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Home and Garden Show wrapup



Melissa Martin owner of Malakina's Snave ice based in Cascade Locks serves a customer Photo courtesy of Katherine Mace

Will Chappell Editor

The Tillamook Headlight Herald's Home and Garden Show had a great turnout, as families shopped with local businesses, sampled delicious food and supported charitable organizations.

The show took place on April 29 and 30 at the Tillamook County Fairgrounds and was cosponsored by Tillamook County Solid Waste.

Showgoers perused a

wide variety of goods, from local honey, seeds and dahlia tubers to paintings, wind chimes, yard sculptures, outdoor wooden furniture and hot tubs to cabinets, fabrics, recliners, art and kitchen wares.

They also took advantage of the opportunities to enter a wide swath of raffles, including those being put on the Kiwanis Club of Tillamook and the Tillamook Beekeepers Association.

The former supports scholarships for local students and raffled 18 items from

local businesses, while the latter is raffled a custom, dairy-themed beehive and two gift certificates to the Tillamook Farm Store and JAndy Acres Nursery.

The Kiwanis Club raised just shy of \$2,500 through their raffles on the weekend. In total the Kiwanians will give away \$20,500 in scholarships, with the remainder of that amount coming from their radio ad sales campaign in March and April.

The Tillamook Beekeepers Association raised just

under \$2,000 in its raffle, in which Marsha McCorkhill won the drawing for the beehive.

Show cosponsors Tillamook County Solid Waste had a booth to share information about their programs in the county. Adjacent to their booth was that of the Oregon Department of Forestry. They gave out 1500 Western Red Cedar, Hemlock and Noble Fir seedlings. The free yard waste disposal permits were handed out by Tillamook County Solid Waste.

Pacific Restaurant, Gourmet Cotton Candy and Malakina's Shave Ice all offered tasty refreshments to showgoers at their booths, while Just a Distillery offered rum samples a short distance away.

Other booths included one from the Tillamook People's Utility District, the Tillamook County Republican and Democratic Parties, Accountable Exteriors, Prestige Senior Living, Kitchen Craft and many more.

STR committee divided as ordinance due date approaches

Tillamook County's Short-term Rental Advisory Committee split on the issue of a limit on the transferability of licenses at their April 18 meeting, as the deadline for submitting their recommendations to commissioners in May looms

Committee members were able to agree to a new license issuance cap of 1% over existing levels when a pause on license issuance is lifted and compromised on neighbor notification requirements and noise regulations.

The meeting began dramatically, as one committee member confronted others who have recently joined groups representing property owners opposed to short-term rental (STR) regulation in the county. The committee member was upset that fellow committee members would join groups at loggerheads with the committee's work and

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asked if it was a conflict of interest.

Tillamook County's Director of Community Development Sarah Absher said that she had been in contact with county counsel, who had advised that it was not legally a conflict of interest. She also said that the groups formed to advance STR interests had reached out to her and county commissioners to attempt to discuss the new ordinance, but that they had rebuffed such attempts instead saying those concerns should be addressed to the committee.

Committee members affiliated with the new antiregulation groups defended their ability to participate objectively on the committee, but the upset member was not mollified.

After reviewing the amendments made to the parking regulations section following their previous meeting and slightly changing verbiage related to on-street parking, the committee jumped into neighbor notification.

The initial draft of the ordinance had required that STR owners notify their neighbors of their operation annually via a mailing. STR owners and operators on the committee

said that the requirement was overly burdensome, noting that finding mailing addresses for neighboring property owners would be challenging and that the annual requirement seemed excessive. They suggested that the exterior signage and an online database would be sufficient to notify neighbors.

Other committee members agreed that the annual requirement was unnecessary and said that they would be fine with notification happening upon the issuance or transfer of a license. However, they were insistent that mailing a letter was critical to them as a means of fostering stronger relationships between STR owners and operators and their neighbors.

Absher offered that her office could provide cards with correct mailing addresses to new license holders to reduce their workload.

After discussing the proposal, the committee agreed, while also reducing the boundary for notification from 250 feet to 150 feet. STR licensees will be required to sign an affidavit affirming that they sent the postcards provided by the department of community

development.

Focus then shifted to proposed noise abatement regulations, one of the major livability concerns that spurred the license pause and committees' formation.

The initial draft of the proposed ordinance required that any noise produced in an STR not be audible beyond the property's lines at any point. It also called for quiet hours between 10 p.m. and 7 a.m. when no amplified music, loud talking or noise audible beyond the property line would be allowed.

