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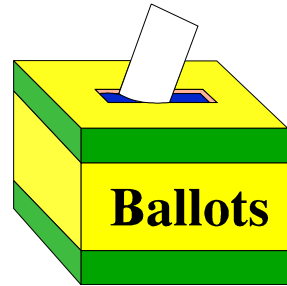
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### Council Asked Why?

By Evan Kramer

It was standing room only at Monday night's city council meeting as people showed up to talk about, show their support for, and listen to the future of the Big Dog and Doc's Taco.

The meeting began with the written fire department report submitted by fire Chief Gayle Wilcox. The fire department currently has 18 members with an average of 15 attending weekly drills and 9 responding to emergency calls. Don't forget these people are all volunteers and most have jobs, family and other obligations.

Jacque Eldridge, co-owner with husband Pat of the Big Dog, read a prepared statement to the council. She told them the Big Dog was "licensed and inspected and met all health and licensing codes and current requirements for the last three years." She presented the council with petitions of support for the Big Dog signed by 508 people. Mayor Jim Auburn said that since a lawsuit has been filed with LUBA (Land Use Board of Appeals) it would restrict comments by the city council.

The council went into citizen's concerns and dealt with letters from two homeowners in Port Orford; one from Marilyn Green to use the Eighth Street (at Jack-

son Street) right-of-way adjacent to her house for a natural habitat and wildflower garden. City Administrator Mike Murphy said he would look at the request and noted that the adjoining property owner could not use his part of the right of way for storage. The second letter was from Teresa Kolibaba asking the council to vacate or allow her to purchase one half of the alley that separates her house from Campbell Realty. Curry County is currently in the process of giving the 20 foot wide alley to the city that runs alongside the Post Office and the Kolibaba house. Mike Murphy said that code calls for a twenty foot alley and that if the city vacated any of the alley it would be substandard. He recommended denying the request for vacation.

The council heard from several citizens speaking on The Big Dog and Doc's Tacos. Mayor Auburn asked people to limit their comments to two minutes. Usually they are given five minutes. Bill McArdle said he was a supporter of both businesses. He asked the council to consider rescinding Ordinance 2007-05 and said these businesses had a niche in our community. McArdle said he disapproved of the fact there had been no public hearing on this issue. Gordon Corbett said he loved the Big Dog's food; in fact he said he relished it. He said he wondered what the council was

thinking when they wrote this ordinance. He told the council their job was to protect our rights and questioned if the council was protecting the citizen's rights when they abolish this business (Big Dog). Rene Ruth, an employee and soon to be partner in the Big Dog asked the council to give people a choice. She said not all the information had been made available to the council.

Claudia Ruark asked the question Why did this come up after three successful years for the Big Dog. She said she was 100% behind the Big Dog and Doc's Tacos. Ruark, a one year resident of Port Orford said there are many opportunities for people with enterprising minds in town.

Erna Barnett had one question for the council and mayor. "Now that you have found a loophole in the Port Orford City Charter which allows you to legally pass a law that citizens know nothing about until that law is broken...will you be passing future laws using his same process?"

Richard Smith called the Big Dog a clean, wholesome place and said it is a plus for the town. He suggested grandfathering in those businesses that have been here and hoped the council would rescind the Ordinance.

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H1102 7.0	H1125 7.2	L0543 2.2	L0611 2.6	L0640 3.0	L0709 3.4	L0740 3.7	L0814 4.0
L1719 1.5	L1752 0.9	H1147 7.4	H1211 7.6	H1235 7.7	H1302 7.7	H1332 7.6	H1407 7.5
H2321 6.3		L1824 0.5	L1857 0.1	L1931 -0.0	L2007 -0.1	L2048 -0.1	L2135 0.0

**Council Asked Why?  
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City Attorney John Trew told the council he had given them his input in an e-mail. Councilor Jim Campbell asked if the council could delay the Ordinance for 60 days to give them time to discuss it to find a better way. Trew said, "It's not unusual for us to have an unusual situation." Trew said this wasn't a land use decision. Councilor Steve Abbott asked why we don't give them a stay. Trew advised the council not to enforce the Ordinance pending the LUBA decision. Councilor Ed Beck pointed out that the Ordinance didn't apply to either of these two businesses but only establishments doing business in the city street rights-of-way. Beck continued that the Ordinance is not enforceable to any business in town.

Councilor Abbott recommended a stay of execution of the law. He made the following motion: Keep the Ordinance in place but do not enforce it pending the decision of the LUBA appeal and that the council continue to work on this issue until the next meeting on whether they

should revise this Ordinance. The council voted 5-1 in favor of the motion with Jim Campbell voting no. Campbell wanted the council to get up a committee and write up a different Ordinance.

Councilor Abbott said he wanted two readings of Ordinances from now on. He didn't mean two readings at the same meetings but each reading at a separate council meeting. Ordinance 2007-05 had been read twice at the September council meeting.

Councilor Campbell made a motion to rescind Ordinance 2007-05 and councilor Carl Eskelson seconded that motion. Councilor Beck read a paragraph from Ordinance 2007-5, Section 5.04.020, Applicability and said it had nothing to do with private property. The first sentence in that section reads as follows: "The issuance of a license for a transient business does not constitute authorization for the conduct of that business on any public street or right-of-way of the City of Port Orford, or other public property unless specific authority is granted to the transient business licensee by the governing body of the public entity which

owns the public property." John Trew told him that the sewer and water issues apply to public and private property. Councilor Campbell revised his motion which would direct city staff to come back with an Ordinance to repeal Ordinance 2007-05. The vote put Mayor Auburn in the spotlight as councilors Jerry Steinhorst, Milton Finch and Abbott voted no and councilors Campbell, Beck and Eskelson voted yes. Mayor Auburn broke the tie by voting yes and the motion carried. The Mayor directed the staff to get on this issue immediately. The city council will hold a special session on Wednesday, October 18, 5:00pm, in the city hall council chambers to approve Ordinance 2007-06 repealing Ordinance 2007-05.

