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Jay Stoler  
(Thursday, August 11)

### Blessing of the Fleet

By Evan Kramer



Port Orford is a fishing village and on Saturday morning, August 6 the community came together for the annual Blessing of the Fleet. The ceremony and potluck were held at the Fishermen's Memorial and was well

attended as is usual by an area that supports its Port and fishermen. The ceremony began with Amazing Grace by Donna Barker on the bagpipes with the calm seas at the Port in the background.

Francie Macleod served as mistress of ceremonies and after her introductory remarks joined the Hensley Hill Hillbillies (Macleod, Paul Bodtke and Steve Abbott) in a couple of songs, one about Port Orford and the other about Cape Blanco, written by Paul Bodtke with music by Francie Macleod. Cecil Ashdown read a poem called the Nantucket Girls Song followed by a prayer written and spoken by Dash Curry.

The public was then treated to another couple of songs; this time sung by the Cronies consisting of Scott Parten, Jennifer Wilson and Kathleen Hunter. They sang Grab the Rope and Amazing Grace to an appreciative audience.

Heather Barton read a story she wrote about fishing on a black cod boat and then Pastor Doug Jamieson gave the Blessing of the Fleet as people stood and held hands in unity. Pastor Jamieson has been doing the Blessing of the Fleet for the past four years and said this one was the windiest of the four since it has caused the podium to fall over and break. It's very comforting to have Pastor Doug give the blessing for our fishing fleet. The blessing honors and remembers those who have died at sea and is also a prayer for a continued bountiful harvest from the sea.

Jamie Boyd movingly read an emotional poem by Joe Nelson entitled Why Are We Here. John MacRea singing two sea songs including The Fisherman's Song and Silver Sea followed her. MacRae said he was honored to be here singing for the fourth year.

The Blessing of the Fleet concluded with the reading of the names by Julie Steinmetz with the ringing of the bell by fisherman Darrel Cobb. Those whose memory was honored on Saturday with the reading of the names were Jim Cook, Royal Ostrander, Wayland Livermore, John Andy Belcher, Bob Houck Jr., and Linda C. Mack. Relatives or friends of these fishermen who lost their lives at sea were given red roses by Devon Ash-

down. Mike Ashdown closed the Blessing of the Fleet by thanking everyone for coming down and the people who brought food for the potluck, which got under way after Ashdown concluded his remarks.

The wreath in honor of the fishermen was to be taken out to sea by Port commissioner and fisherman Dave Rickel, F/V Tiburon.

### Weir Being Raised

Last week ODOT employees were busy demolishing the Humbug Mountain Lodge including the main lodge building, which housed a restaurant and rooms. They also demolished a cabin and the former convenience store. By Sunday all buildings were gone except for the foundation walls and concrete floor of the lodge building. The Oregon Department of Transportation purchased a permanent "flood easement" from the owner of the 92-acre property, Chuck Landis. This property is just south of the Humbug Mountain State Park day use area and Myrtlewood Grove. The flood easement is for 9.62 acres of the property and was bought from Mr. Landis on a voluntary basis according to Steve Madison who works in the ODOT right of way pur-

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Fri Aug 12, 2005	5:27a 4.8	10:40a 2.8	5:17p 7.0		6:20a 8:24p	2:26p 11:43p	1Q					
Sat Aug 13, 2005	12:32a 1.3	6:55a 4.6	11:28a 3.4	6:07p 7.1	6:22a 8:23p	3:36p 12:16a						
Sun Aug 14, 2005	1:43a 0.7	8:33a 4.6	12:35p 3.9	7:08p 7.3	6:23a 8:21p	4:46p 1:00a						
Mon Aug 15, 2005	2:51a 0.1	9:53a 5.0	1:57p 4.1	8:15p 7.6	6:24a 8:20p	5:55p 1:56a						
Tue Aug 16, 2005	3:51a -0.6	10:50a 5.4	3:14p 3.9	9:21p 8.0	6:25a 8:18p	6:52p 3:04a						
Wed Aug 17, 2005	4:45a -1.1	11:34a 5.9	4:20p 3.5	10:21p 8.4	6:26a 8:17p	7:37p 4:21a						
Thu Aug 18, 2005	5:33a -1.5	12:14p 6.3	5:18p 2.9	11:18p 8.6	6:27a 8:15p	8:13p 5:41a						

**Weir Being Raised**  
Continued from Front Cover

chasing office. ODOT is also negotiating with an adjacent homeowner for a flow easement through their property.

