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**Lewis & Clark
Explorer Excursion Train**

Good Vibrations

By Evan Kramer



Valerie and I stopped procrastinating this past weekend and finally took a ride on the Lewis and Clark Explorer excursion train. This three-car train runs in Oregon alongside the Columbia River from Linnton to Astoria. Most of us taking the trip on Saturday boarded two Tri-Met buses at Portland Union Station for the short trip to Linnton on Highway 30. Why the train doesn't go out of the train station was a matter of speculation and answers ranged from insurance to the secretary of transportation. My friend who works for Amtrak sent me a message on Tuesday. He said that as part of the last funding package for Amtrak the Bush Administration insisted on legislation that Amtrak could add no new lines, thus ruling out their running the Lewis and Clark Train.

We got under way at 8:00am for Astoria riding in three early 1950's built Budd RDC's (rail diesel cars) and the train was sold out with 154 passengers.

The tracks to Astoria belong to the Portland and Western Railroad that provides the engineer and the conductor for the

trip. An outside concessionaire working with local restaurants in Astoria handles food services. The train ride came about last year as a way to celebrate and honor the Lewis and Clark Corps of Discovery 1805-06 expedition, which followed along the Columbia River to Astoria. The fact that there is once again train service between Portland and Astoria is a special one as regular passenger service on this line was discontinued on January 13, 1952 and it took until last year to get passenger cars back on this active freight line.

One of the things about trains over buses, cars and planes that I've noticed is the good feelings they bring up in people whether it's the passengers on board or the people along the route. We passed through downtown Rainer and on the west side of the tracks is a house a bit above the level of the train. Both going to Astoria and coming back the woman who lives in that yellow house was in her front window, black dog in her arms waving at us. We were told she waits for the train each way the four times a week it passes through Rainer and waves. Almost everywhere along the way people wave at the train from the cars, their farms or gardens, from bicycles and cars, and you see a lot of smiles. A restaurant in Rainer welcomes train riders to come

back and eat at their establishment while patrons come outside and wave at the three passenger laden RDC's.

The views of the Columbia and the many sloughs and rivers that enter it are spectacular. The bird watching was excellent but would have been better with a pair of binoculars. We saw a large number of great blue herons, ducks, geese, and closer in to Astoria lots of cormorants perched on the many abandoned pier pilings. Astoria is also the currently home base for numerous sea lions. We saw a group of them that had taken over one of the marina docks.

The train passes within a stone's throw the decommissioned Trojan Nuclear Power Plant. Hard to believe but part of the plant is now a public park with a picnic area, several ponds and a visitor center. The 449 foot tall cooling tower is a beacon for many miles. The train also goes through the middle of a Georgia-Pacific paper plant where many familiar household products are manufactured.

The train gets to Astoria at 11:30am and doesn't depart back for Linnton until 4:45pm so there's plenty of time to explore the town. One new attraction is a waterfront trolley car line, which runs for a couple of miles. It is powered by an

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Good Vibrations
Continued from Front Cover

independent diesel electric engine rather than overhead electric wires but it goes from one place to the other and people enjoy riding it. Valerie sat down after lunch to read a book and I took a long walk from the bridge that goes to Washington back to the now closed Astoria train station.

Walking through the downtown Astoria business district was interesting with many buildings being renovated included their downtown movie palace, The Liberty, which is now used for live stage shows and musical events. Why is it whenever these beautiful old downtown movie theaters get a facelift they stop showing movies and go legit? I decided to get off the main drag and walked by a used car lot and admired a 2003 retro Chevrolet truck for sale. The bright red beast was available for \$49,000. A salesman asked me if I wanted to do more than

take photos. I told him I had just bought a 1995 Buick LeSabre but couldn't stay away from looking at what was available on his lot. The salesman's name was Arne Jylha and he told me had had been a car salesman in Astoria at the Ocean Crest Chevrolet, Cadillac, Buick and Oldsmobile dealer for 57 years. Mr. Jylha, a proud Finn, said that most of his friends were "gone" now and he was convinced selling cars kept him going. He wasn't too thrilled with the sea lion invasion of Astoria because of the amount of salmon they eat, or as is more accurately the case, partly eat. We parted ways and I continued on my walking tour and headed back to the train station and joined my eager train mates for the ride back to Linnton.

City Council Meets

The Port Orford City Council Meets on Monday, August 16, 7:00pm, in the city hall council chambers.