For the rest of the council report, see this week's issue of Port Orford News.

**Burn Barrels Okay**

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Plans for a new Marine Science Institute in Curry County are taking shape, following a series of planning and strategy meetings this fall. The proposed Institute would be similar to the Hatfield Marine Science Center in Newport, but its focus would extend inland to include forests, watersheds, and the unique geology of our area. Oregon State University Extension Chair Doug Hart, and County Commissioner Ralph Brown are spearheading the project.

Phase I would be co-locating OSU Extension; the Oregon Dept of Fish and Wildlife (ODFW); and local watershed councils — probably in Gold Beach for its central location. That group would then offer workshops, classes, tours and other educational opportunities. The facility would welcome school groups from across the Northwest; college and graduate students; teachers; groups such as ElderHostel; and tourists who come to the south coast for recreation or sight-seeing.

Bill McNair of the Port of Gold Beach put a conservative number of summertime visitors to Gold Beach at 75,000

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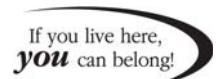
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plus. A satellite facility, focused on near-shore marine research for off-shore fishing, would be located in Port Orford, where boating access to the ocean is better. Port Manager Gary Anderson noted that the Port of Port Orford is highly interested in promoting community economic development around the marine economy.

“A research station would help local fisheries remain sustainable,” said Anderson. “This project could also help nurture working waterfront businesses and enterprises. We are excited to have this opportunity.”

Hart, OSU Extension Service Chair, said that a feasibility study for the new Institute should be completed in the next six-to-nine months.

A team of ocean researchers met in Newport Oct 9 to outline near-shore research needs for the rocky reefs and shoals of the southern Oregon coast - research that

could continue over the next several decades. That meeting will help shape how the facility is designed.

“It would be a wonderful thing to create this Institute in Curry County,” said Harry Hoogesteger, South Coast Watershed Coordinator. “We could offer a five-day package of learning experiences that would include forests, estuaries, rivers, wetlands, tide pools, marine reefs, and geology. It’s an unparalleled opportunity to share the beauty of our area. It would certainly be a boost for local economies.”

Commissioner Brown, who has been pursuing the idea of a Marine Science Institute for several years, noted that research on the near shore could lead to rebuilding our fish stocks, including rockfish, ling cod, salmon, tuna, halibut, and other species that thrive in the ocean.

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## Police Report Chief Creighton

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10-07 The Sheriff's Office requested assistance on a possible assault in progress on Hensley Hill Road. Police arrived and determined the suspect had already left.

10-08 Police received a complaint that a dog in the area of Madrona Street had grabbed a small dog and hurt it. The dog was transported to a veterinarian and is not expected to live. Police cited the dog's owner and transported the attacking dog to the Animal Control Center in Gold Beach pending a court hearing.

1-12 Police received a complaint of a purse being stolen at the Battle Rock Visitor Center.

10-13 The Curry County Sheriff's Office requested assistance on a possible fight in progress on Hensley Hill Road. Police arrived and defused the situation.

NOTE: Don't park in the middle of the street. We have received numerous complaints about people blocking traffic. The cost for parking illegally is \$97.00, and is even more expensive if you cause an accident. So please be courteous and take the time to park in a safe place.

10-13 Police responded to 9th Street on a report of a possible domestic assault in progress. Police arrived and determined it was people drinking and being loud. All were advised to turn the music down and talk lower.

NOTE: I found a note on my patrol vehicle about a possible drunk driver. Thank you to the person who left it there. Unfortunately I was off duty for several days and don't know who or when it was placed there. Please call the Sheriff's Dispatch at 1-800-543-8471 to report a dangerous situation. They can direct the complaint to the right agency or officer.

10-15 Report of people petting seal lions on the roadway near the dock. Police

responded and determined that everyone still had their hands and arms. They were warned about the fine for interfering with wildlife, and of course the large teeth.

10-15 Police took a complaint from Rays Food Place. It was determined that on Friday night unknown persons took five bread carts from the back of the store. These are valued at approximately \$400.00 each so the crime is a felony. The bread carts are about six feet tall and have wheels. If anyone heard or saw anything please contact the Port Orford Police Department at 332-9013.

CHIEFS NOTE: I feel that training, and officer availability are two of the most important parts of providing public safety to a small community like ours. One of my main goals when I was hired was to insure you had a well trained and well staffed police department that could han-

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## Police Report

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dle emergency calls 24 hours a day seven days a week. I started with 2 officers including myself. Our department now has three full time officers and six reserves and has been handling those emergency calls 24/7 with a response time usually under five minutes. Remember we don't work 9-5; our hours are noon to noon. Training lowers our liabilities and increases officer, and citizen safety. Training has always been lacking in the department. My training budget is \$2,000.00 per year so I needed to insure that officers got well trained and still stay within budget restraints. Through grants and scholarships I was able to provide approximately 1000 hours of training for full time and reserve officers. This does not include in-service type training. One of the most successful and efficient training sessions we had was the FTO (Field Training Officer) training. This was training that we all needed to insure we trained new officers and reserves per Department of Public Safety Standards. In order to get that training I would have to send each of your three officers for a one week class out of the area. The cost was

meals and lodging for fifteen person-days, and mileage which would have been my whole year's training budget. It also put an officer out of service, and unavailable to respond to calls, and it cost overtime. We contacted Department of Public Standards and Training and they provided a regional training instructor to our agency at no cost as long as we could get eight people to attend. Fortunately we had 11 officers from different parts of



the state come to Port Orford for the one week FTO class we sponsored. Our responsibility was to provide a classroom so we used the community building, and provided refreshments for the week class. I'm old school and thought donuts, and coffee would be most appropriate but thanks to Mrs. Halse she suggested a much more healthy selection including fruit and hard boiled eggs. She even cooked the eggs for us. In comparison the cost for the refreshments was less than the cost to send one officer to that training. All three officers were in the community and available to respond to any call during the classes, and it also helped our local economy because the officers needed to stay in motels, and buy meals while they were in town. This is the first time we have sponsored police training in our community, and it only makes sense to have more classes locally. Efficiency is very important to me because I pay tax too.

