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New Arts Council Officers By Evan Kramer



The Port Orford Arts Council held their annual meeting last Friday night at the Community Building. The council elected a new slate of officers including

Susan Lincoln - president; Karen McGowan - vice president; John Lincoln - treasurer; Nancy Dowdy - secretary and Joyce Spicer - board member at large.

The board thanked outgoing board member and treasurer Rick Cook for his many years of service to the arts council with a gift certificate to the Old Toy Train Company.

Those attending the annual meeting were then treated to a toe tapping mini-musical concert put on by Rick Cook, Mike Disbrow and Alan Todd. Disbrow handled the vocals and guitar on Hank Williams's classic "I'm so Lonesome I Could Cry" with Cook backing him up on guitar and Todd on fiddle. They closed their musical interlude with Alan Todd leading them on a fast paced version of the "Orange Blossom Special."

The council and guests then discussed the upcoming events for this and next

year including the Arts Festival, the Port Orford Jubilee, the Country Fair, return of the Kudana Marimba Ensemble, a local writer's event and a possible music concert this December at the Community Building featuring Oh Boy Records story songwriter and musician Todd Snider as a fundraiser for a sound system for the building.

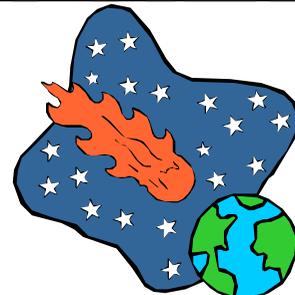
Membership in the Arts Council is \$15.00 for an individual one-year membership and \$25.00 for a family (couples) membership.

Chamber of Commerce Election

The Port Orford Chamber of Commerce held their monthly board meeting at the Wheelhouse Restaurant on Monday. They heard from Rob Spooner from Oregon Coast Magazine. He spoke about the Driving Guide to Highway 101 the magazine publishes every year and said last year they printed and distributed 230,000 copies. Spooner said he wanted to increase the circulation of the driving guide to Northern California visitor centers. He said the magazine would publish a new camp and vacation guide this year.

Chamber member Chuck Schaumburg spoke about the upcoming Crater Lake Centennial and the effect it will have on our area including loop tours.

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Meteor Shower
Sunday Morning 1-6 am

Nella Abbot spoke about the POET (Port Orford Entertainment Trust) Christmas project. She said POET I would use the funds it had to bring the "Tears of Joy" Puppet Theater to Port Orford on Saturday, December 15. The Puppet Theater will perform "The Toad Prince" at the Savoy Theater at 1:00pm. Admission for children is free and admission for adults accompanied by a child is \$5. Abbot said the funds that POET II has would go to providing a free lunch to the children on Saturday, December 15 before the puppet show. The Chamber board formed a committee to coordinate the lunch and decide whether to feed them at the restaurants in town or get them all together and feed them at Driftwood School or the Port Orford Christian Center. The Board made a motion that the two children's functions on December 15 and 16 be under the Chamber insurance policy and it passed. The event on December 16 is the annual Christmas party for children with Santa Claus at Driftwood Elementary School sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce. The kids will get lots of goodies and there will be a tree lighting ceremony in front of the school around 4:30pm.

The Chamber holds its board of director's election next month and will get the

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Shop Locally By Gayle Wilcox

As we rapidly approach this holiday season in uncertain times with an uncertain economy, I'd like to remind us all to shop locally. As you may or not know; all your merchants donate time and money to sustain scholarships, Meals on Wheels, Fire and Ambulance, American Legion, the Library, Historical Society, youth sports and other projects.

Now is a good time to show your appreciation for the long hours worked by the business people of Port Orford. These people provide you with the services and goods needed to live in Port Orford; the town we all love.

You can truly find something for everyone on your list if you spend time exploring all Port Orford has to offer. You can find gifts for Dad at McNair's, Coos Curry Supply, Western Builders and Kar Kare; jewelry and art at Jewels by the Sea and the Cook Gallery; gifts at the Shell

Shack, Seaweed Natural Grocery, Uptown Frames, The Transaction Gallery, Port Orford Pottery, Elk River Studio Woodcarving, Wooden Nickel, L & R Variety, Port Orford Breadworks, Dock Tackle, Coast Candle, Susan's Chocolates, Sixes River Peddler, In Stitches, Knutson Clocks, Art Image, Downtown Fun Zone, Port Orford Discount Drugs, Timeworn Treasures, The Painted Lady, Dad's Coins, Walter's Landing, Port Orford News, Circle K, Ray's Food Place, and Sea Breeze Florist (wreaths too).