Hiking Guide Coming Soon

The R.A.D. Outdoor Club is producing a hiking guide for Curry County called "From Sea to Summit. They plan to have the guide written and printed and available in September. The hiking guide features 15 excellent trail adventures in Curry County. Each trail hike has photos, a map, and a complete description of the trail. There is also a "nature-packed" section with dozens of illustrations to help you appreciate the forest and wildlife.

The book will be available on the website and at visitor's centers and other locations in Curry County.

R.A.D. is part of North Curry Families and Children's Center. NCFCC is celebrating 10 years of community service. Check out R.A.D. at www.RADventures.org.

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Measure 08-41
By Louis Mincer

Port Orford City Administrator Ken Knight assumes that no one can question his authority or conclusions on matters that effect not only the people of Port Orford but nationwide. His autocratic and cryptic attitude runs counter to our belief in democratic values and tends to antagonize those of us who were involved and facilitated 08-41 along with 252 Port Orford residents who voted for the city to enforce the provisions therein.

Administrator Knight is quite adept in the art of weaving generalities and ambiguities. His two-paragraph rendition at the City Council meeting, explaining his stand against 08-41 is masterful in respect that no one apparently knew or understood what he meant. Yet, he says it "fulfilled the requirements". More glibberish and evasion.

As yet he has never presented any written corroborative evidence fortifying his inflexible contention that 08-41 is moot-legally unenforceable. Therefore we must conclude that the inclusion of this ordinance into the revised statutes by Knight was merely a symbolic gesture to placate

those of us who were given to believe that if they voted in the affirmative the ordinance would become an enforceable law. Why did he include it in the statutes if he didn't intend to enforce it? And secondly doesn't it have to be enforced once in the statutes?

He has stated that we the people if dissatisfied with his decision should take the matter to a court of law. I believe though the burden of proof resides with Knight and the City Council. I base this on a previously contested case displaying certain similarities.

Measure 13, the "taking initiative" passed a few years ago by a statewide vote was challenged by the State as being unconstitutional. It was thence submitted to the Oregon Supreme Court, which ruled against 13. The point to be made is that the burden of proof was with the State government not the electorate.

If the Administrator and City Council refuse to plead Ordinance 08-41 before a court of law they forfeit their legal standing to withhold enforcement.

Fun Zone proprietor Evan Kramer via e-mail contacted Knight in reference to a more precise explanation why 08-41 was

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not implemented and asked for clarification of the two paragraphs that defined administrator Knight's position on this matter. His response was curt rebuff including a disingenuous remark about my article featured in the Port Orford News July 21 pertaining to 08-41.

Is it too much to ask a public official to level with the people stating in simple language for all to understand why he will not enforce 08-41. The administration's contention, we surmise, is that the US Patriot Act I takes precedent over the Constitution. All we want is documented proof substantiating that contention; and a show of cooperation with his constituents who are his employers.

The city council also shares in this display of mumbo jumbo by remaining mute using Knight as a figurehead who apparently is well schooled in double talk.



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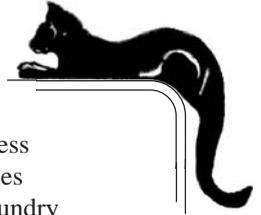
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Jodi Bulaich, of the F/V Spirit, was the Mistress of Ceremonies and did a fine job of introducing the participants. The ceremony included:

- An opening prayer by Jennifer Wilson
- Amazing Grace sung by Scott Parten

- A welcome from Port Commissioner David Knapp
- A poem by Debbie Curry
- Music by John McRae
- The Blessing of the Fleet by Rev. Doug Jamieson
- Calling of the Names and Ringing of the Bell by Kathy Allen and Sara Parten
- Flower presentation by Devon Ashdown
- Closing benediction by Blaine Stienmentz

The Memorial Wreath will be taken out to sea by Mary Linda Guerin.

As is the usual custom at the end of the ceremony the Fish Wives and Friends of Fishers hosted a lavish buffet featuring various offerings of fresh fish prepared nearly a dozen different ways and other side dishes and desserts. And as usual everything was delicious.

Don't Dress for Dinner

Performances are underway for Ellensburg Theater Company's presentation of "Don't Dress for Dinner", an adult comedy about mistaken identities and multiple love triangles by Marc Camoletti, adapted by Robin Hawdon and performed with permission of Samuel French.