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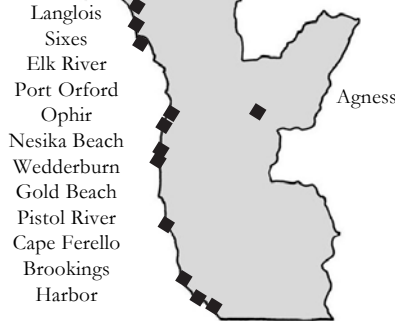
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For the first office visit, low-income patients can see a provider for \$15. An additional \$15 is charged for qualifying diagnostic tests or separate procedure.

For continued low-cost medical service, patients will be asked to return a financial summary form, and bring proof of income, says Bonnie Smith, Curry Family Medical office manager.

After eligibility is verified, the clinic will continue to provide low-cost services to that patient to eliminate any financial barriers.

The HRSA program that makes the service possible is known as the National Health Service Corps (NHSC), a 35-year-old agency committed to increasing access to primary care services and reducing health disparities for people in

health professional shortage areas such as Port Orford.

The National Health Service Corps assists communities through recruitment and retention, site development, practice management, and quality assurance activities.

Chuck Wiltraut is a senior program advisor with NHSC who serves as a resource for Curry Family Medical and the Curry General Hospital Health Network. He says clinics and other sites accepted into the program boast "mission-driven, high quality clinicians." He says the clinic could reapply for the program through July 2009.

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## Letter to the Editor,

My wife and I have been voting in Oregon for 43 and 41 years respectively. Until now, we have never seen the need to write-in a candidate's name.

This time is different - Really different!

Our close friend, Judge Howard Lichtig was recently killed in a motorcycle accident and now his 6 year position is going to be filled by a write-in candidate.

After discussing Jesse Margolis' qualifications and character with Howard Lichtig's widow, Brenda & I will be writing in "Jesse Margolis".

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### Letter to the Editor,

I want to thank the three motorcycle riders that came from the Port and Starboard Restaurant, Rick Dydzyk, David Morrill, Jim Hall, and all the others that so courageously saved my life, and tried to save my leashed little ten pound loving dog, Precious. This was on Sunday, October 8.

This vicious, unleashed, 110 pound, strong, dog came from a space at the Madrona RV Park. This big, mean, unleashed, dog came running, bouncing, snarling, towards me. I was on Madrona Road, by 463 Madrona RV Park. I quickly picked up my little Precious, held her

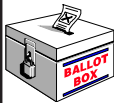
tight to my chest, and turned my back to the dog to protect Precious from the big dog. The dog jumped on my back so hard that when I regained my senses, I was on the blacktop road on my stomach, with my arms straight out. I could see my shoe about 20 feet in front of me. I jumped up, grabbed that big dog by his collar, and tried to pull it off Precious. Two men came running up, kicked, tugged, and finally got my Precious free. She was ripped open and bleeding horribly.

The motorcycle riders helped me in my vehicle. They told me to go to Bandon to the veterinarian Dr. Baum. The motorcycle riders said they would handle everything here. A Bandon policeman helped

us locate Dr. Baum. Precious was taken in, and Dr. Baum said he would try to save her. When we got back from Bandon, the motorcycle riders had been to the police station. The policeman, Scott Halse, was very caring and efficient. He had already gotten the big bad dog and had taken it to Gold Beach. After, he came to my place and took the report. The court date had already been set. Our little Precious was put to sleep the next morning. She had too much damage, was in a coma, and couldn't be saved.

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Janice Ledbetter



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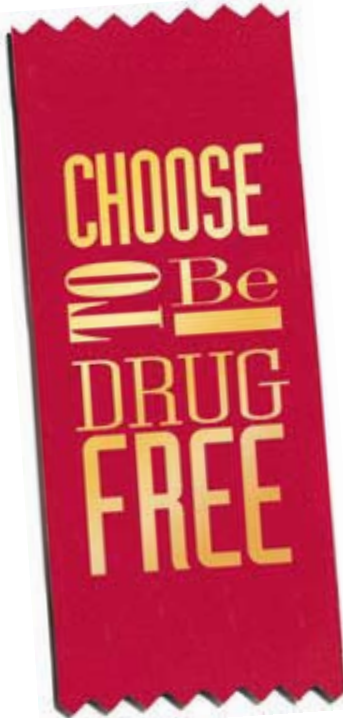
President Dick Wold opened the meeting and Jo Reiber introduced our speaker Jerry Cox. Jerry Cox serves as the Counselor at Pacific High School and also carries out many duties for scholarship advising, scheduling, discipline and assisting the administration. Mr. Cox began by thanking the Rotary club, "from the bottom of my heart for setting the gold standard for supporting our youth in their efforts". Last year Pacific High graduating students received \$429,000 in scholarships which Jerry stated was due to the following: 1. students themselves, 2. teachers, 3. parents, and 4. benefactors.

Jerry went on to explain that as a graduate of PHS in 1964, his college costs were about \$1200 a year including tuition, books and room and board. A young person could work a summer to raise the funds for a year of school. This is no longer the case with the private universities in Oregon costing about \$30,000 for one year of tuition alone. A public university would run about \$6000 in tuition while a two year college runs about \$3500. Room and board are about another \$7000. So the totals are very daunting for students today to afford a college education. Federal and state aid is available but students and their families must fill out complicated financial forms.

Mr. Cox said that in the last two years PHS has graduated 58 seniors and 44 are in a 2 or 4 year college. Scholarships beyond the first year are needed as is funding for trade schools which also can be quite costly. The PHS Alumni Association started by Mr. Cox and others has raised over \$48,000 in 7 years. The Rotarians expressed their heartfelt appreciation for all Mr. Cox has done for our students by a standing ovation and the caution that "You can never retire!"

