

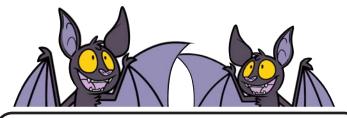
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Hello,

We would like to notify everyone of an administration change that has occurred recently here at Sheridan Fire District. Please be aware that Fred Hertel, Mariah Prescott, and Christine Talley are no longer employed by or affiliated with the Sheridan Fire District.

We are pleased to announce that the following people will be the contacts for all business matters and replaced the previous administration as of Oct. 1, 2021.

Their names and contact information:

Fire Chief Les Thomas - 30 years of fire service experience, 14 years leadership experience.

Email: Lthomas@sheridanfd.org

Deputy Fire Chief Larry Wooldridge - 25 years of fire service experience, 15 years of leadership experience. Email: Lwooldridge@sheridanfd.org

Susan Shepard, office administration - 25 years of office leadership experience.

Email: Sshepard@sheridanfd.org

We have many exciting events currently in motion here at Sheridan Fire District. Your fire board directors are President Harry Cooley, Vice President Tammy Heidt, Secretary Ray Bottenberg, Director Carol Harlan, and Director Pete Gutbrod. All Sheridan Fire Board members would like to assure the community that our district is available to meet the needs of our ambulance's ASA and the fire district.

Our current staffing consists of two full-time career emergency medically trained firefighters per day, which allows us to staff an advanced life support ambulance 24 hours per day, seven days a week. In addition, our career force is supplemented by our professional volunteer firefighters. Our volunteer firefighters are your neighbors who give our community every second of their free time to keep all of us protected. If you have spare time, please get in touch with us. We would love to have your help.

Our goal and intent are to continue to improve services to our communities - Ballston, Buell, Sheridan, and the surrounding areas we serve. Our goal is to serve our communities before ourselves. We will continue to be great neighbors to our surrounding fire districts and ambulance service areas by providing assistance as it is available. Without a great neighbor relationship, everyone is at risk. We also would like to thank our neighbors for their assistance in the past and present and look forward to our continued positive steps forward to protect our citizens in the future.

We currently have someone at our Sheridan fire station to answer the phones and greet you at the door with a smile. These individuals are volunteers who are not firefighters; they are people who have asked to help, and we are very proud to welcome them and utilize them for many assorted tasks to support our fire district. If you are interested in assisting us by answering the phone and various other tasks, please get in touch with us!

Additional news: soon, you will see construction occurring at Sheridan Fire Station, located at 230 SW Mill Street in Sheridan. The construction will be occurring due to a seismic grant we were awarded for \$2.1 million this year. The grant will NOT cost our citizens any additional monies. The seismic grant is as it sounds; a construction crew will be doing retroactive bracing within the interior and the exterior of our current building. This bracing will, in theory, support the building's strength in the event of seismic occurrence. This will allow the fire station to remain available for response in the unlikely event of a devastating earthquake. Earlier this year, a request for a competitive bids was advertised to potentially award the contract to a qualified construction company to meet the intent of the grant's measures. After review, a company was chosen from several qualified applicants. The construction company selected has met with our committee, and we have started a timeline for construction. We have begun the process of temporarily moving to give them space to work. We hope to have the entire process completed within 150-180 days. We will update the progress on our web page, www.Sheridanfd.org, as we have time.

We want our communities and citizens to know that WE WILL remain in service. Our ambulance and staff will be temporarily relocated within Sheridan. Our fire equipment and volunteers will be located locally within a warehouse leased from the Sheridan School District to protect our apparatus. We have also placed a temporary portable office in our parking lot here at 230 SW Mill Street with our administration team, allowing us to continue meeting our communities' needs and answering your questions. We have experienced phone issues during our renovation, so we ask your patience while everything is converted. Our phone number will remain the same, 503-843-2467. We look forward to serving our community and reaffirming our dedication to serving others with a smile!

> Respectfully, Fire Chief Les Thomas Sheridan Fire Protection District 230 SW Mill Street, Sheridan, Oregon 97378



Sheridan Tree of Giving To Accept Applications

Sheridan Tree of Giving will accept applications from 6-8 p.m. on Wednesday and Friday, Nov. 3 and 5; and 10 a.m.-1 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 6, at 143 SW Monroe Street in Sheridan. Applications can be picked up at the Sheridan Library or online at https://forms. gle./VNeRvfermVV8RvxA7.



