

Local artists invited to join art show with international contacts

An International art show at Columbia Center invites all local artists to join the program.

Called the "Global Art Project," the show seeks artwork that expresses visions of global unity. The works will be exchanged with participants from around the world.

The works will be displayed in April in galleries around the world. Participants must register immediately, however, because applications must be postmarked by February 21. Registration forms are available at Columbia Center. A \$25 registration fee is required.

The Global Art Project is a grassroots effort that focuses on the value of the arts as a pathway to understand the world as it is and how it might be. It connects people of diverse cultural backgrounds, provides exposure to new ideas and creates a feeling of connection to the whole world.

Each registered participant

will be matched with a participant in another part of the world. Artists have until April 1 to complete their projects. Local works will be shown April 1-22 at Columbia Center.

Each artist then sends their work to the artist they had been matched with, and will receive that artist's piece. Columbia Center will then display those works. The art sent to the assigned partner will not be returned, but becomes a gift of global friendship.

"The Art Committee is really looking forward to participating in the Global Art Project," said Maeona Urban, chair of the committee. "We were surprised that the registration deadline is this month, but we hope that many of our artists will decide to participate."

For further information, call Barbara Peschiera, executive director of Columbia Foundation, at 397-1139 or by e-mail at bcp@columbia-center.org.

Popular winter livestock school will be held at PCC Rock Creek

The 2000 Winter Livestock School will be held March 4 at the Rock Creek Campus of Portland Community College. For the first time this hugely successful event is being sponsored by both the Oregon and Washington State University Extension Services as well as the Washington and Clark County Livestock Grower Associations. This is also the first time the event has been held at the Rock Creek Campus, which features a working farm.

Sessions will cover topics of interest for both beginning and experienced "small farmers," including horse, sheep, llama, goat, poultry and cattle management, plus general farm management and veterinary science for youth. Presenters will include Oregon and Wash-

ington State University Extension faculty, local veterinarians, professionals from private industry, and experienced producers.

Registration starts at 8:00 a.m.; seminars begin at 8:30 a.m. Cost for the full day workshop is \$30 per person for adults; \$15 for youth 18 and under. This includes lunch, breaks and a large resource packet.

Space is limited. To guarantee the classes you want to attend, register by Feb. 25. Registrations will be accepted at the door on a space available basis. For further information, call the Clackamas County OSU Extension Office at (503) 655-8631 or Clark County WSU Extension at (360) 254-8436.

State receives grant to expand help to Medicare beneficiaries

The Oregon Insurance Division has been awarded grants totaling \$357,763 to continue and expand the Senior Health Insurance Benefits Assistance (SHIBA) program.

SHIBA is a joint federal-state program that provides information and counseling services to help Oregon senior citizens and other Medicare beneficiaries make better health insurance decisions. It operates a toll-free information line (1-800-722-4134), publishes brochures and booklets, and conducts educational seminars.

In addition, several hundred SHIBA volunteers around the state provide one-on-one counseling for Medicare beneficiaries. Volunteers help individuals determine if they're receiving all the benefits they're entitled to, compare insurance policies, file claims and make effective appeals.

The federal Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA) awarded a \$290,313 continuation grant to SHIBA, plus \$67,450 in additional funding to expand its telephone information service, help volunteer sponsor organizations better utilize the Internet and computers, and increase outreach activities, especially to minority populations. Grant funding runs through March 15, 2001.

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TO APPLY: County application and supplemental questions mandatory. Columbia County Human Resources Dept, County Courthouse, St. Helens, OR 97051; Phone: (503)366-3901.

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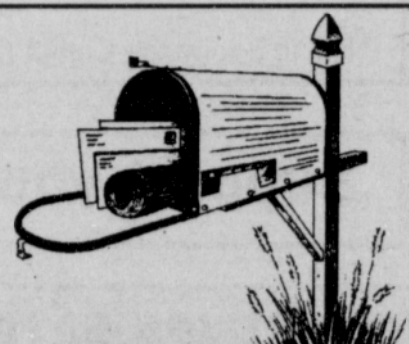
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We would like to thank everyone for their prayers, thoughts, cards and flowers in memory of our mother, Frances Holsey.