Concurrently ODOT is raising the weir (looks like a dam to me) on the diversion channel for Brush Creek. They are raising the weir to accommodate a 15-year flood event. The weir is located upstream from the former Humbug Mountain Lodge and to the west of Highway 101. Brush Creek makes numerous twists and turns in this area and where it turns to go towards the Lodge there is a diversion channel leading off to the side. This diversion channel was controlled by a 5-year flood event weir. But in a recent wet year water and fish went over the top of the weir and continued over a steep sharp cliff to the rocks below. The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration got involved working with

ODOT to raise the weir and reduce fish kills on the diversion channel. When completed water will only go over the raised weir in a 15 year flood event which means more water will be going down Brush Creek and less over the cliff. Fish that make Brush Creek their home include Coho salmon, Steelhead, cut-throat trout and lamprey.

ODOT public relations officer Jared Castle said that when ODOT bought the easement they bought the Lodge buildings also. He said the buildings were in a state of disrepair and some would have been flooded because of the raised weir. The main reason they demolished the buildings is that ODOT didn't want them sitting vacant attracting transients. Castle said another major concern was people setting up a methamphetamine lab in the abandoned buildings so down they went and the Humbug Mountain Lodge is now history.

**Police Report**

07-30 A complainant saw a male subject throwing household trash into a city dumpster at Battle Rock Park. Identifying information was taken by the complainant from the trash bin, and brought to Police. A report for theft of services was taken, and is pending police contact with the responsible party.

08-04 A report was taken of loud music being played late at night in the area of Washington Street. The report is being investigated by the Ordinance Compliance Officer.

08-04 A complaint led to a citation issued to the operator of a vehicle illegally parked on Fifth Street.

08-04 A complainant wished to press charges for harassment against another subject. A report was taken by police. The information will be submitted to the

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## Police Report

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Curry County District Attorney for review.

08-04 A report of chickens at large in the area of Jackson Street and Highway 101. The reporting party advised that chickens were in their yard eating flowers, and they wanted to know if anything could be done about the fowl animals. Police advised there were no known crimes committed by the chickens, and handcuffs were too big to fit their little legs. The complainants advised that since the chickens were eating their flowers they might just return the favor. If anyone is missing chickens contact the Port Orford Police Department.

08-04 Complainant's reported that one male was parked at the drive up window of a local business, and another male was inside. An argument ensued between the two. The upset male got into his vehicle pulled in front of the other male's vehicle, and then rammed into it causing extensive front end damage. The upset male then fled the area, later returning to find police on scene. He was arrested and transported to the Curry County Jail where he was lodged for Criminal Mis-

chief I, Recklessly endangering another, and Failure to Perform the Duties of a driver involved in an accident.

08-04 A man on Washington Street was found do a from a single gunshot wound when police responded to a 911 call. The case is under investigation.

08-05 Police assisted Oregon State Police, and Sixes River Fire Department on a traffic accident at Elk River Bridge, and US Highway 101.

08-05 A complainant reported they are being harassed in the Madrona RV Park by several of their neighbors. Police contacted the neighbors and advised them to stop harassing the other people.

08-06 Police Assisted Port Orford Fire and Coos Forrest Patrol on a report of a fire ¼ mile north of Port Orford.

08-06 A male eluded Curry County Sheriff's Deputies in Langlois in a motor vehicle then stopped and fled on foot into the brush. Police assisted in the search but no suspect was found, and the case remains open.

08-06 Police responded to Madrona Street RV Park on a report of an assault. Two males had unlawfully entered a res-

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idential trailer, and damaged property inside. They then assaulted two male subjects outside the trailer. The suspects left the area, but were not located in an extensive search. The case is under investigation and arrests are pending.

08-06 Police were dispatched to a home on Tichenor Street in reference to a female threatening a male with a BB gun. Numerous people were involved in the incident. After everyone had calmed down, and statements were taken, it was determined that one male subject should leave the residence for a long cooling off period. There were several criminal offenses committed but no one wished to press any criminal charges against each other. An informational report was taken and no further action by police.

CHIEFS NOTE: Thank you Jeff McFarland (Owner of Camp Blanco RV Park) for taking care of the new Reader Board. Jeff has been assisting the Port Orford Police Department with moving the sign board to different areas around town.

A good example of the many uses for the speed reader board was observed by me the other day while it was parked at Ninth and Oregon Streets. A local owner of one of our picture frame stores was observed trying to beat the female land speed record by running toward the reader board to record her speed, as an enthusiastic crowd of people looked on. I haven't called the Guinness book of World Records yet Carol but I think you were close at 6 mph.