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Chamber Requests Approved By Evan Kramer

The City of Port Orford Parks Commission met on Tuesday night, August 3, and heard from Port Orford Chamber of Commerce vice president Jay Stoler.

The Parks Commission first heard a presentation from Kathryn Jamieson-Hazard regarding the horse arena at Buffington Park. She called it a safe place to ride a horse but added there was a need for more maintenance at the arena. She said part of the arena fence is rotten and it all needs painting. Hazard asked the commission who maintains the arena. She told them how much effort she and her husband Rick had put into the arena. Parks commission members Joanne Ruoff suggested a horse owner's members group or association be started. Commission member Jim Auburn recommended such a group draw up a management agreement with the city to manage

the arena. These would be similar to the arrangements the city has with the Arts Council for the Community Building and the Rotary Club with the American Legion Hall.

Jay Stoler presented two written requests to the parks commission starting with one for use of Buffington Park on Sunday, September 5. This would be for a celebration of Port Orford's 153rd birthday party and the fact it is the oldest townsite on the Oregon coast. The Port Orford Arts Council will co-sponsor the event. Jim Auburn made a motion to endorse the Chamber's request to use Buffington Park for a historical celebration on September 5 and all four commissioners in attendance voted yes.

Stoler's next request, which he read to the commission concerned the Chamber being able to use space at the Visitor Center at Battle Rock Park for their office. It is currently located at the Sixes River Land Company.

Jim Auburn proposed letting the Chamber use the space on a trial period. Joanne Ruoff said she wanted a list of volunteers, the financial commitment to help pay utilities and a list of the regular hours the Chamber would keep at the office. Stoler agreed to get a proposal addressing the three requests back to the Parks Commission before the next city council meeting. Note: Stoler got that information ready and the Parks Commission met again and voted to approve the Chamber request for a six-month trial period. The Parks Commission recommendations will be presented to the City Council at their August 16 meeting and will require a vote of the council to make final.

Letter to the Editor,

Thank you to the Port Orford fishwives for the wonderful ceremony on Saturday for the blessing of the fleet! You all did a great job as always. Thank you so much,

Thelma Belcher



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Port Orford Library News by Tobe Porter

Our first couple of Midweek Matinees were great fun, and we're looking forward to two more weeks of comparing books to movies. Coming up are: Dr. Dolittle and Charlie and the Chocolate Factory. Call the library (332-5622) for details about this program for kids 8 and older.

The August computer classes are full. If you are interested in learning some basic computer skills, call either Langlois (348-2066) or Port Orford Library to sign up for classes we will again jointly offer in September.

Now is the time to look high and low for any "artistic white elephants" you have around the house with an eye toward donating them to the library for our Artful Flea Market on Sunday, September 5. We need clean items related to the world of arts and crafts. It could be anything from hand made antimacassas to zebras on velvet. Please bring your tax-deductible donations to the library during open hours. We will say an extra thank you if

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you wait until the end of August to deliver them. Our event is just one of many activities during the Support Your Local Library weekend festivities. You will also enjoy the fun-filled Peddler Faire at Langlois Library on Saturday, Gallery Walks throughout Port Orford, a Party in the Park to celebrate Port Orford's 153rd birthday and the ever popular Show and Shine Show at Driftwood School, both on Sunday.

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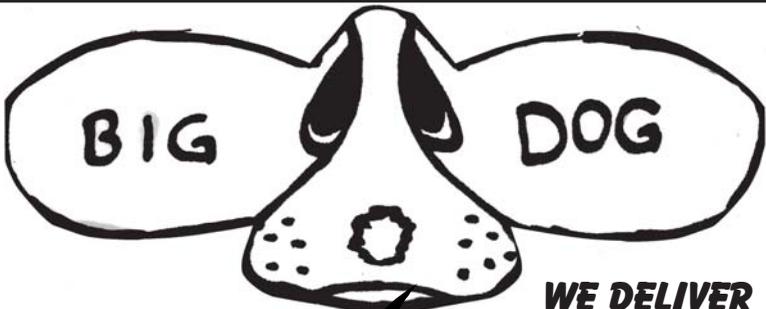
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Langlois Library News By Nancy Angelesco

You're all invited to join the Langlois Library community in celebration of family, children, Fall, books and life in general, and we're offering several ways in which to do just that!

