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A tanoak tree with its bark removed shows the deadly canker caused by *Phytophthora ramorum*. Courtesy photo.

## Curry oak tree disease spreads south

Jeremy C. Ruark  
Pilot Editor

California officials have confirmed that the pathogen that causes sudden oak death (SOD) has been detected in Del Norte County.

The pathogen is a water mold that can kill oaks and tanoaks, threaten wildlife habitat and cause fire risk.

It was introduced to California on nursery stock from an unknown location in 1995, according to a sudden oak death economic impact study in February.

The tree disease also has been found in Monterey, Santa Cruz, Santa Clara, San Mateo, San Francisco, Alameda, Contra Costa, Solano, Napa, Marin, Sonoma, Lake, Mendocino, Humboldt and Trinity counties.

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## SPOOKTACULAR SPIDER HAS PLENTY OF GOODWILL

Linda Pinkham  
Staff Writer

A giant spooktacular spider has climbed aboard the Goodwill store at 890 Chetco Ave. in Brookings.

The 33-foot spider sets the scene for Halloween shopping at the thrift retailer, drawing the attention of motorists driving by the store.

"The spider is an eye-catching decoration that provides recognition for our stores to donors and shoppers during this busy fall season," said Goodwill Industries of Lane and South Coast Counties spokesperson Libby Steffen-Schafermeyer.

This is only the second year Goodwill has used the giant spider at its store in Brookings, said Steffen-Schafermeyer. The Brookings store has been open since 2014.

Only five stores of 11 in the Lane-south coast territory have the giant spiders



A giant spider has been placed atop the Brookings Goodwill store to promote its Halloween sales. Photo by Linda Pinkham.

deployed, she said. They require a bit of maintenance to mount them on the roof and keep them inflated throughout the season.

"People are excited to see the spiders at this time of year," Steffen-Schafermeyer

said. "We have one customer who commented that her granddaughter asks to visit the store specifically to see the spider."

Steffen-Schafermeyer said that whether you have a costume in mind, or you

have no idea what to wear for Halloween, Goodwill has you covered. "You can browse the aisles of clothing and get creative with accessories from Goodwill to complete your unique look."

The local thrift store

also has an abundance of Halloween and fall season decorations out on the floor, plus more still waiting to be displayed, said a store worker.

For more information, call 542-412-5165.

## Schools hard pressed to find primary teachers

Jeremy C. Ruark  
Pilot Editor

An informational session to attract new elementary teachers for Curry and Coos counties is set for Oct. 22 at the Brookings campus of Southwestern Oregon Community College (SWOCC), in partnership with Southern Oregon University.

Brookings-Harbor and Central Curry School District officials said the session is an important step to help provide needed teachers to shore up an ongoing shortage.

"Annually, we are challenged to attract and retain teachers to the south coast," said Central Curry School District Superintendent Tim Wilson.

"(Central Curry) felt very fortunate to fill our nine vacancies for this school year before June 1."

Brookings-Harbor Interim School Superintendent Chris Eberhardt said his district, too, tries to have a pool of qualified teachers, although that can prove challenging. "We work to have an effective blend of experienced and less-experienced teachers when we are filling the positions, but without that pool, you need to help the teachers that are there with a few layers of support to be put into place."

Eberhardt said teachers face a number of challenges, and for some, those challenges can be overwhelming. "They can feel devalued by culture, and often they find everything that

they do is questioned," he said. "It's kind of getting whipped up every day.

"New teachers will work days on a lesson, and it may bomb. That is part of getting through the first couple of years, but it can be overwhelming."

Wilson said his district is using mentors to help retain teaching staff. "To meet the needs of our new staff, we have formal and informal mentors who work on teaching strategies and learning the culture of the building," he said.

"In the end, it is the balance of the benefits and disadvantages of living in a small, isolated community."

Wilson said, the region's economy and competition for jobs are key factors to the teacher shortage. "The cost

of living, complicated by the lack of availability of affordable housing, is the largest contributing factor," he said.

"We made some strides with salary during our recent negotiations, but it does not compare with urban or larger valley districts."

Jamie Belzer, the university center program and academic advisor at SWOCC, said rural Oregon often has struggled to hire and retain qualified teachers.

She said it's a multifaceted issue. "New teachers that are hired from out of the region often don't realize how

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The Brookings-Harbor High School noise parade starts at the high school and winds its way through the center of downtown. Courtesy photo.

## HOMECOMING BOOSTS THE COMMUNITY

Staff Report

The Brookings-Harbor and Gold Beach high schools are celebrating homecoming this week with a variety of student activi-

ties, including parades, themes, dress-up days, and the selection of homecoming kings and queens.

Central Curry School District 1 Superintendent Tim Wilson said homecoming is a part of his high

school's culture and a true community connector. "It is a small-town tradition," said Wilson.

"It brings the community together. It really helps connect our community and it attracts alumni,

giving them a chance to go back and relive their high school days."

Wilson said a key homecoming highlight in Gold Beach will see the students gathering in front of the school Wednesday afternoon to

dangle donuts from a long pole and attempt to eat them without using their hands.

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# With cards in hand, the mind sharpens

**Jeremy C. Ruark**  
Pilot Editor

Organizers of the Tri City Bridge Club in Brookings say the game can keep your mind sharp.

Member Jack Grasham said the club formed about 25 years ago after three smaller clubs - from Gold Beach, Crescent City and Brookings - joined to provide a larger, more competitive game.

To promote the card game to new residents, the club has sent out letters reading, in part, that bridge is a timeless game for all ages and skill levels, from first-timers to the well-seasoned.

"The game is social, entertaining, challenging, engaging, and of course fun. Bridge brings a diverse group

of players to the game. A few well-known bridge players are Margaret Thatcher, Winston Churchill, Phyllis Diller, Bill Gates, George Burns, Omar Sharif, Martina Navratilova, Gandhi, President Eisenhower and James Bond," according to the club's letter.

"Every hand we play offers a different challenge or puzzle for us to solve," Grasham said.

Duplicate bridge, the game offered through the club, is similar to other popular card games, such as hearts, spades and pinochle, said Grasham. "The biggest difference is that you can compare the way you play a hand to how others played the same hand," he said.

Grasham said the game

also gives participants the opportunity to meet and play with people from different backgrounds and different parts of the country.

"We also regularly have visitors playing at the club who are in Brookings for a few days or weeks," he said. "Many of us also play at tournaments that take place around the country. If you play at a tournament, you can play against others with your same level of experience. If you choose, you can also play against some of the best players in the world."

The Tri City Bridge Club is holding a new series of classes beginning Oct. 13. Everyone is welcome. "We supply everything you need to explore becoming a bridge player," said Grasham -



Bridge players enjoy the card game at the Chetco Activity Center in Brookings. Courtesy photo.

lesson book, teachers and snacks.

"The game is fun, social, challenging and entertaining. Our past classes have been

so successful, we now have two games a month strictly for newcomers, in addition to our twice-weekly games at the Chetco Activity Center."

For more information, call 541-813-1545. The new beginner classes start at 1 p.m. Oct. 13 at the center, 550 Chetco Lane in Brookings.

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**Linda Pinkham**  
Staff Writer

## Pithitude adds a retail store to its eCommerce 'snarkiness'

Piles of boxes full of artful wine tumblers and coffee mugs, as well as racks for holding t-shirts and sweat-shirts, are scattered across the room, waiting for display magic to happen.

But putting things away in the new space needs to wait, because Pithitudes has orders to fulfill.

Still, everything will be ship-shape by 9 a.m. Oct. 14, when Pithitude opens its retail location in the Port of Brookings Harbor at 16340 Lower Harbor Rd., Suite 101, next door to the Bell & Whistle Coffee House.

The space previously housed the Brookings-Harbor Port Office, which has been vacant for two years.

The newly renovated shop will feature "snarky Pithitude humor that locals and travel-



Pithitude Gift Shop will open Oct. 14 at its new retail space in the Port of Brookings Harbor, next door to Bell & Whistle Coffee House. Photo by Linda Pinkham.

ers have come to love," said Tamara Bissell, its owner and artist.

"Shoppers can also customize t-shirts, mugs, magnets and other items with names or favorite quotes," she said. "We have the printing equipment onsite, so why not make it easy for people to get exactly what they want? Everyone has a favorite saying or an inside joke they would love to give as a gift."

To make gift-giving even easier, the store can ship a purchase worldwide.

The business has been a summertime fixture at Saturday Markets on the Boardwalk, and at events like the Pirate's Festival and Brewfest at the Harbor for several years now.

Yet what most people don't know is that 90% of the business is conducted online and through wholesale channels. That business model is "upside down," in that Bissell started by building an eCommerce business first and is now "coming in the back door of retail."

"The business outgrew being operated out of our home and with just friends helping out, to us really needing to hire help and have more space for manufacturing," Bissell said.

"It was time to take the next step and move the operation into a commercial building. I was at a tipping point where I was going to have to grow or step back."

Bissell's business originated with a button-making machine, which remains in use at her new store. The business grew out of a period of personal stress when she had spent "months of suffering the emotional, financial and mental devastation that comes with the sudden death of a family member," according to a history on her website.

Bissell realized she herself "didn't need to be the focus anymore. Even the darkest bits became humorous, because they were so twisted and wrong."

With the button machine, she drew little pictures and typed tiny, snarky words. She began selling them to people who "laughed when they read them," starting in 2010 through an Etsy shop, an online store for crafters. She also made magnets, bookmarks and gift bags.

Her drawings grew and the words became less bitter, although still remain "snarky."

In 2015, a breakthrough came when Amazon asked

her to join its new Handmade platform. The online behemoth recruited her from Etsy based on her sales and online reviews, which "opened it all up for us because they had so many more customers than Etsy did."

She was involved with both sites for a while, leaving Etsy only when it began making changes to the platform, she said.

Over the past year, Bissell has been developing her wholesale market. "Now, my line is sold in 65 stores," she said, "and that's growing by the day. I just picked up a couple more stores over the weekend."

"More than half of those stores are in Oregon, but my products are also sold in California, Alaska and I just picked up another sales rep group on the East Coast. I have three sales rep groups on the East Coast. I have a guy in Colorado and in Arizona, but that's all been very recent."

Last year, Pithitude grossed \$200,000 in sales, she said, and moved more than 9,000 mugs. Shirts and other products are newer lines, and with the addition of a wholesale sales network Bissell can't say for sure what will happen next.

"It's definitely exciting," she acknowledged.

"During the summers, (the weekend markets in Brookings) got me out of the print shop every Saturday," said Bissell. "It gave me tremendous joy to watch people come into my booth without any expectations and just crack up, because they would be bent over laughing or have their hands over their face trying not to laugh. It brought me so much fulfillment."

"Ace and I have been doing it for three summers now," she said. "We actually had to get a double-wide tent, because we kept making more stuff. I wasn't really ready to give that up this winter. It's actually a smaller niche of my business, but it brings me the most joy."

On a tour of the building, Bissell showed off the equipment used to make her custom ceramic mugs and wine tumblers. The dye-sublimation printer uses special ink on special paper to print designs in reverse. The design is taped securely onto the tumblers or mugs, then heated in an oven where the special ink turns

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**Austin Bertelson makes buttons, which were the original product line for Pithitude. Photo by Linda Pinkham.**



## Pithitude

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into a gas. The polymer coating on the mug or tumbler absorbs the ink, which becomes permanent when the product cools.

Next to the dye-sublimation printer is a special cutter for making the printed papers to go on curved surfaces.

In another room, past the oven where husband Ace Bissell is heating the mugs and tumblers, Austin Bertelson is making buttons and dish towels, which match wine tumblers in another room, that are being custom-made for the Portland Rose Garden.