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## **Parks Commission News** **By Jay Stoler**

The Port Orford Parks Commission got a lot accomplished in an hour and a half last Tuesday, August 2. All members of the Commission except Joanne Ruoff were present and there were a dozen interested citizens in the audience including Mayor Jim Auburn and wife Karen. Also in the audience was homeowner Dennis Miller who lives in the 1100 block of Lakeshore Drive. Miller had come to address the Commission about a weed encroachment problem in Garrison Lake that could potentially be very harmful in a relatively short period of time.

Miller said he had been on the phone all day with folks like Frank Burris of BLM, Cindy Meyers of the South Coast Watershed, Steve Mazur at ODFW in Gold Beach and even City Planning Director Chuck Nordstrom. The object of the calls was to let these various

agencies that something is happening in Garrison Lake and it isn't pretty.

Miller came with several large plastic bags filled with samples of the various weeds and plants that are overtaking and potentially choking the lake. In addition to the weeds there are two more problems that were pointed out; the infestation of a certain breed of snail, and the emergence of Purple Loosestrife, which was found around the lake.

Miller also said he is looking in to forming a Homeowners Association of residents around the lake so that there would be more clout to attack the problem.

Mayor Auburn commented that it would be wise to inform Oregon Parks and Recreation of this problem as they were overseers of the lake.

The Parks Commission asked Secretary Millie North to contact John Luethe, chair of the local Watershed Council and have an informal meeting so that all

involved can get on the same page and some direct action can be taken. That meeting will take place as soon as possible.

It was noted by Dave Pace that the billboard sign at the north end of town actually sits on property owned by C & K Markets and an easement would be necessary to do any work on the sign. Pace also said the electrical hookup for the proposed Buffington Park host would be \$2,977.00 and would be installed in the area by the new bathroom near the ball field.

The planned 154th Birthday Party and Pot Luck in Buffington Park on Labor Day was discussed with the Commission by Stacy Romele, Arts Council president and Jay Stoler Chamber president, the co-sponsors of the event. The event will take place on Monday, September 5 from Noon to 3pm, there will be free BBQ

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Tuna and Birthday cake, and the community is invited to bring a pot-luck dish.

Romele also had some repair requests for the Community Building, which is managed by the Arts Council. She said there were cracks in the floor that were buckling in some places, leaking ceiling tiles, crumbling linoleum and a hole in the back of the building. Dave Pace promised to look into getting those things repaired.

There was a discussion on the fire rings that are in Buffington park and are sometimes used by people to build small cooking fires for a picnic. The safety factor in even allowing fires in the park was discussed. Commissioner Jodi Bulaich said there were safer units available and showed a spec sheet on a vertical grill. Councilor Jerry Steinhorst said he had a grill just like that one that he hardly ever used, so he donated it. The park will get two grills units for safer picnic fires and their use will only be permitted when a Park Host is on duty.

Chairman Jim Billings said there would be another bench dedication in Battle Rock Park, but no date had been set.

Finally, the Parks Commission agreed to meet on Wednesday, August 19 at 3pm to do a "walk through" of all Park domains. This is to help in updating the Parks Master Plan and create some grant requests.

### Letter to the Editor,

There are three simple things that the Dark Sky program is concerned with:

Sky Glow – the upward spillage of light, which, as it reflects off atmospheric

particles, lightens the night sky. This is the orange glow we see when we approach towns and cities.

Glare – the uncomfortable brightness of a light source when viewed against a darker background (causing squinting).

Light Trespass – the spillage of light beyond the boundary of the property upon which the source is located.

If this is starting to sound interesting please jump ahead to the web to International Dark Sky Association [www.darksky.org](http://www.darksky.org) to learn more.

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Starting off with Romeo and a not very feminine Juliet, the three actors sprint through all of Shakespeare with joyful

abandon. Try to imagine the Bard's history plays presented as a football game. Or Othello, rap style. If this doesn't seem possible, maybe they cheat just a little bit along the way, happily quoting and misquoting Shakespeare at breakneck speed with lots of slapstick, Pythonesque humor, and enforced audience participation.

"This is Shakespeare done the way the rest of the world thinks Americans do Shakespeare," says director/actor/actress Michael S. Fox. "All that's missing is a rubber chicken."

