

# Brown: 'We all work as one big team to move students forward'

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"I have a really varied position, which is really fun for sure," she said. Yet, the job has "become so much bigger than half time." That is part of the reason she is leaving a year earlier than planned. It enables the school district to create a full-time assistant super-

intendent of curriculum and instruction to address these growing duties and responsibilities. "It's a great opportunity for the district and will help us as we work to achieve the goals of the strategic plan," Brown said. "I am happy to move aside so that the someone can be in place full time for next fall."

Additionally, Brown is retiring — for good this time, she adds — because she feels ready to pursue other activities and focuses. "I still love doing my job, and it has been an honor to serve the families of the Seaside district, but I also want to do things like spend more time with grandchil-

dren, and take some trips, read some books," she said. She anticipates community service will also be part of her retirement. She serves on the board of Consejo Hispano, formerly the Lower Columbia Hispanic Council. Brown feels the school district is in good hands under Superintendent Susan

Penrod, and she's enjoyed the collaborative efforts of her fellow educators. "We all work as one big team to move students forward and support them in their education," she said. Additionally, several of the projects relating to equity, teaching strategies and educational excellence

that Brown helped spearhead are being done with the help of outside consultants who can help a small district move forward. Because of that, she has confidence they will continue to progress under the future administrator. "Those are things that meet our strategic plan goals," she said.

## NEWS NOTES

# Seaside Riptide 10U softball team wins tournament

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Seaside Riptide 10U team defeated the North Coast Merchants 5-4 to win the NAFA B/C "May the Fourth Be with You" softball tournament on May 1-2 at Sons of Norway Field on Sunday, May 2. Berkley Sturgell and Jahzara Marshall pitched

the entire game, alternating back-to-back, to lead the Seaside Riptide with one walk and nine strikeouts. Baylee Bishop was clutch in the field, catching a line drive at second base in the fourth inning. As the Riptide entered the bottom of the seventh inning with the Merchants up 4-3, Keeli Card got on base with a walk, then Amy Henry drove in Card

to tie the game. She then advanced with great base running. Khloe Painter then was able to get on base with a walk. Marshall stepped up to the plate with two outs with a runner on second base. Marshall hit a solid ground ball through the first and second baseman, to score Painter for the winning run at home plate.



## Seaside business leaders members win awards

Seaside Future Business Leaders of America chapter members competed at the 2021 State Business Leadership Conference. Several received awards. First place: 3D animation, Zach Fukuda and Jonathan Granillo; cyber security, Fukuda; and public service announcement, Emma Arden and Isabella Rodriguez. Second place: 3D animation, Jackson Schermerhorn; impromptu speaking, Westin Carter; and political science, Wyatt Mayhugh. Third place: E-business, Wyatt Mayhugh and Susana Velazquez. Finalist: Coding and programming, Connor Jackson. Seaside High School was one of five high schools in the state to be recognized for the Gold Champion Chapter Award for the third consecutive year. Senior Emma Taylor was recognized as the only Oregon Future Business Leaders of America mem-

ber in the state to finish the Community Service Achievement Award, completing over 500 hours of community service during her high school career.

## Transportation district seeks public input

The Sunset Empire Transportation District has a new goal of more public engagement, input and participation at its board meetings, committee meetings and during other projects. The monthly board of commissioners meetings are on the fourth Thursday of the month, starting at 9 a.m. "We are asking the public to help us by participating in a survey that will provide us with the specific information we need to make changes to our meeting schedules," said Jeff Hazen, the transportation district's executive director. The survey can be found at bit.ly/2QBzPUK and will be available through May 19. Survey results will be presented to the board at the May 27 meeting. For information, call 503-861-7333 or go to nworegontransit.org.



J&J vaccine will be offered May 15 at the Providence Seaside Clinic.

## Providence Seaside Clinic to offer J&J vaccine

Providence Seaside Clinic is hosting a community clinic Saturday, May 15, offering the J&J vaccine. After an independent committee reviewed the risks and benefits, the CDC and FDA have determined that the J&J vaccine is safe and effective for preventing COVID-19. They also concluded that the risk of having serious complications due to COVID-19 is more

likely than the risk of a rare blood clot from the vaccine. In an effort to provide more COVID-19 vaccines to the community, Providence Seaside Clinic is hosting a community clinic from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Saturday, May 15 at 725 S. Wahanna Road, Suite 230 in Seaside. The clinic is open to anyone (Providence and non-Providence patients) 18 and older and will be providing the Johnson & Johnson one-dose vaccine. Appointments are required by calling 503-717-7060, opt. 5.

## TLC hand-delivers gift baskets for area teachers

TLC, a division of Fibre Federal Credit Union, is delivering teacher appreciation gift baskets, packed with classroom essentials, to schools in several counties in Oregon and Washington state. Bailey Roberts and Deb Dixon of TLC hand-delivered the baskets over the last several weeks. "Classroom teaching has gradually resumed," Dixon said, "so we took this great opportunity to show our gratitude to teachers in our service areas." The baskets were delivered to: the middle and high schools in Astoria, Knappa, Seaside and Ilwaco, Washington, Jewell High School, Nehalem Elementary School, Wahkiakum High School and Warrenton High School.

nonprofit arm of Pacific Power, is donating more than \$525,000 across the six states it serves. The funding goes to support over 200 safety and wellness grants as part of the most recent round of quarterly grants provided by the foundation each year. The next grant cycle is now open through June 15; organizations may apply online at bit.ly/3mZfQtr. The following North Coast organizations received grants for providing critical safety and wellness programs: The Assistance League of the Columbia Pacific, to support the Operation School Bell and Duffle Bag programs; Clatsop Community Action, for COVID-19 emergency food resources for children and families in Clatsop County; Cannon Beach, to help construct housing for communication equipment for the Cannon Beach Medical Reserve Corps; and the Warrenton-Hammond School District, to provide computers and Wi-Fi access for low-income families and support the food backpack program.

## Pacific Power announces safety, wellness grants

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