This isn't a silkscreen shop from the '70s. Shirts and other fabric products are printed on a digital printer. It's an ink-jet-style,

direct-to-product printer, especially made for fabric. The design is imprinted into the fibers of the cloth, instead of sitting on top.

"It's not vinyl, and a lot more comfortable for wearing," Bissell said.

All of the designs are drawn by Bissell, then altered and rendered digitally. While Bissell originally drew with Prismacolor pencils, these days she's using her Surface Pro laptop computer

to create the designs. Meantime, she's looking forward to interacting with the public in her new space. "Don't wait until you need to buy a gift," invited Bissell, "come in when you just need a laugh. I promise it will help."

The store is open 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday through Saturday. For more information, call 541-254-9550.

## Homecoming

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The students also will hold a small parade the next day, from Riley Middle School to the high school.

Meanwhile, Brookings-Harbor students will hold a powderpuff

football game Wednesday at 7 p.m. Donations at the game will go to Katelyn's Cause, a local nonprofit that brings gifts to children receiving cancer treatment at Doernbecher Children's Hospital in Portland.

Former Brookings Police Chief Chis Wallace and his wife, Molly, founded Katelyn's Cause after losing their 17-year-old daughter Katelyn in 2008 to synovial sarcoma. Katelyn was a Brookings-Harbor

High School student.

The charity event has the classes facing off against each other; as an example, seniors vs. sophomores, competing in flag football games at the Elmer Bankus Stadium.

Brookings students will assemble floats Thursday night for the school's traditional noise parade, which takes place at 2:30 p.m. Friday, from the high school down Oak Street to Chetco Avenue, then

up 5th to Easy Street and back to the school.

Members of the high school's leadership class agreed with Gold Beach Superintendent Wilson that homecoming connects the community. "The alumni come to the games and the school goes out to the community for help," said junior Annie Nation.

Senior Zack Walker said the high school has a community focus

throughout homecoming.

Added senior Ethan Hooper, "For the community it is a lot about tradition, and the community is looking to see what the school is going to do now, and how it compares to back when they were part of the festivities."

See the 2019 homecoming schedules for Brookings-Harbor and Gold Beach high schools online at [currypilot.com](http://currypilot.com).

## Schools

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rural Coos and Curry counties are until they move here, and many do not stay long for that reason," she said.

Belzer said Coos and Curry counties often lack enough medical specialists to serve the region, leading to doctors' appointments that must be scheduled months in advance. "If a teacher or loved one needs these services, they are not apt to remain in a region that lacks in this," she said.

"Rural Oregon also tends to lack in cultural diversity, which can be a culture shock to a professional that

comes from more-diversified regions."

Belzer said access to higher education also is a significant barrier in obtaining skilled teachers. "For the most part, someone must move from the region in order to get the education necessary to attain a teaching license," she said. "This isn't feasible for most, and those that do move for their education often do not come back."

Belzer said the need for new teachers spans all subjects, but especially needed are K-12, science, math, language and English language learners' teachers.

She said the scarcity of teachers triggers a variety of impacts, including a strain on the district's resources and its ability to manage classroom

size. "More students in classrooms means larger teaching loads for teachers," she said. "Larger teaching loads means less individualized instruction."

"It also puts more pressure on teachers to give quality instruction to a larger group of students that have various levels of comprehension and learning styles."

Eberhart said that while there are a variety of reasons teachers leave the profession, he sees one reason that stands out. "At the end of the day, teachers do not leave because they don't know their material. They leave because it is a challenge to craft and sell their material to students who might not be willing to buy it. And that is deflating. That is tough."

Southern Oregon University advisor and coordinator Susan Faller said the State of Oregon requires teachers to complete an accredited teacher preparation program. For those who teach multiple subjects - such as at an elementary school - this requires content knowledge in all of those subject areas.

"Also, to be an effective teacher, there are many skills and professional disciplines required," she said. "Teachers need to be able to build relationships with their students and communities in order to infuse their learning experiences with relevancy. They also need to understand the importance of managing data collection to determine their impact on student learning."

Faller said the SWOCC

and Southern Oregon University teaching program is created with the non-traditional, or adult student, in mind, offering online, weekend and evening classes to fulfill most of the requirements.

Belter said a partnership involving the State System of Higher Education, Eastern Oregon University and SWOCC led to a teaching licensing program in March 2016 that's designed to help ease the shortage.

"It was clear to us at Southern Oregon University that there is a significant need to provide a process or pathway for people who are living in rural areas to invest in their own communities - to become the teachers who will make a difference long-term," she said.

"We decided to design a satellite program that provides for high-quality educators from both (Southern Oregon University) and the local communities. It has been exciting to hire active teachers from area elementary schools to actually teach some of our university courses."

Belzer said that partnership is based on a "grow-your-own model," giving local residents a path to licensure without having to relocate.

The Become an Elementary Teacher Information Session will be held from 5-6 p.m. Oct. 22 in Room 243 of the SWOCC Brookings campus, 96082 Lone Ranch Pkwy. For more information, call 541-888-1518 or 541-552-6919.

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## Disease

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The following is a conversation about sudden oak death and its impact with Chris Lee, a forest health specialist with the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection.

**The Pilot:** Where in Del Norte County has sudden oak disease been found, and when and what damage has the disease done at this point?

**Chris Lee:** The pathogen that causes sudden oak death (Phytophthora ramorum) was detected from samples taken in July in Jedediah Smith State Park, about five miles east of Crescent City. So far, we have detected it on two small living tanoak trees. Additionally, two tanoak trees near the ones that tested positive have died. One was dead before the detection and the other has died since the detection.

I need to emphasize that two further rounds of sampling after the initial detection have failed to detect the pathogen again. Until we can confirm the positive detection with an official regulatory sample taken by the county agriculture department (acting as representatives of the California Department of Food and Agriculture), no regulatory actions will be taken, and we can't speculate whether or how the pathogen will affect other trees in the vicinity. It is fairly common to have dif-

ficulty detecting the pathogen during the warm, dry months of late summer and early fall, and we will continue our detection efforts throughout the upcoming winter and spring.

**The Pilot:** Briefly, how was the disease discovered in Del Norte County?

**Lee:** The samples were collected as part of a UC Berkeley-led effort called a SOD blitz. For this effort, the Forest Pathology and Mycology Lab at UCB provides collection materials to samplers throughout the range of sudden oak death in California, then tests the samples that are sent back to them in order to help track the distribution and progress of sudden oak death in California from year to year. For Del Norte County, the SOD blitz is the latest part of an effort to monitor the county for signs of the disease that dates back to 2004. Over the years, this effort has involved University of California Cooperative Extension, UC Davis, UC Berkeley, Cal Fire and the Del Norte County Agriculture Department.

**The Pilot:** What is the overall concern about this disease and its impact, both environmentally and economically?

**Lee:** Environmentally, the disease can be responsible for a variety of landscape impacts that include wildlife habitat and forage loss, fuels and fire-risk problems, loss of traditional cultural resources such as tanoak acorns, aesthetic degradation, and other cascading impacts such as impairment of mycorrhizas (the fungi that form partnerships with trees to enable both partners

to more effectively forage for nutrients). Economically, the disease presents a variety of issues for plant-related industries, including restrictions on the movement of plant materials and soils. It also has the potential to decrease property values while increasing safety hazards for neighborhoods, homeowners and first-responders.

**The Pilot:** How is this disease spread and what restrictions are in place to stop the spread?

**Lee:** The disease spreads as spores carried by wind-blown and splashed water, as spores carried in running water, and as spores within soil transported naturally or by humans or animals. It also spreads in infected plant material that is blown around in the forest or transported by people from place to place. Most current restrictions aim to prevent long-distance, human-mediated spread by requiring inspections and best-management practices designed to keep plant material clean and/or to keep infected plant material from leaving infested areas. These include both federal and state quarantines imposed on the 15 California counties known to be infested, on parts of Curry County, Oregon, and on nurseries across the country where infected plants have been found after shipping.

**The Pilot:** We understand there is a detailed process of clearing trees with SOD. Please briefly explain that process.

**Lee:** There is no single management technique proven to eliminate Phytophthora ramorum from a

forested landscape. Rather, a number of techniques to contain or suppress the pathogen have been tried. The longest-running one is in Curry County, where land managers cut infected trees as soon as possible after discovery, then remove susceptible host trees and shrubs within a radius that has varied in size over the years as the managers have learned more. The cut trees and shrubs are burned. Other, shorter management trials in California have featured a variety of approaches, including some similar to Oregon's, some that have more closely resembled a thinning to favor non-sudden oak death host trees and decrease humidity in the forest, some that concentrate primarily on removal of bay laurel (a key spreader of the disease), and some that aim to restore stands that have long been impacted by sudden oak death rather than to slow disease spread.

**The Pilot:** What is the advice to property owners in Del Norte County about what they need to look for and what options they have if their trees are infested?

**Lee:** The latest information about sudden oak death, including photos of symptoms on most of the known plant hosts, tips on diagnosis, best-management practices and contact numbers for technical assistance, can be found at <http://suddenoak-death.org>. For additional information about disease monitoring and management, landowners should check out the University of California Cooperative Extension Humboldt-Del Norte website at <http://cehumboldt.ucanr.edu>.

edu/Programs/Forestry/Sudden\_Oak\_Death/ and the UC Berkeley Forest Pathology and Mycology Laboratory website at [https://nature.berkeley.edu/garbelottowp/?page\\_id=117](https://nature.berkeley.edu/garbelottowp/?page_id=117).

**The Pilot:** Does your agency offer free audits to help property owners see if they have this or any other tree disease?

**Lee:** Yes. I am available to visit properties to assess tree disease issues, and we have other forest health specialists in other parts of California that do the same thing. I can be contacted at [christopher.lee@fire.ca.gov](mailto:christopher.lee@fire.ca.gov) or at 707-726-1254. Additionally, UC Cooperative Extension Humboldt-Del Norte has experts who can do the same: <http://cehumboldt.ucanr.edu> or 707-445-7351.

Lee also said his agency conducts regular information sharing with the Oregon Department of Forestry and the Oregon Department of Agriculture so managers on both sides of the border understand the latest sudden oak death developments in their respective areas.

According to a Sudden Death Economic impact study, the first recorded infestation in Oregon occurred in a nine-mile area of Curry County in 2001, possibly - though not certainly - imported via nursery stock.

Since that time the quarantine has expanded to approximately 515 square miles. The tree disease has spread 18 miles north and eight miles east of the initial infestation.

The quarantine prohibits harvesting tanoak from the infested areas. The dead trees

pose an increased fire and safety risk, said Oregon Department of Forestry forest pathologist Sarah Navarro.

"In Curry County, the disease spreads in the forests from infected tanoak canopies," Navarro said. "Spores are produced on the leaves and twigs of tanoaks, and spread during wind and rain events on the landscape."

"Phytophthora ramorum can also be introduced through infected nursery stock, such as rhododendrons and azaleas. The State of Oregon has a quarantine in place to prevent the movement of infected material from both the forests and nurseries. The quarantine also requires management for SOD on private and state-owned lands."

Navarro said the economic benefits of slowing the spread of the disease, in contrast to eliminating it, were analyzed for the Oregon Department of Forestry in the economic impact report. That report concluded that over the next 20 years, the potential benefits of slowing the spread outweighed the costs by a ratio of 19:1.

"The benefits were mainly from the reduced risk of international sanctions that would severely disrupt timber exports from the Port of Coos Bay," she said.

"Importantly, the ecological and sociological costs and benefits of slowing the spread of the disease include cultural impacts to tribes, adverse impacts on aesthetics and related private property values, increased public safety risk and increased wildfire risk."