You can purchase gift certificates at our restaurants, the Savoy Theater, Tracy's Place, Family Hair Care, Mr. Ed's Espresso, the New You, Bonnie's Ice Cream, and for services and lodging as well.

Show your pride in your town these holidays. Support the men and women who run the businesses that support our community.

And for the person who has everything make a donation in their name to an organization - Hospice, Shoes for Children, Common Good, Fire, Water Rescue, Ambulance, Meals on Wheels, RAD, and more.

Above all; have a safe, loving and peaceful holiday season. Give thanks for your friends and family, your life in Port Orford. We are blessed we have each other.

Community Music Night

Musicians, singers and music lovers can enjoy Community Music Night on Friday, November 16, at the Port Orford Senior Center, from 7:00 to 9:30pm.

Play or listen to songs beginning at 7:00pm. The sing-along begins at 8:45pm. Sing-along sheets are available at the Port Orford and Langlois Libraries. There is no admission charge. Donation accepted for the Port Orford Senior Center, a non-profit organization. Call 332-0131 for more information.

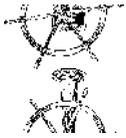
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Health Foundation

The Curry Health Foundation kicked off its annual fund-raising campaign this week with a letter of appeal sent to friends and supporters around the county. In her letter, President Sharon Zuber says her thoughts continue returning to the events of Sept. 11. "In the face of such massive destruction and loss of human life, how can the needs of our small community possibly compare in importance?" she writes. "Our hope is that Curry County will never have to face a crisis of this scope. It is important though that we make it our goal to provide our citizens with the best health care possible."

Health care organizations in Curry County have received nearly \$100,000 from private and corporate donations managed by the Curry Health Foundation since its inception in 1995.

In 2000-2001, the foundation granted funds for Curry County services including EMT immunizations, adult respite day care, the Curry Breast Health Network and childbirth education. The group also has funded medical equipment for Curry Family Medical, Curry

General Hospital and Curry County Home Health.

Donors can plan their own giving schedule, and earmark any funds for specific areas, Zuber says. Besides individual and corporate cash donations, donors can leave bequests, property, life insurance designations or charitable trusts. The foundation's 17-member board of directors oversees all financial matters.

During the group's regular board meeting Monday, Nov. 5, members elected Zuber as president, Leone Sharp as vice-president, Lyndell Hauschildt as secretary and Marilyn Schafer as treasurer.

For more information, write the Curry Health Foundation, PO Box 1274, Gold Beach, OR 97444; or phone (541) 247-3189. The foundation's email address is chdfoundation@gb.wave.net.

Health Grant Meeting

With the third and final year of the North Curry Community Health Grant program under way, coordinators invite all Port Orford community groups and organizations to discuss "what's next."

Grant partners and community groups will meet at 4:30pm, Monday, Nov. 19,

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in the Buffington Park Adventure Center, 14th and Arizona, in Port Orford.

"We will review the grant activities from the past couple of years and hear from major partners on how the grant has affected the North Curry communities," Cathy Boden, coordinator of the grant program, announced.

Boden adds that grant partners "will decide which programs we should see continued. We'll discuss what organization may be able to sponsor the various activities."

For example, she says, the Port Orford Arts Council has shown interest in helping bring back the Kudana Marimba Dance Band to Port Orford next year.

The Curry Health District wrote the health grant two years ago to help support the Curry Family Medical Clinic and improve community health in North Curry County.

Partners include Curry Family Medical, Port Orford Community Ambulance, Curry County Public Health Department, the Curry Health District and North Curry Families and Children's Center.

Refreshments will be served including Cathy Boden's famous Monster Cookies, John Shippe's Tofu Pate and cranberry juice.

For more information, phone Boden at the NCFCC, 332-1042.

