

Crab feed delayed due to bad season



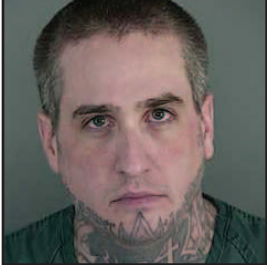
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Crab season has officially started but boats remain docked after starting prices sunk below last year's rate and rough ocean conditions continue. All bad news for an event couched on eating crab. The Cottage Grove Crab Feed announced that it has shifted from its date of Jan. 27 to third Saturday in February in the hopes of having something to fill the plates.

The event, in its ninth year, benefits Habitat for Humanity and routinely draws a crowd. Crab season was initially delayed from its usual Dec. 1 opening to Jan. 15 to allow for the animals to grow, yielding more meat. However, when the season did open, it was at \$2.30 a pound--59 cents lower than last year's opening price of \$2.89 a pound. Rough ocean conditions also kept boats docked.

Tickets sold for the Crab Feed will be honored for the Feb. 17 event and refunds will be distributed to those who cannot accommodate the date change. For more information, call (541) 767-0358.

Arrest made in Creswell stabbing



Jacob Laskey

On Jan. 19 the Lane County Sheriff's Office received a report of a stabbing at the Meadowlark RV Park in Creswell. Deputies responded to investigate and identified 37-year-old Jacob Laskey of Creswell as a suspect; however, he was no longer at the RV Park. Deputies located Laskey shortly thereafter in Springfield. He was arrested and lodged at the Lane County Jail for Assault 2, Unlawful Use of a Weapon, Menacing, and Criminal Trespass 2. The victim, a 41-year-old white male from Creswell, received medical attention for his injuries. The victim and Laskey knew each other prior to the incident on the 19th. There are no indicators that this crime was motivated by bias.

CRASH TIES UP INTERSTATE 5

On Wednesday January 17, 2018 at approximately 7:46pm OSP Springfield and Roseburg responded to a multi-vehicle injury crash on I-5 near milepost 168.

Preliminary investigation revealed a southbound commercial motor vehicle (CMV), driven by Amarveer Dahliwal (age 45 from Everett, Washington), lost control of its trailer and struck the outside guardrail, the driver then overcorrected, crossed both southbound travel lanes and struck the center concrete barrier. The collision with the barrier dislodged several large concrete sections, forcing them into the northbound travel lanes.

A second northbound CMV, driven by David Solheim (age 55 from Myrtle Creek) stopped at the crash scene, exited the vehicle, in attempts to warn the southbound traffic. Solheim was struck by a southbound Dodge pick-up, driven by Deontee Renda (age 23 from). Solheim was transported to Sacred Heart at Riverbend hospital in Springfield with serious injuries.

Four northbound vehicles crashed into the concrete barriers that were pushed into the northbound lane. Those vehicles were driven by: Bobby Carter (age 47 from Springfield), and Michelle Nickell (age 57 from Cottage Grove), Adam Castro (age 52 from Springfield), and a driver of a Dodge Charger. In total five people were transported to Sacred Heart at Riverbend Hospital with injuries ranging from minor to serious.

The crashes completed blocked both northbound and southbound lanes however Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) was able to open one lane of travel in both directions in under two hours, allowing tow operators on scene to remove the vehicles. ODOT Incident Response remained on scene to replace the six concrete sections.



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