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A MESSAGE FROM THE WILLAMINA SCHOOL DISTRICT **Bulldog Highlights!**

Congratulations to the Bulldog Volleyball players and coaches for your well-deserved title of 3A Coastal League Champions! The team hosts a state-seeding match on Tuesday, October 26, at 6:00 p.m. They will be playing Warrenton. We hope to see you in the stands cheering on our athletes.

Our Cross Country team will be participating in the District meet this Thursday, October 28, in Lebanon. The boys team has a good chance of qualifying for the state meet, currently senior Michael Fox is ranked #4 for District 2.

This week all students K-12 are celebrating "Red Ribbon Week." Red Ribbon Week was created by the National Family Partnership after the death of DEA Agent Kiki Camarena in 1985. It is an opportunity to show your support for a drug free America and to talk to your children about making healthy choices. Each day students are encouraged to make a commitment to living drug-free and learn drug prevention skills.

Our first quarter of school is about to wrap up, grading day is Nov 1, 2021. Family/teacher conferences will be held virtually Friday, Nov. 12, 2021. Please watch for announcements regarding conference scheduling. We look forward to discussing your child's school progress with you.

The Willamina School District is still in need of classified substitutes; instructional assistants, custodians, and food service workers. If you are interested in becoming a substitute please stop by the district office and we can provide you with information to register for substituting through ÉduStaff.

> With great Bulldog pride, **Carrie Zimbrick, Superintendent**

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WVFD Board Addresses Commissioners

Staci Coker

In response to a letter from Yamhill and Polk County commissioners, the West Valley Fire District board held a special meeting on Oct. 20 to address their concerns. Chief Fred Hertel sees WVFD shortfalls as staffing, financing, and alternate funding opportunities.

Hiring staff, according to the chief, has been the priority. Direct hires, civil service lists, union, part-time, and flexible schedules have been used or offered.

SW Polk and WVFD personnel are staffing the three shifts in Willamina. Using SW Polk employees as a stop-gap measure is only a temporary solution, the chief noted. The district will continue to recruit new line staff.

The chief said the district is doing well considering the staffing shortage that began approximately 20 to 25 days earlier. Four positions have been filled since then

The district is also compiling civil service lists, but it could be mid-December before full-time staff is in place.

Chief Hertel pointed out several positive aspects at WVFD, such as fire and EMS stock of materials and supplies, three ambulances, working and living facilities, maintenance programs, and administrative needs that are all in place.

He said the short term goal of hiring staff is up to him, but, "The long-term solution as to how we create a culture of people that want to come to work for West Valley, that's a decision that this board needs to make."

Board member Rick Mishler brought up written staff schedules to show the commissioners coverage levels, and noted the need to have one ambulance. training, and staff meetings at Willamina as often as possible.

The board considered changing the mutual aid second ambulance call-out from the Confederate Tribes of Grand Ronde Fire District (CTGRFD) to Sheridan in order to cover the Willamina area more efficiently.

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The board discussed posting the ambulance in the WVFD's ASA (Ambulance Service Area) at Fort Hill. The concern with this idea was response time to calls within the city of Willamina.

Board member Connie Brown asked, "Is it a problem for the Tribe to cover the ASA for the Commissioners?"

Chief Hertel explained the district should use their assets, and CTGRFD can cover sections of the ASA more efficiently and are willing to assist. He expressed CTGRFD has been a valued partner, and WVFD should work with them as long as they are willing. The board made a motion for the chief to discuss with CTGRFD options that will best serve the community for the next six months to a year. The board also instructed the chief to begin these discussions with Sheridan.

A second motion passed to remove the override put in place by the board to call the second out unit from Grand Ronde. By doing so, Yamhill County dispatch would call the closest unit to the incident regardless of the district. The concern with this change could be that the commissioners would see this as WVFD's inability to provide adequate service in their ASA.

The chief explained that it is standard practice to have dispatch call the closest unit, the board's previous override was against standard practice.

The board asked Chief Hertel for a bi-weekly call statistics report to include calls in, calls taken by WVFD, calls handled by neighboring agencies, and all time periods the WVFD station was out of service.

Audience participation time, which had been moved to the end of the meeting, began with Patty Brooks. She asked the board to re-establish a civil service commission who would be responsible for maintaining a current hiring list.