If you would like to learn more about the Port Orford Rotary Club visit [www.portorfordrotary.org](http://www.portorfordrotary.org).





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### Power Outage

On October 12, at approximately 7:20 am, portions of the Port Orford area were without power. While the exact cause is still under investigation, the incident appears to have originated during routine maintenance being performed on the Bonneville Power Administration's (BPA) Port Orford substation and the nearby Coos-Curry Electric Cooperative, Inc.'s (CCEC) Elk River substation. To perform the maintenance, member load had been switched from the Elk River substation to the Langlois substation. During the time the entire load was on the Langlois substation, a splice in an overhead power line broke; the line fell onto a parked vehicle and caught fire. There were no injuries.

CCEC crews and fire fighters quickly responded. The Langlois substation was shut down at approximately 8:00 am in order to provide a safe environment for

crews to make the necessary repairs. Approximately 1,800 meters were without power while repairs were made and the load was brought back safely on line in stages. "As an electric cooperative, we cannot stress enough the importance of safety around power lines and substations," said Werner Buehler, General Manager/CEO. "Our regular maintenance programs are in place to prevent incidents such as this. And, although we experienced a localized outage during the repair period, we hope our members will understand that we must put the safety of our line crews and the public first." Power was restored by approximately 10:20 am.

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### Friends of the Library

The Friends of the Port Orford Library will meet on Tuesday, November 7 at 10:30am in the Council Chambers at City Hall. Anyone interested in becoming a member is invited to attend.

### Judge Candidate Forum

In order for Port Orford voters to get acquainted with the two judicial candidates who are running for Howard Lichtig's vacant seat, the League of Women Voters of Curry County will hold an event Tuesday evening, October 24 at 7:30 pm at City Hall Council Chambers. At this time, both Chris Keusink and Jesse Margolis plan to attend.

Each candidate will give an opening statement. Each will then be asked the same questions by the League moderator. A social time will follow so that people can meet the men individually and discuss any possible concerns.

Note: Because they are bound by the judicial code of ethics, there are some questions they might not be able to answer.

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**New City Planner  
by Jay Stoler**

Crystal Shoji is the new City Planner for Port Orford and she attended her first meeting in this role on Tuesday, Oct. 10. Shoji is very familiar with Port Orford and has served as a consultant on several projects including the very recent South end of town Refinement plan.

Much of the two and a half hour meeting was spent on bringing Shoji up to speed on recent projects and discussing Phase Two of the Refinement Plan and discussing any differences of opinion.

All of the Commissioners, Michelle Duarte, Joyce Kinney, Dave Holman, Viola Cuatt, Frank Smith, Ken Gibson and Erna Barnett were present along with assistant Planner Patty Clark. Councilor Steve Abbott and City Administrator Mike Murphy were in the audience. There were only a handful of citizens in attendance.

Shoji was very attentive and asked the Planning Commissioners how they felt on certain issues and how they wanted to proceed on other matters.

Two issues that took up a lot of time were a proposed work order contract for an outreach workshop to be held in Port Orford. This workshop would be done by the Transportation and Growth Management Program which is a partnership of the Oregon Department of Transportation and the Oregon Department of Land Conservation and Development.

Part of the workshop will identify transportation relatable things like: building and streetscape design principles that make communities more pedestrian friendly and encourage walking; creative parking management strategies; street improvements; and mixed land uses that reduce vehicle trips and the distance between local destinations.

The other large segment of time was spent on what the Commission is calling

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Ordinance Work and includes the Scope of Work for the Refinement Plan. There are a number of tasks placed in a recommended order. The task blocks are broken down alphabetically and relate to a certain group of tasks in a given area.

Several Commissioners, including Erna Barnett, Michelle Duarte and Joyce Kinney, were very vocal about moving the priorities to move the Port area tasks to the top of the list. All the Commissioners were supportive of the Port tasks and expressed some degree of urgency to get the Port involved right now.

Shoji and the Commissioners discussed and agreed to schedule a meeting or a workshop with the Port Commissioners and to have a liaison program with the Port. Dave Holman will attend the next Port meeting.

Part of the Phase Two work will involve close cooperation between the City and Port to resolve any conflicts that could

result from land use regulations and will involve public meetings, shared information and support for a Near Shore Research Station.

City Councilor Steve Abbott questioned the viability of a member of the Planning Commission (Dave Holman) write a letter to the editor condemning the City for the recent Transient Business License action. Holman responded that he did realize after the fact that the Planning Commission does not play a direct part in those matters and apologized for anything that was out of line.

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**Ballots Mailed**

Ballots for the November 2006 election will be mailed out on Friday, October 20. Ballots can be mailed back to the County Clerks/Elections Division in Gold Beach or they may placed in the new drive-up drop off box located adjacent to Port Orford City Hall.

**Jesse Margolis won the Curry County local attorney preference poll 17-3. A vote for Jesse is a vote for honesty, integrity, and a commitment to judicial fairness. Jesse Margolis has over 13 years of experience practicing law, both civil and criminal, in Coos and Curry Counties. He is a well respected member of the legal community and as proven by the bar poll, he is the preferred candidate of local attorneys and judges.**

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### **Council Candidates Forum**

The Port Orford & North Curry Chamber of Commerce will be host the Candidates Debate and Ice Cream Social on Thursday, October 19 in City Council Chambers in City Hall from 7:00pm to 8:30pm.

There will be a moderated question and answer session. The audience will have the opportunity to write down questions for possible inclusion into the program. The Q. & A. will be 45-60 minutes long and then there will time for one-on-one questions in a social setting afterward. Refreshments of ice cream, cake, and coffee will be served by the chamber courtesy of Ray's and Port & Starboard restaurant.