Absher said that enforcement of any noise regulation would be exceedingly difficult, confirming that neither her department nor the sheriff's office had the staff to proactively address the issue. Instead, it would be incumbent on neighbors to report offenses.

Committee members noted that this would be difficult for average property owners but agreed that the limitations were necessary.

A discussion of how to gauge excessive noise was had, with some favoring a decibel limit and others language calling for "reasonability." The committee

settled on adding language

that would ban "unreasonable sustained" noise audible outside the property limits during the day. They also agreed to change the penalty for infractions to a citation from the sheriff's office, rather than a strike against the property's STR

After breaking for lunch, the group returned and dove into discussions on license growth management strategies and license transferability.

Both Absher and Commissioner Erin Skaar, who is liaising with the committee, reiterated that the commissioners did not desire to reduce the extant number of licenses but would be implementing some tool to limit the issuance of new licenses. Skaar said that the county citizenry's desire to do so was clear and had been the reason for the pause and the committee's formation.

Absher's recommendation was that new license issuance initially be limited to a 1% increase over the number of existing licenses prior to the pause in each affected community. She and her staff would then conduct public meetings in

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Rockaway Beach holds community meeting on path design

Rockaway Beach community members gathered to give feedback to a team working on preliminary design of a new walking and bike path that will serve the town on April 26.

The new path will connect Washington Street at the south end of the city with Neah-Kah-Nie Middle and High Schools on the north, mostly running adjacent to the train tracks used by the Oregon Coast Scenic Railroad.

Jon-Paul Bowles from Destination Management Associates led the meeting and started by saying that his team's goal during the initial design phase is to make sure that the community's sentiments are mirrored in the design memo they will deliver later this summer.

Bowles asked the assembled community members to share what they thought made Rockaway Beach a special community. They mentioned the great schools, civic engagement of the population, affordability, support for different sections of the community, the beach and more.

Bowles then delivered a presentation about the project and his team's goals. Destination Management Advisors (DMA) were awarded a \$60,000 contract by the city to lead public feedback and create a design memorandum to use in funding applications. The \$60,000 contract is being funded by a \$750,000 grant from the Oregon Department of Transportation's Community Paths program.

DMA employees have gathered public feed-back over the past several months and identified several priorities to guide their design process. Among those priorities are enhancing foot traffic to businesses in town, increasing safety, especially as it regards crossing Highway 101, and beautifying the town.

After laying out those priorities, Bowles shared a preliminary design concept that his team had put together.

In the design, the path runs next to the railway, except for a section Beach Street and North 23rd street where it ran on the east side of Highway 101 and between North and South 3rd Streets, where it would run along both sides of the highway. These choices account for the Creek Rail Trestle on the north side of town and would allow for foot traffic at all downtown businesses. The design also included six pedestrian crossings at different intersections.

Residents expressed support for this design while offering some concerns that it raised. Those concerns included losing parking for businesses and residences on Miller Street, the cost of maintenance and the possibility of flooding.

Bowles said that DMA will be hosting more events to gather feedback through June before working to develop their final design memorandum by the end of the summer.

Tillamook native excels in lifting competitions

Will Chappell Editor

Tillamook County native Donna Clark has been excelling in her first season competing as an amateur power lifter, qualifying for national and world championships already.

Clark, 52, has been lifting since her days as a three-sport competitor at Neah-Kah-Nie High School in the 1980s, but only began competing after friends and trainers at her Crossfit gym encouraged

"I guess my coaches were right, I am kind of strong" Clark said, laugh-

Clark said she has been active her entire life, playing volleyball and basketball and running track at Neah-Kah-Nie, before running and pursuing other

activities as an adult. Over the years, Clark suffered multiple knee injuries, requiring partial replacements of both knees and two full replacements of her left. This led her to change up her routine, beginning Crossfit in 2017 before transitioning to powerlifting.

"I kind of started the powerlifting to get the muscles around my knees and my replacements stronger," Clark said.

She quickly began performing impressively in the gym, leading her coach, Megan Boley, to encourage her to compete. While competition had not been her initial goal, Clark was drawn to the idea. "I started looking at some of the records online and thought, 'I could beat those," Clark said.