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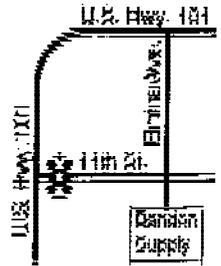
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Flu Vaccine Arrives

The first shipment of flu vaccine arrived last week at the Public Health Department and plans are in progress for the first clinic. Due to production problems, only a small portion of the order arrived in the first shipment. Two more shipments of vaccine will arrive in December. The first clinics for flu shots will be held at the Public Health offices on the following dates:

Port Orford: .. Thursday, November 15

Gold Beach:Friday, November 16

Brookings:Friday, November 16

Flu shots will be given from 9:00am until noon on the above dates or until the vaccine runs out. December clinics will be announced after the arrival of more vaccine. We will keep you posted!

Due to the shortage of the vaccine received in the first shipment, the Public Health Department requests that

healthy, young and middle age people wait until later shipments arrive to request their flu shot. According to Barbara O'Malley Floyd, Public Health Director, there will be plenty of vaccine, though most of it will arrive in December. She stated that waiting until November or December is not a bad thing; the vaccine takes about two weeks to take effect, and begins to wane after several months. Flu season generally peaks in January and February, so people receiving their shots in November and December will be protected during that time.

The groups at highest risk for complications of flu include:

Persons 65 years of age or older

Residents of nursing homes and other chronic care facilities

Adults and children who have chronic illnesses such as diabetes, kidney prob-

lems, blood disorders, or whose immune systems are compromised.

Cost of the flu shot is \$10.00. People are reminded to bring their insurance cards, as the Health Department is able to bill Medicare, Oregon Health Plan, and Blue Cross of Oregon for the cost of the shot.

Public Scoping Meeting

The City of Port Orford will hold a public scoping meeting on Monday, November 19, 7:00pm, in the city hall council chambers. The meeting concerns replacement of the sewer effluent drain field at Agate Beach. The engineering firm hired for this project will present an overview of the project and answer questions.

City Council Meets

The Port Orford City Council meets on Thursday, Nov. 15, 7:00pm, in the city hall council chambers.

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Lessons

By Graeme Graydon



I have a way of looking at my life that counts all the notable moments as lessons that are needed to refine and grow me into a “better” me, to be more comfortable in my own skin. I was taught that there’s nothing that I do in my life that is done by chance, and that nothing happens to me by chance – that there is a reason for everything and everyone in my life, and that I draw to me the factors that are most needed to deliver the lesson. When one lesson is gained, another appears, there’s no end to it – ever. Where I live and the people around me are the stage and props needed for the lesson. Characters are chosen who will please, hate, annoy, inspire, tempt, love, teach, ignore me or make me feel inferior – or superior, simply to get my reaction. If this is so, then the ones who upset me are actually teachers, opportunities put in my face for my own benefit. Now there’s a thought. I suppose that I must fill the same function for them. So if I have ongoing difficulties with someone – it could mean that I’m not getting the lesson, it’s not about waiting for the other to change or go away, it’s about changing my reaction into something I can live with, without all the bother. I remember praying for guidance over an issue, (it was my marriage), “This is

not my fault. I didn’t create this mess.” There was along, heavy silence at the Other End, and I thought, oh, oh, I’d better rephrase that, “forget that last bit, but I still want to know what to do.” The lesson may look like understanding, seeing where I couldn’t see before, it may be accepting what I couldn’t, discovering what I didn’t know, giving something up, like an attitude or perhaps forgiving myself. For a long time I blamed myself for the break-up of my first marriage. It was a while before I realized that we had both done our best, it was nobody’s fault. We just needed to do different things – we had to walk quite different paths. This forgiveness allowed the love, friendship and the respect of each other to grow. If I had stayed in shame or resentment, it would be the color of my life right now. Sometimes all it takes is to lighten-up, to not be so serious, even to just laugh at myself or the other.

