

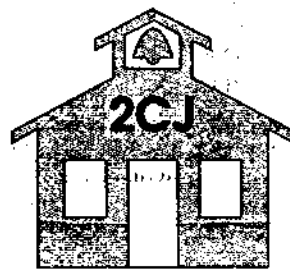
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Port Orford Today!

Ophir, Nesika Beach & Gold Beach
Thursday, April 15, 1993

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School Issues Still in the News

Board Not Boring

The Port Orford Langlois 2CJ School Board met at Pacific High School on Tuesday, April 13. They played to a full house and the Board Meeting was anything but Boring.

The evening began at 7:00pm with an hour of "Executive Session" to discuss personnel and negotiations in private. At 8:00pm the public meeting was called to order. The first item of business was to adjourn to the gym to hear the grade school soprano singers perform three numbers. They were great! One Scottish song was so beautiful my eyes got all misty. They will be on the road soon to perform with many other school groups at a statewide gathering.

The board voted to ratify the contract with POLTA (the teachers union) and mentioned that the final contract is for three years. (The teachers had originally wanted a two year contract.) With this major controversy laid to rest, two new ones have raised their heads.

A rumor surfaced in town on Monday that the board was to consider renewing or extending Superintendent Dick Wold's contract for three more years at a, "considerable salary increase." Well, don't know about the salary, but the rumors about renegotiating the contract were apparently true. Several people expressed concern, a desire to provide input, and frustration that this would be considered

without prior public notice. When asked when Mr. Wold's contract expired, Board Chairman Frank Smith replied, "next year." Pressed for a more exact date by another member of the audience, Frank said that the current contract expires June 30, 1994. Several people made comments to the effect that the board should not rush into this and that there shouldn't be any pressing hurry. The board didn't volunteer any details nor reasons for considering the contract at this time. The board did agree to table action on this issue till next month's board meeting.

The other highly charged issue is the level of custodial and maintenance staffing at the schools. The board has redefined jobs and consolidated some duties. Mr. Zitzelberger gave a lengthy list of staffing cuts and building additions that have been made over the last few years which have resulted in, many believe, too much work for too few people. David Terrusa (part time school custodian) corroborated his story saying the schools' appearance are the worst he has seen since he became involved in 1977. He further said that he can only perform about a third of the custodial work needed in the time allotted. The board plans to hire another custodian for the Langlois schools but even with this addition, many feel that the schools will not be kept properly clean and in good repair.

Less controversial news: The prom will be held April 24 9pm-1am at the Langlois

Lions Club House; Project Graduation will hold an auction in the Port Orford Community Building on April 24. The Bay Area Adult Band will perform at Pacific High School on April 29 at 7:30pm. PHS will host bands from all over in the Junior High Band Festival to be held on May 5. 76% of Middle School students made the WAVE for Friday. Plaques to be awarded to outstanding athletes will be purchased locally from A&T Myrtlewood. The 1993-94 school year will start Sept. 7 and end June 16. The Industrial Arts curriculum will be reviewed - they are now using books more than 20 years old. The board approved 22 extra-duty (extra pay) activities including coaching, music and knowledge bowl activities for various staff members.

Nine jobs are open in the school district for next year including the position of High School Principal, 2½ teachers, two educational assistants, a cook and a custodian.

Finally, if you want to know why your taxes are so high, talk to your state and federal representatives. The school safety officer submitted some 40 pages of BS relating to such things as custodial handling of body fluids and air-borne toxins and 15 pages of drivel that boils down to the correct way to turn off power before working on electrical equipment (such as changing a light bulb.) This junk is necessary to comply with various regulations. Sheesh! Your tax dollars at work.

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.

Thursday, April 15, 1993

9:00am - Master food preservers meet in the Extension Building at the County Fairgrounds in Gold Beach

12:00pm - Rotary meets at Senior Center. For info, 332-6325

1:30pm - Humbug Mountain Weavers meet at Langlois Fire Hall. For info, write P.O. Box 777, Port Orford 97465 or call Ina Lefter 332-2425 or Jan Buffington 247-6343

2:15pm - Pinnochle at Bandon VFW Hall, 347-9277

4:00pm - Singalong, Port Orford Senior Center 332-5771

6:00pm - Fair Board holds its regular meeting in the Ocean View Room at the County Fairgrounds, Gold Beach

7:00pm - Lions Bingo at the Port Orford Community Building (Early Bird Bingo 6pm) 332-3535

