

NEWS IN BRIEF

Leaf pickup begins in Monmouth, Indy

MONMOUTH/INDEPENDENCE — Residential leaf pick-up begins the week of Nov. 13 for Independence residents, and continues Nov. 17-19 for Monmouth residents.

The pickup is intended for leaves only, not other yard debris. City officials encourage residents to use their yard debris bin first, and rake excess leaves into the street on days when leaf pickup will happen. Leaf piles left in the street throughout the week hinder parking and drainage.

Leaves should be piled at least one foot from the curb and should not block the flow of storm water along the curb, cover storm catch basins, or encroach the traffic lane.

Leaf piles will not be picked up if they contain other yard debris such as trimmings or limbs.

For more information: Monmouth residents, ci.monmouth.or.us; Independence residents, ci.independence.or.us.

Foundation supports scholarships

DALLAS/INDEPENDENCE — The Windermere Foundation raised more than \$2.2 million in 2016, bringing its total raised to more than \$33 million since its inception in 1989.

Local Windermere offices decide how to distribute funds raised by their agents so they



WESTERN OREGON ATHLETICS/for the Itemizer-Observer
Western Oregon University cross-country runner David Ribich celebrates after taking first at the NCAA Division II West Region race on Saturday morning.

may help organizations in their communities.

The Windermere offices in Dallas and Monmouth have given scholarships to local schools.

Salem man sentenced for identity theft

DALLAS — Polk County Circuit Judge Sally Avera on Nov. 1 sentenced Charley Leroy Cavilee, of Salem, to 94 months in prison for his part in a series of identity and mail thefts that occurred throughout the mid-valley during January and February of 2017.

Cavilee, 43, pleaded guilty

to 24 counts of identity theft and two counts of mail theft pursuant to a plea agreement reached with the state.

Cavilee's co-defendant, Melissa Mae Martin, was previously sentenced to 47 months in prison for her involvement. Cavilee was also ordered to pay \$39,000 in restitution to the victims of his crimes.

Polk County District Attorney Aaron Felton commended "the very thorough investigations of the Polk County Sheriff's Office, Oregon State Police, Albany Police Department, Keizer Police Department, Salem Police Department, Grand Ronde Tribal Police, and Marion County Sheriff's Office."

Holiday program looks for 'adopters'

DALLAS — Dallas Adopt-A-Family Holiday Program is seeking community members, organizations, businesses, or other groups to adopt families in need.

The goal of Dallas Adopt-A-Family is to provide families in need with holiday meals and one clothing item or one gift for each child in the family for Christmas.

Those interested in adopting a family can email dal-lasadopt1@gmail.com to receive an electronic sign-up, or request a registration form to be mailed. Call 503-559-5373 for more information.

Dallas families in need can apply for assistance at 182 SW Academy St., suite 220, Dallas, on Nov. 15-17 from 9 to 11 a.m. or 4-5:30 p.m. Applications will be accepted on Nov. 28-29 from 4 to 5:30 p.m.

Pentacle Theatre presents 'A Christmas Carol'

WEST SALEM — Pentacle Theatre's production of "A Christmas Carol" runs Friday through Dec. 2

The play is based from the classic story by Charles Dickens and adapted by John Mortimer for The Royal Shakespeare Company, and is directed by Jeff Sanders, with assistant directors Geri Sanders and Teresa Waite.

Tickets cost \$23 for weekday performances and \$24 for weekend shows. Seniors, stu-

dents, active military and Pentacle Theatre members receive a \$1.50 discount.

Advance tickets are available at Pentacle's downtown Salem ticket office at 145 Liberty St. NE or by calling 503-485-4300 from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on weekdays, or anytime online at pentacletheatre.org.

Pentacle Theatre is located at 324 52nd Ave. NW, off Highway 22 about six miles west of downtown Salem.

Studded tire season runs through March

SALEM — Motorists are now allowed to have studded tires on Oregon roads, but the Oregon Department of Transportation encourages drivers to consider other options.

The season began on Nov. 1 and ends March 31, 2018.

A study completed in 2014 concluded studded tires cause about \$8.5 million in damage each year on state highways, according to an ODOT press release.

Alternatives include:

- * Chains: Link chains, cable chains or other devices that attach to the wheel, vehicle, or outside of the tire that are specifically designed to increase traction on snow and ice. Drivers should note that link chains may not be recommended for use on some types of vehicles; check your owner's manual.
- * Other traction tires: These traction tires meet Rubber Manufacturers Association standards for use in severe snow conditions and carry a special

symbol on the tire sidewall showing a three-peaked mountain and snowflake. They work about as well as studded tires on ice, but work better than studded tires or regular tires in most other winter conditions. They cause no more damage to road surfaces than regular tires.