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# Prescribed burning aims to benefit regional forests

**Jeremy C. Ruark**  
Pilot Editor

The annual fall and winter prescribed burning season is under way this week in the Rogue River-Siskiyou National Forest, and is likely to continue into winter.

“Expect the burning to happen until it is too wet to do so,” said forest public affairs spokesperson Chamise Kramer.

Selected debris pile burns were conducted Oct. 7 in the Gold Beach District of the Rogue-Siskiyou forest. The burns are aimed at reducing forest fuels and enhancing wildlife habitat.

The national forest includes five districts: Crater Lake, Siskiyou Mountains, Wild Rivers in the Illinois Valley, and the Powers and Gold Beach ranger districts. Kramer said the burns

are critical for forest health management. “Over time, the forests have gotten more dense, and they need to be opened up from the bottom to restore overall resilience and forest health.”

Two types of prescribed burns are conducted. The first is under-burning, in which specific areas are mapped and crews use drip touches, which allow a low, creeping flame on the forest floor to be used to clear the area.

The second is pile burning, where forest debris has been assembled and is ignited.

Kramer said the burning is conducted under strict state and federal guidelines. “We do have to meet all sorts of criteria,” she said. “That includes approval from the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality. And we must notify communities when the burning will be taking place.”



Forest Service crews use drip torches for ground clearing, and ignite debris piles, during a prescribed burning. Courtesy photo.

## David Kenneth Young Feb. 1, 1943 - Oct. 5, 2019



On Sat., Oct. 5, 2019, David Kenneth Young, of Brookings, passed away at the age of 76.

David was born on Feb. 1, 1943 in Santa Barbara, California to Kenneth and Dorothy (Glines) Young. He was raised and educated in Grants Pass, Oregon. Summers were often spent visiting his family in Santa Maria, California and working with his Uncle Purvis on the family ranch.

After graduation from Grants Pass High School in 1961, he attended Allan Hancock College taking classes in Forestry. In 1965 he enlisted in the U.S Army. After serving his country in Germany and Vietnam, he returned to Santa Monica, California to work with Douglas Oil. He was married to the love of his life, Diane Haas on April 20, 1968. In the next few years, they were blessed with the birth of their two daughters, Dawnel and Tammie. The family moved to Brookings in 1973 where David became a shareholder

in Brookings Plywood, later working as a heavy equipment operator at South Coast Lumber Yard. He and Diane also owned and operated The Hungry Pelican Restaurant in Harbor, until the restaurant closed in the 1990s.

David was known for his sense of humor, infectious smile and kind caring spirit. His interests included wood-working, fishing, hunting, camping or barbequing with family and friends. David was an avid Pitt Master and enjoyed barbequing beef Tri-Tip and ribs using the Santa Maria style of cooking over coals of red oak. Friends and family often enjoyed David's hospitality when visiting with great food, country music, hunting and fishing stories and laughter.

David was preceded in death by his father, Kenneth, and his mother, Dorothy. He is survived by his wife Diane, his two children, Dawnel (Cary) Magnuson and Tammie Young, his sister Elizabeth (Steve) Brookins, four grandchildren, Josh, Matt, Skyler and Ty, two great-granddaughters, Lillian and Dakota, nephew Kenneth Brooks (Laurie) and niece Carly (TJ) Willhite, six great nephews, one great-great nephew and many in-laws, friends and family too numerous to list but not forgotten. He will forever live in the hearts of all who had the good fortune to know him.

We would like to extend a special thanks to Hospice for their help, dedication and special care. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in David's name to: Coastal Home Health & Hospice, PO Box 6042, Brookings, OR 97415

## Jim F. Blunt Sept. 5, 1944 - Sept. 22, 2019



Jim F. Blunt, passed away on Sun. Sept. 22, 2019 in Portland, Oregon with his wife Donna and daughters Dezi and Sandra by his side. He died from complications following his second cancer surgery in June 2019.

Jim was born on Sept. 5, 1944 in Susanville, California to Lois Boling Blunt and Fred Arthur Blunt who divorced when he was two. Jim spent his younger years in Chico, California with his mother and spent his summers in Brookings with his father and stepmother May Blunt. He moved to Brookings permanently when he was 14 and began learning the logging industry with his dad while attending high school. At 16 he began working on a purse seiner in Alaska during the summer, which was the beginning of many years on the ocean.

He married Marvella Murphy of Brookings and during their five years together they had two daughters, Debbie and Dezi. After moving to Springfield he met and married Donna Prociw of Springfield. Six weeks after their marriage he was drafted by the US Army and served his country in Vietnam. Upon his return home he began a drywall business in Brookings and daughter Sandra joined the family. One of his greatest joys during this time was serving as a coach for Pop Warner Football.

He eventually returned to commercial fishing and in 1980 he and Donna bought the 75' F/V Ambition and in 1990 the 92' F/V Euroclydon, fishing both vessels from California and Washington. At one time fishing took them to Washington for 13 years, where Jim became involved in the politics of the fishing industry, serving as President of the Washington Drag Fishermen's Association. He also testified for the industry

before the House Committee and handled negotiations with Fishermen's Marketing Association before returning to Brookings in 1995 when his father Fred died. Jim retired from fishing and took on the business of ranching which he enjoyed until his death.

Jim still enjoyed taking his sport boat out with his friends to catch fresh fish or crab. He loved riding his horse on the ranch with his dogs and having friends come out to help feed cows or to help with round-ups. It wasn't uncommon to see him driving around town with his two border collies in the back of his truck. He was a strong sports enthusiast loving football, baseball and basketball and any other sport if those three weren't available. He was well loved in the recovery community and was always available to anyone who needed help. He had an innate wisdom that seemed to resonate with many people. Jim spent the last few years reading spiritual literature and opening his heart to a closer relationship with our Heavenly Father. He will be missed by many.

Jim was preceded in death by his parents and brother, Jerry Hornbeck of Santa Rosa, California.

He is survived by his wife Donna, passing only four days before their 50th Anniversary. Also surviving are his daughters, Debbie Powell (Mike) of Brookings, Oregon, Dezi Hunt (Charlie) of Springfield, Oregon and Sandra Robinson of Fargo, North Dakota, 8 grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren, 2 nieces and numerous cousins.

A memorial service will be held Sat., Oct. 12 at 11 am at the Church of the Nazarene in Brookings with a potluck following immediately afterward. Please feel free to bring a dish along with a memory to share.

## Death Notices

### Janice E. Lucas

Janice E. Lucas, of Brookings, passed away on Sept.

22, 2019. A Memorial is being planned for a later date.

### Michael A. Wilber

Michael A. Wilber, of Brookings, born July 18, 1973, passed away on Sept. 30, 2019. Services will be

held on Sat. Oct. 12 at 11 am – 3pm at Howonquet Hall Community Center in Smith River, CA.

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# Bruins host Douglas for homecoming

**Randy Robbins**  
For The Pilot

Blue and gold will be on display in a big way this Friday as the Brookings-Harbor High School football team returns home to Elmer Bankus Field after two road-game victories.

The Bruins are seeing one of their best seasons unfolding right now, going back to

1994. Brookings is tied with Hidden Valley High School in Grants Pass for first place in the 3A Special District-South.

Nothing gets homecoming juices flowing like a 5-0 season. Coach Shaun Bavaro and company would like to make that six, in front of the Bruin students and alums, against Douglas High School.

The Winston school, under 14-year coach Silia Polamalu, is trying to get out from under

the heap. The Trojans are 0-5, their closest game a 22-42 loss to La Pine High School on Sept. 6.

Last week, against South Umpqua High School in Myrtle Creek, Brookings found itself down 14-0 before rallying in the second half to beat the Lancers 35-14.

The Bruins have found a good mix of run and gun to keep opposing defenses guessing, and defensively have been flying to the ball.

Bavaro told The Pilot after the game that he "was proud of the way my kids responded and didn't give up" last Friday night.

That's good for his squad to keep in mind, because after Douglas the effort for the Bruins to stay on top will be even greater. The "big three" in league play are coming up: St. Mary's, Cascade Christian and Hidden Valley.

But for now, Brookings should be able to enjoy a happy homecoming.

## Letters & Columns

### History lesson in GOP debt generation

Dear Editor:

A year ago, I wrote a letter to the editor predicting the nervous breakdown Trump is currently having. If you've heard him babble lately, you know I was right. Sad.

I also predicted his economic plan would explode the deficit. Unfortunately, that prediction is coming true, too. The Congressional Budget Office says that this year, and for at least the next five years, we're going to be forced to borrow over a trillion dollars

a year to keep our country afloat.

That's almost double the annual deficit of two years ago. That'll put us \$29 trillion in debt.

A short history lesson: The debt was \$1 trillion when Reagan was elected. He cut taxes and the debt tripled to \$3 trillion. Clinton gets elected, the deficit turns into a surplus, i.e., zero deficit. Bush junior gets appointed president, cuts taxes, the deficit explodes again and goes to \$11 trillion. (Obama inherited over a trillion-dollar-a-year deficit, which he was able to cut almost in half.)

Trump gets elected, cuts taxes so the rich can

feel good about themselves, Bingo, we're back to trillion-dollar deficits. (Sorry, kids.)

Anybody want to bet he doesn't come up with some way of getting out of next year's election?

Larry Schelter  
Gold Beach

### Needing rescue could mean getting billed

Dear Editor:

Regarding the recent article in The Pilot about hikers who have intentionally left the park trails. I suggest the following signage be installed at all parks that have some element of danger to them:

Dear Visitors: Please enjoy our trails. However ... should you deviate from any trail and require rescue from one of our agencies, you will be billed for the total cost of your rescue. Sincerely, the federal, state and local parks systems.

Think that might give them pause? (Although those agencies would need to follow through.)

Pam Wasko  
Harbor

### GUEST COLUMN

## Garden plots

By Chip Bubl

This is a good time to transplant landscape trees and shrubs. Construction activity rarely leaves soils in good shape. At worst, most of the topsoil may have been removed. At best, there is major soil compaction. What are the best ways to improve degraded soils for your garden and landscape?

The answer, and no surprise for many gardeners, is compost. Compost improves water infiltration, loosens soils, stimulates biological activity, and adds nutrients. But what some interesting research done at OSU's North Willamette Research and Extension Center in Aurora revealed is that it didn't really matter whether the compost was tilled into the soil or applied to the surface with new plants installed through the compost.

The amount is important. Two inches of compost applied over 150 square feet was the best amount. That is equal to one cubic foot for that area. After planting, all plots (tilled in compost, tilled without compost, no-till surface compost, and plain without compost or tilling) were mulched with 3 inches of fine Douglas fir bark. The research group tried

both standard landscape plants and some drought tolerant ones. Since the planting area was not watered after the fall planting or the following years, the drought tolerant materials fared much better. Ceanothus gloriosus and Rosemary "Blue Spires" were very strong performers. For more information, see Improving Garden Soils with Organic Matter EC 1561 from OSU Extension publications: <https://catalog.extension.oregonstate.edu/ec1561>

### Blackberry control

There is still time to control blackberries. Mowing is an option, but the clumps will return with a vengeance. That said, persistent mowing (8+ times a year), can wear blackberries out.

The most common herbicides used to control blackberries are the glyphosate-based products like Roundup™ and triclopyr-mixes like Crossbow™ or Brush-B-Gone. Good leaf coverage is essential. You need at least six hours of dry weather after spraying to ensure absorption.

This time of year, the blackberry leaves might not show any sign of damage but when spring returns, the canes won't leaf out. You will have a lot of dried up, stickery canes

to remove but that should be a pleasure. There may be some weak re-growth. Mow several times and you will eliminate it from the area. Follow all label instructions and restrictions. Don't spray in the wind.

