

Cottage Grove Retrospective

A look back at Sentinel stories from 70 years ago

May 30, 1946

Commencement events are listed for CGUHS

Commencement events for the senior class of Cottage Grove Union high school begin this weekend with the junior-senior banquet and prom Friday night and close with commencement exercises a week later.

Dr. J.R. Jewell, Dean of the school of Education at the University of Oregon will be guest-speaker at the seventh annual commencement exercises to be held for 74 students, 42 girls and 32 boys, Friday, May 31, at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium. Eight of the boys are now in the service of their country, and eight are returned service men who have completed their high school course during the year. Four class speakers, selected by the senior class and faculty, Helen Smith, Rosemary McCrigler, Wilbur Heath and Gordon Neidleigh, will talk on the "Four Freedoms."

Highest scholastic honors are awarded by the faculty to Shirley Allen, Helen Hudgins and Irene Schaffer. Seven seniors are members of the National Honor Society: Shirley Allen, Helen Hudgins, Rosemary McCrigler, Jerry Mickey, Irene Schaffer, Helen Smith and Barbara Valentine.

The American Legion Auxiliary and American Legion awards will be presented to the outstanding boy and girl of the class. Five boys and five girls have been selected by the class who are eligible for this honor and final selection will be made by the faculty, with presentation of awards at the commencement exercises.

The class officers are: President, Jerry Mickey; vice president Robert McCoy; secretary, Helen Hudgins; treasurer, Patsy Dunlop. The class colors are red

and white. The class flower is the white carnation. The motto is "Peace, Ours to Preserve."

On Sunday, May 26, at 8 p.m. at the high school auditorium the annual baccalaureate service will be held under the auspices of the Cottage Grove ministerial association. Reverend Hilton T. Park of the Assembly of God will give the address, with all ministers of the city assisting. Reverend A.J. Kammann, president of the ministerial association is assisting. Reverend A.J. Kammann will preside. The public is cordially invited.

Class night exercises will be held next Tuesday evening at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium. This event has been shifted to the evening so that a large number of parents and friends of the class would have an opportunity to attend.

May 23, 1946

Veteran's arrange memorial for war dead here May 30

The Veteran's of Foreign Wars have arranged the following program with Rev. Wesley G. Nicholson of the First Congregational Church of Eugene giving the address, at the armory, May 30.

The services as arranged by Robert G. Mills, commander of the local VFW post follows: 11 a.m., flag raising front of armory, Oregon State Guard; placing colors on platform, Veterans of Foreign Wars, American Legion, Disabled American Veteran's; invocation, Rev. Frank Brown; Gettysburg address, speaker to be selected; roll call of departed comrades; 30 seconds silence in honor of the fallen comrades; vocal solo, Lois Abeene; address, Rev. Wesley G. Nicholson; benediction, Rev. Brown.

At the close of the services, all veterans and the audience are asked to march to the bridge where services honoring the navy dead will be held in charge of the Navy Mothers of America. This will be followed by the placing of wreaths in honor of our unknown dead at the Masonic-I.O.O.F. cemetery west of town.

There will be no flags on the graves this year as there were none available at this time.

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Sat. only 9am-1pm

3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE
1715 Pritchett Place
Sat. only 9am-5pm

POLICE BLOTTER

Cottage Grove Police Department 24-Hour Anonymous Tip Line: 767-0504

May 16

Trespassing, North Transient Camp

Reporting person advised police of transients occupying the north camp again and has observed homeless subjects pushing shopping carts into the camp. Officers conducted a patrol check of the location, noticing reported items on the property, but no one was around.

Suspicious Subject, E. Jackson Ave.

A complainant reported that a suspicious male was going door to door through the neighborhood carrying a Comcast

folder. It was unknown if the subject was a salesperson but the caller is suspicious because there is no Comcast service in the city. Officers contacted the subject who is a salesperson for Clear Choice Communications and is soliciting door to door.

May 18

Person down, Row River Rd.

A caller advised of a subject laying in some bushes by the entrance to a business and didn't know if the subject was breathing. Officers on scene reported that the subject is ok and not in any distress and was waiting for the bus.

Drinking in Public, Veteran's Park

A caller advised that there are a group of rough looking males drinking beer in the park.

May 19

Disturbance, E. Main St.

A caller advised that a fight just broke up at a bar and a suspect left out of the front door. The man was described with curly hair and wearing a hat; no clothing description was given. The victim was a 24 year-old male who requested a medic for a head wound.

Suspicious Subject, S. 8th St.

A call from city side advised of two subjects wearing hoodies that appear to be snooping around the residence. Officers contacted the subjects, who are watering plants while the resident is out of town.