Clark started competing

last year in the masters' division, for women aged between 50 and 54, and trains without using performance enhancing drugs, allowing her to compete in either tested or untested events. In her first two meets,

Clark set 17 total records, including the Oregon and national records for the back squat at 278 pounds, the bench press at 172 and the deadlift at 408 pounds, a mark which she improved to 413 pounds at a meet this April. Those marks would qualify for world records but have not taken place at events with judges qualified to certify them as such.

After her first meet, Clark qualified for the national powerlifting competition, being held in July in October and for the world competition, taking place

in Coventry, England, in October, both of which she plans to attend.

Clark said that when fans tell her they are inspired by her story of resiliency following her knee ailments she is driven to keep improving and competing.

"That's my goal, to keep competing as long as I physically can and inspire people," Clark said.

Clark also has her sights set on improving her personal records in all three of her events and wants to be selected for the US Powerlifting Association's Team USA. She said that seeing older competitors at meets motivates her and that her mom is a special source of encouragement.

"My mom is in her 80s and she inspires me with her drive and her spirit and positivity," Clark said.



Donna Clark posing with medals won in her first two powerlifting competitions. Photo courtesy of Donna Clark

April Convictions in Tillamook County

On November 28, 2022, Dylan Levi Foss, 28, pled no contest to one count of failure to perform the duties of a driver relating to property damage, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about September 13, 2022. Foss was sentenced to 12 months' probation and hs driver's license was suspended for 90 days.

On December 28, Justin Alexander Leday, 38, pled no contest to one count of criminal mischief in the second degree, one count of criminal trespass in the first degree and one count of criminal trespass in the first degree, all class A misdemeanors, committed on or about November 25, 2022. On April 4, 2023, Leday was sentenced to time served in jail.

On January 30, Julio Salazar, 43, was convicted on one count of criminal trespass in the second degree, a class C misdemeanor, committed on or about September 19, 2022, after pleading no contest to the charge. On April 3, Salazar was sentenced to six months?

On February 3, Roman Lozano Camacho admitted to one count of contempt of court, for which he was sentenced to time served in jail.

On February 16, Cristian Jonathan Vieyra Lobato, 25, pled guilty on one count of failure to perform the duties of a driver relating to property damage, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about November 2, 2022. Lobato was sentenced to 90

days in jail during which time his license will also be suspended and all items seized from him were rendered forfeit to the sheriff's

On March 10, Paul Edward Forsythe, 39, was convicted of attempt to commit assault in the fourth degree, a class A misdemeanor, Forsythe was sentenced to 18 months' probation and ordered to pay a \$100 fine.

On March 14, Reachiel Dawn Hubert, 30, pled no contest to one count of theft in the second degree, a class A misdemeanor, and two counts of criminal mischief in the third degree, a class C misdemeanor, with all three offenses having been committed on or about May 2, 2022. Hubert was sentenced to time served in jail and ordered to pay \$1,870 in restitution to the Wheeler on the Bay Lodge.

On March 24, Bradley Michael Jacobson, 32, pled guilty to one count of being a felon in possession of a handgun and one count of escape in the third degree, both class A misdemeanors, committed on or about February 12, 2022. Jacobson was sentenced to 20 days in jail on each count to run consecutively.

On March 29, Abbigale Michelle Hedley, 37, pled guilty on one count of failure to appear on a criminal citation, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about May 9, 2022. Hedley was sentenced to five days in jail.

On March 29, Leroy Richard Padilla admitted to one count of being in contempt of court and was sentenced to 45 days in jail.

On April 3, Salazar was sentenced to six months' probation.

On April 3, Cheyrl L Davis, 53, pled no contest to one count of theft in the third degree, a class A violation, committed on or about November 17, 2022. Davis was ordered to pay a \$500 compensatory fine to Coast Printing.

On April 3, Jos-Lee Farley, 51, pled no contest to one count of endangering the welfare of a minor, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about June 20, 2022. Farley was given 18 months' probation.

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Almaguer was found in violation of his probation for a count of menacing constituting domestic violence. Almaguer was sentenced to 10 days in jail and his probation was extended to July 14,

On April 3, David Roy

On April 3, Michael David Buchler, 46, pled guilty to one count of driving under the influence of intoxicants, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about January 27, 2023. Buchler was sentenced to ten days in jail and four years on probation, his driver's license was revoked for life and he was ordered to pay \$2,255 in fees and fines.

On April 3, Christine Mary Bernhardt, 59, pled no contest to one count of criminal mischief in the second degree, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about January 25, 2023. Bernhardt was sentenced to one year on bench probation and ordered to pay \$527 in compensatory restitution to Colleen K. Blazer.

