

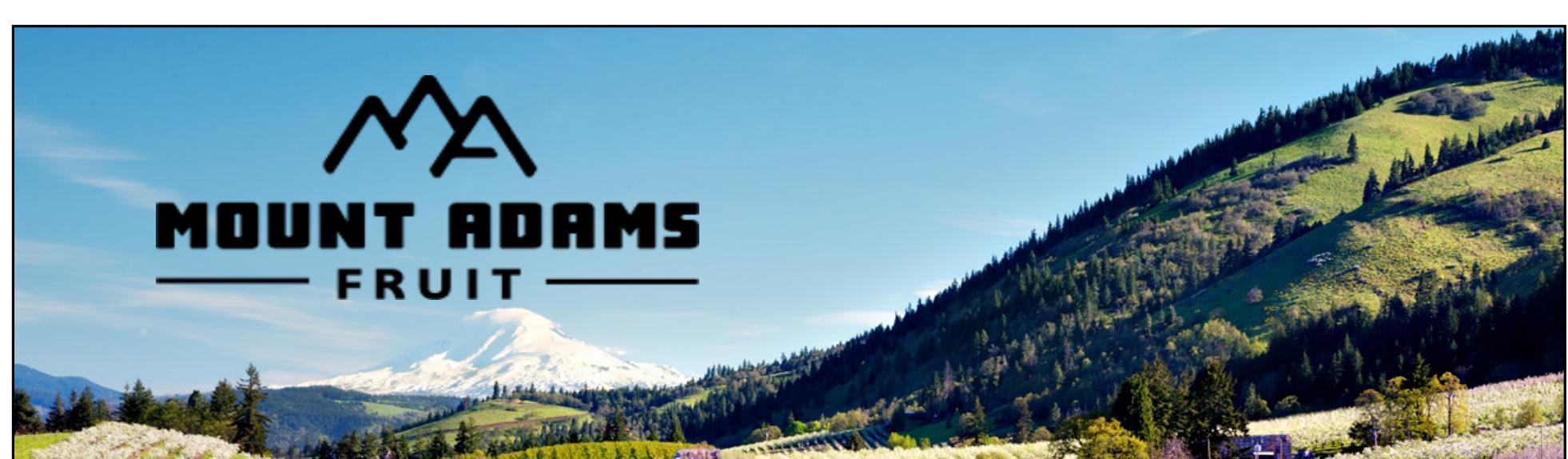
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Columbia Gorge News

September 27, 2023

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FALL SPECIAL EMPLOYMENT PUBLICATION



**Established in 1909, Mount Adams Fruit is a family-operated company with a rich history of growing, packing, and shipping fruit. Nestled in the breathtaking Columbia Gorge, we have grown to become one of the region's largest businesses, making a significant impact in our community, our dedicated growers, our valued employees, our loyal customers, and discerning consumers alike.**

Our reputation as the preferred choice for packing and shipping pears, apples, and cherries is built on strong relationships with over 55 growers who entrust us with their harvests. Spanning 90 orchard properties, our fruit thrives in the fertile volcanic soils that stretch between the majestic Mt. Adams and the iconic Mt. Hood, right here in the picturesque Columbia River Gorge. Our location, nestled within the rain shadow of Washington's and Oregon's Cascade Range, creates ideal growing conditions.

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**Whether you're looking to develop your skills or contribute your valuable experience, your search ends here. You can apply by submitting a general application or job specific application by visiting our jobs page at <https://mountadamsfruit.com/jobs/>. For inquiries, you can reach us at (509) 493-1722, and resumes can be sent via email to [employment@maocorp.com](mailto:employment@maocorp.com).**



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One Community Health Hood River and The Dalles in partnership with OHSU Knight Cancer Institute, is recruiting participants aged 50 years and older for the PATHFINDER 2 study, a clinical trial of a blood test designed to detect many types of cancers. Interested participants must be willing to come to One Community Health in Hood River or The Dalles for a study appointment that includes surveys and a blood draw. Compensation totals \$50 in gift cards. To learn more email Gorgepathfinder@ohsu.edu or call 541-399-9059. For more information see: <https://www.ohsu.edu/knight-cancer-institute/join-pathfinder-2-study-find-cancer-early>.