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Obituary

FRANCES B. HOLSEY

Frances Bell Holsey, 86, Cornelius, died February 8, 2000, in Hillsboro. Funeral services were held February 11 at Fuiten, Rose & Hoyt Funeral Home in Forest Grove, with Pastor Grant Williams, of the Vernonia Community Church, officiating. Interment was at Cornelius Methodist Cemetery.

Mrs. Holsey was born December 22, 1913, in Nacona, TX, to Riley and Ellen (Wagoner) Hanson. She grew up on the family farm in Apache, Okla.

She married Buck Holsey in 1933 in Lawton, Okla. They lived in several Arizona and California communities before 1943, when they moved to Tillamook. They moved to Corvallis in 1953 and to Vernonia in 1954. In 1975 they moved to Cornelius.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1996, three brothers and one sister.

Survivors include six sons; Lawrence of Tualatin, Carl F. and Donald R., both of Vernonia, Jack W. of Hillsboro, Dennis J. of Hockinson, Wash., and Larry E. of Las Vegas, Nev.; one daughter, Joan Moore of Beaverton; 12 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

Fuiten, Rose & Hoyt Funeral Home of Forest Grove was in charge of arrangements.

GERALD N. DONER

Gerald Neal "Jerry" Doner, 64, Banks, died Jan. 29, 2000, at Providence St. Vincent Medical Center in Portland. Funeral services were held Feb. 3 at Evergreen Christian Center Foursquare Church, with Pastor Darrell Roberts of His Church A Foursquare Fellowship, officiating. Interment is in Union Point Cemetery.

Mr. Doner was born July 5, 1935, in Lebanon, to Jacob Henry and Anita (Thomas) Doner. He attended school in Hood River until moving to Banks, where he completed his education.

He worked in the woods hauling pulp wood with his twin brother, and later worked for Pensalt Chemical Company in Portland.

Mr. Doner married Grace Wilson in

1954 in Banks.

He served in the 554th Engr. Co. of the U.S. Army from 1958 to 1960.

After leaving the service, he worked at Bird's Eye Cannery in Hillsboro until it closed, then worked at Griffith Polymers, Inc., in Hillsboro and Tualatin, until his retirement in 1997.

Mr. Doner was an active member of His Church A Foursquare Fellowship, in Forest Grove.

Survivors include his wife, Grace; two daughters, Tami Brown of Banks, and Peggy Sorensen of Forest Grove; three sons, Jerry and Mark, both of Banks, and Jack of Forest Grove; two brothers, his twin, James of Warrenton, and Robert of Salem; a sister, Kathy Doner Christensen of Astoria; seven grandchildren; numerous nieces and nephews.

Remembrances are suggested to the American Cancer Society, Oregon Chapter, 0330 SW Curry St., Portland, OR 97201.

Fuiten, Rose & Hoyt Funeral Home of Forest Grove was in charge of the arrangements.

WALTER J. MATHIESEN

Walter Jesse Mathiesen, 86, Beaverton, died Jan. 29, 2000. Memorial services were held Feb. 8 at Skyline Funeral Home. Disposition was by cremation.

Mr. Mathiesen was born Sept. 27, 1913, in Astoria. He moved to Banks as a child and graduated from Banks High School and OSU.

Mr. Mathiesen served in the U.S. Army during World War II and was a lieutenant colonel at the time of his discharge.

He married Fern Smith in 1945.

Mr. Mathiesen was a banker for First Interstate Bank until retiring 1977.

He was a member of Kiwanis.

Survivors include his wife, and a brother, Nicolai of Banks.

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LYNN M. FAIRCHILD

Lynn M. Fairchild, 58, Jewell, died Jan. 26, 2000, of cancer. A memorial service was held Feb. 5 in the Jewell Grange Hall. Disposition was by cremation.

Mrs. Fairchild was born Aug. 12, 1941, in Portland, to Eugene and Margaret Tweedy. She was raised and educated in Portland, graduating from U.S. Grant High School in 1959.

She married William B. Fairchild in 1960, in Beaverton. They moved to Albuquerque, N.M., Jewell and, in 1973, to Clallam Bay, Wash. They returned to Jewell in 1981.

Mrs. Fairchild was a homemaker, and had been member of the Eastern Star for more than 30 years.

Survivors include her husband, son Mike of Vancouver, Wash., and a daughter, Laura of Portland.

Remembrances are suggested to the Nehalem Valley Scholarship Fund in care of Jewell High School.

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