

Lawyer, musician runs for state House

Orr ran practice for 25 years

By Edward Stratton
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John Orr

Local attorney John Orr has filed for the Democratic primary to replace state Rep. Deborah Boone.

Boone, D-Cannon Beach, announced last month she would not run for an eighth two-year term in state House District 32. Tillamook County Commissioner Tim Josi and local educator and author Melissa Ousley have also filed for the primary. Brian Halvorsen, an Independent from Rockaway Beach, has also filed.

Orr ran a family law and criminal defense practice in Astoria for about 25 years, also serving at times as a Municipal Court judge, before leaving to pursue art and recycling.

He is project development manager for Trails End Recovery in Warrenton, provides the company legal counsel and plays in several local bands.

This is Orr's first attempt at elected office. He has served in appointed positions on a public safety coordinating council, a committee to site the North Coast Youth Correctional Facility in Warrenton, an affordable housing board in Cannon Beach and with the Surf Pines Homeowners Association. He was president of the North Coast Land Conservancy from 1996 to 2002.

"I think my skill set is uniquely suited to the demands of working in the state Legislature," Orr said, describing himself as a fiscal conservative and social progressive. "It looks like the Legislature needs help to address its funding issues and the problems the state is facing, both in terms of education, housing, sustainable wages and family wage jobs."

Orr would also like to see Oregon better utilize its natural resources, particularly biomass energy.

He has lived in Clatsop County about 28 years and Oregon for 32 years. He is from Kalamazoo, Michigan, and originally moved to Portland to attend law school at Lewis & Clark College.

Candidates have until March 6 to file for the May primary.

OBITUARIES

Ernestine Elizabeth Neitzel

Seaside

May 30, 1921 — Jan. 15, 2018

Longtime Hamlet Route resident Ernestine Elizabeth Neitzel died Monday, Jan. 15, 2018, in her home.

In 1921, she was born in Telluride, Colorado, to Emma and Hilding Nordmark. The family moved to the Necanicum Valley when Ernestine was 2, where they sold vegetables from their farm.

Erna graduated from Seaside High School in 1938, and worked in a local grocery store and bakery. Later, she was employed as a teacher's aide at Gearhart and Cannon Beach elementary schools for many years.

In 1945, she married Herbert Neitzel, who died in 1984. Ernestine's siblings, Carl Nordmark, Irene Hartill and Perry Nordmark, also preceded her in death.

She is survived by her children, Linn Cooper of Eugene, Les Neitzel of Seaside and Lynnelle Neitzel of Portland; as well as four beloved grandchildren; dear in-laws; and nieces, nephews and friends.

Her interests included gardening, going to the beach, being out in nature, playing Scrabble and doing crossword puzzles. Ernestine was known as a kind, compassionate, humorous person, who showed great resilience when faced with life's challenges.

A memorial service will follow in the spring.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to Lower Columbia Hospice.

Arrangements are under the direction of Caldwell's Luce-Layton Mortuary.

DEATHS

Feb. 13, 2018

MEYERS, Bonnie C., 79, of Seaside, died in Seaside. Ocean View Funeral & Cremation Service of Astoria is in charge of the arrangements.

Jewell farmer files for county commission seat

Gladwin running for Thompson's position

By Jack Heffernan
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Susana Gladwin

Jewell farmer Susana Gladwin has filed for a Clatsop County Board of Commissioners seat held by Lianne Thompson.

Gladwin, 71, has served on the county Planning Commission along with Thompson, who has expressed her desire to seek re-election. Thompson represents District 5, which covers most of South County — including Cannon Beach, Arch Cape, Elsie, Jewell and

parts of Seaside.

"I think I have a lot of knowledge of that area — Seaside, Arch Cape, Cannon Beach — to be a good commissioner," Gladwin said. "I study things carefully. I like being a team player. I have a lot of background in a lot of things, and I want to give voters a choice."

Gladwin, who has lived in Jewell since 1971 and owns 9 acres of forestland, would like to focus on forestry issues should she be elected, she said. She also would priori-

tize the housing strife, which she attributed to soaring rent prices in a booming economy. "Always the people on the edge have no hope and are getting depressed and taking drugs," Gladwin said.

Issues that affect the Jewell area have not been properly discussed at the county level, Gladwin said. She added, though, that Thompson's term hasn't necessarily been a detriment to the community.

"I want to run so that the Jewell area again is represented," she said.

For example, Gladwin was "shocked" that she was the only person to offer public comment at a hearing before commissioners passed a vacation rental ordinance in Janu-

ary. If elected, she would use her connections in the Jewell community to inform people that a vote — and the last opportunity for public comment — was coming, she said.