Besides the series of computer classes that will take place every Tuesday morning during the month of August, the Langlois Library is joining forces with the Port Orford Library, to present several events. On Friday, August 20, at the

Langlois Library we're sponsoring a "booktalk" with Oregon writer Monte Killingsworth whose books reflect the difficulties children face when growing up, trying to understand a world and a culture that don't always agree with their own values. His presentation will include music, poetry, excerpts from the author's books, and some of his personal experiences. If you have kids of your own; if you can remember what it was like to be a kid, or if you're thinking about writing about kids, this talk will be right up your alley.

"Support Your Local Libraries" weekend also happens to be Labor Day weekend... a time to have fun as a family. The weekend kicks off on Saturday, September 4, 10-6pm. The 1st Annual Langlois Library Peddler Faire will be held on the grounds of the Langlois Library.

Sunday morning save your appetites for "Loreto Breakfast Burritos" which will be served by the Port Orford Library Foundation between 9-11am at the American Legion Hall in Port Orford. And, while munching on those delicious burritos, stroll through the "Artful Flea Market" which will also benefit the new Port Orford Library. Who knows, you might find just the right painting to hang over your sofa or the right piece of pottery to display on your mantel. The flea market will be open until 4:00pm.

The events co-sponsored by both libraries are part of a whole weekend of festivities that will include an art walk of Port Orford galleries and the annual Show and Shine Car Show sponsored by the Port Orford Rotary.

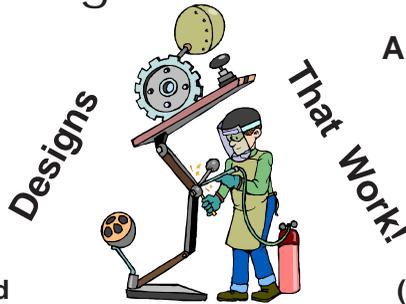
In addition, the Langlois Library invites children from both of our communities to join us for some Squiggly Sea Creature Tales at our monthly Snuggle Tales to be held on Thursday, August 19, 6:30pm at the Langlois Library.

And lastly and beastly, but definitely not "leastly," artist extraordinaire Georganne White will lead a 2-session class for children entitled "Beastly Puzzles." Children will make wooden monster puzzles based on books in the Langlois Library. These puzzles will then accompany the books when they're checked out. Classes will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday, August 17 & 18 at the Langlois Library. Session I is from 10am-12pm each day; Session II is from 1-3pm each day. There is no fee but you should call the Langlois Library to register: 348-2066.

Whew! That's about it for August. Wait until you see what's coming in September!

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Registration now is open to all hiking / wildlife enthusiasts who wish to participate in *Sole Pursuits'* "Heart & Sole" Walk to Paradise/Fall 2004. Two trips are planned - Sept 25-26; and Oct. 2-3.

Sponsored as a fund-raiser for Curry General Hospital's new Cardiac Health Center, the walk will start at the Upper Rogue River Trailhead, near Foster Bar, about 35 miles east of Gold Beach.

Guide Jim Coffee will lead the group along the Rogue River for 12 miles to Paradise Lodge. The remote lodge is accessible only by foot, boat or aircraft.

Cathy Boden, a Wilderness First (Aid) Responder, will accompany the group in September. Renee Lambert, R.N., an emergency room life flight nurse, will accompany the group in October.

Hikers can stay one or two nights. All meals and lodging will be provided. Fall hikers can take advantage of Paradise Lodge's garden-fresh produce, including squash, corn and tomatoes.

In previous trips, *Sole Pursuits* hikers have sighted pileated woodpeckers, nesting owls, eagle, river otter and bears. The

wild red California fuchsia peppers the Rogue Canyon in the fall, as well.

Participants will return to the starting point via Court Boice's jetboat. Special arrangements should be made in advance for those wishing to return on foot.

Hikers should bring their own head-to-toe waterproof clothing, and first aid kits, including treatment for allergies and other appropriate supplies. Overnight gear can be shuttled upriver to Paradise Lodge several days in advance, per request.

Space is limited. Registration is strongly advised by early September. The trip costs \$158 per person for one night's lodging, including dinner, breakfast and lunch to go, plus the jetboat ride. The cost is \$218 for a two-night package.

Interested? Call Curry General Hospital, 247-3187 or 1-800-445-8085, ext. 187, or email chdhealthcare@gb.wave.net.

Letter to the Editor,

In response to Marie Dinsmore's letter I'll take Port Orford over Lancaster hands down!