On April 3, Harriet Reynolds Gibson, 75, was convicted of failure to perform the driver related to property damage a class A violation committed on about November 20, 2022. Gibson was ordered to pay a \$440 fine.

On April 5, Robert William Franklin, 39, pled no contest on one count of unlawful possession of methamphetamine and one count of failure to appear in the second degree, both class A misdemeanors with the former occurring on December 3, 2021, and the latter on December 19, 2022. Franklin was sentenced to 90 days in jail on each count to be served consecutively.

On April 6, Jarrett Michael Owens, 32, pled no contest to one count of burglary in the second degree, a class C felony, committed on or about November 10, 2020. Owens was sentenced to 18 months in prison, one year of post-prison supervision and ordered to pay \$3,439.11 in restitution to the Tillamook Veterinary Hospital.

On April 7, Timothy Nathanial Teegarden, 46, pled no contest to one count of driving under the influence of intoxicants a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about October 19, 2022. Teegarden was sentenced to

driver's license was suspended for three years. On April 7, Kandyce A

Cervantes, 32, was convicted on one count of crimninal trespass in the second degree, a class C misdemeanor, committed on or about February 13, 2023. Cervantes was sentenced to two days

On April 7, Sarah Christine Sandusky, 41, was convicted on count of harassment, a class B misdemeanor committed on or about March 18, 2023. Sandusky was sentenced to 30 days in jail.

On April 10, David Joseph Wingate, 18, was convicted on one count of attempting to flee or elude a police officer, a class C felony, committed on about June 28, 2022. Wingate was sentenced to 18 months' probation and his driver's license was suspended for 90 days.

On April 10, Andrew Strome, 27, pled guilty to one count of violating a court's stalking protective order and one count of improper use of an emergency reporting system, both class A misdemeanors, committed on or about January 24, 2023. Strome was sentenced to one year on probation and ordered to pay \$200 in fines.

On April 14, Andre Tito Pascua, 40, pled no contest on one count of public indecency, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about July 17, 2022. Pascua was sentenced to 30 days in jail.

On April 17, Nathan Richard Jeremiah Fouch, 32, was convicted of one count of attempt to commit aggravated harassment, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about August 20, 2022. Fouch was sentenced to time served.

On April 17, Kevin Michel Hunt, 63, pled no contest to one count of criminal driving while suspended or revoked, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about February 18, 2023. Hunt was sentenced to two days in jail.

On April 17, Kristin Nicole Green, 40, pled no contes to one count of assault in the fourth degree, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about December 13, 2022.

36 months' probation and his Green was sentenced to one year on probation.

On April 17, Jeffrey George Walters, 66, pled no contest to one count of taking, angling, hunting or trapping in violation of wildlife law or rule, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about January 13, 2023. Walters's hunting lice was sentenced to 36 months probation during which time his hunting license will also be suspended.

On April 18, Alexander Rawe, 30, pled guilty to one count of being a felon in possession of a restricted weapon, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about April 12, 2023. Rawe was sentenced to 18 days in

On April 18, Clinton Eric Branum, 46, pled no contest to one count of identity theft, a class C felony, committed on or about July 4, 2022, one count of theft in the first degree, a class C felony, committed on or about January 31, 2022, and one count of being a felon in possession of a firearm a class C felony, committed on or about April 19, 2022. Branum was sentenced to 13 months in prison on the identity theft charge, 13. Months in prison on the theft charge and 18 months in prison on the firearm possession charge, all to be served concurrently, 48 months of combined post-release supervision and ordered to pay \$578 in restitution to William Cibart.

On April 18, Lacey Rose Vancleave, 32, pled guilty on one count of unauthorized use of a vehicle, a class C felony, committed on or about January 30, 2022. Vancleave was sentenced to 20 days in jail, 18 months on probation and was ordered to pay \$9,248.67 in restitution to various parties.

On April 24, Stanley Lee Bowyer, 76, pled no contest to count of public indecency, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about February 15, 2023. Bowyer was sentenced to two years on probation.

On April 25, Angel Martinez Cardenas, 35, pled guilty to one count of failure to perform the duties of a drive, relating to property damage. Cardenas was sentenced to 60 days in jail and his driver's license was suspended for 90 days.

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each of those communities to set a cap that matched with residents' wishes.