Letters of invitation were sent to candidates over 30 days before the event and as of this writing, only four of the Candidates have responded that they will

attend - John Hewitt, David Smith, Jodi Bulaich and Jake Marshall. One candidate, the only incumbent, Councilor Jim Campbell said he would not be attending.

Candidates Pat Buffington and Gerri Creighton have not indicated whether they will be at the Forum. Two other candidates, James Garrett and Mark Murray have officially pulled out of what started to be a nine-candidate race almost two months ago.

There are three, four-year seats up for election on the Council. The ones held by Councilors Jim Campbell, Jerry Steinhorst and Ed Beck. Beck and Steinhorst are not seeking reelection.

This is the final scheduled debate before the ballots are mailed and everyone is invited to come and listen, learn and participate in the future of your city.

### **Tsunami Sirens**

The City of Port Orford has two tsunami sirens that have been placed in service. One is located near the water tank on Coast Guard Hill, and the other is located near the Arizona Street Bridge. These sirens are now operational, and are ready to warn our community of an approaching tsunami.

We will be performing a test of the sirens on October 27 at noon. This test is in conjunction with the noon whistle. We have the noon whistle every day, and we will set the sirens off for one short blast at the same time. We have a manual switch to allow us to test the sirens. You will hear one blast of the sirens. Please do not panic. If this were a tsunami warning, the siren would cycle up and down for three minutes. This will be one blast of approximately 5 seconds or so in duration.

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## Free Women's Screenings

Free women's health screenings, including clinical breast exams and skin cancer checks, are set from 9:30am to 4:00pm, Thursday, Oct. 19, at Curry Family Medical, 525 Madrona in Port Orford. Screenings will be available to walk-in patients "first-come, first-serve," but time in the waiting room will be well spent hearing good advice and important updates about breast health from Alice Hammermeister, coordinator of the Curry Breast Health Network, an event spokesman says.

Besides clinical exams, the screenings will include optional foot checks by Diane Cassidy with Curry County Home Health & Hospice. Additionally, Kathy Davis will provide complimentary massage and bone-building exercise counseling to help prevent osteoporosis.

Refreshments will be served.

Similar screenings will be held at the Brookings Medical Center, from 9am to 6:30pm, Wednesday, Oct. 25.

The screenings are made possible in part by a grant from the Curry Health Foundation and Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation, Oregon and Southwest Washington affiliate. For more info, phone the clinic at (541) 332-3861, or call 1-800-445-8085, ext. 187.

## Letter to the Editor,

We have an important decision ahead of us, you and me. We have to choose a Judge! This is an opportunity seldom granted the citizen-electorate, since most Judges are appointed by Governors or Presidents without reference to the wishes of the citizens affected by these appointments.

In making this decision, it is vital that we consider carefully the qualifications and

character of the candidates. When we needed assistance of an attorney, a very knowledgeable friend recommended Chris Keusink, assuring us that he was a strong attorney, a man of integrity, who is fair, honest, diligent and had over twenty years experience. Working with Mr. Keusink has proven our friend to be correct. We are very pleased with our association with Mr. Keusink and will of course vote for him in the coming election.

We urge you, the voters, to investigate the qualifications of the candidates, without political considerations. Party affiliation should have no bearing on choosing a non-partisan, fair and neutral Judge. When you do, we feel that you will probably find that you agree with us, and write in Chris Keusink for Judge in District 15.

Sincerely,

Roger & Judy McSharry

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## Chamber News

The Port Orford & North Curry Chamber of Commerce has announced they are accepting candidate applications from regular chamber members for positions on the Chamber Board of Directors. There are three seats up for two-year terms.

To apply, please send an email to [Chamber@DiscoverPortOrford.com](mailto:Chamber@DiscoverPortOrford.com) asking to be put on the ballot. Or send a letter to Chamber Board Applicant, PO Box 637, Port Orford, OR 97465. The ballots will go out to the member for a vote right after Thanksgiving and the winners will be announced at the December board meeting.

The Board also announced a planning session to be held at the Visitors Center on November 16 at 5pm. This meeting will cover the entire 2007 promotion, advertising and festival participation calendar for the Chamber. Chamber mem-

bers and those interested in volunteering for events are welcome to attend.

Don't forget to pick up your tickets to the October-Feast, Masquerade and Costume Ball to be held at the Community Building on Saturday, October 28, from 6pm to midnight. This is a fundraiser to acquire new and original signage for the Port and Dock, our town's most valuable asset.

Tickets are available at the Fun Zone, Visitors Center, and Port & Starboard restaurant or by calling 332-3106. The event will feature a full bar, gourmet Pork or fresh "local" Snapper dinner with all the trimmings, and a full evening of dancing to the Fergusson Brothers band. In addition there will be a silent auction and valuable art items for sale.

For more information about the Chamber please visit [PortOrfordChamber.com](http://PortOrfordChamber.com).

## Free Folk Concert

At 8:00pm this Saturday night, October 21, the Biscuit Showroom at Gold Beach Books will feature "The Euchre Creek String Band," led by vocalist Richard Purdy on guitar and harmonica, and featuring vocalist Elaine Dorn on mandolin, with Laurie Dean on guitar. Based in Ophir, the group plays an eclectic mix of original and traditional songs, plus unique arrangements of their favorites. Saturday's performance will include Purdy's hit composition from the 1980's, "The Ballad of D.B. Cooper," which sold thousands of copies nationally.

The group donates their music fees and tips toward the music scholarship fund they offer yearly to an outstanding Gold Beach High School music student. Admission is free and open to all ages. Gold Beach Books is located on Pacific Highway 101 and First Streets in Gold Beach.