One Community Health en Hood River y The Dalles en colaboración con el Instituto de Cáncer de Knight en OHSU, está inscribiendo participantes de 50 años de edad o mayor para el estudio de PATHFINDER 2, una investigación clínica de una prueba de sangre diseñada a detectar varios tipos de cáncer. Participantes interesados tienen que estar dispuestos a venir a One Community Health en Hood River o The Dalles para una cita del estudio. La recompensa completa es \$50 en tarjetas de regalo. Para aprender más, llame al 541-399-9059 o mande un mensaje por correo electrónico Gorgepathfinder@ohsu.edu. Para obtener más información, consulte: <https://www.ohsu.edu/knight-cancer-institute/tome-parte-del-estudio-pathfinder-2-pa-ra-la-deteccion-temprana-de-cancer>.

### Loans

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A public service message from the Federal Trade Commission and the Hood River News, The Dalles Chronicle and the White Salmon Enterprise.

### Support Groups

PARKINSON'S Support Group: 1st Thursday of every month, 10:45am-11:45am in the Deschutes Room at Waters Edge, 551 Lone Pine Blvd., 2nd Floor. For more information, please contact Chad @ 541-340-0142.

NARCOTICS Anonymous: Goldendale, 412 S. Columbia, Tues. @ 6:30pm. 541-296-7190 for info.

### RECOVERING COUPLES

ANONYMOUS Meets 2nd & 4th Sundays at 10am. 216 Cascade St., Suite 26 Hood River

TOPS OR #443 meets Thursday mornings, 8:30- 10 am. @ Zion Lutheran Church, use elevator entrance only. 10th and Union St., The Dalles, OR.

### GRIEF SUPPORT

Establishing a Grief Support Group. Please call Natasha 702-755-0778

TOPS - Taking Off Pounds Sensibly meets upstairs at Columbia Bank in White Salmon at 10am on Tuesdays. Join us at 90 NE Tohomish St., White Salmon, WA 98672.

AA in MAUPIN (open): Tuesdays @ 7pm, NEW LOCATION! Molly B's @ 57740 Main St., Tygh Valley, Oregon.

AL-ANON in The Dalles: The Dalles Serenity meeting every Monday at 7pm @ Gateway Presbyterian Church, 1111 Dry Hollow. For more info, call 541-296-2677.

HAVEN: Weekly counseling groups for victims of domestic/teen dating violence or sexual assault. Biweekly educational classes given in Spanish and English for domestic violence. Call Haven, 541-296-1662.

TOPS OR #942 meets at Gateway Presbyterian Church, The Dalles, Thursdays, 5:30-6:30pm.

### Support Groups

**FAMILY Alzheimer's/Dementia Support Group:** family members and friends caring for individuals with Alzheimer's disease or a related dementia are invited to participate in our Dementia Support Group. Come and gain support and insight from others who are going thru or have gone thru this journey. Join us monthly in a caring environment to discuss your challenges and questions.

Meeting held third Wednesday, every month, at 3:00 pm at FlagStone Senior Living at 3325 Columbia View Drive. For more information about our group, contact Karen Wilson at 541-298-5656. All Welcome.

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and meeting information:

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NAMI is the largest education, support and advocacy organization on mental health in the nation. The Mission of NAMI Oregon is to improve the quality of life of persons with mental illness and of their families through support, education and advocacy.

Under NAMI Oregon sponsorship, NAMI-Gorge provides a monthly support group meeting for caregivers, friends, and family members of persons with mental illness.

Monthly NAMI Gorge meetings are being conducted the first Thursday of every month from 6 to 7:30pm at The Dalles Library. For information on local NAMI Resources, please contact Barbara

Telfer:

at 541-980-7264 or by email: booklovinbarbarian@gmail.com.

and large group meeting at 6:30pm

For more info, call 541-386-2812

**NA MEETINGS**

Every Wednesday, 6:30 - 7:30 at the

Casa Guadalupe House,

1603 Belmont,

Hood River, Oregon.