The 1% interim increase would allow around 60 new STRs to be licensed across the county, with the most in Pacific City, which would be eligible to add 20 properties, while all other communities would be eligible for ten or

The committee quickly agreed to the suggested plan, with the only reservations coming from members who favored delaying the community feedback process to allow more data to come in.

Finally, the committee addressed a cap on the transferability of short-term rental

Absher suggested that to ensure license availability in the future, a ban on transfers or a limit of one or two transfers would be necessary, otherwise any cap would ensure that existing STRs held all available licenses in perpetuity.

Committee members who do not own or operate STRs quickly agreed that a transfer limit should be instituted, but STR owners and operators

vociferously disagreed.

They argued that doing so would be unfair to current license holders, who had purchased their properties with the understanding that their licenses would be transferable. That transferability, especially in a situation where new licenses are capped, would add value to properties already holding a license.

The other members said

that allowing one transfer of the license was sufficient consideration for that change, but the STR operators disagreed.

After discussion of the transferability issue had proceeded for about an hour, Absher called for a vote from the committee. Six members voted in favor of a two-transfer limit, four voted against and one indicated that she was undecided.

With the disagreement, committee members agreed to readdress the issue at their next meeting, when Absher will have more data on the prevalence of transfers. Those opposing the transfer limit said that they were unlikely to change their opinions, in which case they would be noted in the minor ity report presented to the commissioners with the committee's recommendations.

Garibaldi Chevron Investigated After Fuel Quality Complaint

Kathleen Stinson and Ryan Hoover Country Media, Inc.

A woman says she pulled into the Garibaldi Chevron & Deli Mart on Monday April 10 and asked for supreme unleaded gasoline. It was supposed to be a routine fill-up. But instead, she got gasoline containing "a significant quantity of undissolved water," according to the state department of weights and measures.

Karen Spiering, resident of Rockaway Beach, says she purchased about half a tank of what she thought was supreme unleaded gasoline from the Chevron station at 513 Garibaldi Avenue.

But after her tank was filled, she could barely pull out of the lot. Spiering said she first checked to see if the gas cap had not been replaced properly, but that was not the problem.

Spiering said she "got no more than onto freeway 101 when all the lights came on" in her car, a 2004 Toyota 4Runner SR5. The most concerning to her were the check engine and traction control lights. She said she "managed" to drive four miles to her house, where the car died in her driveway.

Spiering said her car was in "pristine" condition and had less than 90,000 miles on it, so she found the sudden breakdown very odd. She first ordered a new gas cap, which did not fix the problem. Then she ordered a new fuel filter and fuel pump. She reported the problem to the gas station and

filed a report with Chevron Corporate in San Ramon,

California. 'My concern is because this is such an impoverished area, that someone would have spent their last \$5 on a tank of gas to fill their generator," Spiering said. "When the power goes off next, it is going to ruin their generator." She is also concerned that someone might get stranded in their boat on the bay or by the side of the

Spiering also contacted the Oregon Department of Agriculture (DOA) Weights, Measures, and Motor Fuels Division and spoke to Program Manager Steve Harrington.

"Weights and measures conducted an on-site inspection on April 17 and found that store management had already taken both the premium and mid-grade gasolines off-sale citing fuel quality complaints," Harrington said.

The Oregon DOA tested the premium gasoline fuel dispenser, finding 1.5 inches of water at the bottom of the

"During the onsite investigation, Weights and Measures found 1.5 inches of water at the bottom of the premium gasoline storage tank onsite," Harrington noted. "A tolerance of no more than 1.4 inches is allowed for all gasoline containing 10% ethanol."

Harrington said that the fuel was also visually inspected, failing the basic workmanship standard, which requires fuel to be

bright and clear of visible undissolved water or sedi-

"A sample of the premium gasoline was pulled from the nozzle of one of the premium dispensers for visual inspection," Harrington said. "That sample was both turbid and contained a significant quantity of undissolved

Harrington added that the Oregon DOA also tested a fuel sample taken from Spiering's car, which was at Lum's Toyota in Warrenton. Harrington said the testing found the sample also contained "excessive undissolved water."

Harrington stated that the Garibaldi Chevron store management was cooperative through the investigation and that the Oregon DOA will continue to work with them to ensure "the premium gasoline meets Oregon's standards for quality before going back on sale."

Spiering noted that she has not had the same level of cooperation from the Chevron store. Garibaldi Chevron did pay close to \$1100 for some the service done at Lum's Toyota, as well as \$53 for the watered-down gasoline she originally purchased.

