

# RECORDS

## POLICE LOG

### Feb. 12

- A bike was reported found in the bushes on Gateway Blvd.
- Multiple callers reported a vehicle "bumping off curbs" all over the roadway on Johnson Ave. The subject was given a courtesy escort back to the their residence.
- A complainant on 8th St. reported his girlfriend was "very high and is outside yelling at nothing." The contacting officer determined no assistance was needed.

### Feb. 13

- An abandoned utility trailer on Jefferson Avenue was marked and tagged for towing in three days' time.
- A business complained of male subject using the bathroom for over 10 minutes, stating he had done this before and there was a

used needle on the counter when he left. The subject was advised of the complaint by officers and moved on.

### Feb. 14

- A female dressed all in black was reported walking down the middle of S. River Road toward Main Street.
- A complainant stated that her elderly neighbor had been letting a homeless man stay in his shed out back. She reported that the subject had been yelling and screaming for a while and seemed to be throwing things in the shed. She believed he was intoxicated.
- A stop sign was reported on the ground at Eighth and Washington streets
- An elderly woman with a walker was reported standing on a corner on Gateway Blvd. with a sign asking for

gas. She told the responding officer she was trying to get back to Roseburg.

### Feb. 15

- A male subject was reported walking around at Walmart in a hospital gown. Customers were complaining as it was "wide open." The subject then locked himself in the family restroom. Officers escorted the subject to an LTD bus stop to be en route to the Eugene area.
- A previously marked and tagged utility trailer was moved from Jefferson Avenue.

### Feb. 16

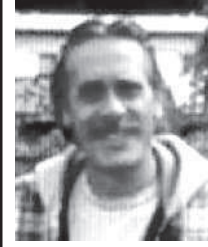
- An injured deer was reported laying in the middle of the roadway at Bennett Crk. and Elk Dr. Public works was contacted and

the deer was removed.

- A complainant forgot her purse in Walmart. When she came back, it was missing.

### Feb. 17

- A male subject appeared to be passed out in the bushes on Gateway Blvd. Upon officer contact, the subject was noticeably intoxicated but able to care for himself. He declined a courtesy transport.
- A brown and white male stray dog was found behind McDonald's. A citizen turned it over at the police station, where it was impounded.
- An officer arrested a subject harassing customers in front of Safeway. The subject was found to have a warrant for unlawful use of a weapon and menacing.



**Tor Edward Engen**  
1959-2019

Tor Edward Engen, of Cottage Grove, passed away on January 14, 2019 after struggling with cancer for several months. He was born to Dorothy (Clements) Engen and Per Engen in Glendale, CA on October 17, 1959. He enjoyed growing up with his brothers in southern California, and skiing at Mammoth Mountain, and riding motorcycles in the San Gabriel Mountains. Later, his kids remember how he enjoyed teaching them to fish and catch crabs, and also to ride the quad around the field. Over the years, he had turned some things around in his life, and he helped them see how to learn from one's mistakes. In the last few weeks of his life, he especially enjoyed having long conversations with them, and getting to spend time with his young grandchildren. He is survived by his loving partner of eight years, Melissa Negrich of Cottage Grove; daughter Christina Engen, her husband Michael Bindman, and their children Kaitlyn and Matthew of Glendale, CA; daughter Nicole Engen of Hemet, CA; son Ryan Engen of Cottage Grove; stepsons Randy Willie of Arizona, and Kevin Parham of Hemet, CA; brother Chris Engen of Eugene; sister-in-law Denise Brady Engen of Cottage Grove; and also his little Chihuahua, Cloey. His parents and his brother, Erik Engen, preceded him in death. He was married previously to Barbara Hanson Lundin, and also to Linda Parham Engen, the mothers of his children. The family will hold a private remembrance when they gather later in the spring.

## LCSO release Seat Belt Enforcement Saturation results

From Feb. 4 through 17, Lane County Sheriff's Office deputies have conducted overtime saturation patrols focused on seat belt use, child restraints, speed and distracted driving.

These patrols are funded solely through grant monies provided through the Oregon State Sheriff's Association and Oregon Department of Transportation.

This was in conjunction with the nation-wide effort sponsored by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration. During this two-week saturation period, 12 deputies contacted numerous drivers in a combined 36 hours of overtime. Deputies had the following enforcement contacts:

- 19 Safety Belt Citations
  - 13 Driving While Suspended Citations
  - 12 Speeding Citations
  - 15 Distracted Driving Citations
  - 47 Other Traffic Citations
  - 70 Warnings
- Grant funding will provide additional overtime for Seatbelt Enforcement Saturation Patrols throughout the year for holidays and local Lane County special events.

The Lane County Sheriff's Office wants to remind motorists to buckle up and drive safely.

## Appointed LCC board member Fragala running in LCC election

On Sunday, surrounded by over 70 friends, family, and local elected officials, appointed Lane Community College (LCC) School Board Member Lisa Fragala announced that she is running for a full term of her current At-Large position and will file her paperwork on Feb. 11.

"I know first-hand what an incredible resource for Lane County LCC is and recognize the critical role the college plays in our community," Fragala said. "I am thrilled to serve on the LCC Board of Education because I want to contribute to the growth and development of this resource as a vital part

of Lane County." Fragala was appointed to the board in October 2018 when the previous incumbent, Tony McCown, resigned. With a background as a 4J educator, a City of Eugene Planning Commissioner and a community activist, Fragala said she will fight for a greater variety of educational opportunities to position today's students for successful futures, she will champion the community college's efforts to improve equity and protect those students who need it most, and she will strive to center the college as a prime economic driver in Lane County.

"Ultimately, access to a robust education made the difference in my life that allows me to stand here with you today," she said. "I'm committed to education as a vision for greater social equity and for close to 25 years I've worked with young children to support that vision of education. Now I'm excited to serve on the LCC board with that same vision for all types of students who are looking to develop their potential." On hand at the event to endorse and support Fragala were Eugene Mayor Lucy Vinis, Bureau of Labor and Industries Commissioner Val Hoyle, State Represent-

tatives Julie Fahey and Marty Wilde and Lane County Commissioners Heather Buch and Joe Berney.

## DEATHS

**BLACK**—David Lynn Black of Chino Valley, Ariz., passed away Feb. 16, 2019, and is interred at the National Cemetery in Prescott, Ariz. He is survived by his wife, Jan; bothers Jim and Sam; and his sister, Cathy.

**RABIDEAU**—Linda M. Rabideau, 70, of Cottage Grove, died Feb. 18, 2019. A celebration of her life will be held at a later date. Arrangements by Smith-Lund-Mills Funeral Chapel in Cottage Grove.

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