TOPS OR #942 meets at

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# 5 Interviewing Tips to Help You Land a New Job

**(Family Features)** With so many job openings these days, you may think you'll have an easy time sliding into a new role. Not so fast. Because of the huge number of options available and plenty of workers contemplating changes, you're likely to encounter some competition to land the job you want. A solid interview can help you close the deal.

Consider these five tips to help you make a great impression and land the job of your dreams:

1. Prepare, prepare, prepare. Avoid thinking of the interview as your first step toward a new job. Once you set the appointment, it's time to take a deeper dive to learn as much as you can about the company and position. Ideally, you did some of this legwork when you created a custom resume and cover letter, but for the interview, you need to know more. After arming yourself with all the information you can, practice answers to questions you expect the interviewer to ask.

2. Decide what the interviewer should know about you. Using the job description as a guide, create a list of points you want to communicate to show how your experience and knowledge fit the role. During the interview, pay attention to opportunities for sharing these details about your skillset. Most interviewers will give you the opportunity to add information you haven't covered; use this time to deliver a succinct summary of how you can succeed in the position.

3. Create your own list of questions. An interview isn't just about determining whether you're a fit for a job; you also need to decide whether the job is a fit for you. Think about what you need to know in order to feel confident accepting an offer. You might organize your thoughts by considering what is essential in a new job and what aspects are "nice to have."

4. Present yourself as a winning candidate. Impressions are everything when it comes to interviews. Dress to impress with well-fitted clothing appropriate for the job and practice good

grooming habits, including details like trimming your nails and minimizing distractions like pet hair. Arrive early enough that you're not rushed or flustered when you check in for your appointment. Use good posture, a firm handshake and a clear, confident voice. Speak authoritatively but respectfully and try to make the interview a comfortable, conversational exchange.

5. Leave a lasting impression. Before you end the interview, ask for clear insight on the next steps in the process. Within 24 hours, send follow-up messages to each person you met with. Thank them for their time and include references specific to your conversation, such as elaborating on a question or reiterating a key point. This shouldn't be a copy-paste message, but rather a tailored one to each individual. Close by reiterating your interest and how your skills are a fit.



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<b>Help Wanted</b> <b>High-Paying Postal Jobs!</b> No Experience Required! Don't pay for information about jobs with the Postal Service or Federal Government.	<b>Call the Federal Trade Commission toll free @ 1-877-FTC-HELP, or visit <a href="http://www.ftc.gov">www.ftc.gov</a> to learn more.</b> <b>A public service message from The Dalles Chronicle and the FTC.</b>	<b>High School Assistant Volleyball</b> Middle School Head Track High School Assistant Girls Basketball Substitutes are needed in all areas! Application available at <a href="http://www.golddaleschools.org">www.golddaleschools.org</a> 509-773-5177	<b>NEED A NEW JOB?</b> <b>FIND IT IN THE GORGE CLASSIFIEDS</b>

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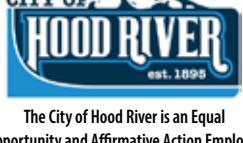
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Applications will be accepted until the position is filled, first review date is 10/2/2023. Please submit cover letter and resume to Sandy Galvez, HR Manager at [s.galvez@cityofhoodriver.gov](mailto:s.galvez@cityofhoodriver.gov) or at City Hall, 211 2nd Street, Hood River, OR, 97031.



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# Enjoy a Workday Reset

### 7 ways to break away from your desk and boost morale

*(Family Features) When the sun is shining and comfortable weather is calling you outdoors, focusing on tasks at work can become a challenge. Workdays are often long and strenuous, making that blue sky and fresh air all the more tempting.*

Don't let a full to-do list bog you down. In fact, taking a break from your desk and averting your eyes from the computer may actually help you mentally reset and increase efficiency through the remainder of the day.

Consider these popular ways to disconnect for a short while so you can take on busy days without feeling overwhelmed.