But, Spiering said the station told her they have no intention of covering the host of other expenses she's accrued from the incident, including bills for a new fuel filter, fuel pump, and gas

cap.
"The manager at the Garibaldi Chevron and Deli Mart has no intention of reimbursing me for anything



The ODA's sample from the Chevron station in Garibaldi returned a significant quality of undissolved water. Photo Courtesy of Oregon Department of Agriculture, Steve Harrington

else, and she believes all the necessary parts to repair my car were included in the \$1003.40," Spiering said. "My comment? Maybe in

Garibaldi Chevron declined a request for comment from the Herald.

Spiering said she also heard back from Chevron's corporate office regarding the report she filed, receiving a questionnaire where she explained the incident

in detail. After the questionnaire was returned, a representative from Wilcox and Fagel, the company that supplies fuel to the Chevron in Garibaldi, reached out and asked her to settle the claim with the Chevron station directly

As of today, Spiering has not heard back from either Chevron Corporate or the representative at Wilcox and Fagel about how she can recoup her expenses and settle

her claim. Given that the Garibaldi Chevron station is not willing to cooperate with any further reimbursements, Spiering in unsure of how to proceed.

The Tillamook Headlight Herald contacted Chevron's corporate office and was told that Spiering had filed a report and they would respond to a request for comment. However, no comment had been received by publica-



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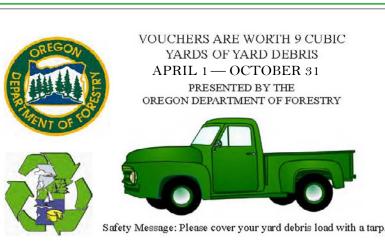
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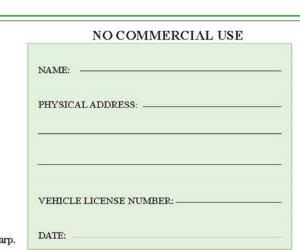
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- **14** Mother's Day
- **16** Election Day (polls close 8pm)
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- 22 International Day for **Biological Diversity**
- 29 Memorial Day Manzanita and Pacific City transfer stations closed
- **30** Water a Flower Day







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Neah-Kah-Nie School Board Candidates respond to questions

The Headlight Herald recently asked candidates in contested races in the May 16 election for the Neah-Kah-NIe School District's Board of Directors three questions:

Please give a brief summary of the experiences that qualify you to serve on the Neah-Kah-Nie School Board and why you are running.

What would be your number one priority if elected or reelected to the school board?

What is one new policy that you would work to implement in the district if

Their responses are grouped by the position for which they are running on the board and presented in the same order as their names appear on the ballot.

Zone 2:

Landon Myers: My name is Landon Myers and I'm seeking re-election to the Neah-Kah-Nie School Board for Zone 2. I have served on the school board since 2017. I have two children that are currently enrolled in the NKN School District. I want to continue to be a voice for the parents and community of the district to ensure that our children are receiving the best education possible. I want to make sure that the students that graduate from NKN School District have the knowledge they need to help them be successful in the next step in their life whether it be college, a trade school or just enter-

ing the workforce. My number one priority if re-elected is continuing to make sure that the NKN School District provides the students with the best education possible while maintaining fiscal responsibility. A major part of this is making sure that we not only recruit good educators but also retain the great staff that the district

One policy that I would

by May 31, 2023.

like to see implemented is a "parental knowledge policy" This policy would require that the parents not only be informed of sensitive information that their child may be exposed to but that they also be given a copy of the information. For example, throughout the year students participate in "health/wellness' surveys. The parents are notified that they will be participating in these surveys but they are not shown the content of these surveys. I believe parents have the right to know what their child is participating in and what the content of the material is. How can a parent make a decision to allow or not allow their child to participate without knowing the exact content of the

Marisa Bayouth-Real: I spent 17 years teaching middle school and high school Language Arts at NKN until the pandemic hit and I became a fulltime parent. It seems like it is time for me to serve public education again. It is what I have done since I volunteered as a peer reader for kindergartners when I was in 6th grade. Public education is who I

Accessibility means "the quality of being easy to obtain or use." I want all students, from all backgrounds, skills, genders, races, religions, orientations, languages and abilities to be able to access their right to a quality public education. Our district can access training that will help staff accomplish this vision through The Oregon Department of Education. Accessibility also applies to the community. Small things like making all community meetings accessible through Zoom will allow families who are deaf/hard of hearing the ability to use apps that create closed captions. It would let a single parent who cannot find/afford childcare the