May 20

Minor in Possession of Liquor, N. Douglas Ave.

A reporting person advised of a 14 year old female who was foaming at the mouth, possibly induced by alcohol. The caller hung up prior to completing the transfer to Central Lane. Additional calls came in and officers

were dispatched for a possible party involving minors; medics were staged as well. All juveniles were transported from the location by parents or friends are medics.

May 21

Traffic Hazard, Row River Rd.

A complainant advised of a fuel tanker that was broken down in the intersection and was blocking traffic. A heavy duty tow truck came down from Eugene to move the tanker.

Criminal Mischief, CGHS
School maintenance advised

May 22

Criminal Mischief, Benjamin Ave.

A call requested for officers to report vandalism to her vehicle. An unknown suspect placed Gorilla Glue in the vehicle's door locks.

CITY BEAT *From the City's Friday Update*

All-City Safety Committee

This week, the All-City Safety Committee met to review and discuss accident/incident

reports, plan upcoming training sessions and perform quarterly facility inspections of all City facilities.

The All-City Safety Committee is made up of representatives from the public works,

finance, administration, library and police departments. Safety inspections were performed at City Hall/Police Department, City Shop, Middlefield Golf Course pro and maintenance shops, Community Center/Library, Wastewater Treatment Plant, Row River Water Treatment Plant, Knox Hill Reservoirs and the Holly Avenue and Cottage Heights pump stations. Facilities are inspected on a quarterly basis for employee safety issues, which are identified and corrected.

and a live fire exercise. Employees were instructed in the proper use and operation of the fire extinguisher, the different types of fire extinguishers and their proper applications; employees were able to extinguish a live fire. For all attendees, this exercise was the first time they had handled a fire extinguisher and used it in a live fire situation. The City said other safety training opportunities will be scheduled throughout the year, including hearing tests, blood-borne pathogens, first aid and CPR, just to mention a few.

Fire extinguisher training

As part of the City's on-going safety program, employees receive a variety of safety related training opportunities during the year. Toward this end, 10 City employees received fire extinguisher training this week at the City shop. This training was conducted by Omlid and Swinney and included instruction

Tall grass/hazardous vegetation removal

All property owners or persons in control of property are required in the City of Cottage Grove to cut or remove tall grass, hazardous vegetation and combustible materials during the fire season from June 15 to Nov.

1 (CGMC 8.12 Nuisances).

Tall grass and hazardous vegetation includes wild blackberry bushes; weeds and grass more than 12 inches tall anywhere on your property including public lands out to the street. Vegetation that is likely to endanger buildings or other property should it catch on fire must also be cut or removed.

During the fire season city wide inspections will be made and property owners notified that they must cut or remove the hazardous vegetation. Failure to cut or remove the grass or vegetation will result in the City having to abate the problem.

The cost of abatement will be charged to the property including a \$100 administrative fee, and if unpaid will become a lien against the property.

Property owners are reminded that they must keep hazardous vegetation and tall grass cut less than 12 inches until Nov. 1. Questions can be answered by the Community Development Department at City Hall, by calling 541-942-3340 or by email: planning@cottagegrove.org.

BookMyne library app

Owners of smart phones can download the new library app on their phone or tablet, which allows users to search the catalog, create reading lists and browse recommendations. Users can also log into their account to see what they have checked out, renew items or change a PIN. Download it for free from iTunes or GooglePlay. For help or information, stop by the Cottage Grove Public Library soon and chat with a Librarian.

Student art show happening now

Stop by the Cottage Grove Community Center "Gallery" to see art work created by local high-school students. This art installation will be available for viewing in the Community Center gallery through the month of June.

SLMH SOUTH LANE MENTAL HEALTH
presents

Let's talk about it!

Mental Health Awareness Month Speakers Series

Thursdays, 6:30-8pm

New Location! **Cottage Grove First Presbyterian Church**
216 South 3rd Street

Thursday, May 5
Everyday Intuition

Thursday, May 12
Creating Healthy Relationships From the Very Beginning

Thursday, May 19
Using Mobile Technology to Support Parents of Young Children

Thursday, May 26
Get HAPPY!

Admission is Free
Refreshments Provided

Sponsored by: **NWH NORTHWEST HEALTH FOUNDATION**

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Cottage Grove Sentinel

6-day weather forecast

THURSDAY May 26 45° 68° Sunny	FRIDAY May 27 46° 60° Sunny
SATURDAY May 28 48° 72° Sunny	SUNDAY May 29 49° 74° Sunny
MONDAY May 30 49° 73° Sunny	TUESDAY May 31 50° 75° Sunny

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