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Highway 101 Reopens! by Evan Kramer

At 8:00pm Wednesday evening, April 8, Highway 101 between Port Orford and Gold Beach was reopened and back in business! Both the north and south bound lanes are open and there are no weight restrictions. There is a 25 mph speed limit through the slide zone. Governor Barbara Roberts has signed an Executive Order declaring Curry County in a state of emergency. This will enable small business owners to apply for economic injury assistance in the form of low interest loans from the Small Business Administration. Federal Highway Assistance Funds will be sought for rebuilding the road.

Port Orford Chamber of Commerce President Jannelle Haller is coordinating the effort for small businesses affected by the landslide in our area. Businesses interested in an S.B.A. loan need to provide her with their 1992 profit statement and the dollar amount of loss and percentage of loss during the road closure. She needs this information as soon as possible. The S.B.A. will be presenting a workshop in the area for people interested in these 4% interest loans. Jannelle can be reached at 332-9805 or 332-0230.

The 1,000 foot long landslide which closed our vital coastal highway on Tuesday evening, March 23 cut Curry County in half for 15 days. It cut truck and tourist

traffic down to a trickle and resulted in severe hardship for coastal businesses. Now that a temporary fix has been found the Oregon Department of Transportation will look to a more permanent solution.

Meanwhile Valerie and I returned from a combined personal and business trip to Los Angeles just as Highway 101 opened again. Interesting, as we were departing the City of Angels heading north on Interstate 5 we were stopped short in our tracks by an oil pipeline spill which closed I-5 north of Magic Mountain. This made for a rather lengthy detour through Mojave. All these natural and man made disasters made me appreciate just how nice it is when things are running smoothly.

The big thing on people's minds in L.A. is centered on the Federal trial of the four police officers charged with violating Rodney King's civil rights. Now that both sides have rested their cases and the trial has gone to the jury the city awaits the verdict with its collective breath held. Last year's jury decision in the state trial of the four police officers was followed almost immediately by two days and nights of frenzied burning, looting and the deaths of over 50 people. Depending upon who's keeping score up to 2,000 buildings were burnt to the ground resulting in the loss of 10,000 jobs and property damage in the neighborhood of one billion dollars. Most of the destroyed

buildings now are surrounded by chain link fences with the concrete foundations all that remains.

A photo on the front page of the L.A. Times showed Korean merchants displaying an assortment of guns in anticipation of the Federal jury decision. Stores owned by Koreans were particular hard hit last year. Los Angeles's police force now led by Chief Willie Williams is in a state of readiness unparalleled in its history. 7,000 of the 7,700 officers on the force including desk personal and detectives will be on active uniformed duty as the jury decision is announced to the court and the media. 2,500 California Highway Patrol officers are in state of readiness along with National Guard Units.

Meanwhile the rumors and hysteria build. Rumors about prosperous neighborhoods being looted and burned abound. Rumors about gang members stocking up on automatic weapons, 'E' license plates and police uniforms. My personal prediction is that whatever the jury decides, the city will remain calm. The vast majority of people living in last year's riot zones don't want anything to do with more destruction of their community. They don't want to drive 10 miles to buy a quart of milk. That, in addition to the fact that the police forces are on a hair trigger set to pounce on anyone who starts trouble.

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FREE LISTING for public events.

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Events occur in Port Orford unless otherwise specified. Information must be received by Tuesday for inclusion in Thursday's edition.

Friday, April 9, 1993

Good Friday

8:30-10:00am Tai Chi at the Port Orford Senior Center 332-5771

6:00-9:00pm Dinner at the Bandon VFW Hall, Bates Rd. & Hwy 42S, Bandon. 347-9277

Saturday, April 10, 1993

12:00am - Senior Center luncheon. Open to the public 332-5771

1:00pm Pool Tournament every Saturday at the Gold Beach Senior Center, 410 Airport Way. Open to all. 247-7506

6:00pm - Jewish services and Passover celebration at the United Methodist Church, 2289 Mead St., North Bend. Please RSVP by April 7. 396-2965, 347-9793, 756-3781, or SCJCC, P.O. Box 307, Coquille 97423

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9:30am - TOPS OR 769 meets 1403 Hwy 101, rear door. For info, call Pat 332-1175

9:30am-12:30pm AARP provides free tax assistance for older people at the Port Orford Senior Center. Sessions will be held every Monday thru April 15. Bring a copy of last year's tax forms and all relevant forms, receipts, cancelled checks, etc. For more info, call 332-5771

10:00-3:00pm Southern Oregon Coast

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8:00-9:00pm N.A. meeting at 1403 N. Oregon St. For more info, call 332-0875

Sunday, April 11, 1993

Easter

1:00pm - Easter Egg Hunt in the south picnic area at Humbug State Park. Sponsored for almost 30 years by the Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority. A sure-fire hit for kids ages 0-8! 1,800 eggs will be the stars of this annual event.