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7:00-9:00pm Genealogical Society meets at the LDS Church. For info call DeBoyd Smith 332-7633 or Rachael Davies 332-2495

7:00pm - Gold Beach Quilters Guild meets in fairgrounds office building, West Room. Guests welcome. 247-7535

8:00pm - AA meets at Zion Lutheran Church. 332-4381

7:00pm - South Coast Jewish Community Center will hold services at the United Methodist Church, 2289 Meade St., North Bend. Services are held the 3rd Friday each month. For more info, call 396-2435, 347-9793 or 756-3781

Saturday, April 17, 1993

10:00-4:00pm Flea Market at the County Fairgrounds in Gold Beach. Tables \$7.50. 247-7526 or 1-800-525-2334

12:00pm - The museum will be open at 920 Ellensburg, Gold Beach

Friday, April 16, 1993

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

6:30pm - Lightin' Bugs meet at Port & Starboard Restaurant

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Saturday, April 19, 1993

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12:00pm - Varsity Baseball: Douglas at Gold Beach High School

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

5:00pm - Indoor Outlaw Karts at the Curry County Fairgrounds in Gold Beach. Gates open 2pm, practice laps at 3pm. Adults \$5, 6-12 \$2, Under 6 Free, Pit Pass \$10. For info call Ron Pearce 469-6213 or the Fairgrounds Office at 247-4541

7:00pm - Artscapists meet at the Rick Cook Gallery. Anyone interested in the arts is encouraged to attend! Bring your favorite poem or story, and a chair or cushion. 332-0045

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

Sunday, April 18, 1993

National Library Week begins (April 18-24)

9:00-1:00pm Port Orford American Legion Post 76 Breakfast. Bacon or Sausage, Eggs, Pancakes, etc 421 11th St. Sugg. Donation \$3.50. 348-9959 or 348-9921

10:30am Battle Rock Rod & Gun Meeting at club site on Grassy Knob Rd. 3 mi. North of Port Orford

2:15pm - Pinnockle at Bandon VFW Hall, Bates Rd. & Hwy 42S 347-9277

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Monday, April 19, 1993

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

10:30am - Friends of the Port Orford Library meeting. 332-5622

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

3:30pm - 4-H Sewing in the Extension Building at the County Fairgrounds, Gold Beach

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

6:30pm - Sixes Grange #856. (6:30 potluck, 7:30 business meeting) 332-4030

7:00pm - Pinnockle at the Port Orford Senior Center 332-5771

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

Tuesday, April 20, 1993

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

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MS-DOS 6.0

Microsoft just released version 6.0 of their Disk Operating System (MS-DOS) and I've been asked a lot of questions about it. Here's a quick run-down to date.

MS-DOS 6.0 upgrade is selling for \$49.99 until May 31 when the suggested retail price (SRP) will jump to \$129.99. It includes the following new features:

DoubleSpace disk compression - Once installed your hard disk (or even floppy disks) appear to be 50-100% larger! DOS compresses your data before writing it to the disk and uncompresses it automatically when it is accessed.

MemMaker and enhanced EMM386, Loadhigh, & Devicehigh commands - Memory optimization to load more programs or device drivers into upper memory and improve memory utilization. Works only on 386/486 computers.

Backup - Windows and DOS programs to improve your ability to back up your hard disk's data.

Anti-Virus - Windows and DOS programs to detect and remove any of

more than 800 computer virus programs.

Multiple Configurations - The ability to select different config.sys and autoexec.bat commands at startup time. You can also bypass config.sys and autoexec.bat altogether (useful if they've been damaged).

Help - The help facility has been significantly expanded and is now nearly a complete reference manual on disk. It now includes syntax, examples, and detailed notes about DOS 6.0 commands.

MSD - Microsoft Diagnostics - gives technical info about your computer.

Interlink - A program to enable you to transfer files between two computers connected by a cable.

MOVE and **DELTREE** - new commands to move files or delete an entire directory tree and all files.

I've got DOS 6.0 installed on one computer so far. To install DOS 6.0, you may need 4-5Mb of disk space available (or more) on your C: hard disk depending on which optional features you elect to install. I was able to install it with no real problems but I haven't used it enough yet to be able to offer any real feedback.

My initial reaction to DOS 6.0 was muted because I have already purchased programs to perform many of the above functions. For those who haven't, however, DOS 6.0 is a real bargain. If you have a 386/486 computer you should definitely be running DOS 5 or DOS 6! (If you don't know what version of DOS you are using, just type the command, "VER", at any DOS prompt.)