Julie Schuman, "What I wrote was this afternoon, before attending this meeting, the first civil meeting that I have seen



Letter at Special Meeting Held Oct. 20

and heard." She said she'd like to see this continue. Julie mentioned her years of living in the community and the positive and the negative impact the board has recently had.

She added, "I speak for myself and many others when I say that we want the West Valley Fire District to disengage from Chief Hertel and the SW Polk Fire District. Even though we have asked for the advantages, no answer has been forthcoming. Board meetings are not the place for yelling, name-calling, and antagonistic behavior. If every meeting had been conducted like this one tonight, I would not have to be writing this letter."

Julie's speaking time was up before she was able to finish her written statement. She finished by announcing that a petition to recall board member Mike Alger has been initiated.

Board President Chris Greenhill asked Julie if she wanted to have the letter and recall notice placed in the record, to which she said she would.

Julie added, "I am sorry he (referring to Mike) isn't here. It doesn't feel right to do this behind his back.'

A member of the audience said, "I want to commend the board. the chief, and the staff on a well-

It's Spirit Week at **Faulconer Chapman**

Students at Faulconer Chapman school are in the middle of celebrating spirit week.

Monday was pajama day, where the kids were allowed to just roll out of bed and wear their comfy pajamas all day at school!

On Tuesday the kids were encouraged to wear Faulconer Chapman School or Sheridan High Schools gear to school. Wacky Wednesday gives kids permission to wear their wackiest outfits to school and this Thursday is sports day, where students will wear their favorite teams color or gear.

Friday is spooky day. Kids can wear their school-appropriate costumes -- or something spooky to school.



run meeting, and I hope this is a new beginning."

Trisha Young mentioned volunteering and said she hasn't heard any mention of it during these talks.

She also commended the board for the meeting, saying, "It gives me a glimmer of hope that maybe we can all be adults and get along and do what's right for community members."

She continued, "There are handfuls of volunteers that would come back and provide services for this community given a chance. We have to have a district, board, and a chief willing to allow volunteers to volunteer."

The board's next meeting is scheduled for 6 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 28, at the WVFD.

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HALLOWEEN POOCH PARADE



Halloween Dogs in Costume Pooch Parade 10 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 30 Meet at Sheridan City Park For information call 559 832-0975.

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"We hope this donation helps encourage others to help Stuck Electric meet their goals and to get some Christmas cheer going in town this holiday season," said Ernest.

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Nov. 4	6:15pm	Sheridan Revitalization	Mon
Nov. 4	6:30pm	Blue Zones Project Kick Off	Coyote
Nov. 4	6:30pm	Christmas Committee Meeting	
Friday			
Nov. 5	5-7pm	Sheridan Little Guy Football Dinner	Mon
Nov. 5	5:30pm	American Legion Bingo	125 N Bri
Nov. 5	6-8m	Sheridan Tree of Giving Applications	Odd Fello
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Nov. 6	10am-1pm	Sheridan Tree of Giving Applications	Odd Fello
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Sheridan Rotary Meeting
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Willamina Food Pantry, Civic Club,
340 B Street, Willamina 4-6pm
Celebrate Recovery, Sheridan
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339 NW Sherman, Sheridan
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Odd Fellows Bldg, Sheridan
Sheridan Nazarene Kids Story Time via Zoom
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Caramelized Baby carrots

Seth Alcorn



Ready in 20 minutes Serves 2-3

Ingredients

1lb baby carrots 2 tbsp. butter ½ cup turbinado or brown sugar 1 tbsp apple cider vinegar A pinch of cinnamon A pinch of nutmeg A pinch of ground ginger A pinch of fresh parsley or thyme Salt to taste

Preparation

Cut stems from carrots and reserve for presentation. Trim any root tips and peel the carrots.

Generally it's good to avoid garnish that isn't edible but if we can incorporate an element that comes from the food being presented it can add a lot of visual appeal. After peeling the carrots you can submerge them in water and refrigerate them up to 48 hours ahead of time.

If you aren't storing the carrots ahead of time, give them a quick rinse and set them on a towel to dry. We will want a pan with a wide cooking area and a lid or parchment paper cut to fit the pan.

Bring the pan to a medium heat and the butter, when we add the carrots there should be enough room in the pan for the carrots to not overlap. Turn carrots occasionally for several minutes (the carrots will not want to cooperate with us on this step, this is okay) we only need an even amount of caramelization throughout not every edge of every carrot.

