### College instructor takes long bike ride for books

Fernando Rojas Galván, who teaches Spanish and English as a second language classes at Clatsop Community College, left Monday on an epic adventure pedaling 1.600 miles around the state.

The monthlong journey will take him to all 17 Oregon community colleges, where he'll raise money for student textbooks.

He calls the 20-day effort "Bandit Biking for Books."

Galván attended an Oregon community college and has children who are attending community college. The public colleges provide great opportunities, he says.

During the past year, the college's foundation and Galván planned the route and found sponsors to make the Bandit bike tour a reality.

He'll bike 60 to 90 miles a day and will return to Astoria on July 25, hopefully having met his goal of raising \$150,000. He hopes that's enough to provide one textbook to every academic student each term for a year.

At each college, Galván will

#### Woman dies in crash on Hwy 101

A Gearhart woman died Thursday afternoon when her car struck an oncoming vehicle on Highway 101 south of Cullaby Lake Lane.

Sandra Harrington, 68, was headed south when her Tovota Camry crossed into the northbound lane and collided with a Chevrolet Suburban driven by Raymond Yehle, 45, of Boise, Idaho, according to Oregon State Police.

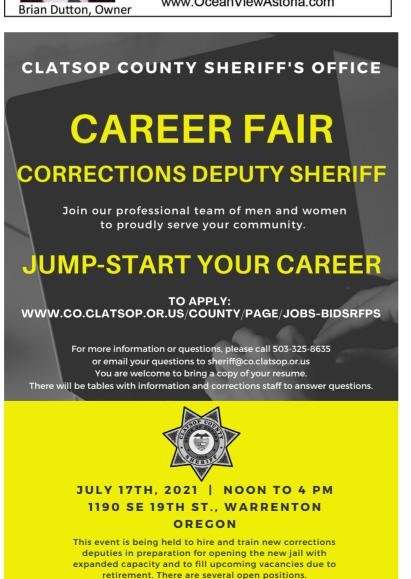
Harrington pronounced dead at the scene. Yehle had minor injuries and was treated at the scene.

OSP was assisted by Oregon Department of Transportation and the Gearhart Fire Department.

highlight the campus and, when able, meet with college representatives to discuss efforts to help students with expenses and other concerns.

To donate go to clatsopcc. edu/leadership/foundation. Follow Galván on his journey by logging into the college's Facebook page.





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