But now there’s a whole new challenge – it was never like this before. The stage and props for my lessons were no wider than my own life, family, work and community – not any more. I have been drawn onto a much wider stage with other cultures as props and there’s a cast of millions, including people I’ve never had to deal with before. The flood of instant information and misinformation has swept me into close proximity with suicidal fanatics, (do you think I didn’t take a good look around the departure lounge at Boston Airport?), and with



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leaders who I want to trust, but can’t. I have to think what I would say to the military pilot who turns his awesome power against mud huts because he’s run out of targets. What can I say to the fireman who hurts and hurts and hurts because he lost his buddies? How do I respond to a President who says he has no idea why some Arabs hate us? And now the latest – another big plane crashed in New York. My first reaction was that I didn’t want to know about it, and the next thought was that when they told me why it happened, I wouldn’t be able to believe them anyway. All of this could easily become too much to deal with, and how effective can I be if I’m on overwhelm? Clear, independent thought is harder as this or that faction wants me to comply with their agenda without question. Its not my job to understand or solve all the problems, I don’t have to take care of what is not on my plate. But I do have to learn how to deal with my fear, my anger and my helplessness, not by ignoring it, (it wont go away), and not by blaming someone else, (its my fear). I have to find ways to uncover deeper reserves of strength and hope inside myself. My job is still to look for the lesson.

Meteor Shower This Weekend

Don’t forget to watch for the meteor shower this weekend. The peak is expected between 1:00am and 6:00am Sunday, Nov. 18.

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Police Log

November 5: Unattended death on Jefferson Street. Handled by contact.

November 6: Unattended death on 19th Street. Handled by contact.

Motor vehicle crash at Oregon and 20th Street. Report taken.

November 9: 2:00pm: Report of children pointing possible toy guns at traffic on Idaho Street. Children and parents contacted and advised. Handled by contact.

2:30pm: Report of children riding bikes dangerously near California and Hamlet Street. Unable to locate.

3:00pm: Report of careless driving on Arizona Street near Geer Circle. Driver contacted. Incident handled by contact.

November 10: 4:00pm: Motor vehicle crash on Oregon near 13th Street. Handled by contact.



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8:30pm: Request for welfare check at 14 Hamlet Street. Contacted and checked okay.

November 11: 2:00pm: Report of lost billfold. Unknown location between Cape Blanco and Port Orford. Report taken.

2:10pm: Report of shattered glass on Port Orford Loop Road causing a road hazard. Road cleared.

3:00pm: Report of large truck driving carelessly north on Highway 101. Truck located by Curry County Sheriff's Deputy.

6:30pm: Report of theft, and suspicious circumstances at Circle K. Report taken.

Safety Tip of the Week

Remember to keep your hedges trimmed, and your porch lights on for clear visibility and crime prevention in your neighborhood.

Special Worship Service

As this is the season for Thanksgiving, a special worship service will be conducted to thank God from whom all are blessings come! All are invited to attend the First Community Church at Twentieth and Jackson Streets to worship at 11:00am on Sunday, November 18. A Thanksgiving dinner will be held following the service.

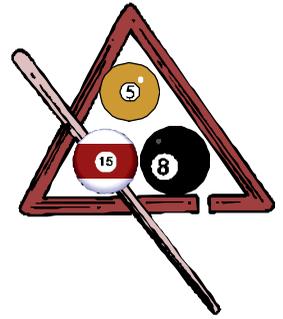
Thanksgiving Potluck

The Port Orford Christian Center is having a Thanksgiving Potluck luncheon following the morning service on Sunday, November 18. Anyone who would like to attend is most welcome. Service commences at 11:00am and lunch will commence at approximately 12:45pm.

Port Meeting

The Port of Port Orford Commission meets on Tuesday, Nov. 20, 7:00pm, in the city hall council chambers.

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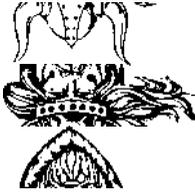
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Letter to the Editor,

I would like to explain how a taxpayer might receive two tax statements. It is not uncommon for mail to take some time in reaching its destination. A taxpayer will often call and request a duplicate statement be sent to them in a timely manner so they will be able to take advantage of the discount period. Often both tax statements will arrive within days of each other.

The tax collector's office is always trying to save the taxpayers and county money. For the last two years we have used RSVP volunteers to help get the tax statements in the mail as quickly as possible. This year the Assessor certified taxes to us, on Oct. 16, 2001 and the Oregon Revised Statutes requires that the statements be in the mail by Oct. 25. We had one week to get over 20,000 statements in the mail. With the help of RSVP volunteers we were not only able to get the statements in the mail by Oct. 24; but by consolidating statements with the same name and address, these volunteers helped save postage as well as time.

To date we have collected 23% of the assessed taxes for a total of over

\$3,428,000. We are again making use of RSVP volunteers to help open and sort payments to expedite the processing of payments.

