, the force, the honesty, the poetry, and the humor of this Obie award winning play.

The local cast includes Mary Conley, Denise Diamond, Ginny Kelly, Nora Kent, Beth Kilmurray, Erin Leonard-Durrant, Justine Parker, Jacquelyn Serrano, Sally Wantz, and Annie Schmidt.

Variety called The Vagina Monologues "Spell-binding, funny, and almost unbearably moving ... a

work of art and an incisive piece of cultural history."

Los Angeles Times said, "Often wrenching, frequently riotous" and Chicago Tribune wrote, "Extraordinary ... a compelling rhapsody of the female essence."

Performances will be at City Lights Cinemas on June 24, 25 and 26 at 7

p.m. and June 27 at 2 p.m.

Tickets are \$15 and are available at the box office or at www.citylightscinemas.com

This show contains subject matter and dialogue which may not be suitable for all audiences.

For more information, visit www.lastresortplayers.com.

Instructor brings 'Art of Play' to classes at FRAA

The Florence Regional Arts Alliance (FRAA) will host Lynn Underwood, who will be teaching "The Art of Play."

The class will be on each first and third Monday of the month from 1 to 3 p.m. The first two classes are

June 7 and June 21.

In this mixed media workshop, participants will explore acrylic paints, stamps, collage, various media and more.

All skill levels are welcome, and each class will explore a different creative

process. The community is invited to join the fun!

Cost is \$35 for FRAA members and \$40 for non-members, which will cover the cost of materials and instruction.

Pre-registration is required so the instructor

and can prepare the materials. People can register at the FRAA Art Center, 120 Maple St.; via phone at 541-997-4435; or at www.fraaoregon.org. People can also learn more at www.facebook.com/FlorenceRegionalArtsAlliance.

Fred Meyer home of new bulk bottle, can redemption site

In May, Oregon BottleDrop and Florence Fred Meyer hosted the grand opening of the first bulk bottle and can redemption location in Florence with a ribbon-cutting event that included Rep. Boomer Wright.

This new BottleDrop network drop location will allow areas residents

to participate in the very popular Green Bag program and will open up new fundraising opportunities for local nonprofits through the Blue Bag program. The BottleDrop network drop location will make it fast and easy for Central Coast residents to return, redeem and recycle redeemable beverage containers in special 13-gallon

BottleDrop Green Bags, which can be purchased at the Florence Fred Meyer store.

Customers can also sign up for a BottleDrop account at the store kiosk, and print bag tag labels with QR codes linking the bags to their accounts.

Then they simply tag their bags, fill them with empty Oregon 10-cent re-

fund containers, and drop them off at the new BottleDrop network drop location. Their containers are counted and credited to their accounts within seven days.

BottleDrop is operated by the Oregon Beverage Recycling Cooperative (OBRC), which introduced the Green Bag program in 2010.

CITY LIGHTS CINEMAS

\$9.50 | \$8.50 Sen/Student/Military | \$8 Mats - 1st Show | \$7.50 Child | \$6.50 Members | Performing Arts: \$17/\$13/\$10

June 4 - 10 (*Closed Mon & Tue)	FRI 4	SAT 5	SUN 6	MON 7	TUE 8	WED 9	THU 10
CRUELLA - PG-13 133 MIN - "Cruella could be the biggest surprise of the summer. Bold, dark, & wonderfully anti-Disney. Emma Stone is perfection as Cruella." - Scott Menzel	12:30 PM 3:30 PM 6:30 PM	12:30 PM 3:30 PM 6:30 PM	12:30 PM 3:30 PM 6:00 PM			12:30 PM 3:30 PM 6:30 PM	12:30 PM 3:30 PM 6:30 PM
THE DRY - R 117 MIN - "Director Robert Connolly's adaptation is a very gripping and polished film, commandingly performed and directed, with an airtight sense of tonal cohesiveness." - The Guardian	1:00 PM 6:45 PM	1:00 PM 6:45 PM	1:00 PM 6:45 PM			1:00 PM 6:45 PM	1:00 PM
HERE TODAY - PG-13 117 MIN - "The easy chemistry between the characters reflects the real-life friendship of the two stars and it is clear to see that like Emma and Charlie, Haddish and Crystal get a kick out of each other." Ebert.com	4:00 PM	4:00 PM	4:00 PM			4:00 PM	4:00 PM
IN THE HEIGHTS - Preview! PG-13 143 MIN							7:00 PM
A QUIET PLACE PART II - PG-13 96 MIN "This superb piece of mainstream horror filmmaking is bolstered by some terrific performances, most notably Millicent Simmonds as a deaf daughter assuming the role of family protector." - Screen Daily	12:45 PM 3:45 PM 7:15 PM	12:45 PM 3:45 PM 7:15 PM	1:15 PM 3:45 PM 6:15 PM			12:45 PM 3:45 PM 7:15 PM	12:45 PM 3:45 PM 7:15 PM
SPIRIT UNTAMED - PG 88 MIN "Contemporary parents who want a nontoxic Western to show their children could hardly find better than "Spirit Untamed." - SF Chronicle	1:15 PM 4:15 PM 7:00 PM	1:15 PM 4:15 PM 7:00 PM	12:45 PM 3:15 PM 6:30 PM			1:15 PM 4:15 PM 7:00 PM	1:15 PM 4:15 PM 6:45 PM

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- 3 Give Customers Options** - We will pick up and deliver your vehicle to your home. You may also drop your key in our secure mailbox for drop-offs to avoid or minimize contact.
- 4 Employee Illness is Serious** - We are encouraging employees not to shake hands. We are practicing "personal distancing" and encouraging employees to stay home if they feel under the weather.
- 5 Wipe Down High Touch Points** - We wipe/spray counters, credit card machines, door handles, phone handles, kitchen areas, and chair arms and tables in waiting area multiple times a day. We continue to be focused and committed to working with each of you to ensure we continue to meet and exceed your expectations. We are here for you. We thank you for your business and more importantly, your friendship. Please be safe and exercise extra precaution during this challenging time.

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