1. Stretch – After hours of sitting, stretching from head to toe can be a good way to get physically active if you're short on time and stuck at your desk. Neck, shoulder, arm, back and leg stretches are all easy ways to stand up and disengage from the computer. Another trick: practice wrist exercises to avoid injury or strain from typing.

2. Go for a Walk – If you have a few minutes to spare, leave the office or your desk at home entirely and head outside for a walk. A stroll through your neighborhood or the city sidewalks can provide the fresh air and physical activity your body craves.

3. Take Five Outside – On hot days when a mid-workday walk might not be the right refresh, skip it and simply find a shady spot to sit down. You can enjoy the benefits of fresh air and sunlight without getting too hot.

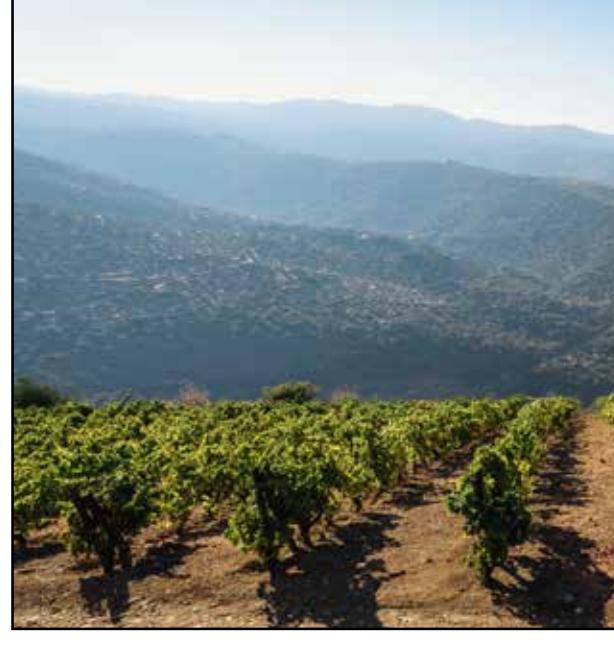
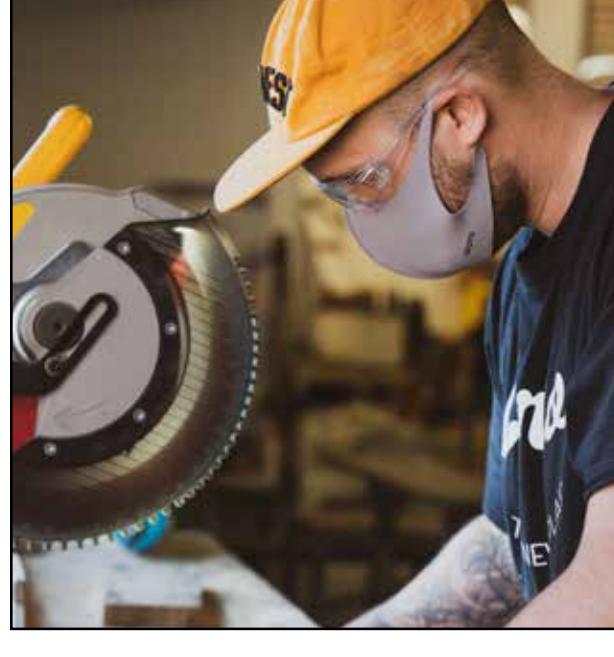
4. Rest Your Eyes – Follow the rule of 20s. If you're working a computer job, eyestrain may be a serious concern. Give them a break by looking 20 feet away for 20 seconds every 20 minutes.

5. Enjoy a Favorite Snack – Push that office chair away from the computer and treat yourself to a bite of something you enjoy.

6. Check in with Friends – Squeeze in a midday chat to catch up with a friend or coworker. Socializing is a feel-good way to take your mind off work even for just a few minutes.

7. Sip an Afternoon Coffee – If caffeine gives you that much-needed jolt to finish out the workday, head to your favorite local shop for a refreshing iced beverage.

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