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**Letter to the Editor,**

I have lived here a very short time, thinking it a nice place to retire. Not any more. I am appalled, to say the least, about the political division of a city over a hot dog stand! I have been up and down the coast, and none of the charming cities have food trailers dotting their towns. People, don't you have more to argue and fret about here? Like the water issue at the lake? The lack of money for the children? The fact that most of the businesses are for sale and tourism is way down? The dock is in dire need of help or the fishing industry will not thrive and those poor fishermen families are hurting so badly. Don't worry, I am leaving this town, I refuse to spend my retirement in a "good old boy" city where bending the rules are okay for some, and not for others. Most people agree that it is nice to eat in a restaurant where one can go to the bathroom or wash their hands, certainly not an option at the food vendor shacks. I wish all my best to the restaurants who *really* pay their dues here, you know who you are. I sympathize with you to the utmost.

Sincerely,

Fran Sorenson

**Letter to the Editor,**

Here is the sad fact: the Library bid was over \$200,000 too high. Our whole community has worked very hard to raise enough money, and now we need to raise yet more.

I have used and been involved with our library for the 30 years I have lived here. To me a library is as necessary as food

and drink. I am convinced that as our community grows our library needs to grow. We have a wonderful plan we need to implement. I don't believe we should settle for less.

Therefore I have given the Building Fund an extra \$100. If we all give an extra share of our income we can get over this setback and have our new library built by the end of summer. Please join me and send whatever donation you can to Port Orford Library Foundation, P. O. Box 294, Port Orford.

Carrie Rogers  
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## Special Parks Meeting

(edited from notes by Millie North,  
Parks Secretary)

The Port Orford Parks Commission called a special meeting on Tuesday, October 10, at the Visitors Center to discuss two important issues concerning the horse arena in Buffington Park. Parks members present were Chairman Jim Billings, Millie North, Jodi Bulaich, Mark Murray, Jerry Steinhorst. Participants present included Mayor Jim Auburn, Jacquelin Aulf, Marylinda, Christina Aiello, Bill Tremmel, Kathryn Tremmel, Lori Peirce, Gayle Bodewig, Lois Miller, Ciaran Fraser, John Purse, Katy Kraft, Jazlyn Kraft, Bayli Kraft. There were a total of approximately 20 citizens present. The subject of the meeting was the Horse Association. Kathryn Tremmel was the main spokesperson for the group.

The main issue involved Safety Issues at the Horse Arena. Kathryn stated that the

Horse Shoe Pits existing at one end of the arena outside the fence, are a danger to the horses as well as the riders. This area is where the riders come to pick up their Ribbons during an event. They have to be very careful to avoid the spikes from the six horseshoe pits existing in that area. A spooked horse could hurt himself on the spikes and should the spooked horse cause the child to fall onto the spikes, a serious injury could occur.

The group explained that security lights are needed. Many times it is dark as events are completed and participants are gathering their belongings in the dark. This will be addressed at the next Parks meeting to consider a proposal for lights.

It was mentioned that a storage shed is needed. The size needed is either 12x12 or 12x14.

The Parks Commission would like to have the Horse Association become a formalized group with an appointed or



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elected representative. In the future all activities will need to be scheduled.

Claudia Meeks would like to start an equestrian team for the high school. Presently this district has 240 children who participate in the competitions. Local riders are encouraged to become members of this equestrian team and participate in the local, district, and state competitions.

Kathryn asked if the city could do anything regarding maintenance of the arena.

Kathryn stated that no one makes a profit from the equestrian events held in the park. Jodi explained that plans are being formed to apply for a grant to do repairs on the arena.

Two days later, the Parks Commission met on Thursday, October 12 to perform a walk-through to address the issues discussed at this meeting. Kathryn and Marylinda were present to represent the Horse Association.

## Letter to the Editor,

The City of Port Orford would like to publicly thank Jean Shank for reporting an alarm condition at one of our lift stations. We appreciate being made aware of potential problems before they become big problems. Thank you Jean Shank for being an alert and concerned citizen.

Michael Murphy  
City Administrator



## Letter to the Editor,

Who will be the best person to serve as our new Judge in Curry County? In the upcoming election, voters will be asked to write-in their choice – I will write in Chris Keusink.

Chris has 22 years of experience, and in the particular case, experience counts. Chris Keusink is a lawyer of integrity. Anyone who has worked with Chris knows that he approaches the practice of law with a keen eye for details and with a sense of equity. I have known Chris Keusink for more than four years, and he has worked very hard, particularly for the rights of children and our older population.

As a resident of Curry County for 18 years, and as a child and family educator, I believe that Chris Keusink is undeniably the person we want to make decisions that will impact our way of living in Curry County.

Chris Keusink has the experience, knowledge and ability to be the person who will make critical decisions in our courts. If you want to make a critical decision, make your vote count and write in Chris Keusink.

Mary Corey

## Letter to the Editor,

I'm not being at all flip when I say that it has taken me a week to try to find words to express my most heartfelt gratitude to everyone who has helped me so much since Howard is gone. The help with his service by individuals and community groups, the cards, flowers and hugs, do mean a lot and they do help. I am so humbled to be a part of you wonderful bunch of people. All I can do is say thanks, and I am sending back every good feeling to each of you in kind. I'll be working on ways to give a tiny portion back.

Florence Lichtig

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### Ballot Measure Discussion

Port Orford unit, League of Women Voters of Curry County, invites the public to a discussion meeting on the ten state ballot measures Thursday, October 19. The meeting will be in City Hall Council Chambers at noon. Bring a brown bag lunch if you wish.

Choosing candidates for office is important; voting for or against ballot measures is equally important. If a ballot measure passes it becomes law and will be permanent. A poorly-written measure or one that is designed to affect state government can have effects that are harmful for the majority of the state's residents. Come for information and to share your ideas.

The League of Women Voters is a non-partisan political organization which encourages the informed and active participation of citizens in government, works to increase understanding of major public policy issues and influences public policy through education and advocacy. The Voters' Guide is available, free, at Downtown Fun Zone, Port Orford News, Port Orford & Langlois Libraries and Democratic headquarters.