Perhaps Ms. Dinsmore is unaware of how many people and organizations volunteer their time, effort and skills each and everyday in our quiet, close knit community on the Oregon coast. My friends and I counted 15 volunteer organizations in our town, not to mention the people who volunteered to paint our elementary school this summer.

There are a lot of great people in Port Orford. I would never consider comparing it to anywhere else.

You ask why would I show Fahrenheit 9/11. I choose what films run at the theater by popular choice. The Red Hatters asked for Calendar Girls, the churches asked for Passion of the Christ, the kids asked for Harry Potter, and enough people asked me to get Fahrenheit 9/11. As all businesses in town I'm here to make a profit but I will defend my theater in that I do not show crude, risqué, or pirated films. The most I will ever show is a R-Rated.

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**“Labours Of Love”
by Susan Shannon**

The Port Orford Arts Council will be hosting the annual Labor Day Art Show, “Labours of Love”, at Face the Wind Gallery (formerly Grantland Mayfield Bldg.) Friday Sept 3 through Sunday the 5. The public is warmly invited to a catered reception featuring Sherri Pelton at the piano from 5 to 8pm, Fri. evening, Sept 3. In tandem with this event will be the Port Orford Art Gallery Walk. The following galleries are participating: Cook Gallery, Transaction Gallery, Johnson Gallery, Port Orford Pottery, Monkeyface, Jewels By the Sea, and Face the Wind. Brochure/ map will be available shortly.

Face the Wind Gallery will be open on Sept. 4 from 10-6 and Sept. 5, from 11-6 featuring the “Labour of Love” installation in the rear gallery, some of the art will be available to purchase. In addition, Face the Wind Gallery will have on display for sale the work of approximately 20 artists.

Local artist Elaine Roemen has graciously accepted the POAC invitation to coordinate the show. If you want to get a glimpse of Elaine’s artwork, there will be a show at the Brian Scott Gallery in Brookings from Aug.14-17, in addition, Transaction Gallery of Port Orford usually features some of her fine work. Three of her paintings were on display at the Coast Guard Museum on July 31 for



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Festival of the Arts

The 11th Annual Brookings Harbor Festival of the Arts will be held from 10-5pm Saturday and Sunday August 21 and 22 on the Boardwalk at the Port of Brookings Harbor, Brookings, Oregon.

Over 100 artisans will participate this year with original work including paintings in all mediums, photography, pottery, ceramics, jewelry, beadwork, metal

sculpture, stained glass, woodwork, and fabric art. Artist demonstrations are held throughout the day and a free Children’s Art Activity Corner is provided by the Chetco Community Library. Free entertainment throughout the Festival will include Music by Angel Sound, the Bear Delight Dancers, and individual and group live musical performances.

Food will be available through participating vendors and Port restaurants. Admission, parking, and shuttle service are free and the event is handicapped accessible. Festival programs and maps will be available at the entrances and the Information Booth. The Festival of the Arts is a non profit organization whose proceeds benefit organizations and individuals involved in the promoting the arts in the local area. The Festival takes place in Chetco Village which has over 30 unique retail shops, services, restaurant & lodging facilities. For additional information call 541-469-7120.

Port Commission Meets

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July 22: Assisted Curry County Sheriff Office with arrest of person wanted out of Linn County.

July 23: Arrested Rosenberry, Jeffery on three outstanding warrants. Rosenberry was transported to Curry County Jail.

July 24: Report of semi parked in yellow zone creating traffic hazard. Truck moved prior to arrival.

Report of telephonic harassment. Report taken. Under investigation.

Report of criminal mischief to vehicle. Report taken.

July 26: Report of theft. Resident lives outside Port Orford. Report taken.

July 29: Transported to hospital. Subject having mental difficulties.

July 30: Report of cell phone theft. Report taken.

Report of theft of prescription drugs. Report taken.

July 31: Motor vehicle crash at Thirteenth and Oregon. Report taken.

Motor vehicle crash at Fifteenth and Oregon. Report taken.

Report of criminal mischief to vehicles at Ali's Auto. Report taken.

August 3: Report of disturbance at room #3 Shoreline Motel. Contacted one male and one female. Handled by contact.

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August 4: Report open door at vacant residence on Tichenor St. Residence checked out. No damage. Secured residence.

August 5: Picked up dogs from 1186 Idaho St. per court order. Animal transported to dog shelter in Gold Beach.

August 6: Report of forged document. Report taken.

August 8: Report of criminal mischief in Ray's parking lot to a vehicle. Myers, Amanda M. was cited and released for Criminal Mischief II.