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With "Quality Education" as the guiding premise, teachers and citizens of Langlois and Port Orford united so that their voices could be heard as one. And they were! This collaborative effort effectively demonstrated that this community insists that its children receive an education that is at least equal to other

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children around the state. There was a realization that fair compensation is necessary to ensure that quality teachers are attracted to and stay in this district. This point was driven home by John Hayduke, the factfinder, as he stated in his report, "By almost any measure, however, the bargaining unit employees (2CJ teachers) are clearly underpaid." He went on to say, "The evidence shows that by almost any measure the Port Orford-Langlois district teachers are significantly underpaid in comparison with other teachers."

For your supportive efforts, the teaching staff of Port Orford-Langlois offers its thanks. The children will be thanking you for years to come.

We are now on a course to make things educationally better in School District 2CJ, but there is still work to do and progress to be made. The teachers of this district have re-dedicated themselves to



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making 2CJ one of the top districts in the state, but we may need some more help along the way. We pledge to keep the community informed on educational matters and we will find ways to keep in touch with interested citizens.

As a way of extending a personal thank you to the community, the teachers of 2CJ invite the public to attend a Celebration of Appreciation at Pacific High School on April 17 from 4:00 - 6:00 pm. Come and enjoy some friendly conversation, a dessert and the music of Jack Champagne. Hope to see you there.

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Fri Apr 9	1:32am 8.4	8:38am -1.0	3:00pm 6.3	8:26pm 2.3
Sat Apr 10	2:15am 8.1	9:30am -0.8	3:58pm 6.0	9:12pm 2.8
Sun Apr 11	3:02am 7.6	10:22am -0.3	5:01pm 6.0	10:07pm 3.1
Mon Apr 12	3:55am 7.1	11:21am 0.1	6:07pm 5.6	11:14pm 3.3
Tue Apr 13	4:58am 6.6	NONE —	7:15pm 5.6	12:22pm 0.5
Wed Apr 14	6:10am 6.2	12:32am 3.4	8:11pm 5.8	1:24pm 0.9
Thu Apr 15	7:29am 5.9	1:50am 3.1	9:00pm 6.1	2:20pm 1.1

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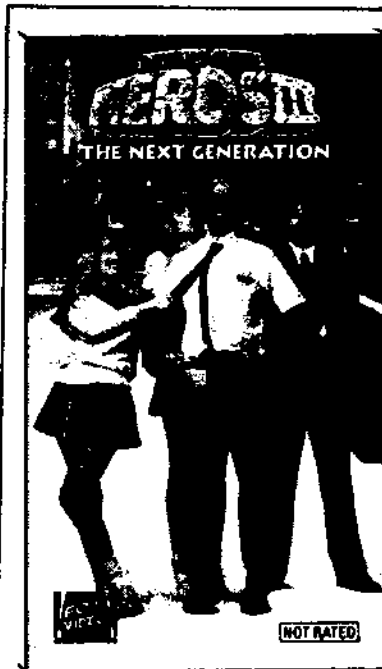
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- 1:00-3:00pm Bingo every Tuesday at the Gold Beach Senior Center, 410 Airport Way. 247-7506
- 4:00-5:00pm Children's Story Hour at the Langlois Public Library 348-2278
- 6:00-7:30pm Yoga at the Port Orford Senior Center 332-5771
- 6:00-10:00pm Mary Kay Cosmetics Demonstration at the Port Orford Senior Center 332-5771
- 7:00pm - Port Orford Rural Fire Board meets at the Port Orford Fire Hall. First Budget Hearings for fiscal 1993-94. 332-3681
- 7:00-8:00pm Sixes VFD Practice at fire hall. For info, call Ray 332-6325
- 7:00pm - Historical Fort Orford Rebuilders, Inc. meets at Port Orford City Hall.
- 7:00pm - Langlois VFD meets at Langlois Fire Hall

Wednesday, April 14, 1993

- 10:30am - Toddler & Preschool Story Time at the Port Orford Library 332-5622
- 12:00pm - Langlois-Port Orford Christian Women's Club meets at Bandon Cheese in Bandon. Theme: "Any Bunny Hungry?" Special Feature: "Nibbles for Every Bunny" Special Music is "Hop to It". Speaker: "We're All Ears" by Ruth Blackburn of Grants Pass. Luncheon \$5.50. Call 332-5451 or 348-2379 for reservations.
- 5:30pm Bingo at the Bandon VFW Hall, Bates Rd. & Hwy 42S, Bandon. 347-9277
- 6:30pm - Bingo at the Gold Beach Moose Lodge.
- 7:00-10:00pm Fun Night (pool & cards) every Wednesday at the Gold Beach Senior Center, 410 Airport Way 247-7506
- 7:30pm - Langlois Lions meet at their clubhouse near the north entrance to the Floras Lake Loop Road. For info, call 348-2500



