

Banks Blood Drive on October 24

There will be a Red Cross Blood Drive at the Banks Fire Department, 300 S. Main, on Wednesday, October 24, from 2:00 to 7:00 p.m. For more information, call Maureen Herb at 503-324-6262.

School Board hears of Facility update

The Banks School District Board of Directors opened their public work session on October 8 with a short discussion about

goal setting for the district. Will Moore commented that the process had been under way and making good progress and then got set aside in order to address more urgent matters. The board decided that they will set some time aside at every work session for discussion of goals for the district. This will allow them to make sure that the district stays focused. The board then adjourned into an executive session regarding labor negotiations.

During the regular board

meeting, the board appointed Angi Duyck and Doug Nordholm to represent the board on the labor negotiations team that will negotiate the certified contract for the next school year. They may also negotiate the classified contract, but the classified employees have not yet requested negotiation. Duyck and Nordholm have helped with these contracts in the past and recently attended a negotiations seminar.

Other action the board took was to approve the FFA out-of-

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Jungle Book coming to the Grove

Theatre in the Grove's annual children's play will have its public shows October 26-28. The Friday and Saturday shows will be at 8:00 p.m. and there will be a matinee on Sunday at 2:30 p.m.

This year's production, The Jungle Book, features several Banks area actors. The play by Joseph Robinette is directed by

Jeanna Van Dyke and is based on the book by Rudyard Kipling. The story combines the adventures of Mowgli, an Indian boy raised by wolves, with the story of a young Rudyard Kipling and his experience in a British boarding school.

For ticket reservations call the Ice Cream Shoppe in Forest Grove at 503-357-8336.



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