

COMMUNITY BRIEFS

Spa birthday

Bochetta Day Spa is celebrating 10 years this Wednesday from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. by offering drawings, refreshments and complimentary chair massages.

New musical

Suessical the Musical begins at Cottage Theatre on Friday, Dec. 1. For more information, or to purchase tickets, please visit cottagetheatre.org.

Dance party

Crescent Moon Yoga Studio will host a dance benefit on Sunday at the studio between 2 p.m.

and 3:15 p.m.

Advent service

A joint advent service will be held at 3 p.m. on Sunday at 3 p.m. at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church.

Tree of Joy

To help a family in need, visit BiMart or Walmart to pick up a tag from the Tree of Joy. Gifts due back by Dec. 17.

Councilman bikes

Councilman Bob Ehler is in need of donated bikes to fix for those in need. Call 541-968-8841.

City council wrap-up



Row River Rd.

A pedestrian crossing for Row River Rd. was given the green light after the bid process wrapped up Monday night.

Pacific Excavation came in with the lowest bid for the project at \$90,917. However, due to a clerical error, the bid cannot be awarded for seven days while the council waits for possible appeals by other bidders.

The project will include a lighted crossing and an island at the south property of Chevron Station across from AutoZone.

Councilman Jake Boone said the crossing was needed after he watched several older residents attempt to cross the busy street with an outlet to Interstate-5.

Sports mania

The Cottage Grove varsity soccer team, volleyball team and football team were honored along with the local Grange for their achievements this week. The volleyball and soccer team came in sixth in state while the football team made it

all the way, bringing home the state championship. Mayor Jeff Gowing addressed the overflowing chamber, saying, "As a Cottage Grove alumni, I am very proud to be up here honoring you."

Traffic light

Councilman Bob Ehler raised concerns during the council comments portion of the meeting about a traffic light at Hwy. 99. "I can't get through it without it turning yellow and one day I'm going to be down here screaming about why that light hasn't been fixed," he said.

League of Cities

Councilor Mike Fleck had one word to sum up his experience at the National League of Cities Conference held earlier this month, "Wow." Fleck, along with Mayor Jeff Gowing and Councilor Jake Boone attended the conference, reporting back to the board on Monday.

"Housing has been a really hot topic in our community. I

see it every day in our agency. We'll have money to assist in housing and they are unable to find a place to stay. As much as I've stayed away from the term affordable housing, it seems like that's where we need to focus," Fleck said. He also noted that he would like to see the city fund traffic signs with speed radars affixed to them. Fleck told the board the signs ranged between \$2,500 and \$3,000.

Bohemia lights

Councilman Ken Roberts raised a question about the lighting at 10th St. near Bohemia Park after receiving an inquiry from a resident. Community Development and Planning Manager Faye Stewart told the board that new holes were being dug for light posts that would light the area in the near future.

No meeting

The Dec. 25 city council meeting has been canceled due to the Christmas holiday.



Breakfast With Santa

Santa is on his way from the North Pole to cook **you** breakfast and he wants to know what is on your Christmas List!

**Saturday
December 2
7AM - 11AM**
at South Lane Fire & Rescue
233 Harrison Avenue
Cottage Grove



We will be taking donations of unwrapped new toys for "Toys for Tots"



City crews worked on Monday, Nov. 27 to place the city Christmas Tree in All-America Square. A tree lighting ceremony will take place on Saturday, Dec. 2, complete with a visit from Santa and his elves. See page A3 for more details.

CASCADE Home Center & Equipment Rental

Christmas
OPEN HOUSE
Saturday, December 2nd
Fun for the whole family!

1 Day Only!

SPECIAL PRICING ON:
Holiday Décor,
Christmas Lights,
& Gift Ideas

Quantities may be limited on some items. Shop early for best selection!

Merry Christmas!

Enter to
\$100
Gift Card

Drawing Dec. 22nd

Balloons & Candy Canes for the Kids

FREE
Cookies,
Hot Chocolate,
Apple Cider & Coffee

Members receive
TRIPLE
REWARDS POINTS
SATURDAY
December 2nd

Beautiful Oregon Grown
POINSETTIAS!
Starting at
\$4.99

Gift Card Sale!

10% OFF All gift cards purchased during December!

Get a **FREE t-shirt** with every purchase over \$20
SATURDAY
December 2nd

VISIT SANTA
SANTA ARRIVES FROM THE NORTH POLE DECEMBER 2ND!
Visit him in the store from 11am - 2pm
Bring your camera and take a photo with Santa
(Pets welcome for photo)

Get a **FREE gift** with the purchase of any Christmas tree on Saturday, December 2nd. Gifts valued up to \$100.

Kids, Have fun at **SANTA'S WORKSHOP**
Saturday, December 2nd from 11am - 2pm
WRITE A PERSONALIZED LETTER TO SANTA & CREATE AN ORNAMENT TO TAKE HOME FOR YOUR TREE

Fresh Cut, Oregon Grown, 5' Douglas Fir Christmas Trees
While supplies last!
\$14.99



Cottage Grove, we're here for you.

Your community hospital provides:

- 24-hour emergency care
- Weekend clinic
- In-patient medical care
- Walk-in clinic
- Primary care clinic
- Digital radiology
- Mammography
- Lab tests
- Outpatient physical therapy

1515 Village Drive
Cottage Grove, OR 97424
541-767-5500

peacehealth.org/cottage-grove