Without reducing heat, add the sugar and a splash of the apple cider vinegar, the vinegar is going to balance the natural sweetness of the carrots and the additional sugar, apple cider vinegar is a great choice and compliments the molasses notes present in turbinado or brown sugar.

Add water and bring to a simmer. The water level in the pan will vary depending on the pan, we are looking for the carrot to be about ½ to ¾ submerged in water as we start to braise them. Add the spices and a pinch of salt at this time. As soon as our water is simmering we can add our offset lid or parchment paper and reduce heat to low.

Check occasionally as the water

reduces and watch for the sugar to begin bubbling as it forms the caramel sauce, this should take 15-20 minutes at the most with baby carrots.

If you're unsure about when to stop this process you may test the doneness of the carrots with a fork of course. To check how thick our caramel has become you can coat a spoon in your sauce and place it in a bowl that has been chilled in the refrigerator for a little rapid cooling, ideally it will remain semi soft even when chilled. A hard crack caramel can be softened by adding butter or a small amount of cream. Finish salting the dish to taste and add a fresh herb like thyme or parsley if there aren't any picky eaters at your table.

Tips

Practice makes perfect when it comes to caramel sauces, the amount of water is variable and depends on the thickness of the carrots. The carrots should be fork tender as the last of the water evaporates and the caramel starts to thicken.





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Obituary

Paul Leon Brady

May 12, 1942 – Sept. 14, 2021 Paul Leon Brady was a beloved friend, sibling, husband, father, and grandfather. He was passionate about his family, babies and little children, animals, and cars. When friends talked about Paul, three things rose to the surface: his love of family, his great smile, his love of God, and his peaceful soul that projected his love of Jesus.

One friend specifically talked about a time when his brother Jerry broke both of his arms at one time. Even though this incident happened when Paul was in his early school years, it impacted his friend. He said he wanted to thank Paul for being a best friend to his brother and helping him in all his needs while at school and anywhere else - a true friend indeed!

Paul was born on May 12, 1942, to Jearl Leon Brady and Kathryn Mae (Simpson) Brady in Buckhannon, W.V. He grew up in Ridgecrest, Calif., with his four siblings: Karen, Dottie, David, and Terry. After graduating from Sherman E. Burroughs High School, Paul moved to the Portland area, where he began to build his life.

To say that Paul loved cars and trucks was an understatement. He was always tinkering, trading, or playing with them. He even collected model cars. The only thing greater than cars was combining his love of cars and his love of family. He was always trying to find those special deals for his kids and grandkids, often getting them the best car around (or the best mechanical deals) for the best price.

In addition to spending most of his career in the automotive industry, he also loved to fix and show vehicles and spent a bit of time racing cars. His childhood friend, Bob Waddill, said they went to the drags at Inyokern almost every Saturday. He spent his final years of work, nearly 20 years, managing Ed's Mufflers and Brakes. During this time, he made a lot of friends who re-

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mained a significant part of his life.

While working at Ed's Mufflers, Paul met Judy Reynolds at an automotive repair shop that often partnered with Ed's. After several years of knowing her through work, then several months of dating, things got "serious." So, on his birthday in 1994, Paul and Judy married. (She always said they chose that day so he would never forget his anniversary.) Along with getting a wife, Paul

also got three kids and three grandsons on that day. They filled their home with love, laughter, and lots of family gatherings.

Paul and Judy were always taking "adventures," as he would call them. Their favorite place was the Oregon Coast. On their trips, they would often wander down random roads to see where they led. They would stop at little eateries to try the local cuisine and local antique stores to buy souvenirs they could not live without.

Paul retired around 2005 and moved to Grand Ronde. They bought a 5-acre piece of land with a manufactured home which allowed them to enjoy the great outdoors and many animals that ventured onto their property (including numerous cats and lots of deer that would come up and eat apples and crackers not far from their back deck). He had enough property to putter around and ride on his Husqvarna Riding Lawn Mower. For several years, Paul and Judy were



"poppa and grandma" to the neighbor boy, Mason, watching him from when he was an infant through taking him to the school bus stop.

On Sept. 14, 2021, after a short battle with stage 4 liver cancer, ten weeks exactly from diagnosis to death, Paul stepped peacefully into Heaven, surrounded by the love of his friends and family. He left behind his loving wife, Judy, and three children—Debbie Ellis, Randy Reynolds, and Katherine Gorretta (Tim Overton).