### Newsletter

The Oregon State University Extension office in Columbia County publishes a monthly newsletter on gardening and farming topics, called County Living. It is written and edited by yours truly. All you need to do is ask for it and it will be mailed or emailed to you. Call 503-397-3462 to be put on the list.

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## King Crossword

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- 34 Devastate
- 16 Speed
- 35 Indy Jones' hat
- 20 Hostels
- 37 Crib
- 21 Study at the last minute
- 38 Polio vaccine pioneer
- 22 Sitarist's offering
- 39 Met melody
- 23 Enthusiastic
- 40 Fasting period
- 24 Carries on
- 41 On in years
- 26 Subway employee
- 44 Mil. address
- 27 Layer
- 45 Felon's flight
- 46 Little devil
- 47 Fool

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# CALENDAR

**WEDNESDAY** OCTOBER 9, 2019

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## CURRY COUNTY

### October 9

Coast Orchid Club: Meets @ 12pm - Evergreen Back Conference Rm.

Farmers Market Every Wednesday - Year 'round- South of Pedrioli, Hwy 101 - 10am -3pm. For more info call: 541-661-3860

Wild Rivers Coast Forest Collaborative Presents: Fire-Permeable Communities by Rich Fairbanks. Wed. Oct. 9 @ 6:30-8, Chetco Community Public Library. Come learn how our communities can be prepared to live with wildfire.

Chetco Activity Center Wednesday Regular Weekly Events: Tai Chi: 9 &amp; 10:30 am Walk with Ease: 10:30 am at Azalea Park (cancels if rain) Pinochle: 12:30 pm in the lounge Yoga: 3:30 pm in Room B Menu: Roast Beef, Mashed Potatoes &amp; Gravy, Green Beans w/ Almonds. Guardians: Cake &amp; Ice Cream

### October 10

Chetco Public Library: DIY

Autumn Scented Candles - Oct. 10 @ 2-4pm. Drop by the library to make some scented candles, just in time for Autumn.

Wild Rivers Coast Forest Collaborative Presents: Fire-Permeable Communities by Rich Fairbanks. Thurs. Oct. 10 @ 6:30 - 8, Port Orford Public Library. Come learn how our communities can be prepared to live with wildfire.

Cribbage: Thursday @ 5:30 at the Grange. ACC Grass Roots Club

Chetco Activity Center Thursday Regular Weekly Events: Mah Jong: 12:30 pm in the lounge Bridge: 11 am - 4:30 pm Yoga Fit: 5 pm Menu: Chicken Alfredo, Broccoli, Garlic Bread &amp; Dessert

TOPS OR 0432 (Take Pounds Off Sensibly): meets from 8-9:30 am in the activity room (2nd floor) Seaview Senior Center, Harbor. For more info: Call 541-469-4457 or 469-251-3775

### October 11

Chetco Activity Center Friday Regular Weekly Events: Popcorn in the Dining Room

Tai Chi: 9 &amp; 10:30 am Walk with Ease: 10:30 am at Azalea Park (cancels if rain) BINGO: Noon in the Dining Room Rummy: 12:30 pm in the Lounge Tai Chi: 1 pm in Room B Menu: Herb Baked Fish, Real French Fries, Vegetable Surprise &amp; Dessert

HOG Harley Owners Bike Group Ride: Oct 11, 12, 13 - St Jude Brittany Ride, Canyonville. For more info call Dale Baker @ 541-412-7435

HOG Harley Owners Group meeting: Fri. Oct 11 - Monthly meeting @ the Spot Restaurant, 6 - 8 pm in the back room. For more info call Dale Baker @ 541-412-7435

Chetco Shrine Club meets every Friday for lunch @ Dee' Ann's Tea Room @ 11 am

### October 12

Meet Artist Julie Puz Wilson at Curry Public Library - Sat. Oct. 12 @ 2pm. For more information, please call Curry Public Library at 541-247-7246

Farmers Market Every Saturday - Year 'round- South of Pedrioli,

Hwy 101 - 10am -3pm. For more info call: 541-661-3860

Dial-A-Ride: 541-412-8806 - Mon-Fri. 8am - 5:30pm &amp; Sat. 9am - 4pm

SCHS Thrift Store: Watch for color of the week discounts - Mon. - Sat. 10am - 5pm - 16094 US-101, Harbor

SCHS Animal Shelter: Open EVERYDAY 12-5pm - 828 Railroad Ave, Brookings. 541-412-0325

The Brookings/Harbor Progressives' Second Saturday Brunch: Will be a no-host gathering on Oct. 12, 11am, at Blue Water Cafe &amp; Lounge in Harbor, 97900 Shopping Center Ave., Ste. 24. Great food and conversation with local progressives. Newcomers welcome. Call: 541-254-0939 for more info.

Chetco Public Library - October Movie Night: Beetlejucce - Sat. Oct. 12 @ 6:30 -8:30 pm in the large meeting room -

Karen Staal, the Manley's Guest Artist show opens Oct. 12 and runs until Nov. 2. Karen's painting focuses on joy and connection in

these tumultuous times. She will come from her home in Ashland to talk about her work at the Art Walk @ 4pm. The Art Walk is Sat. Oct 12 3-6. Come join us in the celebration of her beautiful artwork and have some tasty treats to warm your soul. Manley Art Center, 433 Oak St, Brookings.

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Maynard@Tolowa.com or call 707-487-9255 ext 1218

Dress A Girl Around the World: Sat. Oct 12 @ 10 am -2pm. Trinity Lutheran Church, 1200 Easy St, Brookings

Shoes are available free for men, women &amp; children at the Brookings Harbor Community Shoe Bank giveaway from 1-3 pm. Sat. Oct 12. The shoe giveaway will be held at the lower level of the Brookings Elks Lodge, 800 Elk Dr. For more info call: 541-469-9850

2019 Master Gardener "Gardening, Home and Health" speakers series Chetco Public Library, Brookings from 10:30 - noon: Ken Dobberpuhl - Urban Permaculture/creating an edible landscape at home. For more info: Call 541-247-6672 or Email Scott @ scott.thiemann@oregonstate.edu

## UPCOMING EVENTS:

Seaview Senior Living Community October Events: Navy Day - Join us for a day of celebrating our local Navy Veterans! Sun., Oct 13, 2019 from 10 am - 2 pm.

# ART SCENE

## CURRY COUNTY SECOND SATURDAY ART WALK

The 16th season of the Second Saturday Art Walk in Brookings continues on Saturday. Many galleries and shops in downtown Brookings as well as the Chetco Public Library will host live music, art demonstrations, and more with refreshments.

## MANLEY ART CENTER AND GALLERY

The Manley Art Center and Gallery at 433 Oak St in Brookings is featuring work by guest artist Karen Staal through November 2. Join the Gallery at 4:00 p.m. on Saturday during Art Walk to hear from the artist herself while enjoying refreshments. The Gallery is open 11:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Children of all ages are invited to the Center on Saturdays to see work created by member artists and to work in the classroom. For more information, call 541-469-1807 or visit www.pelicanbayartassociation.org.

## BRIAN SCOTT GALLERY

Brian Scott Gallery, located at 515 Chetco Ave in Brookings, is featuring watercolor landscapes and florals by Magda Druzdzal for the month of October. Join the Gallery for Second Saturday Art Walk from 3:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. on Saturday to meet the featured artist while enjoying refreshments and live music by Tiger Lily. Alongside this work, the Gallery showcases more than 25 artists. The Gallery invites you to network while enjoying coffee, tea, and an ocean view on their patio in the Snug Studio for Brown Bag Thursdays from 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. each week with Pete Chasar discussing all things art as well as live music entertainment. The patio is always open with the Gallery, from 11:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Tomorrow's music is provided by Tiger Lily. For more information, call 541-412-8687.

## FRIENDS OF MUSIC

Brookings Harbor Friends of Music continues their 35th season with ATOS Trio, acclaimed German piano trio on Sunday, November 3. The rest of their season will include: Michael Brown, pianist, composer, and Lincoln Center emerging artist on Sunday, January 5; St. Petersburg Piano Quartet, Grammy-nominated ensemble on Sunday, February 9; Jasper String Quartet, with violin, cello and viola on Sunday, March 15; Rastrelli Cello Quartet, between-the-genres Russian ensemble on Sunday, April 5; and Mayuko Kamio, returning favorite virtuoso violinist on Sunday, April 26. Tickets are available for purchase at Wright's Custom Framing at 810 Chetco Ave in Brookings. Tickets are \$20 per event or \$110 for the full season. Children 18 and under receive free admission. The season concludes on May 17 with their annual, free-of-charge scholarship concert with Alexander Tutanov, professor of piano at Southern Oregon University, and will feature students selected as scholarship recipients. All performances take place at 3:00 p.m. at the Seventh Day Adventist Church at 102 Park Ave in Brookings. For more information, call 541-469-7625 or visit www.brookingsharborfriendsofmusic.org.

## FOG AND FINE ART GALLERY

Located in Wright's Custom Framing and Art Supply at 810 Chetco Ave in Brookings, the Fog and Fine Art Gallery displays many local artists showing a variety of media including jewelry, pottery, painting, and more. The Gallery also has a dedicated classroom that inspires new and seasoned artists with workshops. The Gallery is open from 10:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Saturday. For more information on class listings, painting demonstrations, and featured artists, call 541-469-7900 or visit them on Facebook @ WrightsCustomFraming.

## DEL NORTE COUNTY

### ARTS FOR VETERANS

The Del Norte Association for Cultural Awareness is offering complimentary season tickets to the 37th Performance Series for veterans who self-identify as disabled and their family members.

The next course of guitar workshops with teaching artist Dale Morgan takes place in the Fireside Room of the VFW Hall at 810 H St in Crescent City. Beginning class is from 5:15 p.m.-6:15 p.m. on Mondays, through November 18. Intermediate class is from 5:15 p.m.-6:15 p.m. on Tuesdays, through November 19.

A Qi Gong and Tai Chi class will take place at Pacific Northwest Physical Therapy at 255 I St in Crescent City from 12:45 p.m.-1:45 p.m. on Saturday, October 19. Participants will be led by teaching artists Andres and Kate Monreal in basic postures and eight Brocades. Wear comfortable clothes to stretch in and athletic shoes.

All workshops are free-of-charge to veterans and their family members. Families are eligible whether or not the veteran participates. DNACA's Arts for Veterans program is funded in part by Veterans in the Arts, a program of the California Arts Council, a state agency. Learn more at arts.ca.gov. For more information, contact DNACA at dnaca\_cc@icloud.com or 707-464-1336.

## COAST REDWOODS ART ASSOCIATION

Coast Redwoods Art Association's Crescent Harbor Gallery, located at 140 Marine Way in Crescent City, will display their Annual National Juried Show during October. October's demo will be led by Rande Rothman at noon on October 24, preceded by a potluck. Saturdays from 1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m. at the gallery

include a papier maché program. Sundays from 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. include a still-life drawing group. Mondays from 10:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m. offer a space and good company for artists and crafters. The Del Norte County Library at 190 Price Mall is also displaying work by member artists. For more information, call 707-464-9133.

## MUSIC IN THE REDWOODS

Music in the Redwoods, presented by the Del Norte-Curry Community Concert Association, is celebrating 70 years of bringing quality live entertainment to our community. Their 2019-20 season will continue with Trio Confero at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, October 25. The remainder of their season includes: The Maxwell Quartet at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, February 6, and Duo Aliada at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, April 17. All concerts take place at Crescent Elk Auditorium at 994 G St in Crescent City. Season tickets are \$50 per person, individual tickets are \$20 per adult, and children under 18 receive free admission. For more information, call 707-951-3102 or visit musicintheredwoods.com.