The Port Orford Arts Council sponsors the event on Saturday, September 3, at

the Port Orford Community Building. The evening begins with a Green Show at 7:00 pm, featuring other entertainers and activities for the whole family. The *Compleat Works of Wllm Shkspr* plays at 8:00 pm. Tickets are \$10, available at the Downtown Fun Zone, Gold Beach Books, and Bandon Mercantile. For information and reservations call the Port Orford Arts Council office at (541) 332-0487.

## Morning Service

On Sunday, August 14 the Port Orford Christian Center will hold its Morning Service at 11:00am at the Edson Creek recreational area campground. There will be no Sunday school this Sunday.

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**Coast Guard Day**  
**By Carol Berger**

A standing room only crowd attended the Coast Guard Day observation held on Sunday, August 7 on the lawn of the Port Orford Lifeboat Station Museum. Coast Guard Day is actually August 4, but the Museum celebrates the day on the closest Sunday, in order that more people can attend. Retired Lt. Colonel, USAF, Rick Francona, in dress blues, was the moderator of the ceremony, which began with representatives from the Coast Guard Station in North Bend posting the colors, followed by Julie Watson leading the crowd in the National Anthem. The ceremony is also intended to recognize all

veterans; there were several from the Coast Guard present, along with many veterans from the other branches of the U.S. military services.

The guest of honor was long-time Coast Guardsman Warren Hulbert, now of Coos Bay. Hulbert never served at the Port Orford Lifeboat Station, but did train there while serving as a surfman. He began his career before World War II, initially working with a 26 foot pulling surfboat, which was brought down from Coquille to Battle Rock on a trailer for training sessions of 3-4 hours a day. Hulbert served at a number of Coast Guard Stations, including Yaquina, Tillamook Bay, Point Adams, Gray's Harbor, Seattle, and Tongue Point, as well as on two cutters, and retired as a Chief Warrant Officer. Because of his health, he had not chosen to speak, but to write about his career and have Francona read excerpts. The entire piece he wrote will be available on the Point Orford Heritage Society's web site at [www.portorfordlifeboatstation.org](http://www.portorfordlifeboatstation.org).

Hulbert made and donated all the many dioramas and models now in the Port Orford Lifeboat Station Museum. They include ships, lighthouses, and rescue scenes. He is considered to be the primary benefactor of the Museum. Hulbert was accompanied by his wife and two sons. It was also his eighty seventh birthday, and he was presented with a birthday cake frosted in red, white, and blue and decorated with a life-saving ring.

The ceremony also included a rendition of "Amazing Grace" on bagpipes by Park Host Bob Leslie, and an impromptu rendition of the Coast Guard anthem by Jack Pruitt.

Inside the museum was a special display of paintings by Elaine Roeman, and photographs by Jim Coffee of Gold Beach. Outside the Museum's lifeboat was resplendent with a new coat of paint and new lettering and numbers. It is a type TRS, self-bailing, self-righting boat, with a heavy bronze keel.

Thanks go the members of the Point Orford Heritage Society for a wonderful event.

**Calling All Artists!**

The Port Orford Arts Council's Fine Art Show this Labor Day weekend will be a just a little smaller than usual. Why? Because the Art accepted this year must be Under One Square Foot in size. "A Little Fine Art" is the show's theme and the Arts Council is inviting all artists to submit up to three pieces of their smallest works. (If you have a small collection of art that happens to fit into one square foot, then that collection would be considered one piece.) All art works must be turned in the Arts Council office at 913 N. Highway 101 on or before August 30 and picked up on September 3 after 4:00pm. Please call Stacy Romele at 332-1040 for submission details.

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**Seabird Dieoff on Coast**

During the week of July 20 the number of dead and dying Common Murres washing ashore along Oregon's beaches has increased dramatically. Murres floating ashore near Newport are approaching record numbers according to Robert Loeffel and his assistants, who have been conducting a year-round beach mortality transect on 4.6 miles of beach just south of Newport for the past 28 years. On Tuesday July 19 they recovered 67 dead murres. Their total for the month of July stands at 114, just 11 birds shy of the July record of 125 recorded during the major El Nino event in 1983. The July record will likely be surpassed. U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Biologists conducted a boat survey between Newport and Depoe Bay on July 25, during which they observed numerous dead and stressed murres along the shore and out to 10-15 miles offshore. A report of dead Common Murres on the beach at Pacific City on Sunday, July 24, indicated a localized rate of approximately one dead Murre every 75 feet. Dead murres on the beach have also been reported at Cannon Beach.

The dieoff appears to involve adult birds and is likely the result of stress due to lack of food associated with unusually low oceanic productivity along the west coast this year. Unseasonable weather patterns in the spring and summer resulted in a general lack of coastal upwelling, which drives the food chain along the coast.