I would like the public to know that we are working hard for them, and are very conscientious of cost factors in the operation of our offices.

Patty Ingersoll,
Curry County Treasurer

Letter to the Editor,

We want to thank Harborside for looking out for us recently. A virus called Win32/Magstr was being sent specifically to attorneys. (Some of you may think this is a good idea; our clients who depend on us disagree.) We had been informed of the bug by several legal groups ahead of time. They indicated it could infect a system without even being opened. Fortunately Harborside had RAV AntiVirus running on their mail site. It snagged and cured Win32/Magstr before it was sent to us. Whew! What a relief!

Some time back when Harborside had a number of problems and raised their rates, we, like many others, considered switching to larger and less expensive companies. We did not do so, partly out of loyalty to the company who first brought local access to Port Orford. Now we are very glad we stayed with them. We wonder if the bigger, cheaper guys would have watched out for us.

Thanks Harborside.

Howard S. and Flo Lichtig

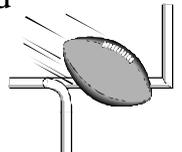
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November 16, 6:00 pm

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Fundraiser for Class of 2002

Senior News By Mary Yoder

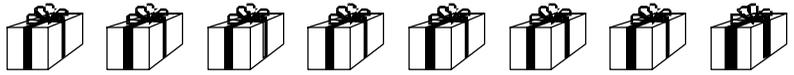
November 8 was Rotary luncheon – volunteers working were Lorraine Hass, Margie Kyle, Mary Evans, Delores Ludeo, Pat Grady, Warren Jewell, Chris Lozano, Lorraine Hass. Was heard one sure did a good job. The girls did the cooking – a delicious luncheon – the fellows the dishes and clean up. Delores Tucker and Chris Lozano setting up the dining room. A fine job was done by all and for dessert chocolate pudding. Thank you all.

November 10 luncheon and birthday at 11:30am – rummage sale 8:00am to 1:00pm. Volunteers working were Lorraine Hass, Jane Black, Mary Evans, Pat Grady – doing dishes and clean up Pat Grady. It was a very nice lunch and all enjoyed it. The birthday cake was made by Marge Kyle – yes, German chocolate. Couldn't have been nicer. Pauline Lenox was at the moneybox. Kay Neal and Betty Berger the rummage sale. All did a fine job and lots of work.

November 11 was breakfast and Veteran's Day. The volunteers working were Lee Heyl, June Heyl, Rosalie Coble, Marge Kyle, Chris Lozano, Pat Grady, Ron Panozzo and a nice young man Eddy. They sure had a lot to do – working, cleaning dishes. There were 100 people who had breakfast – 39 veterans. These volunteers really did a wonderful thing. Here is a great big thank you from all of us. Pauline Lenox was at the moneybox, Kay Neal and Betty Berger the rummage sale. I hope all never move away from Port Orford.

November 16 is the Community Music Night from 7:00 to 9:30pm. November 14 pinochle. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday at 8:30am walking group.

That should do it for now.



Langlois Crafts and Collectibles Holiday Fair



Friday and Saturday - November 16 and 17



9:00am to 4:00pm • Langlois Lions' Club
Floras Lake Loop Road - Langlois



Quilts, herbs, woolen goods, choice collectibles, and a Country Lunch



Garden Clubs

When the Oregon State Federation of Garden Clubs Inc. was founded in 1927, the founding clubs were women's clubs and that is how many people still see garden clubs. If you had attended the fall conference of the Rogue District, which was held in North Bend on October 25th, you might have been surprised to discover that half of the six clubs in the Rogue District have male presidents. Our local garden clubs encourage males to join.

The conference's mini flower show featured over twenty arrangements and even more horticultural entries. The Rogue District is planning to host a flower show school in 2002, with instructors from all over the state. This will be a rare opportunity to learn about flower arranging and judging, because flower show classes are usually held in more populated parts of the state.

While flower shows do play an important role in our local garden clubs, so does conservation. Everyone at the conference listened intently to presentations by Celesti Caryle and Jon Souder about salt marshes and tide lands.

If you are interested in gardens and the environment, you will be welcomed by our local garden clubs. For more information, call the president of a club near you.