## ART IN PUBLIC PLACES

The Del Norte Association for Cultural Awareness' Art in Public Places exhibit in the Del Norte Superior Court at 450 H St in Crescent City, is a collection of paintings by Susan Moore titled "Life Through My Eyes." It will be on display through November 14. The courthouse is open from 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. weekdays except for state holidays. DNACA's Art in Public Places exhibit on the mezzanine of the CEC airport at 1650 Dale Rupert Rd is titled "Fly Away with Me: A Year of Travel Photography," a collection by Catherine Balck; this exhibit will be available for viewing through November 7. The airport terminal's regular hours are 6:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m. weekdays, 6:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Saturdays, and 6:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Sundays. For more information,

contact DNACA at 707-464-1336 or dnaca\_cc@icloud.com.

## DNACA'S 37TH SEASON TICKETS

Season tickets for the Del Norte Association for Cultural Awareness' 2019-20 season will be available until the second concert on November 16. The remaining four concerts in the series are: California Guitar Trio, returning favorite fusion ensemble on Saturday, November 16; Barrio Manouche, Gypsy jazz and flamenco dance on Friday, February 21; Okaidja Afroso, Ghanaian music, dance and storytelling on Friday, April 3; and Sarah Hagen in her one-woman comedy, "Perk up, Pianist!" on Saturday, May 9. All concerts begin at 7:00 p.m. and take place at Crescent Elk Auditorium at 994 G St in Crescent City. Season tickets still provide a discount to the remaining four individual performances and are transferable and replaceable if lost. They are in Crescent City at Del Norte Office Supply at 240 I St and in Brookings at Wright's Custom Framing at 810 Chetco Ave. General season tickets are \$70, Senior (65+) are \$55, Student (K-College, Full-Time) are \$45, and Group (4 people total) are \$160. Tickets will also be available for purchase at the door of the next concert, beginning at 6:15 p.m. For more information, contact DNACA at 707-464-1336 or dnaca\_cc@icloud.com.

## GALLERY OF ARTS AND CULTURE

The Gallery of Arts and Culture at 175 H St is featuring photography from artist Ronald Kusina. Kusina has been active in restorative fisheries work since 1984 and his interest in photography awakened while documenting that work. He won Grand Prize in photography at the 2016 Utah State Fair, a juried exhibition with over 100 entries. He is a published author and photographer with a current article appearing in the August 2019 issue of Landscape Photography magazine. The Gallery also has watercolor paintings by Nan

Marie Wineinger on display at Redwood Urgent Care at 286 M S where the public is welcome to meet the staff and enjoy the art. The Gallery is open 11:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday. For more information, call 707-464-4745.

## COLORING BOOK

DNACA's first coloring book will be available for sale through the DNACA office at 501 H St, Suite 8 in Crescent City during office hours of 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday, as well as through DNACA Board members, at the Visitors' Center at 1001 Front St, and at the Mail Room at 900 Northcrest Dr. Hand drawn by local artist Rosemary Garcia, it highlights the "wild side" of Del Norte County with colorful critters. The coloring book includes captions in English, Tolowa, and Yurok and at the tail end of the book are factoids about each of the 17 featured creatures. For the promotional campaign, a box of 48 crayons are included with the coloring book purchase of \$10. For more information, contact DNACA at 707-464-1336 or dnaca\_cc@icloud.com.

## CALIFORNIA REDWOODS ART ASSOCIATION

The California Redwoods Art Association's 2nd St Gallery, located at 1228 2nd St in Crescent City, offers featured artists, a gift shop, and workshops in varying media available with prior registration. The Gallery is also displaying members' collections throughout the community, including: Sutter Coast Hospital and their Infusion Center, Vita Cucina, and Wild Rivers Community Foundation. For more information or to register, call 707-460-1414.

For the community arts calendar, go to www.dnaca.net. For inclusion, Arts Scene items should be sent to the Del Norte Association for Cultural Awareness (DNACA) at dnaca\_cc@icloud.com by Sunday afternoon. For more information, call 707-464-1336.

# Calendar

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Registration is now available online on the Curry County Master Gardener web page at: <http://bit.ly/CurryMGWorkshops> for the Master Gardener Volunteer Training Class, sponsored by the Extension Service of Oregon State University. The 10-week class will be held every Friday from 9am - 4pm at the OSU Extension building at the Fairgrounds/Event Center on the Beach starting Jan. 10 and ending March 13 and is limited to 18 students and applications must be completed no later than Nov. 15, 2019. The classes are taught by OSU faculty, Extension agents and Master Gardeners. Tuition for the entire course is \$175. For more information about this class, please call Scott at 541-247-6672 or 800-356-3986 or email him at: [scott.thiemann@oregonstate.edu](mailto:scott.thiemann@oregonstate.edu)

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Upcoming Music Line Up for Chetco Brewing Co:

Oct. 10 - Lon Goddard 6pm

Oct. 11 - Rapp Brush 6pm

Oct. 12 - Mike Powell 6pm

Oct. 12 - Port - last Saturday Market of the season - Mike Powell @ noon

Oct. 15 - Trivia 6pm

Oct. 17 - Lon Goddard 6pm

Oct. 18 - Rapp Brush 6pm

Oct. 19 - TBA 6pm

Oct. 24 - Lon Goddard 6pm

Oct. 25 - Spence Bros Band 6pm

Oct. 26 - Cut it Like the Kings 5:30pm

Oct. 31 - Rapp Brush 4pm & Marc Holyoak & VM 6pm

## DEL NORTE COUNTY

### October 9

Del Norte Senior Center will hold the following activities: Young & Healthy Yoga @ 8:30am Chair Exercises @ 10-11am Hand & Foot Cards @ 12:30pm Menu: Meatloaf w/Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Carrot Pineapple Salad, Whole Wheat Bread & Oranges

Downtown Crescent City Farmers & Artisans Market: 9am - 2pm on Front & K Street. Visit the facebook page for more info: [www.facebook.com/DowntownCrescentCityFarmerArtisansMarket](http://www.facebook.com/DowntownCrescentCityFarmerArtisansMarket)

The Pregnancy Care Center: Will offer free pregnancy tests from 10 am - 3 pm, Tuesday - Thursdays. Walk-ins welcome. Call: 707-464-3233.

Wednesday Night Al-Anon: Will meet from 6-7 pm at the Gasquet Fire Hall. Call Carol at: 707-954-8091

### October 10

Del Norte Senior Center will hold the following activities: Boon Dock Band @ 10-12pm Craft & Coloring @ 1-2:30pm Menu: Baked Chicken w/Gravy, Sweet Potatoes, Broccoli & Whole Wheat Bread

Cribbage - Thursdays at 5:30 at the

Grange. ACC Grass Roots Club

Lighthouse Quilt Guild: Every Thursday there is sewing on Veterans' Quilts. Materials are provided by the Guild.

PTSD meetings are held every Thursday at 2 pm @ the Veterans Center in Crescent City

The Pregnancy Care Center: Will offer free pregnancy tests from 10 am - 3 pm, Tuesday - Thursdays. Walk-ins welcome. Call: 707-464-3233.

Thursday Night Al-Anon: Will meet from noon - 1pm in the Youth Room at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 220 Macken (Behind the baseball fields). Call Helen - 707-487-5603.

The Pacific Pantry: Will be open from 2-6pm, Thursdays and Fridays and from 10 am - 2pm Saturdays at the Family Resources of the Redwoods, 494 Pacific Ave in Crescent City. For more info, call: 707-464-0955

T.O.P.S.: Meet every Thursday at the DN Quilt Guild, 201 Del Norte from 8-10 am, weigh-ins @ 8-8:45 am., meeting @ 9-10 am. National Dues are \$32/year and local dues \$4/month. Call Loretta at 707-464-4245.

### October 11

Del Norte Senior Center will hold the following activities: Young & Healthy Yoga @ 8:30am Octoberfest Band - Oompa Ringers @ 10-11am Bake Sale @ 10:30am Pinochle @ 12:30pm Menu: Mushroom Stroganoff, 3 Bean Salad, California Blend & Applesauce

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### October 12

2nd Annual Wellness Walk & Play - Sat. Oct 12. Booths will be open 11 am - 2pm. Xaa-wan-k'wvt Village & Resort, 12420 Hwy 101 N., Smith River, CA 95567 - at the Community Center. Registration starts @ 9:30 a.m. For more info email: [Jamie.Maynard@Tolowa.com](mailto:Jamie.Maynard@Tolowa.com) or call 707-487-9255 ext 1218

Integral Yoga: Sat. morning 9-10am. Beginning to intermediate yoga and integral life practice @ the Yoga Studio at F & Second in Crescent City. More info: Tedd @ 707-954-0953

Mindfulness Meditation Group: Join us every Sat. morning 10-11:15. Learn to lower stress, focus & relax into the moment. Meet at the Yoga Studio at F & Second St. For questions, call Robin: 707-951-9420

Del Norte Short Line Rail Road Club: Meet every Sat. @ 9am at Apple Peddler. Lookings for new members. Call: 707-954-8009

The Crescent City Farmers Market will be held from 9 am - 1:30 pm in the Del Norte County Fairgrounds parking lot, 421 U.S. 101 in Crescent City. For more information visit [www.facebook.com/CrescentCityFarmersMarket](http://www.facebook.com/CrescentCityFarmersMarket)

The Pacific Pantry: Will be open from 2-6pm, Thursdays and Fridays and from 10 am - 2pm Saturdays at the Family Resources of the Redwoods, 494 Pacific Ave in Crescent City. For more info, call: 707-464-0955

Overeaters Anonymous: Will meet from 10:30 - 11:30 am at St Paul's Episcopal Church, 220 E Macken in Crescent City. For more information, call Barbara at

707-951-3341

### Upcoming Local Music Schedule:

Port O'Pints: Oct. 11 @ 8pm - The Apollo Era - Keeping it Real!

Port O' Pints: Oct. 12 @ 8:30pm - Takilma

Port O'Pints: Oct. 18 @ 7pm - Steve Berg - Live!

Port O' Pints: Oct. 19 @ 8:30pm - The Mighty Steelheads

Port O'Pints: Oct. 25 @ 8pm - May and Teal - 25 Heartbreak Songs

Port O'Pints: Oct. 26 @ 9pm - DJ HeadCayce Live at Frank N Stein Party

# BISHOP

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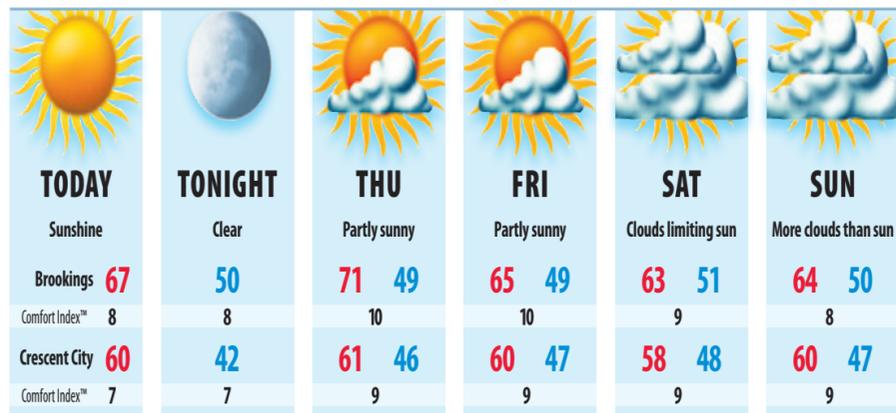
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### WILD RIVERS COAST 5-DAY FORECAST



Comfort Index takes into account how the weather will feel based on a combination of factors. A rating of 10 feels very comfortable while a rating of 0 feels very uncomfortable.