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I would not work to implement policy right away because I would need to learn too much about what is currently happening. Once I had that foundation, I would begin to consider implementing policy. I know that the community has voiced a desire to have a policy that addresses the nearly 100-year-old Nehalem Elementary School Swim Program. This topic has historically been of great importance to families so I would begin there in an effort to better understand and support the commu-

Zone 6:

Katie Wilkinson: I have lived in the Neah Kah Nie school district for the last 9 years; I have 4 children that are all currently attending schools in this district. I am involved with many extracurricular activities within the school district including sports and clubs. I have been volunteering with these kids for the last 7 or so years and have seen the challenges they have been facing as well as celebrated the accomplishments they have made. I am in contact with teachers and staff members and hear the concerns they have and feel that I am someone who can be a voice for students. parents, and staff. I have a work background with bookkeeping and a strong financial understanding.

My number one priority will always be student success, students and parents in this district deserve someone who will have boots on the ground and a face in the trench with them. Our school board members should be a face that all students, parents and staff in the district know, I feel I can be that

I do not have a policy in mind that I would like to implement right out of

the gate. I do want to be an asset in making the hard decisions that come with any situation involving so many people. I like to think outside of the box and come up with solutions that will benefit everyone involved. I would like to see the school board working towards supporting our athletics and club departments so we can maximize the opportunities that are available to our students. Every person involved in our school district deserves to be proud of the school they are associated with. Michele Aeder:

I have served on the Neah-Kah-Nie School Board for 7 years and am running as an incumbent. I am past board chair of the Tillamook Women's Crisis Center (now Tides of Change) I have served 15 years on the City of Garibaldi Budget Committee. I was a driver and Manager of the school bus service contracted by the NKN school district for 31

years. Continued cooperation and appreciation of the respectful manner with which the district administrators and staff work with the school board on tough issues. We do not always agree and we have found ways to disagree respectfully and come together in the end to do what is best for kids.

I am a part of the equity committee for the board (the Inclusion Alliance). We are currently working on forms of restorative justice for administrators to use when we experience bias incidents rather than just applying a punitive 'solution". Bias is inevitable. We all have biases. Working to educate and better inform students will best prepare them for success in their future.

Zone 7:

Joseph Carr: I'm Joe Carr and I live in Bay City. I have a Master's in Education and served as a teacher/ administrator for ten years.

As a public servant, I have

worked with youth and families for twenty years as an educator, social worker, and as a guardian for incapacitated adults. I have two young students in the district and want to use my experience to help ensure the district provides a rigorous and exciting learning experience for all I would push to secure

more funding for the district. I would review the budget and move to create a full-time Grant Specialist dedicated to finding and implementing innovative funding solutions. As a former GEAR UP (Gaining Early Awareness and Understanding of Undergraduate Programs) coordinator, I would also work with the new GEAR UP grant team to leverage those resources to update classroom technology and other teaching tools, as well as lay the groundwork for sustainable career education and exploration. I would review and

expand career education in the district. I would establish a Career Council at the district that would invite school staff, parents, local trades schools and colleges, and area business leaders. The council would be an advisory board to create opportunities for career fairs, site visits to local businesses, visits to post-secondary campuses and trade schools, job shadowing, and internship programs. This exposure should be integrated into the learning experience and start at the elementary

Christopher Kruebbe: This race is about our young people. I am running because our young people are in crisis and have been for quite a long time. Young people continue to witness and experience school shootings, teenage pregnancy, child sex-trafficking, fentanyl deaths, substance misuse, addiction, obesity, suicide, oppression, hunger, discrimination, child abuse/ neglect, homelessness, bullying, food insecurity, cruelty, isolation, loneliness and other social issues. Big T and little t trauma are plaguing their lives. If their basic needs and safety are not being addressed, we are failing

Listening to our young people (will be my number one priority if elected). Giving them a voice and

addressing their needs. Inviting and allowing our young people to be a part of the process (is one

new policy). Sheri Luquette: I am running for the

Neah-Kah-Nie School Board because I believe our students, staff, administrators and community deserve leaders on the board who are dedicated to making good decisions that serve the best needs of the district. We have a brand new Superintendent starting this year and I want to be sure that the board is ready to help him to engage with the community and learn our priorities. I have spent the past twelve years working in the field of education. I have been an administrator in K-8 and in higher education. I have experience passing bonds, writing grants, engaging a community, listening to input from faculty, staff and students, being accountable for achieving student success outcomes and managing public funds. I also have years of experience working with local legislators to ensure our county retains local control of our schools. I have a Master's degree in Communication and Leadership from Gonzaga University.