### Letter to the Editor,

I would like to urge all voters in Curry County to write in Jesse C. Margolis for Circuit Court Judge.

Through my more than five years active law practice in this county, I have known Jesse to be a very capable and strong advocate for his clients. I believe he has the necessary integrity and "judicial temperament" to make a fine judge.

Please use your vote to write in Margolis for Judge. Call me for more details.

Steve Abbott

### \$\$\$ For Pheasants

The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife recently awarded a \$26,315 grant to the Owen Denny Chapter of Pheasants Forever (PF). The grant will help complete habitat recovery projects in the Willamette Valley's Linn County.

Linn County also happens to be the birthplace of the ring-necked pheasant in the U.S. Judge Owen Denny, an American diplomat posted in China, first introduced a flock of ring-necked pheasants to Oregon's Willamette Valley in 1882. From those beginnings, pheasants have flourished across the United States and are considered by many to be the king of game birds. Today, pheasant hunting contributes billions of dollars to the economy and has become a family tradition across rural America.

The grant will enable the Owen Denny Chapter to improve 120 acres in the Valley for nesting and brood rearing habitat.

There are five PF chapters in Oregon accounting for 400 members. Those chapters have spent \$300,000 on habitat projects and youth education since the state's first PF chapter was formed in 1989. Those dollars have been spent on the completion of 2,000 habitat projects benefiting over 27,000 Oregon acres.



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### DSAC Meeting


The Curry Disability Services Advisory Council (DSAC) will meet on Wednesday, October 25, from 10:00-11:30am at the Department of Human Services in Gold Beach. It is located at 94145 Fifth Place and will be held in the vocational rehabilitation office. For more information or to if you have any questions, please call Marilyn Green or Marilee Steward at Voice/TTY 247-4515 or Voice/TTY 1-800-257-1385. Transportation to the DSAC meeting is available upon request. Hope to see you there!

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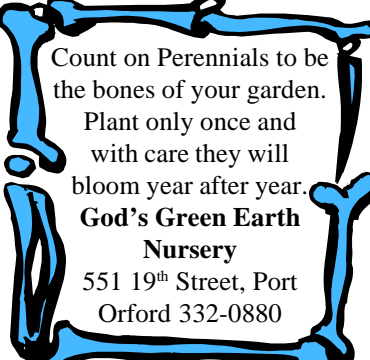
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www.neaththewind.com

### HIV Testing Day

Friday, October 27 is HIV Testing Day in Curry County. The test will be given at the Curry County Health Department in Port Orford, 1403 N. Highway 101, from noon to 2:00pm. The test is anonymous, free and no needles are used. Results are available within 20 minutes. For more information contact the Curry County Health Department at 541-247-3300 or Mary Murphy, HIV Resource Center, 1-877-440-2761.

### AARP Safe Driver Class

Southwestern Oregon Community College is presenting an AARP Safe Driver



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Class at the Port Orford Senior Center on Monday and Tuesday, October 23 & 24 from 9:30am-1:30pm. To sign up for the class call 247-2741 or 332-0639. The registration fee is \$10 which is payable at 9:15am on the first day.

### Library Board Meeting

The Port Orford Public Library District Board will hold a Special Meeting on Monday, October 23, at 3:00pm in the City Council Chambers. The agenda is posed on the bulletin boards at the library and Post Office. The public is always welcome.

**CHOP STIX**  
*Special of the Week:*  
**Kung Pao Chicken**  
(1) Vegetable Eggroll and Steamed Jasmine Rice  
**\$7.95**

**332-9378**  
Mon. Noon - 8:00pm takeout only  
Tues-Friday 11:00am-3:00pm

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## CLASSIFIED ADS

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**CLASSIFIED ADS** are \$3.50 for the first 25 words or less, and 10¢ each for any additional words. Normal deadline for submission is 3:00pm Tuesday. Downtown Fun Zone, Inc., 832 Hwy 101, Box 49, Port Orford, OR 97465 (541) 332-6565.

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## REAL ESTATE - RENTALS

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**LITTLE HOUSE** @ Paradise Pt- vacation cabin. 90 year old original home-stead cozy cabin, sleeps up to 4. On Garrison Lake, secluded, w/prvt beach access. Pets welcome w/deposit, non smoking. Rates for daily, weekly or monthly. (800) 987-4946.

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**RENTALS: "ANCHOR INN** Trailer Court." 557 9th St. Port Orford has trailers for rent \$360.00 to \$425.00 monthly and R.V. Spaces \$275.00 monthly. Quiet downtown location near beach includes: water, sewer, garbage, cable and laundry. (541) 821-3003.

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**LAKESIDE GARDENS**, 1534 Arizona, Port Orford - 2 Bed Townhouse. Rent based on Income. Avail Now. Equal Opportunity Provider. Grand Mgmt. (541) 269-5561.

**STORAGE - SHOREPINE** New, clean, in town 10x20's, 8x15's corner of 9th & Arizona, Grey building. 332-2046. Free clean fill wanted. 858-229-5670.

**RV SPACES!** – Only 3 monthly and long term sites still available at Camp Blanco RV Park. Includes free High-speed Wi-Fi and cable. \$295 + electric. 332-6175.

**FOR RENT OR LEASE** – New 675 Sq. Ft. office or retail space in the new Seaside Plaza located right on Hwy 101. Last one left! Call Jack at (541) 991-2363.

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**3 BEDROOM HOME FOR RENT** Cozy location, 1 car garage, hot tub. \$700 month. 1-541-260-4676.

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## REAL ESTATE - SALES

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**LAKEFRONT & OCEAN VIEW** lots. Talus. Port Orford's finest, newest subdivision located off 12th & California. Now taking reservations. Private lakeside beach for picnics, green spaces and wildlife commons. Prices starting at \$149,000. Call Barry at 1-866-347-5233 / (541) 297-7833. Offered by Bandon By The Dunes Realtee.