### ALMANAC

Statistics through Monday

#### TEMPERATURES

Monday	Brookings	Crescent City
High	72	64
Low	50	44
Normal high/low	67/47	64/46
Record high	94 in 2002	89 in 1972
Record low	43 in 2007	39 in 1997

Sunday	Brookings	Crescent City
High	77	74
Low	55	49
Normal high/low	68/47	64/46
Record high	83 in 2002	88 in 1976
Record low	39 in 2007	40 in 1969

#### PRECIPITATION

	Last 24 hours	Season to date	Normal to date
Brookings	0.00"	0.05"	0.69"
Crescent City	0.00"	0.03"	0.60"
Eureka	0.00"	Trace	0.25"
Gasquet	0.00"	0.40"	1.27"
Grants Pass	0.00"	Trace	0.32"
Medford	0.00"	0.04"	0.15"
North Bend	0.00"	0.63"	0.62"
Redding	0.00"	0.00"	0.23"
Ukiah	0.00"	0.00"	0.21"

### SUN & MOON

	Today	Thu.	Fri.
Sunrise	7:22 a.m.	7:24 a.m.	7:25 a.m.
Sunset	6:46 p.m.	6:44 p.m.	6:43 p.m.
Moonrise	5:24 p.m.	5:51 p.m.	6:16 p.m.
Moonset	3:08 a.m.	4:07 a.m.	5:06 a.m.



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### RIVER LEVELS

	24 hour Change	Current	Flood Stage
Chetco (Brookings)	-0.90	-0.04	—
Klamath (Klamath)	8.69	none	38.0
Rogue (Agness)	2.81	-0.08	17.0
Smith (Jed. Smith)	4.86	-0.02	29.0
Smith (Dr. Fine Br.)	11.80	none	33.0

### MARINE FORECAST

#### Brookings

Today: Wind north at 15-25 knots today. Seas 5-9 feet. Visibility clear. Wind north-northeast 12-25 knots tonight. Seas 4-8 feet. Clear.

Tomorrow: Wind north 8-16 knots tomorrow. Seas 3-6 feet. Visibility clear. Wind northeast 6-12 knots tomorrow night. Seas 3-5 feet. Clear.

#### Crescent City

Today: Small craft should exercise caution today. Wind from the north at 25-35 knots. Seas 10-14 feet. Visibility generally clear.

Tomorrow: Wind north at 6-12 knots tomorrow. Seas 6-10 feet. Visibility clear. Wind south-southwest 4-8 knots tomorrow night. Seas 3-6 feet. Clear.

### TIDES

	High		Low	
	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
Brookings				
Today	10:18	9:50	3:42	4:07
Thursday	10:48	10:36	4:23	4:46
Friday	11:15	11:17	4:58	5:22
Saturday	11:41	11:56	5:29	5:55
Crescent City				
Today	10:17	9:49	3:38	4:03
Thursday	10:47	10:35	4:19	4:42
Friday	11:14	11:16	4:54	5:18
Saturday	11:40	11:55	5:25	5:51

### REGIONAL FORECAST

Brookings: Sunshine today. Clear tonight. Partly sunny tomorrow. Clear tomorrow night.

Crescent City: Sunny and breezy today. Clear tonight. Partly sunny tomorrow. Clear tomorrow night.

Gasquet: Sunny today. Clear and chilly tonight.

Gold Beach: Sunny today. Clear tonight. Brilliant sunshine tomorrow. Clear tomorrow night.

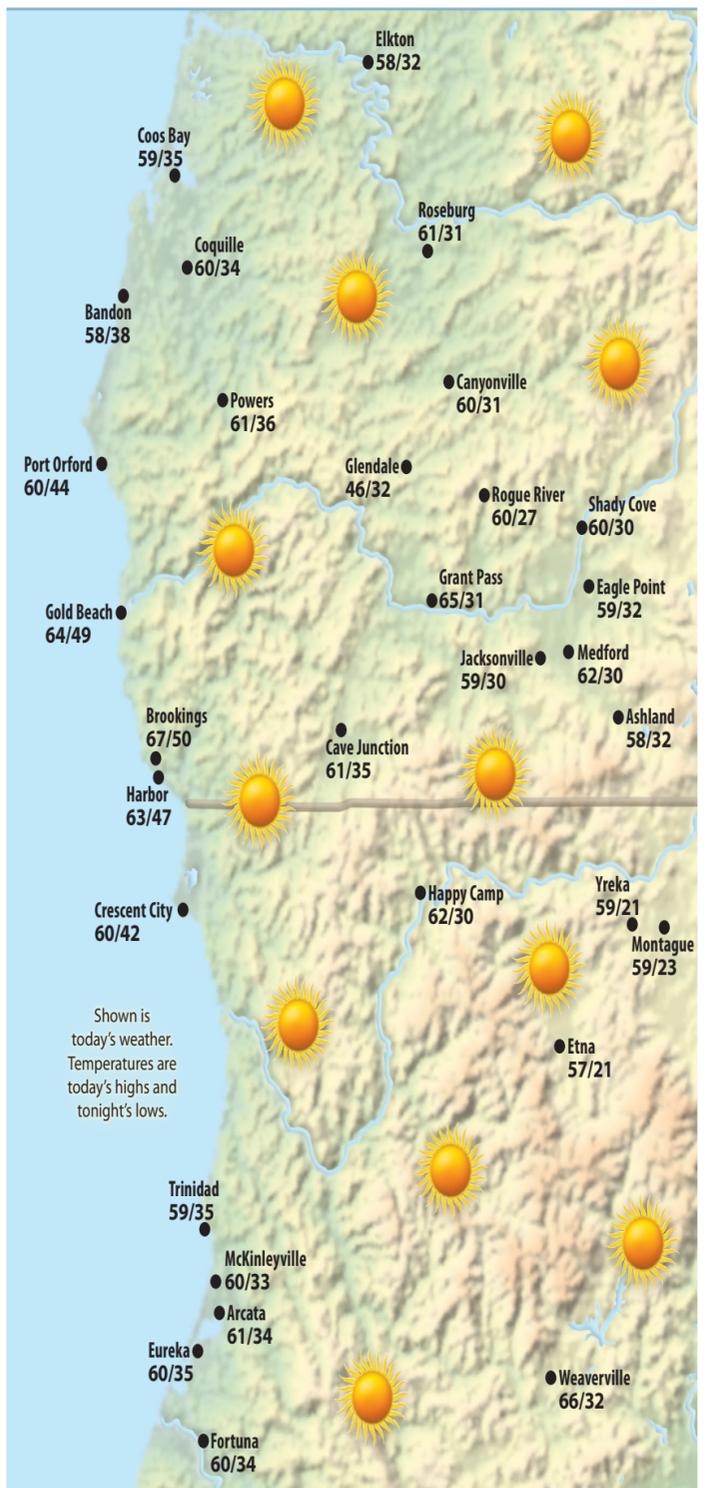
Klamath: Plenty of sunshine today. Clear tonight. Partly sunny tomorrow. Clear tomorrow night.

Port Orford: Sunny today. Clear tonight. Abundant sunshine tomorrow. Clear tomorrow night.

Smith River: Sunny today. Clear tonight. Partly sunny tomorrow. Clear tomorrow night.

### REGIONAL CITIES

City	Today			Thu.			Fri.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Astoria	57	35	s	61	40	s	64	44	pc
Bend	45	17	s	53	22	s	63	30	s
Boise	48	23	pc	50	29	s	58	34	s
Burns	45	10	s	48	15	s	57	21	pc
Corvallis	59	30	s	62	32	s	64	39	pc
Elgin	42	17	s	48	20	s	53	24	pc
Eugene	59	28	s	62	33	s	67	41	pc
Hermiston	55	22	s	56	26	s	59	28	s
Hood River	55	30	s	57	32	s	59	35	s
Imnaha	43	20	sf	47	23	s	57	29	s
John Day	42	17	s	52	24	s	59	29	pc
Joseph	36	16	sn	43	22	s	52	29	s
Kennebec	55	23	s	56	26	s	57	27	s
Medford	62	30	s	70	37	s	73	40	s
Oakland	59	29	s	62	32	s	69	38	pc
Olympia	54	26	s	58	32	s	62	39	pc
Portland	59	37	s	62	42	s	65	44	pc
Salem	58	29	s	62	34	s	64	40	pc
Santa Rosa	79	40	s	81	38	s	82	40	s
Smith River	63	42	s	66	42	pc	61	43	s
Ukiah	78	35	s	82	37	pc	82	40	s
Walla Walla	51	30	s	54	32	s	59	38	s



Weather(W): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice



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**105**  
 Cleaning Services

Housecleaning Experienced, Reliable Husband - Wife team Serving Del Norte & Curry Co. for 25 yrs. 707-487-0138

**150**  
 Misc Services

**Contractor Carpenter Wayne Baker**  
 No job too small or big CCB#99945 541-661-9062

**James Elmer Schauer Tree Service** Licensed, bonded & insured. CCB # 215967 541-373-9273

**302**  
 Personals

Does Someone's Drinking Bother You?? Call Al-Anon/Alateen 707-951-6759.

**502**  
 Help Wanted

Curry County Clerk's Office is accepting applications for a full time Department Specialist II. Performs a wide variety of technical and clerical tasks related to documents required to be filed with the County Clerk. Accuracy, neatness and relentless attention to detail are required by all positions and duties in this department. High school graduation or equivalency; one year clerical work experience; or any satisfactory combination of education and/or experience. Must possess a valid Oregon Driver License with good driving record. Salary: \$2356 - \$3006/month, benefits and retirement eligibility. Open until filled. For application contact Julie Swift in the Personnel Office, 94235 Moore Street, Ste. 125, Gold Beach, OR 97444, or by calling 541-247-3233 or by e-mail: swift@co.curry.or.us. EOE and drug-free workplace. Criminal background check required.

**Del Norte County Unified School District is testing for the following:**  
 Instructional Assistant: \$14.21 - \$19.39 hr. Applications will be accepted through Ed Join <http://www.edjoin.org> Apply by 10/18/2019 EEO/AA Employer

**Deputy Probation Officer III/ Del Norte County Probation Department.**  
 \$1,469.17- \$1,694.43 starting salary, paid biweekly. Required applications are available at the Del Norte County Human Resources Office, 981 H Street, Suite 250, Crescent City, CA 95531. (707) 464-7213 or [www.dnco.org](http://www.dnco.org)

**502**  
 Help Wanted

Applications accepted until 5:00 pm October 10, 2019. EEO

**Heavy/Light Duty Mechanic**  
 Commercial trucks, heavy equipment, farm equipment vehicles. Works in shop and on ranches. Full-time. Wages based on experience. Alexandre EcoDairy Farms, 8371 Lower Lake Rd. Crescent City, CA 707-487-1000 or **Tom Bessette 707-845-1942 office@alexandrefamilyfarm.com**

**Staff Services Manager - Department of Health and Human Services**  
 For more information, visit Del Norte County's Employment Opportunities site at [www.dnco.org](http://www.dnco.org). All applications must be submitted to CalHR via the online application system at: <https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/mss>. Applications accepted until 11:59 p.m. on October 11, 2019. EOE

**515**  
 Employment Opps

Business owner. Community leader. Protector of dreams. That's what makes an American Family Insurance agency owner. It's a highly rewarding opportunity that allows you to create financial stability while making a positive impact on our customers' lives. So if you're looking for an opportunity to build a business and own your future - we're interested in you! We have an open agency opportunity on the Southwest Coast of Oregon/Coos County. Coos Bay is the largest city on the SW Coast, which includes Brookings, Gold Beach, Bandon, Coos Bay, North Bend, Reedsport and Florence. The agency opportunity was located in Coos Bay but considerations will be made for other cities along the SW Coast for the right candidate.