**Silent Auction**

During the month of August the Friends of the Langlois Library is sponsoring a silent auction inside the Library. We have almost 60 wonderful items up for auction including:

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- \* Cummins 10 Ton Hydraulic Log Splitter
- \* Several fine necklaces
- \* Many wonderful gift certificates for services and restaurants in the area
- \* A collection of hand-crafted items
- \* Several art pieces
- \* Two rounds of golf at Bandon Dunes

This is our major fundraiser of the year so we ask for your support and help in getting out the word to your friends, neighbors and families. Bidding will close at 3pm on Sept. 3. And don't forget the Peddler's Faire on Saturday, Sept. 3, 10-4pm.

**Attn. Junque Art Junkies!**

The Annual Port Orford Junk Art Contest Show is coming up on Sunday, Sept. 4 at the Community Building...Turn in your Objects D' Junque Art at 9 am on Sunday and pick them up the same day by 4pm. Prizes will be awarded to the best Junque Art...We know you have been collecting all that weird stuff for some reason...so get your Junk together, glue, nail, paint, and/or tie it up and get on down to the Port Orford Arts Council Junque Art Show on Labor Day Weekend Arts and Seafood Festival!

**Shhhh! Silent Auction at Langlois Library!**

Silent Auction throughout August at Langlois Library. Sponsored by Friends of Langlois Library to benefit the library. Bidding closes at 3:00pm on September 3 at the Peddler's Faire. Items up for auction include: week stay at Arroyo Roble Resort in Sedona, AZ; jewelery & crafts; dozens of gift certificates; golf at Bandon Dunes; organic poultry; 10 ton hydraulic log splitter; paintings; one bagpipe performance; and lots 'n lots more! Place your bid during regular library hours.



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### Soccer Club News

The fall season is upon us and the Cape Blanco Soccer Club is looking for coaches. Currently we need coaches or assistants at all levels but do not have any for kindergarten through fourth grade.

Registration forms will be available during school registration August 25 & 26 but will only be open for those ages that do have coaches.

If you are interested in coaching, assisting, or volunteering in any way let us know. We will be having a coach's clinic at the beginning of September and have very good information, including a new DVD, for those that want to learn about the game and coaching techniques.

On August 30, 7:30pm at Pacific High School we will have a general board meeting. Anyone is welcome to attend.

Please call with any questions, or if you are interested. If you have any coaching supplies and are not going to coach please turn them in. Thank you and see you soon. Diana Swenson 347-2812 or Carol McKenzie 332-3381.

### Music, Food and Art Auction

The fun is shaping up for the Wilderland School Auction Soiree coming to Port Orford, Tuesday, Aug. 23, 4-7pm at the Wild Wind Café. "We have the phenomenal guitar music of Adam Laabs, beautiful artwork from our town's best artists



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that anyone can bid on, a long-board valued at \$1000 to raffle off, wonderful food and beautiful Montessori learning stations for children to work with," said Tracy John, founder of the Montessori-based school that is seeking funds for supplies and expenses.

With such a variety, there's something for everyone at the Auction Soiree on Tuesday evening, Aug. 23. So come have some fun, get some great artwork and support the education of our next generation. Call Tracy John for more information at 332-0820.

### Special Parks Meeting

The Port Orford Parks Commission has called a special meeting for Thursday night, August 11, 7:00pm, at the Battle Rock Visitor Center. The Parks Commission will meet with Watershed Council chairman John Leuthe and the serious problems with Garrison Lake, which is being overwhelmed by weeds, grasses and reeds. This problem may be caused by the lack of infusion of salt water as well as warm water conditions.

### Chamber News By Jay Stoler

During August, the Chamber and City grant writers Jim Billings and Millie North will be meeting and formulating a grant request to the Oregon Tourism Commission for about \$5,000 and a

smaller \$1,000 grant for historical preservation. The thrust of those grants will be to upgrade and create appropriate signage relating to the historical assets of Port Orford, particularly along Highway 101. In addition, other grants will be looked at for possible application as well as September is the filing deadline for many of these tourism/historical grants.

The Chamber along with the Port Orford Arts Council will be presenting a 154th Birthday Party and Pot Luck in Buffington Park on Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 5. The celebration will run from about Noon to 3 pm and will feature free BBQ tuna and birthday cake to go along with the community Pot Luck. There are other activities being lined up that include an animal exhibit at the Horse Arena, perhaps Craft and Information Booths and even an Air Force flyover is in the works.

