

IN BRIEF

**Library friends set book sale**

The Friends of the Hermiston Library is holding its annual book sale. The event opens with a preview night for members of the library friends. It is Thursday from 5-7 p.m. at the library, 235 E. Gladys Ave. Memberships can be purchased at the door. The regular hours are Friday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., which features all the books you can stuff into a bag for \$1. The selection includes a large variety of fiction and non-fiction titles. For more information, call 541-567-2882 or visit [www.hermistonlibrary.us](http://www.hermistonlibrary.us).

**Class of '57 celebrates 60 years**

The Hermiston High School class of 1957 is gathering this weekend to celebrate 60 years since turning the tassel. The reunion activities include an informal get together Friday at 5:30 p.m. and a no-host dinner Saturday at 5:30 p.m., with a class photo taken at 5:45 p.m. Both events will be held at The Gathering Place at Bellinger's, 1823 S. Highway 395, Hermiston. For more information, call Rick Rebman at 541-567-8560.

**Maryhill participates in Museum Day**

As part of Museum Day Live!, visitors to Maryhill Museum of Art can gain free admission on Saturday, Sept. 23. The promotion is inspired by the Smithsonian Institution. People can download a free ticket at [www.smithsonianmag.com/museumday](http://www.smithsonianmag.com/museumday). Maryhill's large perma-



PHOTO CONTRIBUTED BY DAVID NORTON  
Gov. Kate Brown, center, visited with students from Riverside Jr/Sr High School during a Sept. 14 field trip at the Workforce Training Center in Boardman.

**Student field trip includes visit with Oregon governor**

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Students from Riverside Jr./Sr. High School recently learned about different career opportunities and the availability of local training programs. A Sept. 14 field trip took students to the Workforce Training Center in Boardman. Gov. Kate Brown also stopped in for a tour of the facility. Riverside principal David Norton said students had an opportunity to talk to the governor about projects they were currently working on. As part of Blue Mountain Communi-

ty College, the center opened in April. It includes classrooms and has a well-equipped lab for training in industrial systems technology as well as data center technicians. In addition to visiting the workforce center in Boardman, Brown also toured Lamb Weston and the Early Learning Center. "I was truly impressed by the collaboration I witnessed to really fulfill my priority for a seamless system of education and a thriving economy in all corners of the state," Brown said.

ment collection includes 80 works by Auguste Rodin, objects from the palaces of the Queen of Romania, unique chess sets and an extensive collection of American Indian artifacts. Also, there's an outdoor sculpture garden and a life-sized replica of Stonehenge. The museum is located off Highway 97 near Goldendale, Washington. To get there, take Exit 104 off Interstate 84. It's open daily from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. through Nov. 15. For more information, visit [www.maryhillmuseum.org](http://www.maryhillmuseum.org).

**Altrusa seeks fall scholarship applicants**

Altrusa International of Hermiston recently announced it is accepting applications for the Linda Gilleese Scholarship Program. The \$3,500 award is given to students that are approximately 2/3 through their post-secondary education process. Current high school seniors are not eligible to apply. The major requirement is that the scholarship will be used to gain or upgrade job skills or for those looking to re-enter the job market. The scholar-

ship is in memory of Linda Gilleese, a former Altrusan and Hermiston community member who was a strong advocate for education. Applicants must be residents of western Umatilla County or north Morrow County, but may be studying elsewhere. Scholarship funds will be deposited with the school to be applied toward tuition, books or lab fees. For an application, which is due by Saturday, Sept. 30, or more information, contact [hermiston@altrusa@gmail.com](mailto:hermiston@altrusa@gmail.com), visit [www.districttwelve.altrusa.org](http://www.districttwelve.altrusa.org) or search Facebook.

**Hermiston church dares to share**

A livestream video event features a national outreach effort designed to inspire teens to spark a movement of gospel conversations throughout the country. The Hermiston Assembly of God Church will host Dare 2 Share LIVE Saturday from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at 730 E. Hurlburt Ave. The cost is \$20, which includes lunch. In addition to the video livestream, attendees will experience a live local worship band and a live emcee. The program includes inspiration and training, outreach sharing and a praise and prayer celebration. For more about the event, including a link to RSVP, visit [www.dare2share.org](http://www.dare2share.org). For questions, call the Hermiston church at 541-567-5831 or visit [www.facebook.com/hermistonassembly](http://www.facebook.com/hermistonassembly).

**Pro-lifers to gather for Life Chain**

Groups of pro-life advocates will bear witness to their belief in the sanctity of human life by participating in upcoming Life Chain events. In its 30th year, Life Chain gatherings are held in cities across the nation. It features people spreading out in a human chain along the side of a major thoroughfare. Participants pray and hold signs with pro-life messages. The gatherings are silent and prayerful. Locally, people are invited to participate Sunday, Oct. 1 from 2:30-3:30 p.m. along North First Street (Highway 395) near Hermis-

ton Avenue. Those interested in participating are asked to arrive 30 minutes prior to the event in the parking lot behind Banner Bank, 101 E. Main St., Hermiston. The group will stand along North First Street (Highway 395) near Hermiston Avenue. For more information, call Deanna Leonard at 541-667-8537. Additional details about the LifeChain.Net(work) is available at [www.lifechain.net](http://www.lifechain.net). The website includes ideas for signs for Life Chain events.

**Open house celebrates female veterans**

A photo exhibit and networking event are a highlight of the upcoming open house celebrating women veterans. The free event is Friday, Oct. 6, from 3-6 p.m. at Holiday Inn Express & Suites, 245 N. First St. Hermiston. A collaborative effort with the Umatilla/Morrow County Veterans Services, Elizabeth Estabrooks, Oregon Department of Veterans' Affairs women veterans coordinator, will be on and to answer questions. Refreshments will be served. The "I Am Not Invisible" exhibit features nearly two dozen female veterans from Oregon. The project is the brainchild of Estabrooks and Felita Singleton, Portland State University Veterans Resource Center Director. The two women commissioned the project after hearing concerns from female veterans. The goal is to increase awareness and dialogue about women veterans and to enhance the public's view of their experiences — both good and bad, Singleton said. For more information, contact 541-922-6420, [mcvets@co.morrow.or.us](mailto:mcvets@co.morrow.or.us) or visit [www.facebook.com/oregonwomensveterans](http://www.facebook.com/oregonwomensveterans).

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## Family Health & Fitness Day

Saturday, September 23, 2017

9am-2pm at Hermiston High School

FREE Health & Wellness Event for All Ages

- BMI and body composition analysis
- Blood pressure checks
- Car seat checks
- Cooking classes
- Dental screening
- Dental treatment for the uninsured
- Teddy Bear clinic
- Vision and hearing screenings
- Mental health resources
- Alcohol abuse and Addiction resources
- Early childhood programs
- Senior programs
- SHIBA (Medicare), Oregon Health Plan, Veterans Services
- Community Resource referrals
- Door prizes
- And much more!

NO COST Well Checks for ages 12-21!

Questions? Contact [oregon.treadwell@oregonstate.edu](mailto:oregon.treadwell@oregonstate.edu)