Coos Bay Garden Club - President Sue Smith - 267-4460

Hauser Garden club - President Alberta Powell - 759-4102

Innonminata Garden Club - Gold Beach - President Bob Cooper - 247-2536

North Bend Garden Club - President Nancy Coddington - 756-5283

Sunset Garden Club - Port Orford - President Kirk Johnson - 332-6325

Weedum Seedum Garden Club - Bandon - President Bob Hundhausen - 347-1312

Pig Bowl

Friday night, November 16 is the annual Pig Bowl and Powder Puff football games at Pacific High School. The games start at 6:00pm on the soccer field. Admission is \$5 per person or \$15 per family. Pig Bowl/Powder Puff sweat-shirts are available for \$30. The games are a fundraiser for the Class of 2002.

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Letter to the Editor,

Gave us all one more reason to be proud to be part of this community! The fun didn't stop at the first through fifth grades, many adults and younger siblings partook in the festivities. A Patriotic theme with a disco flair filled the Community Building Saturday night as well as the surrounding neighborhood. Our biggest thanks goes out to Richard Purdy & Darlene Pieri "Who Let the Dogs Out" many times and then "Oops Did it Again" just for the pleasure of all our Karaoke Kings and Queens. Our youth would never have had such an evening of total abandon, all while helping support our community, if it weren't for the

sponsorship of local businesses and philanthropists. So many thanks to ESA for keeping our feet moving to the music with many sweets and treats, Pepsi-Cola bottling Co. Coos Bay for keeping our thirst quenched, Chetco Federal Credit Unions Port Orford & Gold Beach Branches for the use of their decorations, Sea Breeze Florist for balloons they were a real ice breaker, POET for table clothes, Ron Robinson & Leonard and Gladina Foster for big flags, John Panozzo for black lights and fog machine, Our chaperones and set up crew Gina Schnell, Val Benson, Nane Carkhuff, Kathy Goad, Deb & Dash Curry, City of Port Orford for Building, and the friends

and parents of all who attended your the best! Proceeds from the dance will be spent for the local Christmas giving trees, with Troop 554 planning to go shopping for others. We would like to take this time to tell Troop 554 "You Go Girls!"

Respectfully,

Shelly Sweet,
Cecil Ashdown
& Deb Curry

Free Christmas Bazaar

The annual Port Orford Christian Center Children's Free Christmas Bazaar will be held on Sunday, Dec. 15, from 9:00am to noon. If you have items to donate, please drop them off at the church from 9:00 to 10:00am Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. If you can't bring them in at these times, please call 541-332-2561 and we will make arrangements to pick up. Thank you.

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Poetry and Story Reading

Port Orford's own, Joyce Mueller, has a story published in the new "Chicken Soup for the Nurse's Soul". Please join the Arts Council on November 18, at the Transaction Gallery (located across from the Port overlook) from 1:00 to 4:00pm, for a Sunday afternoon poetry/story reading by this talented and funny writer. Refreshments will be served and the author will be available to sign books. See you there!

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Gun Club News
By Bill Oleson

The club's annual Turkey Shoot was held on Veteran's Day in slightly damp, shirtsleeve weather. Only a few people put on rain gear in the some times sunshine, drizzly and once in awhile a tricky gust of wind. Turkeys were won by everyone who shot the five step program. All contestants started from

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the 16 yard Singles line. Each winner from each squad had to start the next squad three yards back. It was entirely possible to win five turkeys. Thankfully, to keep the club from going into bankruptcy, no one did.

Winners who won turkeys by actually scoring the highest in their squads were: Scott Macdonald, one; Frank Barrow, one; Bill Hager, Bandon, one; Al

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Recycling Awareness Week

The Port Orford City Council has proclaimed the week of November 16 through November 23 to be Recycling Awareness Week in Port Orford.

Newspapers can be recycled at the large blue container in front of Ray's Place Market. Glass, plastic, cardboard, used motor oil, telephone books, recyclable office paper, and magazines can be taken to the Port Orford Transfer station for recycling.

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GARAGE SALE SAT & SUN. Nov. 17th & 18th 9:00am 43210 Hwy 101 North. Baby furniture, toys, baby clothes, plus size women's clothes, lots more. Rain or shine.

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REVERIE BOOKS will be closed November 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, and 22nd. Reopening the day after Thanksgiving, Nov. 23rd, with a 25% off all Reverie Books sale.

