

Organic food delivery available

Is healthy nutrition important for you? If so, would you like to join a group of Vernonians who are banding together to maintain the eight-year tradition of Azure Standard organic deliveries to our town?

A new delivery/drop-off site, at the Vernonia Museum parking lot on Bridge Street, is a little farther than the previous site, so it is necessary to have enough people ordering to guarantee the delivery (enough money in orders).

Vernonia resident Carol Sawyer, and the driver, are aiming for a June 11th delivery, if enough people are involved. June 9th is the cutoff date for ordering. If you are interested,

but unfamiliar with Azure Standard, you can go online to check out the remarkable variety offered by the company at: www.azurestandard.com. You can also order a catalog and the bi-monthly sales catalogs.

Regular stock includes organic meats, vegetables and fruits from the Dufur area, grains in bulk, oils, and some canned and frozen specialties. Additionally, they carry a complete range of supplements, toiletries, cleaning products, farm and gardening supplies, organic seeds, etc. There are also selections for those with lactose intolerance or allergies.

For more information, call Carol Sawyer at 503-429-4748.

Sign up now for 2009 Bible School

Studio GO! Game Show is the place where kids experience real teamwork, real service, and real fun at the Vernonia Christian Church 2009 Vacation Bible School.

Each day at Studio GO! kids will meet someone from the Bible who decided to team up with God and GO for it! They will see how God works in the lives of everyone who trusts Him.

Kids will be given a Bible challenge each day and will be encouraged to carry out the

challenge at home in ways they choose.

Studio GO! will be held June 22-26, at Vernonia Christian Church, 410 North St., from 9:00 a.m. to noon, and is free for children four years-old to those who will enter sixth grade this fall. Older kids and teens are welcome to volunteer as well.

Register online: <http://www.vacationbibleschool.com/vernoniachristianchurch> or call Susan Mullikin at 503-467-8366.

Valley Pioneer Assoc. set to meet

The 86th annual meeting of the Nehalem Valley Pioneer Association is scheduled for Sunday, June 14, at Jewell High School.

The Nehalem Valley Pioneer Association was founded by pioneers, and their descendants, who settled the Nehalem Valley. All past, present and future

residents of the area are welcome to attend, as is everyone interested in local history.

Doors will open at 10:00 a.m.; the business meeting will be conducted at 11:00 a.m. The potluck picnic is at noon, served buffet style, and the afternoon program begins after lunch around 1:00 p.m.

June First Friday includes music

Vernonia will celebrate June's First Friday on June 5, with music by *Strings On Fire*, art by Dave Anderson and an Open Air Market from 5:00 to 7:30 p.m.

Events this month will take place at the Vernonia Community Learning Center and at participating local merchants (who will have First Friday Specials). As in May, there will be a Bring a Book/Take a Book table.

For more information, go to vernoniafirstfriday.org.

Senior News

By Karen Miller, Senior Services
Community Action Team



Senior Law Day: June 19, 9:00 a.m. to noon, with Attorney Maddy Sheehan from Scappoose. Serving seniors with half-hour consultation about elder law matters such as wills, trusts, power of attorney, Advance Medical Directive, Medicaid concerns, guardianships/conservatorships. NO COST for initial consultation. Senior discount, \$75/hr to draft will, power of attorney, no charge for Advance Medical Directive. Call my office to sign up for Senior Law Day, June 19.

Mark your calendar for our senior center fundraiser plant

sale on June 10, 11, 12 and 13. Brighten your garden with plants, shrubs, bulbs, tree, garden stuff and much more, even fishing equipment. 446 Bridge St., Vernonia. All proceeds go to the Senior Citizens Center.

June 15: For interested parties come join us for information from Providence Insurance Group, here at the Center at 12:30 p.m.

Columbia Hearing has changed their Vernonia outreach date. They will now be here at the Vernonia Senior Center on the SECOND Monday of the month at 1:00 p.m. Call to make an appointment.

Sign up early for our upcoming trips to:

- Hughes Water Garden in Tualatin,
- Air Museum in McMinnville,
- Oregon Garden in Silverton.

Prices will be set according to where we're going and how

many sign up.

Come in and enjoy the bird houses on the tables in June, painted by members...more fun activities coming!

Father: Don't you think our son gets all his brains from me!

Mother: Probably, I still have all mine.

And, speaking of brains, there's no lack of that around here...come join the quilt group on Tuesdays, our senior band on Wednesdays, and all the other activities we have planned around here.

GO SENIORS! The largest and fastest-growing segment of our population!

INFORMATION NUMBERS

Senior Services...429-9112

Senior Center.....429-3912

Transportation.....429-4304

June 19 Blood Drive in St. Helens

During the summer, blood donations typically drop off dramatically as donors go on vacation and schools close, but the need for blood never takes a holiday. The American Red Cross urges people to donate blood or platelets and save lives this summer. Patients in area hospitals served by the Red Cross depend on community blood donations.

Every day, the Red Cross distributes blood to patients in local hospitals. Regular blood donations from people in our communities are critical to their ability to provide an ample supply of blood for those who depend on its life-saving benefits.

Any healthy person age 18 (age 16 or 17 with signed parental consent) or older and weighing at least 110 pounds

may be eligible to donate blood. Valid identification is required for all blood donations.

For more information, call American Red Cross at 503-528-5892 to schedule an appointment for the Wauna Federal Credit Union, 500 N. Columbia River Hwy #150, St. Helens, on Friday, June 19, 2009 from 1:00 - 6:00 p.m.

VCC plans full night of events

Everyone is invited to an Evening of Worship, Food & Fellowship on June 13, starting at 5:00 p.m., at Vernonia Community Church, 957 State Ave..

This is a community event and pot luck so please bring something to share as well as food. Tell a friend, invite a stranger, come hungry, come thirsty. Not just for food...

HUGE!!!

Lulu's Annual Barn Sale

June

12th, 13th & 14th

9 AM - 6 PM

57502 Timber Road

1.5 miles past Golf Course

**Very Reasonably Priced
Antiques and Collectibles
Something for Everyone,
No Junk.**

Town Wide Rummage Sale!

In Timber On June 12-13-14

From 9:00- 5:00 Rain or Shine

**• Antiques • Food • Tools • Bake Sale
& More!**