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## SERVICES

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**NEW CONSTRUCTION**, Remodel or an addition. Call Daniel Wilson Construction Lic. # 61322. 20 Years experience in the Bandon, Langlois, Port Orford area. Call 347-9143.

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### EMPLOYMENT

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### Searching Your Family Tree

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LIBRARY HOURS  
Weds & Thurs 1:00-4:00pm  
Dir., Sam Bryson 332-1404

### GARAGE SALE

**CURRY ANIMAL SHELTER** Thrift Store open every Saturday 10:00am to 4:00pm at old Ophir School. Stupendous values!

**9AM TO NOON SATURDAY**, October 21 across from Crazy Norwegians. Furniture, appliances, antiques, misc. items. 264-D Hwy 101. 332-0526 for more info.

**PHS JUNIOR CLASS** needs donations for our yard sale fundraiser. For more information, call Matt 332-6175.

**SATURDAY MARKET** Sixes Grange, November 4th 9:00 to 3:00, Hwy 101 & Sixes River. Table rentals available for \$10.00. Please call Linda at 332-1581.

### MISCELLANEOUS

**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:** “Many of our fears are tissue paper thin, and a single courageous step would carry us cleartrough them.” Brendan Francis compliments of Now & Then Port Orford Mercantile. Visit us also at [www.portorfordmercantile.com](http://www.portorfordmercantile.com)

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**SOCKS & MORE SALE** this week. Sale on select sizes/styles of Cold Mountain & fashion socks. Also 50% discount on select fashions. Now & Then Port Orford Mercantile open Tues. through Sat. 10 AM to 5 PM. Located in the TriAngle Square next to Time Worn Treasures. Visit us also at [www.portorfordmercantile.com](http://www.portorfordmercantile.com)

**NEW VIDEOS THIS WEEK:** “Over the Hedge”, “The Omen”, “Final Days of Planet Earth”, “Behind Enemy Lines II”, “Superman, the Movie” “Hard Luck”, “Feast”, “The Break-up” and “American Dreamz”. Please remember items are due back by 3:30pm the next business day. Reservations must be prepaid so cannot be taken over the phone. Downtown Fun Zone, Inc. Open 9:30-6 Mon-Thurs and 9:30-7 Friday and Saturday. Closed Sundays.

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## Classified Ads

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**SCRAP METAL RECYCLING.** Free. We take all types of scrap metal. For more information call 332-1058. 848 Agate Beach Rd.

**HI! MY NAME IS TERRY!** I am putting a book together and I need your help. The title is "Our Five Acre Family Home" "Business Dreams". Please send me your drawings or paintings. I need 50 paintings or drawings with some detail. When the book is successful (probably without a doubt) you all will receive royalties. P.S. You can draw or paint as many as you wish. 1 acre = 43,560 square feet. Rules: Down to Earth things. Any culture. No tractors. No slaughtering animals. It must be drawn with some detail on a 12" x 18" paper. Please sign in lower right corner. Send to Terry Hammann, P.O. Box 814, Langlois Oregon 97450.

**WANTED, CUSTOMERS.** Eggs, large brown farm fresh fertile no antibiotics delivered to your door 2x's week \$3.00 dozen in town only. Call 332-0595, leave message.

**ALMOST NEW QUEEN BED** with frame \$100.00. Matching sage green love seat, large chair, ottoman. All \$150.00. 332-1077.

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**SHOP OF HORRORS!** New stuff just in! Three BMX type kids bike still left! Three gently used dressers are in. Halloween tealight holders are here. Lots of new kitchen ware. Come see! 572 14th street. 332-0933.

**SILVER DOLLARS 1878 TO 1921** \$11.00 and up. Walking Liberty half dollars 1918 to 1946 \$5.00 each. Call 297-1275.

**MOVING SALE** Sofa, oak table, chairs, hide-a-bed, office desk, night stands, electric start generator, oak file cabinet. 332-0728.

**STIHL FS85 BRUSHCUTTER,** Mantis cultivator/tiller, both low use and run great, \$130.00 each. Synsonics electric guitar with Park amp \$110.00 332-0969.

### Cub Scout Field Trips

Cub Scout Pack 98 has been busy this October. Many scouts participated in a flag ceremony with the Boy Scouts at Howard Lichtig's Memorial Service on October 6th. They did a wonderful job. Howard would have been proud of his Pack 98.

The following morning, 11 Cub Scouts and their parents took a jet boat ride up the Rogue River to the town of Agnes. The 2 hour ride up to Agnes was wonderfully sunny and warm. We spotted deer, salmon, and osprey nests along the way. The scouts loved when Drake, our boat operator, spun the boat around in circles getting some of the boys wet from the boat spray. Some parents and a den leader were not as enthused with the G forces. We enjoyed a sack lunch at a beautiful

park-like setting up the hill from the Agnes boat dock.

During lunch, we paid tribute to our beloved pack leader, Howard, as we toasted him with Fritos chips, one of Howard's favorite snacks. Our return trip back down the Rogue River was memorable as we watched a mother otter with 2 babies playing in the water and along the rocks. We were also able to see a bald eagle perched on a tree branch. Drake remembered how much the scouts liked spinning in circles on the boat ride up, so he offered more opportunities for the scouts to enjoy themselves on the return trip. Fortunately for us all it was a sunny and warm day. We want to thank Jerry's Jet Boats for their generosity in extending complementary admission to all the scouts and their siblings in memory of Howard Lichtig.

This past weekend, October 13-15th, two Tiger Scouts and a Webelo from Pack 98 attended Camp Baker, a Boy Scout camp south of Florence, with their families. The boys enjoyed meeting new friends from Corvallis and Roseburg as well as learning new skills in archery, slingshots, BB guns, and boating. The camp concluded with a group campfire and skits by the scouts. We're already looking forward to next year. Thank you Port Orford and our surrounding communities for your continued support of Cub Scout Pack 98. It is vital to our youth and is very much appreciated.

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