He also left great memories with three grandsons and eight great-grandchildren: Matthew and Elizabeth Ellis (Avery, Finley, Oliver, and Ezekiel), Anthony Gorretta (Ellee Mae), and Vincent and Kailee Gorretta (Alora, Liam, and Luca).

He is survived by two siblings, David Brady (Cindy) and Karen Shivers; and multiple nephews and nieces and great-nephews and nieces.

Paul was preceded in death by his parents; his first wife, Char-



lene, her two children (Kevin and Patty), and one granddaughter; his brother Terry Brady and his sister Dottie (Brady) Coughran and her husband, Pat.

A memorial service to celebrate Paul's life is scheduled for 2 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 30, at the Sheridan Baptist Church, 643 E Main Street in Sheridan.



Celebration of Life Jewel "Jo" Manuela Ingram 4 p.m. • November 6 Fort Hill Restaurant







Hofenbredl's Haunted House: A Good Way to Scare Some Fun into Your Halloween

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Oh my goodness. Did you notice that huge pile of yellow bags at the west end of town last week? It was by the highway near the fire department. I've never seen a pile that big before.

A pile like that is there a couple of times of the year. It usually shows up just before a special event in town. This pile was there because several volunteers did a great job cleaning the side of the highways coming into our nice town. (The special event was to have been the annual Art Tour, which will not happen due to the pandemic).

Anyhow, it upsets me to see that pile there. It just tells me that the folks of our area and those who drive through it don't care what our beautiful countryside looks like. I'm just amazed when I pick up Starbucks and Dutch Brother's cups as well as McDonald's, Burger King, and In & Out Burger wrappers. That's just a few names. None of them have outlets in our town. Oh, there's litter from local businesses too. Then there's drug needles and other such stuff... some too gross to mention.

It just boggles my mind that people will bring stuff with them, use it and throw the remainder out the window, not taking it back home with them to dispose of properly.

Years ago, you never saw litter or trash by the side of an Oregon road. I remember my son (he was about 10 then) saying, "Mom, you always know when you're in Oregon. The sides of the road are clean." Sad to say, that doesn't seem to apply much anymore.

Wondering what happened to the caring folks that used to drive through our beautiful state and our little town is "What's Up in Willamina."



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een. The community is invited to

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portunity for this year.

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Contributed by a

Bulletin Board Guest Writer I am seven years old. My brother is six. We grew up on a farm. We have chores. Our grandparents owned 80 acres. We round up the cows walking that timbered land. Blackberries, fallen logs, acreage, listening for cowbells. It is summer now, and we have mustard weeds to pull from the oats in the field - chicken house to clean, water to bring to the house from the creek, etc. My brother decides to ride a calf around the property. He keeps falling off. I keep picking him up and putting him back on the calf. I get tired of this game and decide to tie him on the calf, legs around the calf, and tight underneath the calf belly. The calf takes off and runs under our house with my brother on its back. I am terrified. I think I just killed my brother (not), but you can bet I was in serious trouble!

Card of Thanks

To all of my family and friends, Thank you for all of the kind words, encouragement, help, and cards, when my husband, Don Pesterfield, passed away. --JoAnn Pesterfield

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CITY MANAGER'S REPORT From the desk of Willamina City Manager Kenna West

Dull, inert cities, it is true, do contain the seeds of their own destruction and little else. But lively, diverse, intense cities contain the seeds of their own regeneration, with energy enough to carry over for problems and needs outside themselves. -- Jane Jacobs

Our beautiful City of Willamina is moving forward with a number of projects that were funded by grants received by our City staff including:

• Willamina Public Library Book Bike – Our wonderful Library Director, Sarah Frost, wrote and was awarded a grant for a book bike for the Library! The design for the bike is almost complete and you will soon see Sarah (and her staff) bringing books to our community members via this unique and wonderful mode of transportation.

• Willamina Wayfinding Project – Have you seen our public works staff digging holes in the ground by the Goose? Well, those holes are for the soon to be installed map/information kiosks...look for them soon! They were funded by a grant from Travel Oregon.

• ADA compliant pathway to the ADA compliant on-water fishing dock at Hampton Park. This is another project funded by a grant from Travel Oregon. This is the last phase in our accessible on-water fishing experience at Hampton Park.

• Transportation System Planning. This important project was funded by a grant from the Oregon Department of Transportation. This project will help the City plan for its transportation needs... that's not just cars, but bikes, walking paths, trucking needs, etc...for the next 20 years!