FOR SALE: BROTHER model GX6750 electronic typewriter, like new \$80.00 obo 332-7027.

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“Tomb Raider”, “Osmosis Jones”, “America’s Sweethearts”, “Calle 54”, “Ticker”, “Crazy/Beautiful”, “Chopper”, and “Along for the Ride”. In our “New Arrivals” section we added “Recess Christmas” and “Santa Who”. Please remember items are due back by 3:30pm the next business day. For videotapes, DVD’s, Sony Playstation, or Nintendo games come on down to The Downtown Fun Zone. Open 9:30-6 Mon-Thurs and 9:30-7 Friday and Saturday. Closed Sundays.

STOP! Lots to see at L&R Variety, 3,000 sq. ft. Used - old & new. Spices, tools, beads, household and gift items, books, collectables, too much to list. 10:00am - 5:00pm, 1819 Oregon St., Port Orford.

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Reception for Senator Fisher

There will be a reception held for State Senator Bill Fisher on Monday, November 19, at 3:00pm. Senator Fisher will be replacing Senator Ken Messerle who will no longer be our senator because of the state redistricting plan. Please come and join the Curry County Commissioners in welcoming our new senator. The reception will be held in the commissioners hearing room in Gold Beach with refreshment provided. This will be a great opportunity to meet your new senator and talk to him about any problems or concerns you may have.

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New Arts Council Officers Continued from front cover

ballots mailed to members this month. There are five board member positions up for election out of nine positions.

Jubilee Committee member Wilbur Green said the Jubilee is on for next year and the next meeting of the Jubilee Committee is scheduled for January 16. You are invited to attend the meeting and help out on next year's big Fourth of July celebration.

Membership in the Chamber of Commerce costs \$75.00 for one year voting membership. Associate membership is available for \$35.00 per year and there is a senior membership available for \$15.00. I'm a member of both the Arts Council and the Chamber of Commerce and predict good things from both organizations both for the rest of this year and next.

Economic Development Office Marlyn Schafer Curry County Commissioner

Exciting new things are happening in Curry County. For the first time ever Curry County will have an Economic

Development office. A non-profit corporation that will be called Curry Economic Development Alliance Corporation (CEDAC) has been formed. The mission of this corporation will be...Maintain and improve the region's livability – it's attractiveness, as a place to live and work – by helping to create new and retain existing family wage jobs.

It has long been my dream to have a person in place who can devote full time to economic development. Over the years I have tried to do what I could to promote economic growth but it's always been frustrating that I could never spend the time needed. This Corporation will hire a full time person and provide an office, phone and eventually staff.

When this person is hired one of their first duties will be to get private membership. The board will consist of 15 members. There will be a representative from each of the cities, ports and the county plus eight people from the private sector. None of the public sector entities have the resources to hire a full time Economic Development Officer. By partnering we can get so much more for our money. The county has the money that we re-

ceive for economic development that is from video lottery dollars. This is where our membership to this Corporation will come from.

We have begun the process for hiring and if you check the help wanted ads you will find the job listed. Although this is a non-profit corporation the board meetings will be open to the public. I have been criticized by some people for not providing a lot of information about this corporation before this but until we developed by-laws, applied for our IRS status and actually got some sort of organization ready to go it was difficult to keep people informed because things were getting changed almost as quickly as they were approved. As with any new organization it takes so much more time than we thought would be necessary.

If you have any further questions please call me at 247-3296 or Mayor Gary Doran at the City of Port Orford 332-3681.

We don't have a vehicle yet for making copies or mailing out information but I have everything in my computer and if you have e-mail I would be happy to share it with you. Here is my e-mail...schaferm@co.curry.or.us.

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Planning Commission Meeting

The regular meeting of the Port Orford Planning Commission scheduled for Nov. 13 was postponed. The next meeting of the Port Orford Planning Commission will be a special meeting scheduled for Thursday, Nov. 29, 7:00pm, in the city hall council chambers.

The purpose of the special meeting will be have a workshop session with Ms. Crystal Shoji (Shoji Planning & Development) and the City Administrator to discuss final revision and implementation of the City of Port Orford Strategic Plan.

For further information please contact the City Administrator or City Planning Director at 541-332-3681.