Polk County 4-H enrollments begin

POLK COUNTY — Enrollment is open for 2017-18 4-H programs in Polk County.

Youth can enroll in photography, animals, marine science, woodworking, horticulture, art or one of many more project areas. Youth learn compassion, responsibility, confidence, and respect through 4-H participation. The program provides hands-on learning for children with guidance from adult mentors.

Youths 5-8 years old (as of Sept. 1) can join the Cloverbud program, where participation is non-competitive and exploratory. Youths 9-18 years old (or 19 if still in high school) may choose to enroll in a variety of projects and participate in competitive and non-competitive activities throughout the year.

For more information on 4-H or to enroll in 4-H, visit extension.oregonstate.edu/polk/4H.

Enrollment forms are also available at the 4-H Extension Office at 289 E. Ellendale, Suite 301, Dallas. 4-H staff can be reached at 503-623-8395. The Oregon 4-H program is facilitated by Oregon State University, and is part of the OSU Extension Service.

Happy 106th Birthday!

Hourtense Marie Depweg (Bebe)

Born November 14, 1911

*Still kicking — not quite so high.
Still up and around.
Still at home and go for car rides.
She loves family, friends and Paul.*

Village Artisans Art Show

Nov. 10 & 11 • 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Cascade Commons
at the Lodge Clubhouse,
225 NW Jasper, Dallas

Our residents are hosting an art show to display all of the wonderful talent we have here on our campus.

Pieces are on display or for sale and include: Painting, wood work, bead work, ceramics and much more!

This is a perfect opportunity to buy an original gift for a loved one for Christmas!

SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS

When you are grieving a loved one's death, the holiday season can be especially painful. Our **Surviving the Holidays** seminar helps participants prepare for the holidays and even discover hope for the future.

Tuesday, November 14
6:30 - 8:30 pm

\$5 Registration includes workbook.

1156 SE Holman, Dallas

For more information or to register please call Kate or visit our website.

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POLICE REPORT

Information for the police report comes from law enforcement agencies. Not all calls for service are included. The status of incidents reported may change after further investigation. Individuals arrested or suspected of crimes are considered innocent until proven guilty.

DALLAS
Arrests/Citations

- Brandon M. Boggs, 23, of Dallas, in the 200 block of SW Rainbow Ave. on Thursday on a charge of driving under the influence of intoxicants.
- Guillermo S. Orocio, 29, of Dallas, in the 100 block of SE Court St. on Thursday on a charge of driving while suspended.
- Brittany N. Boone, 27, of Dallas, in the 800 block of SE Jefferson St. on Thursday on a charge of physical harassment.
- Christine A. Hokanson, 31, of Newberg, in the 900 block of Main St. on Friday on a charge of driving while suspended and failure to carry on operator's license.
- Joseph W. Knight, 40, of Dallas, on SW Leven St. on Saturday on charges of driving while suspended and a parole violation.
- Edward A. Mesa, 22, of Salem, at the corner on E. Ellendale Ave. and Fir Villa Road on charges of driving while suspended and failure to carry on operator's license.

INDEPENDENCE
Arrests/Citations

- Tirso Cardoza Ausencio, 36, of Independence, in the 1200 block of Monmouth St. on Oct. 27 for DUII and possession of methamphetamine.
- Miguel Angel Garcia, 20, of Woodburn, at Monmouth and S. 16th sts. on Oct. 29 for DUII.
- Marcos Puente, 20, of Independence, at S. 13th and E sts. on Oct. 30 for unlawful possession of marijuana – younger than 21.
- Kevin Clay Dill, 26, of Independence, in the 700 block of White Oak Cr. on Saturday for physical harassment and probation violation.

MONMOUTH
Arrests/Citations

- Mercedes Linn Ogan, 30, of Monmouth, at Church St. E. and Pacific Hwy. N. on Oct. 25 for DUII.
- Derek Robert White, 20, of Salem, at Pacific Hwy. N. and Church St. E. on Oct. 28 for DUII.
- Laura Kristian Walker, 29, of Monmouth, in the 700 block of Madrona St. E. on Oct. 29 for physical harassment.
- Cesar Eduardo Ramirez Madera, 19, of Monmouth, at Pacific Hwy. S. and Gwinn St. E. on Oct. 29 for failure to carry or present a driver's license.
- Robinmarie Rowen, 66, of Salem, at Pacific Hwy. S. and milepost 68 on Oct. 30 for failure to carry or present a driver's license.

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26th Annual Willamina Coastal Hills ART TOUR

Downtown Walking Tour

Kicking Off the Holidays!

Nov. 10 & 11 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Over 30 Artists & Crafters

Coastal Hills Quilters

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Photography

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