• Do you live on Walnut Street? Well, if you do, your street will be repaved in the Spring thanks to a grant we were just awarded last week from the Oregon Department of Transportation! We plan to have the Barber Street project and the new Walnut Street project completed by Fall 2022!

• If you are a builder or just want to do some work on your home, you will soon have access to easy to use checklists and brochures for the City's planning department. This work is being completed thanks to a grant from the Oregon Department of Land Conservation and Development.

• Are you involved in the Willamina Community Pantry? Well, thanks to a grant received by the City from the United Way, they are able to feed more families in need!

• Our water project...\$6.3 million in costs to make certain that our community will continue to have water. We've been working to find grants and alternative funding to help alleviate the burden on our community. In May I asked Senator Merkley's office for direct allocation of \$2 million in funds for this water project. Just last week we received the amazing news that this request has been granted! The City has been written in the bill to receive \$2 million to help fund this \$6.3 million project! We at City Hall are extraordinarily thankful to Senator Merkley for his support and advocacy for our project!

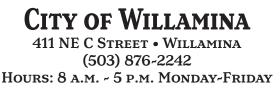
The City of Willamina City Council meets the second Tuesday of every month. You can attend those meetings via Zoom and the access link can be found on the City's website. Your Mayor and City Council reviewed and discussed a number of issues at their October meeting including:

• Review of workers' compensation coverage for volunteers and events. The list of events was broadened by the City Council and a new Resolution will be presented at the next meeting.

• The City Council passed an Ordinance that allows our Sheriff's Deputies and Code Enforcement Officer to trespass those who commit crimes or violate ordinances from City facilities and properties including our parks. This action was taken to counteract bad behavior at our parks in order to keep our children and community members safe while they are enjoying our six beautiful parks!

• The City Council also adopted a Resolution providing the City Manager with the authority to sign documents, enter into agreements, and take action on any funding matters relating to the water intake project. This allows a quick response to possible funding to avoid "missing out" on opportunities due to delays from meeting schedules.

• The Mayor and City Council also heard from the Library Liaison, the Yamhill County Transit Board Member, the Coastal Hills Chamber Liaison and the City Manager on all of the wonderful things happening in our beautiful City!







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Citizens Unable to Hear Oct. 18 Sheridan City Council Meeting

Sheridan Council meetings are required by law to be open to the public, with very few exceptions. For example, one exception is a pre-advertised executive session. The Sheridan City Council meeting held in the council chambers on Oct. 18 was closed to public in-person attendance. The stated reason is Covid related. Although difficult for many citizens to access, either due to a lack of advertised notice or access to a computer, the meetings have only been available to citizens via Zoom.

Masks are worn by council members and city staff when talking, making them sound very similar to Charlie Brown's teacher. The mayor said they would not remove the masks at any time during the meeting, even to speak. (Yet, several of these same people ate cake in this same room after the council meeting?)

The council, at one time, had individual microphones. An audience member, who reminded them how long Covid had been an issue for the council, suggested using them.

The City has been relying on a piece of equipment called an "owl" to transmit this public information via Zoom. Unfortunately, this equipment has never produced high-quality sound, but it completely failed at the Oct. 18 meeting.

A citizen asked the city attorney if the meeting was legal, with citizens forbidden to attend in person and the total equipment failure making it impossible to hear the meeting. The attorney said that since they were trying the best they could to fix the equipment, he felt it was legal for the session to continue.

The purpose of the Oregon Public

Meetings Law (OPML) is to make decision-making of state and local governing bodies available to the public. This policy is stated expressly in the law: "The Oregon form of government requires an informed public aware of the deliberations and decisions of governing bodies and the information upon which such decisions were made. It is the intent of this law that decisions of governing bodies be arrived at openly."

The law further explains: "Although compliance with these provisions might reduce the speed and efficiency of local decision-making, residents benefit from a better understanding of the facts and policies underlying local actions. The required process and formality also can make it easier for cities to justify a decision if one is later challenged in an administrative or judicial proceeding."

The OPML requires public notice any time a governing body holds a meeting as defined under the law. Therefore, all regular, special, and emergency meetings require notice, though the amount of notice depends on the meeting type. Generally, notice is required for any interested persons and any media outlet that has requested notice.

The OPML also has requirements for proper public meeting space that fall roughly into four categories. The meeting space must have the appropriate capacity, be within the right geography, satisfy criteria for accessibility, and be a place of equality.