**602**  
 Boats & Motors

1989 Challenger Alum. Boat. 302 Ford inboard/9.9 Merc. kicker. \$13,000 OBO 541-247-2721

Drift boat - Fish Rite. Ready to fish, diamond plated, good cond. \$4000 OBO. 541-469-5530

**606**  
 Campers & Trailers

1989 Lance Camper Fits long bed truck Good condition. \$1000 OBO Call (707) 951-5102

2019 Toy hauler/ Camper Like New

**606**  
 Campers & Trailers

7x16' Tandem axle, quality cargo, trailer conversion, approx. 600 miles, LED lights, Elec. brakes, central heating \$10,000 541-251-1151

25", 2006 Salem Fifth wheel travel trailer. 1 pop out, very clean. \$6,000 OBO 530-310-9198

**608**  
 Motorcycles

2000 Yamaha 225 TT, Off Road. Very good shape. \$2000 541-469-5122

**616**  
 Trucks

2000 Dodge Ram 2500 Diesel truck, red w/ matching canopy, 165,000 miles \$6500 541-251-0125

**618**  
 Domestic Autos

1994 Saturn 4 door, Sedan, 5 spd, 4 cyl., 1.9L, SOHC, fuel inj., 93330 miles, radio, p/b, Very clean, no rust, glass, paint, tires, body good! Oregon title, \$2450. 541-412-8945

1996 Ford Aerostar Extended Van All-wheel drive, 220K miles, clean, reliable, safe transportation, yakima roof rack. CA registered. \$1500 Call 541-890-5483

2005 Buick Lesabre Custom 73,000 miles Great Condition \$4,500 707-464-4041

**700**  
 Misc/Trade

2 Sans Streiffe Binoculars 7x35 \$50 707-464-6427

Area Rug extra large 112x72 non-smoking house, no rips, tears, or soil spots. \$90 707-218-6543 or 707-487-6027

Badass Vintage Mercantile is opening! Thursday, Sept. 10th, 2-7:30. A unique collection of vintage items, furniture. See to believe! 1109A Chetco Ave.

**700**  
 Misc/Trade

Cabinet - 82x36x19 2 lights, mirrored back, 4 glass doors. Excellent condition \$149 541-661-4944

Electric boat motor Endura 30 pound thrust, 12 V, forward & reverse, retails \$150 selling for \$75 New Cash only 541-813-1783

Engine stand. Good condition. \$40 541-469-0848 or 408-807-1701

Futon Hardwood frame, full sized mattress \$99 707-458-3022

Manual portable/ foldable treadmill. \$30 541-813-9524 (if no answer, please keep trying!!)

Pigeons For Sale Pigmy Pouter Must have nice loft. All 8 birds for \$80 Call 707-464-9460

Preview pet products Park Plaza lg. bird cage. \$120 (\$235 new) 24x22x53 541-469-9660

Queen bed complete with wood platform w/6 drawers, headboard. All very good condition. You unload at your driveway for \$30.

**700**  
 Misc/Trade

Saturday or Sunday only. 707-464-4862

Quisenart Food Processor with attachments in excellent condition \$75 call 541-412-8287

Schwinn Covered Bike Trailer, Large in New Condition \$75 707-464-5515

Site Boss tripod level by D/White instruments. \$25 541-247-0645

Solid Wood Desk \$15 707-954-4078

Windows, great for greenhouse. Two cast iron fireplaces. FREE. 541-661-3489

**702**  
 Garage Sales

Crescent City 150 Bachelor Rd Sat 9am-2pm Rain Cancels

**Model Train Estate Sale** Mostly HO, some 3 rail, flyer, large scale plus large ship & aircraft unbuilt models.

Crescent City 150 W Madison Ave Thur, Fri, Sat 9am-3pm Dresser, night stand, gun cabinet, lg. mirror, shelves, table & chairs, tools, trowels, garden

**702**  
 Garage Sales

tools, glassware, work lights, roll away beds, sewing machine, records

Crescent City 1624 Del Mar Rd Sat 9am-3pm Moving Sale, lots of new items, some tools, clothes, small appliances, and more!

Crescent City 1661 Northcrest Dr., Space 31 Multi-family Fri & Sat 9am-4pm NO Early Birds! Tools, fishing, sewing, crafts, & misc.

Crescent City 633 Vipond Dr. Sat & Sun 7am-1pm Rain or Shine! Refreshments! Tons of great stuff, including: Inflatable raft, fire pits, kitchen & tableware, art, music, puzzles, holiday & party decor, MC helmets, keyboard, furniture, scrapbooking, books, something for everyone!

Gold Beach - 30336 Driftwood Dr. Sat. 10-4 Tools, jewelry ,

**702**  
 Garage Sales

antiques, collectibles, craft supplies, household.

Gold Beach - 34140 Ophir Rd Fri. - Sun. 8-5 Estate/Garage Sale Mechanics tools, pneumatic tools, auto body tools, tool chests, yard tools, drill press, grinder, gun safes, antique signs, plows, desk, & hand saws, table & chairs (2 sets), white wicker bedroom set, twin bed, solid wood lg. dresser, mirror & 2 night stands, clothing, household goods and much more.

**790**  
 Misc Wanted

**MINI BIKE WANTED** 707-465-1578

**802**  
 Apts Furnished

Now taking applications for: 900 sq ft 1 bd/1 ba upstairs apt. w/nice views of Sporthaven beach and ocean! Fully furnished. All ceilings vaulted plus

**802**  
 Apts Furnished

4 skylights. \$1,200 per mo plus \$2,000 deposit. Call Ron at 541-661-3232

**804**  
 Apts Unfurnished

Upstairs apartment downtown Brookings. \$600/mo. + \$1000 deposit, W/S pd. NO PETS OR SMOKING Call: 541-469-1899

**819**  
 RV Space for Rent

Madrone Mobile Home Park in Hiouchi. Travel trailers welcomed. \$395 first and last month plus water & garbage. Call for application. 707-954-6915

Mobile Home Park Smith River, CA Close to Brookings, OR \$385/per mo. W/S/T included, cable available 707-218-6445

**832**  
 Commercial Space

Storefront for rent in a great location in downtown Brookings.

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
 Quality Inn & Suites Crescent City  
 The following person/s is/are doing business as:  
 Quality Inn & Suites Crescent City  
 100 Walton Street  
 Crescent City, CA 95531  
 This Business is conducted by: limited liability company  
 The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: 08/23/2019  
 I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to this section that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
 Signed: Babubhai Patel  
 This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 08/21/2019  
 Alistia D. Northrup  
 County Clerk-Recorder  
 B.y Claire Landay, Deputy  
 File No. 20190090  
 Publish: 09/18, 09/25, 10/02, 10/09 of 2019  
 T259022

**NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE**

**PROPERTY DESCRIPTION:**  
 Vessel ID:OR727YD, 24' 1" 1978 Fiberform, HIN: FBF01369M78B, TITLE NUMBER: TITL.047883.2  
 Trailer ID: State of Oregon License Plate: U407774

**OWNER:**  
 Scott Vaughn  
 3953 Connell Way  
 Eugene OR 97405

**AMOUNT DUE ON LIEN:** \$809.17

**TIME, DATE AND LOCATION OF SALE:**  
 The item will be available to view before the sale at the Port of Brookings Harbor, 16330 Lower Harbor Road, Brookings, OR 97415.

These items will be put up for sale per sealed bids on November 4th, 2019 at 9:00am. Sealed bids to be opened at the Port of Brookings Harbor, 16330 Lower Harbor Road, Brookings, OR 97415 on November 15th, 2019 at 3:00pm.

**NAME OF PERSON OR BUSINESS FORECLOSING THE LIEN:**  
 Port of Brookings Harbor  
 PO Box 848  
 Brookings, OR 97415

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 P261340

**Notice Of Petition To Administer Estate**  
 George Stevens

CVPB-19-7053  
 To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of George Stevens

A petition for probate has been filed by Joyce A. Stevens, in the Superior Court of California, County of Del Norte.

The petition for probate requests that Joyce A. Stevens be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows:  
 October 18, 2019 Time: 10:00am Court: 450 H Street Dept 2, Crescent City, CA. 95531.

If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in probate code section 9100. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date noticed above.

You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

Joyce A. Stevens  
 588 Fresno St.  
 Crescent City, Ca 95531  
 Telephone: 707-954-5093

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 Ad T261483

8 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON  
 9 FOR THE COUNTY OF CURRY  
 10 In the Matter of the Estate of )  
 11 Marjorie Kay Brown, ) No. 19PB07025  
 12 ) NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS  
 13 Deceased. )  
 14 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Allyson Jane Warner has been appointed personal  
 15 representative. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present them, with  
 16 vouchers attached, to the personal representative at 3555 S. Pacific Hwy. #134, Medford, OR  
 17 97501, within four months after the date of first publication of this notice, or the claims may be  
 18 barred.  
 19 All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings may obtain additional  
 20 information from the records of the court, the personal representative, or the lawyer for the  
 21 personal representative, Penny Lee Austin.  
 22 Dated and first published on 9-25, 2019.  
 23  
 24 Penny Lee Austin  
 25 Penny Lee Austin  
 26 Attorney for Personal Representative  
 Publish Sept. 25, Oct. 2, Oct. 9, 2019 P260147



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1200 sq. ft with w/s paid. Contact: 541-469-1899

## 880 Misc For Rent

### PREMIER PROPERTIES

937 Chetco Ave., Suite A Brookings 541-469-7400

1033 Chetco Ave #1 2nd Floor apartment, 2 bed, 1 bath, W/S.T., .....\$825/mo.

### COMMERCIAL

1240 J Chetco Ave. 2200 sq ft, great for retail office, has loading area, water/sewer included. \$1250/mo.

### STORAGE UNITS AVAILABLE Assorted Sizes Available

For more listings see our website: www.PremierPropertiesBrookings.com Yvonne Dunn Rigotti Principal Broker Licensed in the State of Oregon

Crescent City 3 Bd/2 Ba, fenced yard, culdesac. \$1,400 + dep. Call 707-666-7307

Crescent City 155 Lakeside Loop 3 bed/2 bath 1550 sq/ft home on 3.25 acres. New carpeting/pellet stove, tiled entry, laundry, lg fenced yard w/concrete patio, 2 car garage, tentants responsibility for all utilities/yard maint. No smoking/pets

## 880 Misc For Rent

\$1600/mo \$3,000/dp Mitzi 707-954-0420

### Crescent City 3 bed/1bath garage, fenced yard, pellet & electric heat. Clean, move in Ready. No dogs/HUD \$1325/mo 707-218-5815

In Crescent City Very Nice 2 Bd/1 Ba upstairs, with W/D. No smoking or pets. \$825 + dep. 707-666-7307

Why Rent? With good credit you can purchase a 39 ft fully furnished 5th wheel trailer set up in Chetco RV Park. 4 slides, king bed, 10x14 insulated shed w/ windows & sky lights. Also 8x8 shed w/windows. Private court yard, fenced & enclosed garden. At the bank will carry 15 yrs. \$260/mo, \$420 monthly lot rent. You own both sheds. Monthly cost \$680/mo. \$29,000. Some trade okay. 541-373-9118 707-951-5461 OBO

## 901 Homes for Sale by Owner

Home on 10 acres in Brookings, \$371,000 www.forestdreamhouse.com

## 902 Homes for Sale

BEAUTIFUL CUSTOM HOME! 857 Jodee Lane, Brookings, OR Outstanding neighborhood close to beaches and shopping! Beautiful custom home with new carpets throughout and freshly painted inside and out. 3 bdrm, 2 bath, with a generous master bdrm, bath and walk in closet. Nice Granite kitchen has double ovens, island, eating bar, lots of storage, walk in pantry and a kitchen nook. Formal dining room. The spacious living room has vaulted ceilings. A big fenced yard, deck and a green house too! MLS 19506247 \$429,000 Jude Hodge, Broker RE/MAX Coast & Country Cell: 541-813-9261 • Office: 541-412-9535 www.HomeWithJude.com Text OREGON COAST to 90210 for more listings!! Big Shop 17847 Rainbow Rock Road, Brookings, OR Looking for country

## 902 Homes for Sale

living and a place to park your RV or store your "stuff"? This is the perfect place...a clean and well kept home with 2BR plus bonus /2BA AND a 20 x 40 RV Garage/shop. Home has been updated with vinyl dual paned windows, tiled baths, laminate floors, new exterior paint and a large ocean view deck. Shop has 14' door with opener, wired 220 and loft storage. All this in a country setting with trees, views and privacy! MLS 19494929 \$349,000 Karen Kennedy Principal Broker/Owner Remax Ultimate Coastal Properties askusabouthomes@gmail.com 541-425-7494

Close To Everything 1008 Easy Street, Brookings, OR A well cared for single level home with 3 Bedrooms plus a bonus room and 2 updated baths! Huge living room w/ fireplace insert and a large open kitchen/dining area (both have Hardwood floors throughout).

