Autumn beckons, with fall fest ahead

ard to believe we're on the verge of autumn, library friends! But as we do for all seasons, we library volunteers and friends have many plans for our library and for our little community of Cannon Beach. And by mid-September, keep in mind we will have shrunken back down to a "little" community, with the departure of our summer friends from other places!

Calling all crafters and bakers! An important event for the month of September will be our annual Fall Festival on Sept. 24. We are in need of pies, cookies, homemade breads, and cakes for the bake sale, which is an important part of the festivities. Also needed are hand-crafted items, such as hats, scarves, and other needlecrafts. As time-consuming as the production of crafts are, now is the time to get creative! New this year, there will be a gift certificate drawing, the lucky winners will receive fabulous gift certificates from our generous local merchants! Drawing tickets go on sale Sept. 1-24. Sign-up sheets for the craft items and baked goods are located in the library office, at present, and will be circulated at our first membership meeting of the season.

AT THE LIBRARY CARLA O'REILLY



Speaking of the membership meeting, it will be held at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 7. Our speaker will be Nancy Wesson, who will be telling us about her experiences in the Peace Corps. A not-to-be-missed September chance to get reacquainted and enjoy one another's warmth and friendship — not to mention enjoying a delicious brunch together!

Another exciting annual event will be the Ferrari Club Fundraiser, which will be held on Saturday, Sept. 10. The organization has voted to donate all the proceeds from the event to our library this year, so come and admire the amazing cars and chat with club members!

Hopefully everyone has had a chance to take a look at our lovely quilt for 2016. Handcrafted by our own library quilting committee, the quilt is on display at the library behind the

checkout desk and also will be brought to the Cannon Beach Farmer's Market from 1-5 p.m. on both Tuesday, Sept. 13 and Tuesday, Sept. 20. Quilt tickets are available at \$1 each or six tickets for \$5. The drawing will be at our Holiday Tea in December, so there's still time to purchase your tickets before the lucky ticket is drawn — just in time for Christmas!

Cannon Beach reads, our enthusiastic group of readers, will meet on the third Wednesday of September, Sept. 21, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. The group has been reading "Falling from Horses," by author Molly Gloss. Long-time resident Joe Hummel will be the discussion leader. There's still plenty of time to acquire the book and read it — new members are always welcome!

Looking ahead, our first author for the popular Northwest Author Series will be coming to the library Saturday, Oct. 8, at 2 p.m.

So as we library friends look forward to getting cozy in front of the fire or enjoying the emerging fall events and colors in our village, we can rest assured there are plenty of fun times ahead at the Cannon Beach Library!

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Annual Cottage and Garden Tour event is coming Sept. 9

The Cannon Beach History Center and Museum celebrates its 13th year of opening the doors to grand beach homes, historic cottages, and architectural wonders of Cannon Beach. The fundraiser is scheduled for Sept. 9-11.

The tour is a multi-day event beginning with an exclusive concert and reception on Friday, Sept. 9, featuring vocalist Kelsey Mousley and "The Next Right Thing." Food

will be provided by Sea Level Bakery and Newman's at 988.

On Saturday, attendees are invited to a special luncheon and lecture at the Tolovana Inn. This year's lecture will focus on vintage and traditional design and the reawakening of these styles in home design. The speaker, Libby Holah, received her master of architecture from Washington University and has had her vintage and historic designs featured in 1859 Magazine.

Home tours take place in the Tolovana area of Cannon Beach from 1-5 p.m. Attendees will have the opportunity to tour historic cottages, grand beach homes, lodges, and inviting gardens. Following the tour, attendees are invited to a concert and reception at the Cannon Beach History Center & Museum for a concert featuring Maggie & the Cats.

The final event of the weekend is an English style garden tea at the Tolovana Inn on Sunday, Sept. 11. Attendees will enjoy English style tea while enjoying a presentation by the event's guest speaker, Sherian Wright.

Tickets for each event may be purchased individually, or as a weekend package. For more information, contact the Cannon Beach History Center and Museum at 503-436-9301, email info@ cbhistory.org.



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Hoffapalooza 2016 scheduled Sept. 3 in Manzanita

Hoffman Center for the Arts in Manzanita will celebrate its 12th anniversary with an open house on Saturday, Sept. 3, from 1 to 4 p.m. at the

Take a tour, check out the silent auction, and talk to volunteers involved in the various activities, both long-running and new. Representatives will

be available at information displays to answer questions you have about film series, the Manzanita Writers' Series, the North Coast Squid Literary Journal, Clay Studio, music events, and the Art of Aging, Art of Dying Series.

Hoffapalooza will include an art show and demonstrations by Clay Studio artists, and displays from the Word & Image event, Film Series, and art by students who have taken visual arts classes held at the center during the past year. Refreshments and cold beverages will be served.

Leading up to the Sept. 3 event, raffle tickets for a variety of prizes will be on sale every Friday from 5 to 8 p.m. in front of Polaris Art Gallery, on Laneda, as well as at Hoffman Center events. The Hoffman Center is at 594 Laneda. Raffle tickets will also be available throughout the

The raffle drawing and silent auction winners will be announced throughout the Hoffapalooza event.



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Tuesday, Sept. 6 Cannon Beach City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall, 163 E. Gower St.

Monday, Sept. 12

Cannon Beach Rural Fire Protec-

tion District, 6 p.m., Fire-Rescue Main Station, 188 Sunset Ave.

Tuesday, Sept. 13

Cannon Beach City Council, 5:30 p.m., work session, City Hall, 163 E.

Thursday, Sept. 15 Cannon Beach Parks Committee, 9 a.m., 163 E. Gower St.

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