If you would like to volunteer to help prepare/clean-up the BBQ or help in general please leave a message at the Chamber office at 332-8055. Volunteers receive free tee-shirts or sweat shirts and our everlasting appreciation.

The next Chamber Board meeting will be on Monday, Sept. 11 at the Port and Starboard Restaurant at 1:00 pm.

The Chamber of Commerce is located in the Visitor's Center at Battle Rock Park and is open between 11am and 1pm most weekdays. Visit us on the web at [portorfordchamber.com](http://portorfordchamber.com).

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### St. John's Church News By Viv Williams

Pastor Heiko Junge and the parishioners of St. John's invite you to attend our third annual Hughes House Mass and Potluck Monday August 15 at 11am. At this Liturgy we remember the life of Fr. John Hughes, the second priest ordained in Oregon. You are also invited to join us at our weekly Masses on Sundays at 8:30am and Wednesdays at 9:00am. For more information, please call 253-6250.

The Women's Guild is holding a fantastic Rummage Sale Saturday August 20 from 9am-3pm. Everything from buttons to furniture, coffee, lemonade, and cook-

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Have you noticed the newly painted yellow curbs on the east side of Hwy 101 in Port Orford? Under the direction of Port Orford's Christian Center Youth Pastor Junior Childers, these curbs were painted by 16 students during their Summer Mission. In addition to this activity, the students also assisted several of our elderly citizens in yard work and other household jobs and worked on projects at the American Legion Hall and Senior Center. St. John's would like to express our



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appreciation to Pastor Childers for the invitation to participate in this wonderful activity. Parishioners Dave and Diane Beuerman, Ken and Stephanie Brewer, Carol Hart, Hal Hennick, Priscilla Lang, Rolando Rodriguez, and Rick Williams greatly enjoyed this chance to work with the youth in our community.

### HIV Testing Day

The Curry County Health Dept. will give HIV tests Friday, Aug. 26 noon-2:00pm at the blue building, 1403 Hwy 101. The test is anonymous, free and no needles are used. For more info, call Sherry Cleghorn 247-3300 or Mary Murphy 1-877-440-2761.

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Senior Center News

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The walking group meets on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday mornings at 8:30am. You can get your blood pressure taken every Tuesday morning from 9:30am to noon.

Watercolor classes are held every Friday from 10:00am – 2:00pm.

A Reiki workshop will be held on Saturday, August 20, from 11:00am-4:00pm and on Sunday, August 21, from 11:00am-4:00pm.

TOPS (Taking Off Pounds Sensibly) meets at the Center on Mondays at 9:30am and 6:00pm. The Osteoporosis group meets every Monday at 5:30pm. People can take part in gentle stretch exercises on Wednesdays at 1:00pm.

The nutrition meeting is on Tuesday, August 30 at 9:30am and is followed by the membership meeting and lunch at 11:00am. Cost for the lunch is \$4.50.

Langlois Lions News

See your local Langlois Lion today to buy a raffle ticket for a beautiful food basket and a gift certificate for \$150.00 worth of groceries at the Langlois Market. Tickets are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00. The drawing will be held on Saturday, September 3 at the Langlois Library Peddler’s Faire. The proceeds from the raffle will go to fund local community projects.

The public is invited to play bingo, Friday, August 12 at the Langlois Lions Clubhouse. Bingo starts at 6:30 p.m. The Lions Clubhouse is located on Floras Lake Loop in Langlois.

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**NEW MOVIES THIS WEEK:** "Because of Winn-Dixie", "Kung Fu Hustle", "Muppets Wizard of Oz", "Dallas 362", "Look at Me", and "Off the Map". New movies being released next Tuesday include "Sin City", "The Beauty Shop", and "The Wedding Date". Please remember items are due back by 3:30pm the next business day. Reservations must be pre-

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## Port Commission Meets

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## Car Crusher Project Here

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Cars and scrap metal such as washers/dryers, old bikes, culverts, etc. are accepted Free of Charge. Cars with tires on will be charged \$3 per tire. (\$0.75 per tire without rim). Send checks for tire fees to Curry SWCD, PO Box 666, Gold Beach, OR 97444, or pay at the site. Refrigerators and freezers are not accepted at this time due to issues with Freon. The car crusher does not take trash. Please empty any non-metal trash from your vehicle.

If a title is available please attach it to the vehicle's dashboard. If the title is not available and the vehicle's value is estimated at under \$500, then the vehicle can be disposed of. State certified appraisers are available to make this determination if necessary.

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## City Council Meeting

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