## 902 Homes for Sale

Bonus room/Den. Fully fenced backyard with sunning deck. Garage has room for one car and there is extra Car/ RV/Boat parking too. Great neighborhood with a multitude of conveniences nearby-shopping, parks, swimming pool and schools! MLS 19240125 \$325,000 Karen Kennedy Principal Broker/Owner Remax Ultimate Coastal Properties askusabouthomes@gmail.com 541-425-7494

## 999 Public Notices

room and private master suite with views and a fireplace. This custom architectural home is stunning! MLS 19077954 \$1,290,000 Jude Hodge, Broker RE/MAX Coast & Country Cell: 541-813-9261 • Office: 541-412-9535 www.HomeWithJude.com Text OREGON COAST to 90210 for more listings!!

NEW CONSTRUCTION 97877 Harbor View Cr, Brookings, OR 2019 New Construction, 1512 Sq ft, 3 bedroom 2 bath home with an attached 2 car garage. Private corner flag lot, located in Harbor in a nice quiet location. Gorgeous Granite countertops throughout, Stainless Steel appliances, beautiful cabinetry, abundant storage and great finishes! Close to The Port of Brookings, local beaches and shopping. Garage still under construction Certificate

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of Occupancy will be issued prior to closing. MLS 19532236 \$359,000 Jude Hodge, Broker RE/MAX Coast & Country Cell: 541-813-9261 • Office: 541-412-9535 www.HomeWithJude.com Text OREGON COAST to 90210 for more listings!!

Outrageous Vista Views 16320 Campbell Road, Brookings, OR Beautiful home, gated and private, with outrageous vista views of the Chetco River and Mt Emily. A spacious 2600 sq ft, 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath home with open concept and vaulted ceilings. The cooks kitchen is granite, stainless steel appliances, marble tile flooring, and a big walk in pantry. New engineered hardwood flooring in the living room, dining room, hallway and master

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suite. Wonderful mature fruit orchard and raised bed garden. MLS 19399455 \$457,000 Jude Hodge, Broker RE/MAX Coast & Country Cell: 541-813-9261 • Office: 541-412-9535 www.HomeWithJude.com Text OREGON COAST to 90210 for more listings!!

## 999 Public Notices

**HARBOR WATER P.U.D** The regular meeting of the Harbor Water P.U.D. Board of Directors has been rescheduled from Thursday October 10, 2019 to Thursday October 24, 2019 at 5:00 p.m in the Administrative Building 98069 W. Benham Lane, Harbor, Oregon. Robert Rhodes, Secretary Publish Oct 9, 2019 P.261963

### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

Sticky Paws Baking Co.

The following person/s is/are doing business as: Sticky Paws Baking Co. 450 Keller Ave Crescent City, CA 95531

This Business is conducted by: co-partners The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: not applicable

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to this section that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). Signed: Mary Corcovelos-Mullin Venita Corcovelos

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 9/19/2019

Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder Claire Landay, Deputy File No. 20190098 Publish: 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23/19 Ad # T260965

### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

Wen-Cor Cleaning

The following person/s is/are doing business as: Wen-Cor Cleaning 217 F St. Apt. B-50 Crescent City, CA 95531

This Business is conducted by: co-partners The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: 10/01/2019

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to this section that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

Signed: Wendy D Malone This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 9/30/2019

Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder Damon Fletcher, Deputy File No. 20190100 Publish: 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23/19

### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

Majestic Wood Art

The following person/s is/are doing business as: Majestic Wood Art 181 South Kraft Drive Crescent City, CA 95531

This Business is conducted by: an individual The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: not applicable

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to this section that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

Signed: Martin Duff

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 9/23/2019 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder Damon Fletcher Deputy File No. 20190099 Publish: 9/25, 10/2, 10/9, 10/16/ 2019 T206111

## King Crossword

Answers

Solution time: 21 mins.

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# New basketball courts enhance Azlea Park

Jeremy C. Ruark  
Pilot Editor

Two new basketball courts are now open at Brookings Azlea Park.

City Public Works Deputy Director Jay Trost said the new basketball courts stemmed from lengthy discussions involving the Brookings Parks Commission, City Budget Committee and City Council, and have been added to strengthen Brookings' outdoor recreational opportunities.

"The city had one outdoor basketball court located at Bud Cross Park," he said. "Doing two more at Azlea Park will add a new activity to our already beautiful park, increase users and offer another enjoyable activity for our community."

Trost said the two basketball courts, budgeted at \$35,000, are centrally located between Kidtown - a play area for children - and the newly reconfigured ballfields at Azlea Park.

In addition, the city is partnering with the Brookings Rotary Club to plan and develop an outdoor fitness project at the park.

"The vision of the outdoor fitness project is to provide a free fitness opportunity to users of all abilities," he said. "It will strategically be located above the basketball courts, so users can use the fitness



The City of Brookings has added these new basketball courts to Azlea Park as part of the city's overall park improvements. Courtesy photo.

area while having a visual of Kidtown, the basketball courts, ballfields and the band shell."

Rotary's Judy May Lopez said the project emerged as a club interest over the past year. "Several Rotarians were talking about community projects and one was exercise stations," she said.

"During the initial research stage, I was told the city was already working on this, so I met with Jay and got the details. They fit in perfectly with what Rotary was interested in, so a plan started coming together where Rotary could help with this project."

Trost said the city has budgeted \$12,000 for the fitness project and that

Rotary is seeking additional funds to help out.

Meantime, the City of Brookings is moving ahead with updating its parks master plan, said Trost, with improvements that include a dog park at Chetco Point, and a patio addition to Capella by the Sea, a distinctive wood and stone chapel built by film producer Elmo Williams that can be rented for private events at Azlea Park.

"The weather will dictate when each project will begin," said Trost, who added that the city has budgeted \$485,760 for the parks.

The next step in updating the parks plan includes utilizing a grant from the University of Oregon's Re-

sources Assistance for Rural Environments, through which the city is benefiting from an intern from the university for the next 11 months.

"The intern, Erik Orta, brings all the resources available from the U of O, and he is actively working on the city parks five-year master plan," Trost said. "We are in the middle of surveying the community to identify what the community would like to see."

Once a plan has been developed, it will be presented to the Brookings Parks Commission. "If the parks commission approves the plan," said Trost, "staff will take it to the City Council for final approval."

## ◆ COAST MOMENTS



A herd of elk grazing in a pasture last week along North Bank Rogue River Road north of Gold Beach caught our attention and became our latest addition to The Pilot's coastal moments gallery. Join our collection by sending your coastal moments to [jruark@countrymedia.net](mailto:jruark@countrymedia.net). We'll share them with our readers. See more at [currypilot.com](http://currypilot.com). Photo by Linda Pinkham.

## Unmanned vessel's owner found alive

After a six-hour search, U.S. Coast Guard Sector Humboldt Bay on Oct. 3 found the owner of an unmanned vessel located off the shore of Crescent City.

The fishing boat Lori had found the small Avon RAB 2.81 inflatable boat unmanned and floating seven miles west of Crescent City Harbor. County authorities informed the Coast Guard, which conducted a search for possible missing passengers.

"Usually, we try to exhaust all options when we have a search-and-rescue case and we really don't have a lot of info available, said Coast Guard LCDR Gabriel Vigil. "And what actually helped us in this case was when we actually had the vessel, we were able to go through some of the belongings inside the vessel."

That search turned up a recently dated receipt from a local pawn shop. From there, officials were able to locate the boat's owner, who had been unaware the craft was adrift from his property in Klamath.

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# Curry gets \$293,164 for natural resource improvements

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A total of \$530,940 is available for natural resource projects, said officials. Of that, \$293,164 will be used in Curry County, \$182,428 in Josephine County and \$55,348 in Coos County.

The projects funded include noxious weed detection and control,

hazardous vehicle removal, Lower Rogue bear boxes, Rogue River boat ramp cleaning, youth crew employment, ecosystem monitoring specific to restoration activities, firewise community partnership projects, backcountry trail maintenance, Elk River riparian enhancement, an aquatic safety program, and Rogue Estuary and Winchuk River restoration.

Rogue River-Siskiyou National Forest Supervisor

Merv George, Jr., approved the project funding recommendations made by the Siskiyou, OR Resource Advisory Committee (RAC).

The committee met Oct. 2 to finalize recommendations from a meeting held on June 12-13 in Brookings.

The approval allows for natural resource projects that benefit Forest Service-administered lands in Curry, Josephine and Coos counties to move forward.



The natural resource improvement projects include backcountry trail maintenance. Courtesy photo.

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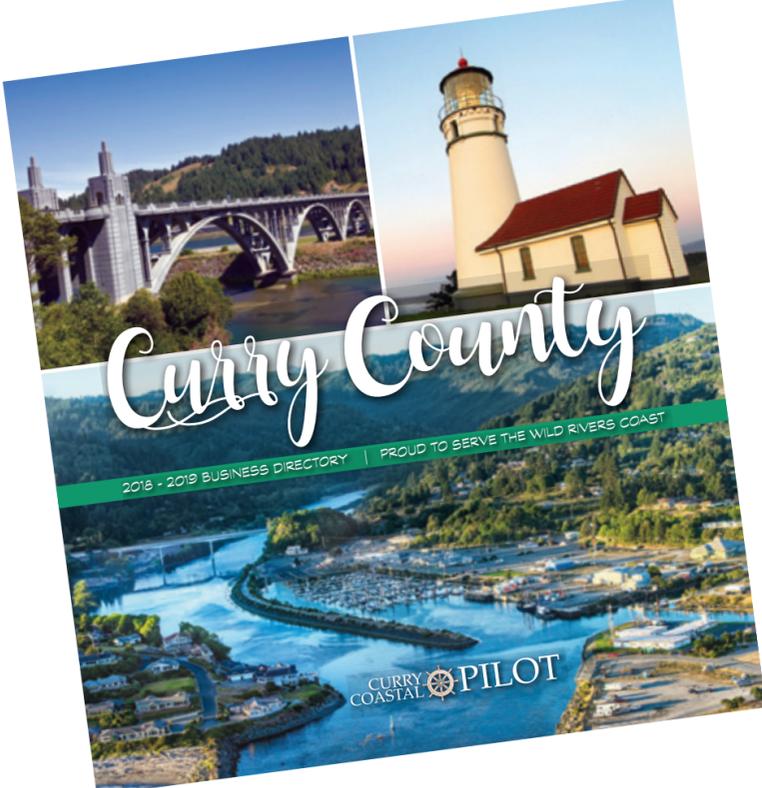
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