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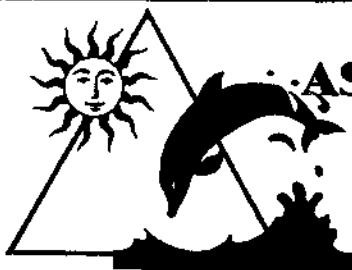
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Porcelain Artists meet at the Port Orford Senior Center. The public is welcome. For info, call Rene Hart 469-9604

12:00pm - Port Orford Chamber of Commerce Board Meeting at the Truculent Oyster Restaurant

1:30-3:30pm Toy Lending Library at 1403 Hwy 101 - back door

6:00pm - TOPS OR 871, meets at 1403 Hwy 101, rear door. For info call Becky 332-2335

7:00pm - The proposed Curry County Budget for fiscal 1993-94 will be presented at a public meeting in Port

Orford at 1403 Hwy 101. The public is encouraged to attend and find out how your TAXES will be spent. For info 247-7011 ext 222

7:00pm - Port Orford City Council meeting at City Hall. 332-3681

7:00pm - Port Orford VFD meets at fire hall. For info, 332-3681

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12:00pm - AA Meeting, 1403 N. Oregon St. 332-4381

12:30pm - Bridge at the Port Orford Senior Center 332-5771

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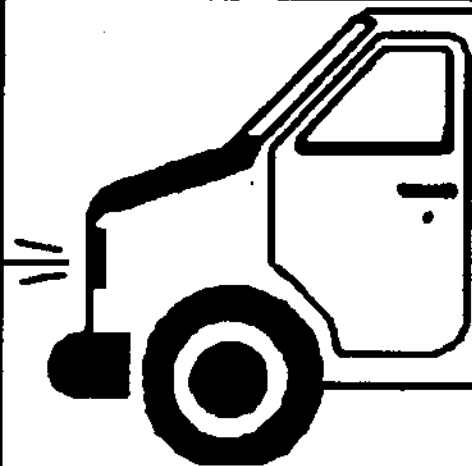
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He got the fish directly below the end of the rod, but he didn't net it. Instead he continued to reel and reel. He even tried to reel the fish right through the ring!

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The schedule for the 1993 Port Orford Arts Festival has been printed and is now available. The festival takes place the weekend of May 7-9. The schedule, printed on hard to miss pulsar pink paper, lists all the events, where they are taking place and the times that they will be going on. Also included are two maps showing where each event is located. This year the Festival takes place at 22 locations from Rain Coast Arts in Langlois to studios on the Sixes and Elk Rivers in addition to many places in Port Orford.

New events for this years festival include the "My Other Life" art show at the Lichtig Law Office and glass blowing demonstrations at the James Nowak Glass Studio.

The Arts Festival long sleeve t-shirts and sweatshirts plus shopping bags are now on sale and going quickly. They feature a striking design by Sonja Wold and come in purple, black and blue. They are available at the Cook Gallery, Grantland Mayfield Gallery and the Port Orford Pharmacy. You can also get a copy of the Festival flyer at these locations.



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Road Opens

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Heavy rains in California this year made for some interesting driving. The state is one big green belt with wildflowers blooming in abundance. The state's rivers are running heavy and lakes from Shasta to Elsinore have large quantities of water in them again for the first time in several years.

We took Myrtle with us on the trip so we got to know nearly every rest stop from southern Oregon to southern California. One rest stop on Hwy 395 north of Bishop was especially interesting. As we pulled

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up to let Myrtle out, we came face to face with a coyote busily eating some french fries in the parking lot. I drove to the far side of the lot and, leash tightly in hand, let Myrtle out of the back of the truck. The coyote went to howling and yapping as it circled the french fries. It eventually heading for a snow bank to join its fellow coyotes who all joined in an eerie chorus. We got the hint and left.

Driving north through Lone Pine we noticed several colorful posters advertising the April 17th arrival of the Culpepper and Merriweather Circus. This circus, now making its northern journey, is scheduled to appear for two shows in Port Orford on May 22.

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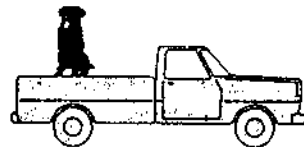
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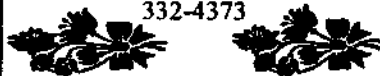
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