Safety Tip

Remember the 20-mile per hour speed zone. It is 20 MPH **At All Times.**

DeFazio Meeting Rescheduled

Congressman Peter DeFazio's town hall meeting in Port Orford has been rescheduled to Wednesday, September 1. The Congressman has initially planned on holding a series of town hall meetings in Curry and Coos counties on August 16 and 17. He will instead be in Washington D.C. on congressional business regarding homeland security. The time for his September 1 town hall meeting at Port Orford City Hall has not been announced.

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Port Strategic Plan

The Port of Port Orford is preparing a five-year Strategic Business Plan. The second of three Port Commission planning workshops will be held beginning at 6:00pm on Wednesday, August 18, in the Port Orford city hall council chambers.

The workshop will be moderated by David Cheramy of Maritime Consulting International, whose services are provided in part by a grant from the Oregon Economic and Community Development Department. David has wide-ranging business and technical experience in the international maritime industry.

The theme of the public workshop is the second of the three parts of the strategic planning process—a discussion of ‘Where do we want to go?’

Commissioners will provide direction and input for the plan drafting process. The public will have an opportunity to make planning input, specifically addressing the subjects being covered, at specific workshop intervals.

In addition to the workshops, the public is welcome to submit written and oral comments to Gary Anderson, Port Manager, at the Port offices.



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Bargain hunters exhilarated by great garage sales are about to hit the Mother Lode! Curry County Hospice’s Fifth annual Rummage Market is humongous. Picture this: it would take ten 2,000 square foot houses to hold everything! The sale will be held August 27, 28 and 29 at the Event Center in Gold Beach. Donated treasurers will fill the Showcase Building, Docia Sweet Hall and the land in between.

Organizers for this gigantic fundraiser urgently seek people who can volunteer time beginning Friday, August 20 through Monday, August 30. They need drivers to transport items from storage buildings in Brookings and Gold Beach to the Event Center. Tables and shelving must be set up and stocked. During the sale, they require volunteers to help sell and restock items. After the sale ends, there will be clean-up. To show their genuine appreciation, organizers will invite everyone who has volunteered at least 12 hours to an Early Bird sale. Then, throughout the sales days, volunteers will receive a free light breakfast, lunch and snacks.

Here is an excellent opportunity to help our community...and it’s fun! Please call Pattie Slagle at Hospice, (541) 247-7084, for details. Curry County Hospice helps those who are receiving end of life care regardless of their ability to pay.



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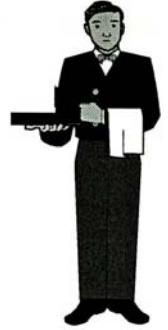
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New Chamber Officers

The Port Orford Chamber of Commerce board met on Monday at the Wheelhouse restaurant. They elected a new president and vice president. The Chamber had been without a president since the resignation of Grace Bonnell earlier this year and had been using a team management approach to lead the organization.

Board members elected vice president Jay Stoler to the position of Chamber

president and to replace Stoler they elected Ed McQuade as vice president. Stoler designs and maintains web sites including the Chamber of Commerce and Port of Port Orford sites. McQuade is a retired businessman who volunteers as a SCORE counselor helping startup businesses.

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Beyond Prozac

Warren Krick, M.D., psychiatrist practicing in the Chetco Medical Center in Brookings, will present "Beyond Prozac - An update on treating depression," when members of the National Association of Retired Federal Employees meet for their regular business session Thursday, Aug. 12, in Lee's Dragon Gate Restaurant, Brookings. The meeting begins with lunch at 11:30 a.m., with Dr. Krick's talk to follow at 12:30 p.m.

Dr. Krick graduated from medical school at Columbia University in New York City. After an internship at Tulane Medical School in New Orleans, he served a residency for a year at Mount Sinai School of Medicine in New York City. He then spent two years as a medical officer in the U.S. Navy before completing his last two years of residency at Stanford University School of Medicine. He practiced in Los Altos, Calif., from 1970 to 1977. Before

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Pacific High Soccer

Soccer for Bandon and Pacific players begins Aug. 23. Practice will be from 4-8pm at Pacific High School. Players should bring a water bottle, running shoes, cleats and shin pads and have a current physical on file or get one **before** practice starts. For info, call Tom Swenson at 347-2812 or 297-2355.

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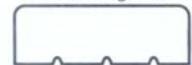
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