If elected, I have two key things I want to focus on in the first year. Continued fiscal stability and onboarding our new Superintendent who starts July 1. NKN School District is uniquely funded. Only three school districts in all of Oregon are funded the way we are with only revenue from local property taxes and state timber tax revenues with no State Basic School Support funding from Oregon. With the prospect of declining timber tax revenues due to the Oregon Habitat Conservation Plan anticipated to go into effect, it will be critical for the district to be educated about revenue options and prepare for how to fill potential future funding gaps without lessening opportunities in the

classroom. I am concerned with the mental health of our students. Youth are suffering and it is a nationwide issue that can't be ignored. The board should be prepared to consider what policies or practices may need to be implemented to ensure students continue to have safe and supported learn-



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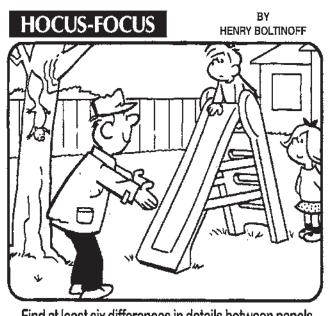
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mittee of the City of Nehalem, Tillamook County, State of

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Clue: A equals P

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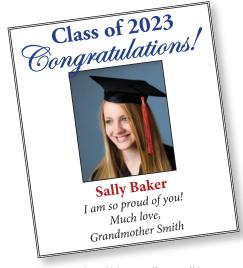
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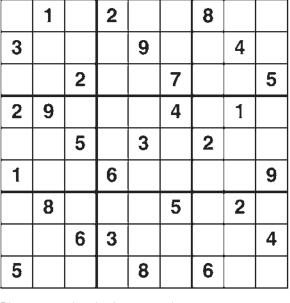
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Fifth graders continue tradition of clamming in Netarts Bay

Tillamook School District

Chelsea Yarnell Guest Contributor



The fifth grade classes from East Elementary School spent two days learning to clam and collect data at Netarts Bay. Photos courtesy of **Tillamook School District**

Over 150 fifth graders converged on Netarts Bay to learn about sustainable clamming.

"This is one of the older field trips in our program,"

tor Amy Schmid said. "It's been well over 10 years.' Over the course of two

Natural Resources Coordina-

days (April 20 and 21), groups of students from East Elementary School learned how to harvest clams and collect data about their finds. Tillamook High School students, Wilson River School students and Friends of Netarts Bay volunteers helped oversee the program.

"The high schoolers are big piece of this since the program has been around so long that they remember doing this field trip," Schmid said.

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ity of clamming in Netarts Bay," Schmid said. "We have a whole database that's been collected by our fifth In years past, collected

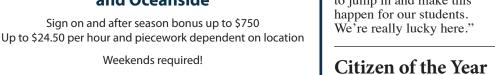
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data has been sent to the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife, and students themselves write up hypothesis and interpretations based on their findings. "We're getting them out

and utilizing the resources we have around us," Schmid said. "It's place-based learning and it sticks with them. Even though we live here on the coast, some kids have never done (clamming) before. We're giving them experiences that they may never get to have. It's an experience they'll never

Prior to Covid, the field trip featured a clambake. This year, in a partnership with the Schooner Restaurant, the culinary class at Wilson River School and Food Roots, fifth grade students will soon have the opportunity to sample clam chowder; for some, their very first taste of a clam.

"Our community partners are amazing, we could not do this program without them," Schmid said. "They're always so willing to jump in and make this happen for our students. We're really lucky here."



Nominations are now being accepted for the 2023 Manzanita Citizen of the

Nominations Open

Each year the City seeks

to honor those persons who have made a major contribution to the Manzanita community as a community leader, business leader, volunteer, educator, and/or creative artist. A committee made up of former Citizens of the Year will meet in May to consider nominations and select the individual or couple to be honored this year.

To qualify for this honor, one must be a resident of Manzanita, live within the Manzanita Urban Growth Boundary, or operate a business in Manzanita. Currently serving elected officials and City employees are not eligible. The Citizen of the Year may be an individual or couple who performs any volunteer community service that benefits our citizens. Nominations must be in

writing and be submitted by May 15 to:

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