

Community

Spirit of Christmas



Connie Davenport, whose physical condition severely limits her ability to walk, now has brand new wheels to replace the worn out tricycle she previously used, thanks to the generosity of West Oregon Electric Co-op employees, WOEC, Vernonia Lions and an auction at the Vernonia Senior Center. Bike & Hike, of Hillsboro, helped further by discounting the cost of the trike and adding fenders without charge. The bike shop assembled the gift, complete with a halogen headlight and rechargeable light system, in time for WOEC employees to present it to Connie on the Saturday before Christmas.

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By Jacqueline Ramsay

2001 is coming to a close. I hope everyone had a pleasant Christmas. I got what I asked Santa for, a pair of warm, wooly house slippers, and the end of my week's stay in bed with a "bug."

Much has come and gone. I missed the Christmas Dinner at the center—I had potato soup. I understand about 125 folks enjoyed the meal and auction.

The center wishes to express a big thank you to all who gave toward Connie Davenport's new tricycle. Be on the lookout for Connie on her Bug-mobile.

The wind and rain we had put a leak in the office at the center, so, that must be looked into and corrected before the next storm hits.

Good News Flash: We will be back to lunch five days a week as of January 3. Volunteers will be cooking on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Thank you, Thank you, in advance.

The Center's business meeting will be January 4, 2002 at 1:00 p.m.

How many of you went for an evening drive around town to view all of the beautiful Christmas lights? My sidekick and I took about a 45 minute drive December 22. Saw the local Police two or three times. Question? Was he wondering what that white car was doing going so slow up, down and around town, or was he, too, enjoying the lights?

To each and every one of you folks, Happy New Year.



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