

COLUMBIA CITY NEWSLETTER

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COLUMBIA CITY T-SHIRTS FOR SALE AT CITY HALL

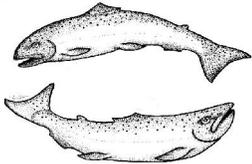
Available in three styles - stop by City Hall to purchase one today!



Grey Sternwheeler Shirts:

Small-XL - \$15
2XL - \$16
3XL - \$17
4XL - \$18

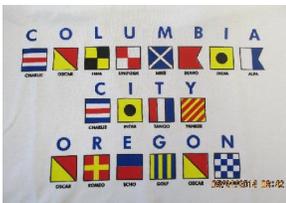
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OREGON

Navy Blue Fish Shirts:

Small-XL - \$10
2XL - \$11
3XL - \$12
4XL - \$13



Nautical Flag Shirts:

Small-XL - \$15
2XL - \$16
3XL - \$17
4XL - \$18

CAPLES HOUSE MUSEUM ICE CREAM SOCIAL & GARAGE SALE

Stop by the Caples House Museum on Saturday and Sunday, July 9th and 10th, to browse their garage sale! The garage sale will be open from 10 am to 4 pm. On Sunday, don't miss the ice cream social - they will serve ice cream from noon to 4 pm. There will be a sing-along of patriotic and folk songs from days gone by led by the Yankton Grangers, and ice cream sundaes will be available for \$3.00. Garage sale proceeds will benefit the museum. The Daughters of the American Revolution invite you to **come join in the fun!**

CODE ENFORCEMENT REMINDERS

Fireworks - many types are prohibited! Cone fountains, cylindrical fountains, flutter sparklers, ground spinners, illuminating torches and wheels are permitted. All other exploding fireworks are prohibited by City Ordinance and Oregon State Law. Refer to ORS 480.110 through 480.165 for additional information.



Keep grass and weeds cut! Between April 15 and September 30 of any year, weeds and grass cannot exceed 10-inches in height and blackberry bushes cannot extend across property lines or into the City's right-of-way, including streets, alleys and sidewalks.

RV storage must be owned by the occupant of the property. In residential zones, the storage of an RV that is owned by a legal resident of the property is permitted provided it is stored in a location allowed by City Ordinance. However, when an RV is not owned by a legal resident of the property, the RV storage is not permitted.

Attention pet owners! You must pick up after your pets! It's the law!

Please report violations to City Hall - 503-397-4010.



CITY COUNCIL CANDIDATE FILING DATES

Two City Council positions will be filled by the voters during the November 8, 2016, General Election. Qualified electors who have resided within the City since November 8, 2015, may run for office. Nominating petitions are currently available at the City Hall. The nominating petitions must be signed by 20 qualified electors, and candidates must submit the signature sheets to the City Administrator/Recorder for verification allowing sufficient time for the verification process to be completed prior to the August 30, 2016 filing deadline. The positions are for a term of four years.



PLANNING COMMISSION VACANCIES

Are you interested in serving on the Columbia City Planning Commission? The City currently has two positions available. Applicants must reside within the City or the City's Urban Growth Boundary. The term is for a period of four years. The Planning Commission meets at 6:30 pm on the third Tuesday of each month when there are topics to discuss. Applications may be picked up at the City Hall, or may be found on the City's website at www.columbia-city.org.



COMMUNITY HALL REMODEL PROJECT UNDERWAY!

The Community Hall remodel project kicked off in late June! A contract was recently awarded to K Restoration LLC to complete the demolition work, to complete improvements to the kitchen, entryway, existing restroom, and sidewalk, to repair the chimney, and to rough in all of the plumbing and electrical work.

Additional improvements will be made as funding becomes available. We'd like to thank all of our project sponsors for making this project possible!

Our Community Hall Capital Campaign *A Legacy to Treasure Sponsors*

Diamond - \$1,000 or more:

Port of St. Helens
The Oregon Community Foundation
The Samuel S. Johnson Foundation
Michael Allen Harrison
The Snowman Foundation
Bake Sale Volunteers
James and Thelma Hays
Lower Columbia Engineering
Columbia River PUD
The Gardes Family Trust
Parnell and Elsie Hovland
Leonard and Sally Ann Marson



Ruby - \$500:

Ace Hardware - West
Lowell Bauer
Landis & Landis Construction LLC
Nancy Radcliffe



Sapphire - \$250:

Comcast
Jeff and JoAnn Hughes
L. Lee Phillips
Leslie and Chuck Ramsdell
Steve Schroeder
Christopher and Hester Thurman
Tom and Brandy Vernon



Emerald - \$100:

Sheila Bauer
Mike and Kay Brown
Sean and Monica Burns
The Burrito House
Doug and Colleen Calkins
Marian Calnon
Robert and Carlene Clore
Columbia County Brewing
Columbia City Community Club
Rich and Jeanette Crandall
Mark and Barbara Gordon
Roy "Bud" and Dolores Heinz
Hudson Portable Toilet Service
Ronald L. Jaramillo
Margaret Jeffries
John & Patti Julian
Terry and Karen Kent
Klondike Restaurant/Strange Birds Coffee House
Joe and Sue Kovich
George and Jean LeMont
Bill and Jan Mansheim
Jean McBride
Scott and Sharon Morris
Robert Schmor and Shirley Palm
Dorothy M. Rofinot
Robert and Konnie Speirs
Tennessee Cable Service, Inc.
Gordon and Gail Thistle



Amethyst - \$50:

Dana and Jim Belisle
Raymond and Sunghe Buckno
Geneva Burwell
Jack and Molly Hruska
Nancy Hudson
Les Schwab - St. Helens
Donna McAtee
Fred and Winnie Neilson
Gregory Newcomb
Northwest Plumbing Services
Sante and Judy Valpiani
Cheryl Young



LIBRARY NEWS

Don't forget - the Library is now open on Tuesdays! We try to be open a variety of hours to meet people's schedules, and to be consistently open when we say we will! That being said, we will be closed on Monday, the Fourth of July. Did you really plan to come to the Library that day?

Summer Reading Program: Ready, Set, Read! Mondays at 11 am get ready to read! Expect books, crafts and games to keep you reading all summer!

Columbia City Celebration: On Tuesday, July 12, at 7 pm, all committee chairs need to attend our planning meeting so we can finalize events and locations. There will be a lot of events going on this year during the Columbia City Celebration. All the event chair people will be looking for volunteers to work during the Celebration or before. Please let us know at the Library what you'd like to do to help. We will be canvassing local businesses for silent auction items this summer. If you have something you'd like to donate, contact us at the Library.

Saturday Crafts for Kids: Please join us down at the Columbia City Community Library on Saturday July 9th from 11 am to 2pm. This month we'll dream up our own superheroes and I'm sure it will be fun! As always, you supply the kids and we'll supply everything else!



Second Hand Prose! This month's sale selection is Sports and Hobbies. Half price for the month of July!

New Books: We added 104 books to the Library during the past month. Some recent additions to our Library include:

The Monuments Men: Allied Heroes, Nazi Thieves, and the Greatest Treasure Hunt in History by Robert M. Edsel

The First Tycoon: the Epic Life of Cornelius Vanderbilt by T.J. Stiles

The Residence: Inside the Private World of the White House by Kate Andersen Brower

Astoria: John Jacob Astor and Thomas Jefferson's Lost Pacific Empire by Peter Stark

Off the Grid by C.J. Box

Tom Clancy: Full Force and Effect by Mark Greaney

True Sisters by Sandra Dallas

The Silent Wife by A.S. Harrison

The Buddha in the Attic by Julie Otsuka

15th Affair by James Patterson

Cop Town by Karin Slaughter

Scandalous Behavior by Stuart Woods

Worms for Breakfast: How to Feed a Zoo by Helaine Becker (for the younger members of your family!)

Library Hours

Monday 10 am - 2 pm

Tuesday 2 pm - 6 pm

Wednesday 4 pm - 8 pm

Thursday 2 pm - 6 pm

Saturday 10 am - 2 pm

The Library is closed on Monday, July 4!

Storytime/Summer Reading Program

every Monday at 11 am

Saturday craft: Superheroes

Saturday, July 9 from 11 am to 2 pm

City Celebration Planning Meeting

Tuesday, July 12 at 7 pm

Friends of the Library Meeting

Monday, July 18 at 7 pm

Novel Quilters

Wednesday, July 20 at 6:30 pm

Mystery Book Club

Wednesday, July 27 at 7 pm

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WATER CONSERVATION TIP

Set it, but don't forget it! Whether you have a manual or automatic system, be sure to adjust your water schedules throughout the irrigation season!



LOST AND FOUND

Did you leave a Bible and a pair of glasses in the dog park? If so, please stop by City Hall to claim them!



2016 Memorial Day Ceremony, Columbia City Veterans Park. Front row (left to right): Young Marines PFC Alexander Andrusko, Sgt Theodore Burns, Cpl Branson Coiteux, and PFC Viviana Keller. Back row (left to right): SSgt Calli Moore (Army), SSgt James Kirtley (Marine Corps), EMC (SW/AW) Nicholas Herring (Navy), Petty Officer Nieman (Coast Guard), and MSgt Mark Culp (Air Force).

MONTHLY MEETING AND EVENT CALENDAR - JULY 2016

July 4	CLOSED	City Hall is closed in honor of Independent Day
July 7	6:00 pm	Regular City Council Meeting at City Hall - CANCELED
July 14	6:00 pm	Municipal Court at City Hall
July 19	6:30 pm	Planning Commission Meeting at City Hall
July 21	6:00 pm	Regular City Council Meeting at City Hall
July 25	6:00 pm	Hazard Mitigation Meeting at City Hall
July 26	5:00 pm	Parks Committee Meeting at City Hall

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