

# Cottage Grove Retrospective

A look back at Sentinel stories from 30 and 60 years ago

## Dancers (square and chimney) Sept. 1957

**Square Dancers to Dress for Hunting**  
“Just for Fun” everyone attending Boots and Sandals club’s square dance Saturday evening will go dressed for “deer hunting.” Members are asked to take the usual refreshments.

There will be a potluck dinner and business meeting at the Barn Thursday, September 26, 1957. Everyone is urged to attend.

The club is fortunate in having “name callers” scheduled each month for the remainder of the year, and, in addition, will have a bellringer on October 23, 1957 when Buzz Brown of San Diego, Calif., will be at the Barn. Visitors are always welcome.

A new beginners’ class will start Tuesday, October 22, 1957 at 7:30 p.m.

Fifteen couples from Boots and Sandals visited the Route F Twirlers at their first birthday anniversary dance at Veneta Friday, September 13. Going up to the dance with the Twirlers were Mmes. and Messrs.

Howard Barnard, Al Kief, Oval Powell, Wendell Calkins, Frank Guisinger, Bud Swenson, Buck Hubbard, Art Kulm, Basil Kyle, Chuck Burkeen, Bill Bostick, Ad Heath, Jerry Newton, Hank Landers, and M.F. Nossman.

### Chimney Block Dance Lively

The “chimney block” benefit dance at the Barn September 14, 1957 was well attended. Caller Barnard kept the dance lively. His services for the evening were donated to assist in buying blocks for the flue.

Over the Labor Day weekend a campout and picnic at Black Canyon, on the Willamette, was enjoyed by many members of the club, which hopes to make this an annual event.

“Knotheads” receiving badges recently are the Ad Heaths, Buck Ritters, Jerry Newtons, Dale Gates’ and M.F. Nossmans. Basil Kyle and Bill Bostick celebrated birthdays last week.

The Earl Ballews and Earl Bridwells are doing kitchen duty in September.

### ‘Back to School’ Theme of Dance

“Back to School” will be theme of the Stardusters square dance club dance Friday at 8 p.m. Dress for the dance will be prints for the women and jeans for the men. Members are asked to take sandwiches. Dude Sibley is the club caller. Visitors will be welcome.

Mr. Sibley will be calling for the Hayloft Squares of Roseburg Saturday, beginning at 8:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph DeJarnett, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Westfall and Mr. and Mrs. George Sibley danced with the Hoedowners of Springfield Saturday. Ray Stub is caller for the Springfield club.

## POLICE BLOTTER

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

### September 18

Trespass reported on E. Main St. Advised that an elderly neighbor left the house yesterday due to a dispute with her son. Complainant observing the son at the location now in the carport and is concerned he may break into the house. However, advised he did live at the location.

Barking dog reported on 2nd and Harrison. Advised that the dog has been barking for approximately 30 minutes. Unknown address. Business card left. Dog has quieted.

Suspicious condition reported on N. 9th St. A vehicle in the parking lot of a closed business.

Suspicious subject reported on 8th and Cooper. Complainant has second hand information regarding a subject riding a skateboard, looking into vehicles on the street.

### September 17

DUII reported on I-5 SB. Newer BMW SUV erratic lane changes, alternating speeds, frequent stop, starting. DUII unfounded, driver is fatigued. Car parked at KFC and driver resting before proceeding on.

Theft reported on Harvey Ln. Complainant reports items missing from his porch sometime overnight.

Theft reported at Safeway. Deli sandwich taken.

Burglary reported on N. I St. Unknown suspect cut the screen unlatched back door and entered residence sometime between 1600 hours and 0930 hours the next day. Unknown property missing.

Burglary reported on 2nd St. Unknown suspect entered his garage sometime overnight and took property including power tools.

Public hazard reported. Used syringe laying alongside unoccupied railroad tracks just south of the railroad engine sitting on the north side of Main St.

Trespass reported on E. Main St. Staff warned individual to leave. He said, “Go ahead and call the police, I want them here.”