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Digging in to Halloween Candy Facts:

Last-minute candy shopping: Almost half (43%) of all candy purchases in October take place during the last week of the month with Oct. 31 as the peak day for candy purchases as people prepare for trick-or-treaters. The South loves candy corn: In-

stacart data showed that Mississippi, Kentucky, Virginia, North Carolina, and Arkansas are the most likely to purchase candy corn compared to the national average.

The biggest sweet tooth: The top five states with the most candy purchases are all located west of the Mississippi River, while the bottom five are all located east of the Mississippi.

Sneaking from the kids: More than half of parents (53%) are absolutely or probably going to eat their kids' candy this year. 56% of these parents say they won't feel guilty about it.

Candy corn used to have a different name: One of the most famous (and hated!) Halloween candies, candy corn was invented in late 1880s by George Renninger. His employer, Wunderlee Candy Company, began mass-producing the sweet in the early 1900s, originally calling it Chicken Feed.

Not all candy used to come in "fun size": The candy manufacturer Mars started distributing mini candy bars in 1961, specifically targeting trick-or-treaters, and coined the phrase "fun size" in 1968. The first fun size candies were Snickers and Milky Way. When the Curtiss Candy Co. began making fun size Baby Ruth and Butterfinger bars, Mars sued and lost. Now every candy can join in the fun (size).

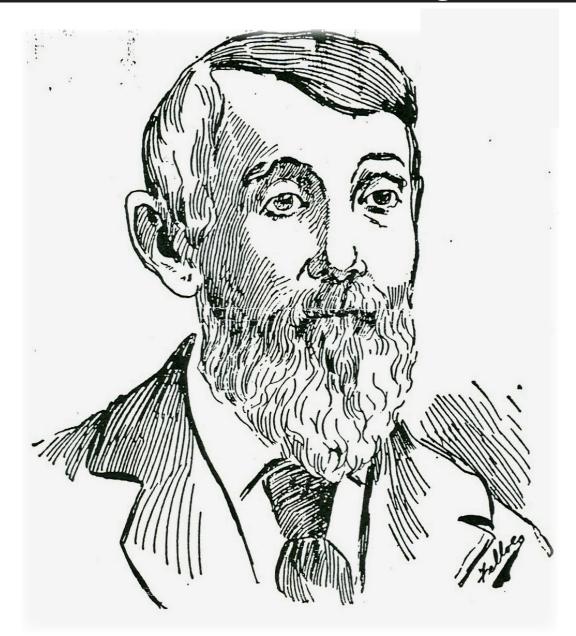
Tootsie rolls were used in battle: Tootsie Rolls were included in soldiers field rations during World War II to give American troops "quick energy." They could also hold up under changing weather conditions. In 1950, U.S. and United Nations troops in Korea put out a call for Tootsie Rolls, a code name for mortar shells. When they opened the airdropped box, they discovered they were actually sent Tootsie Roll candies.







Absalom Faulconer of Sheridan, Oregon • 1816-1899



Sheridan, Jan. 23, 1899 - the funeral of Absalom B. Faulconer, who died here of the grippe Friday, took place Sunday, under the auspicey of the local lodge of Masons, of which deceased was a member. The interment was in the Masonic cemetery.

Mr. Faulconer was a pioneer of 1846, and was aged 82 years, seven months, and 10 days. He was born in Kentucky, June 10, 1816. His parents moved to Missouri in 1824. He was married in Missouri to Mary A. Graves, and the result of the union was five children, two of whom are still living - James B. Faulconer and Mrs. Helen A. Hussey. He started for Oregon in 1846, and was in the first train that came in by the Applegate cut-off, or Klamath lake and Rogue River route. In 1847 he settled where Sheridan now stands, taking up a donation claim. He became a member of the Christian Church in the same year, and had been an esteemed member ever since. He built the first house in Sheridan, and for years kept it, not as a hotel, but rather as an open house, free to all, for no one was ever turned away from his doors. His first wife died in 1854, and he was married the second time to Mrs. Mary A. Cutting. They had eight children, six of whom are still living - Mrs. Mary A. Thomas, Whatcom; T. P. Faulconer and Mrs. Helen A. Hunt, of Chihuahua, Mexico; Ed N. Faulconer, of Tacoma; Sheridan Faulconer and Estella Worthington of El Paso, Texas. His second wife died March 12, 1886, and after her death he twice married. His last wife, formerly Mrs. Tena Noakes, survives him.



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