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Recently, in an archeological excavation in the middle east, a large stone tablet was unearthed. Scholars determined that it was an ancient audit report, complaining about the use of papyrus scrolls by the scribes. It was clear that such scrolls lacked the evidential integrity of stone and clay tablets.

**Was he in the movie
"Falling Down"?**

In Charlestown, West Virginia, a man pulled a gun outside a convenience store minutes before it opened, fired a shot through the front window to gain entry, then forced the clerk (who was getting ready for the day's business) to sell him a can of STP oil treatment.

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When: Fall 1993 - Although we need to write now!

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Mr. Kagan will use the Curry County Comprehensive Plan and Zoning Ordinance to illustrate how these documents can be used to protect coastal resources. The emphasis of the talk will be how the average citizen can become involved to assure better planning decisions.

The presentation by Mr. Kagan is being sponsored by Oregon Shores Conservation Coalition, who also sponsored his talks at the Hatfield Marine Science Center in Newport and the U.S. National Bank in Lincoln City.

For more information call Robert Waring at 332-0735.

Dallas, TX, 1989: A man appeared dressed in an ape costume and proceeded to give away more than \$6,000 in \$50 bills to people on the street. They never found out who he was, but he was heard to mutter, "It's a heck of a lot of fun."



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Letter to the Editor

How Do You Spell Collusion?

Tuesday evening, April 13th the School Board surprised us by having an agenda which included a new contract for Mr. Wold.

Mr. Wold's present contract does not expire until June 30, 1994.

The state legislators have not as yet decided upon the magnitude of this years reduction of the school budget.

The newly elected members of the School Board will be seated in July and this may impact the present "good old boy" School Board.

It is evident why the School Board wants to expedite Mr. Wold's new contract.

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Fort Orford Cornerstone

Many local residents were present at the Tuesday evening, April 13 meeting to hear what Barry Joyce, an urban Indian, had to say regarding our fort project.

Basically he is concerned about the symbolism of the fort itself, what it did, and still may represent to Euro-Americans and Native Americans. The main focus seems to be that rebuilding the fort will only undermine any positive changes in race relations that have evolved in our American society in the past few years. Tolerance and understanding are only achieved by changing the way we educate others about the past and the things we as a society hold up as symbols for our values in the future.

Some may be of the belief, however, that a fort is a significant interface with the past. If the fort, as some say, was an evil place, then what better way to represent the evil things that happened to Indians than by housing that information in its appropriate symbol (just as Auschwitz is a testament to the genocide perpetrated the Nazi's).

These different ideas regarding what could and should be told about Fort Orford and the Indians who lived here for millennia before Europeans came here cannot be resolved in one discussion. We need these differing perspectives so we can learn to see alternatives to our biases and conflicts.

Although we may disagree, for now, as to how and where the history of Fort Orford and the Indians should be revealed, we are of the consensus that only the historical facts are acceptable. If historical information is censored or skewed to serve the purposes of the groups in the present, then our goal of an unbiased story will be thwarted. The conflicts that must be resolved to allow the unbiased presentation of history are the most valuable teaching experiences we as a community can provide.



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Work Party

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The beach grass at Ophir Rest Area is preventing the transport of sand into an area of native plant species and starving them out. Openings are being made in the beach grass to allow the north winds of summer to blow in sand.

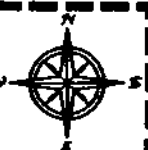
Spring '93 Whale Watch

The whale watch was held from March 21-28 from 10:00 am - 1:00 pm at Battle Rock Park and Cape Blanco. There were 24 local volunteers along with 825 visitors (17 states, 8 countries). 79 Grey Whales were counted. Six "I saw my first whale at Battle Rock Park/Cape Blanco" were awarded.

Don Giles, founder and recently retired director of the Whale Watch Program, visited the sites twice, answered questions and helped spot whales. The program was sponsored by the Hatfield Marine Science Center, Oregon State Parks and the Central Oregon Coast Association.

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Oregon artist, Sonja Wold is currently showing her paintings in Port Orford at the Cook Gallery. Over the last decade, Wold's art works have been exhibited in art galleries throughout the West including the prestigious Amado Pena Gallery, Austin, Texas and the Dolores Roberts Gallery, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Working primarily in acrylics on canvas, Sonja Wold's bright images transmit mythical tales and dreams from her subconscious. Her totem, the raven, makes an appearance in most of her pieces, suggesting a spirit at watch.