Theft reported at Walmart. Shopping cart full of items, food and clothing. Pushing cart onto west bound bike path.

### September 16

Suspicious condition reported in Bohemia Park. Customer stopped in to advise that subject is screaming in the park.

Theft reported at Walmart. Complainant was using the bottle return and cell phone was stolen from her cart.

Disturbance reported at McDonald’s on Gateway. Two subjects in a verbal dispute. Never physical.

### September 15

Disorderly subject reported at Dollar Tree. Subject yelling and screaming between the old bowling alley and Dollar Tree.

Disturbance reported on Hwy. 99. Complainant advised that a woman came to his door very agitated. He let her stay in his car port for a moment. He stepped outside and she barged into his trailer. He got her out and she is standing in the middle of the street shouting at no one.

Disorderly subject reported on Main St. and Hwy. 99. Complainant advised there is a group of juveniles across from Scarpelli’s that were causing traffic issue. One female stood in the roadway causing traffic to swerve but is no longer there.

### September 14

Contraband seized in Bohemia Park. Complainant advised they found a bent spoon on a bench near the play structure. Concerned for the safety of the children.

Disturbance reported on Main. St. Complainant advised two people are trying to get into the building. Are there to visit someone who has been evicted.

Illegal camping reported at Walmart. Walmart staff advised of illegal camp in the parking lot on the side of the store.

Domestic disturbance reported on Hwy. 99.

Suspicious condition reported on Harrison St. Subject seen pushing a lawnmower down the street.



## News from around the state and the nation

### From around the state

In response to reports that millions of Americans’ personally identifiable information and credit card information was exposed in a data breach at Equifax Inc., U.S. Sen. Ron Wyden, D-Ore., introduced legislation to allow hardworking Americans to protect themselves from financial fraud at no cost.

Wyden’s Free Credit Freeze Act would guarantee all consumers can use PIN numbers to freeze and unfreeze their credit free-of-charge to stop fraudsters from opening new unauthorized financial accounts. The Equifax data breach, which exposed credit information of more than 200,000 Americans as well as Social Security numbers, birthdates and driver’s license numbers of an estimated 143 million Americans, has underscored the importance of credit freezes. Cybersecurity experts and the Federal Trade Commission recommend credit freezes as a method of protecting against identity theft.

Amazon announced plans for a third fulfillment center in Oregon on Monday. The new center is expected to bring 1,000 new jobs to the state.

An Oregon Department of Corrections (DOC) inmate died unexpectedly Sunday Morning at Two Rivers Correctional Institution (TRCI) in Umatilla. As with all unanticipated deaths of state prison inmates, the Oregon State Police Criminal Investigation Division is conducting an investigation. TRCI staff were attending to complaints from Kenneth Allen, 23, when he became unresponsive. Security and medical staff immediately began life-saving efforts which continued until Umatilla Emergency Medical Technicians arrived and pronounced Allen deceased at 11:09 a.m. Allen entered DOC custody on January 14, 2016, on three counts of theft and one count of possession of heroin out of Jackson County. His expected release date was December 22, 2017.

### From around the nation

Former press secretary Sean Spicer made an appearance on Emmy night. Spicer, who left his position earlier this year, poked fun at Melissa McCarthy’s portrayal of his briefings on Saturday Night Live and said he regretted his treatment of journalists.

Dylan Roof, the man accused of gunning down nine people in a church prayer group, has requested to fire his attorneys citing their heritage as a determining factor. One of his attorneys is Jewish, the other Indian. He noted they were his “biological enemies.”

3,000 new troops are headed to Afghanistan. Defense Secretary Jim Mattis reported the increase on Monday. The additional troops will bring the total to 14,000 U.S. troops in the region.

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# 6-day weather forecast

<b>THURSDAY</b> 60°   41° Mostly Cloudy	<b>FRIDAY</b> 64°   43° Showers
<b>SATURDAY</b> 68°   46° Sunny	<b>SUNDAY</b> 71°   48° Sunny
<b>MONDAY</b> 74°   50° Sunny	<b>TUESDAY</b> 74°   52° Mostly sunny

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