The five-commissioner board will have three seats up for election in May.

Medical data analyst Andrew Davis announced he will run for the seat occupied by board chairman Scott Lee, who has said he will not seek re-election. Pamela Wev — an Astoria land use planning consultant — and Peter Roscoe — a former Astoria city councilor and owner of Fulio's Pastaria — intend to run for Commissioner Lisa Clement's position. Clement said she is not sure whether she will run for a second term.

Terrorist survivor to speak at library

Seaside Signal

Author Jeanette Chaffee will speak on Saturday, Feb. 17, from 1 to 2 p.m. at the Seaside Library. Chaffee will share how she survived the TWA Flight 840 mid-air explosion of a terrorist bomb less than 14 feet from her. It is the only time passengers have survived after a bomb exploded aboard a commercial plane in the air.

In 1986, Chaffee was on the last leg of her 15 hour flight from Salem to Athens, Greece, when 40 minutes before landing a bomb hidden underneath seat 10-F

was detonated on the aircraft over Argos, Greece. The explosion blew a 9-foot-by-3-foot hole in the side of the aircraft, ejecting five passengers to their death.

At the library event, a Q&A will be included and she will sign copies of her book, "Extravagant Graces: 23 Inspiring Stories of Facing Impossible Odds," which highlights Chaffee's personal interviews of some of the most inspiring and influential people of our times. Books will be available for purchase and signing; Seaside Library, 1131 Broadway.



Shannon McBride's "Tidepools"

'Waxing and Waning' on view at Seaside library

Seaside Signal

Through Tuesday, Feb. 27, the Seaside Public Library will exhibit original paintings by Shannon Mayo McBride. The show, "Waxing and Waning," will hang in the Community Room and foyer.

Like the waxing and waning of the moon, Shannon McBride has always felt a push and pull of the coast and city. Though she has never lived at the coast, her family has always had a home there.

Childhood memories of the Seaside carousel, haystack

bread and her toes in the sand of the Gearhart beaches fill her past. McBride explains that "these memories and traditions have been passed down to my children as they visit my parents, who have retired at the coast. The coast will always be home in one form or another."

MEETINGS

TUESDAY, Feb. 20
Seaside School District Board of Directors, 6 p.m., 1801 S. Franklin, Seaside.

Seaside Planning Commission, work session, 7 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 21
Seaside Tourism Advisory Committee, 3 p.m., 989 Broadway.

MONDAY, Feb. 26
Seaside City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.

THURSDAY, March 1
Seaside Parks Advisory Committee, 7 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.

TUESDAY, March 6
Community Center Commission, 10:30 a.m., 1225 Avenue A., Seaside.

Seaside Library Board, 4:30 p.m., 1131 Broadway, Seaside.

Seaside Planning Commission, 7 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.

WEDNESDAY, March 7
Seaside Improvement Commission, 6 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.

Gearhart City Council, 7 p.m., 698 Pacific Way, Gearhart.

THURSDAY, March 8
Seaside Convention Center Commission, 5 p.m., 415 First Avenue.

Cannon Beach Academy, 5:30 p.m. 3718 S. Hemlock St., Cannon Beach.

Gearhart Planning Commission, 6 p.m., 698 Pacific Way, Gearhart.

MONDAY, March 12
Seaside City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.

City Hall, 989 Broadway.

THURSDAY, March 15
Seaside Tree Board, 4 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.

Seaside Transportation Advisory Commission, 6 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.

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Seaside Tourism Advisory Committee, 3 p.m., 989 Broadway.

MONDAY, March 26
Seaside City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.

TUESDAY, March 27
Seaside Airport Advisory Committee, 6 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.

TUESDAY, April 3
Community Center Commission, 10:30 a.m., 1225 Avenue A., Seaside.

Seaside Library Board, 4:30 p.m., 1131 Broadway, Seaside.

Seaside Planning Commission, 7 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.

WEDNESDAY, April 4
Seaside Improvement Commission, 6 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.

Gearhart City Council, 7 p.m., 698 Pacific Way, Gearhart.

THURSDAY, April 5
Seaside Parks Advisory Committee, 7 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.

SATURDAY, April 7
Gearhart Emergency Preparedness Town Hall, 3 p.m., Fire Hall, 670 Pacific Way.

MONDAY, April 9
Seaside City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.

THURSDAY, April 12
Seaside Tree Board, 4 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.

Seaside Convention Center Commission, 5 p.m., 415 First Avenue.

Cannon Beach Academy, 5:30 p.m. 3718 S. Hemlock St., Cannon Beach.

Gearhart Planning Commission, 6 p.m., 698 Pacific Way, Gearhart.

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