Wold, who is of Norwegian, Danish and Cherokee descent, said in an interview in Santa Fe, "I was not initially aware of the Native American symbolism. I feel very respectful of those cultures and I try to walk carefully."

After studying at Southern Oregon State College and the Cornish School of Allied Arts in Seattle, Wold began to dance professionally, dancing for 15 years with several West coast companies, including 5 years with the Oregon Shakespeare Festival.

On display at the Cook Gallery are Sonja Wold's recent paintings of her ocean series. The gallery is located at 705 Oregon Street, Port Orford, Oregon. Visitors are welcome to come and enjoy a story told through the medium of paint.

Obviously He Deserved It

Rialto, CA - Sheriff deputy, Edward Perez, plus two others were arrested for a credit card scam and going on a \$55,000 buying spree. Perez, an ex-marine, spent some of his loot purchasing a Marine Corps Good Conduct ribbon for himself.

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The benefit for Hannake Cassel has been relocated. It will now be held on Sunday, May 2 at the Truculent Oyster from 11:00am-3:00pm. The benefit will feature a brunch and a performance by Hannake and a couple of Portland artists.

Tickets are \$8 for adults, \$4 for children under 12 and are on sale at C.A. Smith Real Estate, Chetco Federal Credit Union and other locations. For more information call 332-6802 in the evenings.

The benefit is to raise money to help send Hannake to the Isle of Skye, Scotland for further musical training. She is already a very talented fiddle player.

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Fri Apr 16	8:38am 5.9	2:57am 2.7	9:39pm 6.3	3:11pm 1.3
Sat Apr 17	9:41am 5.9	3:52am 2.1	10:13pm 6.6	3:57pm 1.4
Sun Apr 18	10:31am 6.0	4:37am 1.6	10:42pm 6.8	4:36pm 1.6
Mon Apr 19	11:19am 6.1	5:16am 1.1	11:10pm 7.0	5:07pm 1.9
Tue Apr 20	11:36PM 7.2	5:53am 0.6	12:01pm 6.1	5:43pm 2.1
Wed Apr 21	NONE —	6:26am 0.2	12:42pm 6.1	6:15pm 2.3
Thu Apr 22	12:01am 7.3	7:02am -0.1	1:20pm 6.0	6:43pm 2.6

Tuesday, April 20, 1993

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

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

7:00-8:00pm Sixes VFD Practice at fire hall. For info, call Ray 332-6325

7:00pm - Gold Beach Promotion Committee regular meeting at GB City Hall

7:00pm - American Legion Post 76 & Auxiliary meet in the Port Orford American Legion Hall, 421 11th St. 348-9959

7:00pm Port Orford Lions dinner meeting at Orfords Restaurant. Visitors welcome. For info, call 332-5892 after 4:30pm

7:00pm - Langlois VFD meets at Langlois Fire Hall

Wednesday, April 21, 1993

New Moon - "Good! I was gettin' tired of the old one."

10:30am - Toddler & Preschool Story Time at the Port Orford Library 332-5622

5:30pm Bingo at the Bandon VFW Hall 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 - Zion Lutheran Church Women 332-3581

What's in a name?

Bud Light, his real name, has a sense of humor. Says he, "My Dad was the regular Bud Light. I was the eight ounce size."

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Sign of the Times by Evan Kramer

The heartbeat is back in Port Orford. Highway 101 has been reopened now for over a week and traffic has steadily picked up. The Greyhound bus now goes by our window around noon each day while chip and other trucks carrying logs and finished wood products roll by at a steady clip. Trucks hauling manufactured houses head south while recreational vehicles of all sizes and shapes resume their northern and southern migrations. Cars and trucks bearing license plates from British Columbia, Washington, California among other parts of the known world are back on beautiful and scenic Highway

101. It's a great time to be traveling now. The heavy spring rains have greened up the countryside. The rivers and streams are carrying great quantities of water. The Elk River, particularly above the fish hatchery in the gorge is really something to see. There are several waterfalls worth catching before April showers turn to May flowers.

Here's something for those of you who enjoy the rain statistics. The average rain at the Elk River hatchery for the month of April is 8.90". The record rainfall for the month of April at the hatchery was set in

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Speaking of April rains, now is a good time to plant. I picked up several fruit trees and vegetable starts at B&B Farm Supply in Langlois. They have quite a selection including plum, cherry, pear and filbert trees besides several varieties of tomato starts, artichokes and other quality vegetables. The cilantro was delicious.



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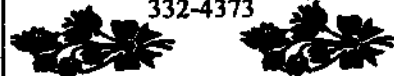


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