

# COLUMBIA CITY NEWSLETTER

## OCTOBER 2018



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### CURBSIDE YARD DEBRIS EXTRA NOVEMBER COLLECTIONS

Don't forget!! Hudson Garbage Service will provide weekly curbside yard debris collections for subscribed Columbia City customers during the month of November. Yard debris service is provided on an every-other-week basis during the remaining 11 months of the year. Yard debris collection service is provided on the same weekday as the customer's regular garbage collection service. Interested citizens may subscribe for the yard debris service for a minimum period of one year by contacting Hudson Garbage Service at (503) 397-7153.

### BURN PERMITS ARE REQUIRED FOR OPEN BURNING PERIOD FOR YARD DEBRIS



Beginning **Saturday, November 3, through Sunday, November 18**, yard debris may be burned outdoors within Columbia City. However, **burn permits are required prior to burning!** Permits may be obtained at City Hall, at any Fire Station within the Columbia River Fire & Rescue District or at [www.cfr.com](http://www.cfr.com).

Please remember you will also need to call the "Burn Line" at (503) 397-4800 each day to see if it is a burn day. Have questions? Please call the Fire Marshall at (503) 543-5026. Watch for additional information in next month's newsletter, or check online at [www.cfr.com](http://www.cfr.com).

### HAZARDOUS WASTE EVENT

The Columbia County Transfer Station will hold a Household Hazardous Waste Event on **Saturday, October 27, 2018 from 8 am to noon**. The following hazardous waste materials are accepted during the event:

- ✓ Pool and spa chemicals
- ✓ Lawn/garden chemicals
- ✓ Pesticides/herbicides
- ✓ Light ballasts - *remove from light fixture*
- ✓ Fluorescent tubes

- ✓ Art/hobby chemicals
- ✓ Solvents/thinners
- ✓ Batteries - *only car, rechargeable, button - no alkaline batteries*
- ✓ Gasoline/diesel/fuels
- ✓ Cleaners/detergents
- ✓ Poisons
- ✓ Fireworks/flares
- ✓ Ammunition
- ✓ Items containing mercury
- ✓ Propane cylinders
- ✓ Compressed gas cylinders

***Bring product in original container and  
secure your load***

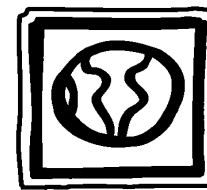
Items **NOT** accepted during the event:

- ⊗ Garbage or trash
- ⊗ Asbestos
- ⊗ Unwanted/unused pharmaceuticals or medicine - *St. Helens Police Department accepts unused prescriptions*
- ⊗ Liquid in containers larger than 5 gallons
- ⊗ Radioactive materials
- ⊗ Explosives
- ⊗ Bio medical waste
- ⊗ Business hazardous waste from small (SQG) or large quantity (LQG) generators

The following are not household hazardous waste and are accepted at the Transfer Station anytime, Monday through Saturday, 8 am to 5 pm:

- Latex and acrylic paint, oil-based paint, enamel, stains, lacquers, shellacs, varnishes, primers
- Used motor oil and antifreeze
- Medical sharps - *must be in sealed, puncture-proof containers (available at local pharmacies, at the Transfer Station scale house, or Walmart)*

## Toxic.Free.Home.





**UNWANTED!! FIELD BINDWEED  
(AKA MORNING GLORY)**

You'll find field bindweed, also known as morning glory, on Oregon's noxious weed list for a good reason! Once established, field bindweed is nearly impossible to fully eradicate. It's an aggressive, invasive perennial plant that out-competes other plants and climbs on fences, structures, other plants, and trees. The roots spread underground, forming dense mats. It reproduces vegetatively from roots, rhizomes, stem fragments, and by seeds that can lie dormant in the soil for up to 20 or more years.

Prevention methods include removing the seedlings before they become perennial plants and produce seeds. Do not dispose of field bindweed in compost piles - it can reproduce from cuttings. Instead, dispose of the plant in your yard debris bin or trash can. Cutting alone will not control this plant and is not recommended. Avoid digging or tilling the soil around mature field bindweed roots - the roots or rhizome fragments left behind may resprout. Repeated hand pulling works eventually, but is highly labor intensive. Smothering the plants with mulch, black plastic or plastic-fiber mats is another option.

**DON'T MOVE FIREWOOD!  
BUY IT WHERE YOU BURN IT!**

**Why is moving firewood such a bad idea?** Tree



killing insects and diseases can lurk in or on firewood. These insects and diseases can't move far on their own, but when people move firewood they can jump hundreds of miles. New

infestations destroy our forests, property values, and cost huge sums of money to control.

**How far is too far to move firewood? And what is "local" firewood?** When you hear local firewood, it means the closest convenient source of wood that you can find. That means wood that was cut in a nearby forest, in the same county, or less than 50 miles from where you'll have your fire. As a rule of thumb, buy your firewood where you burn it!

**LOST AND FOUND**

A beaded bracelet was found along the river – please contact City Hall if you think it might belong to you.

**LIBRARY NEWS**

**Columbia City Celebration:** The Columbia City Celebration was a great success this year. It was a nice day and we were busy all day. We had a lot of help, and managers of the events did a great job. So thank you to everyone who helped, everyone who attended, and everyone who spent money to help support our library!

**Novel Quilters Revealed:** We are reading *Knock Wood*, by Candice Bergen. Join us on Wednesday, October 17 at 6:30 pm as we reveal our quilts based on the book, and start on our next book. We always welcome visitors, and this is the month to visit us and see whether you'd like to join our group.



**New Books at the Library:** We added 36 new books to the library this month! That's a recent low, but other things were going on. Check out the new books shelf at the library! We'll list some new books next month.

**Friends of the Library Membership:** It's time again to join Friends of the Library (FOL). Our FOL group administers the Library, purchases books, pays the utility bills, and in general, makes sure you have a Library! Please support us with your membership, and get involved with the Library!

**Raffle winners 2018:** Congratulations Jo Beckett for winning the beautiful quilt and Julie Badger for the Beach Getaway.

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## LIBRARY NEWS

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**Dolly Parton Imagination Library:** The Community Library is partnering with United Way and other community partners to bring the Dolly Parton Imagination Library to Columbia County. Every child who resides in Columbia County between the ages of birth to five qualifies to receive a free book. The age appropriate books are delivered directly to the child monthly and by their fifth birthday they will have 60 books of their very own. We know that children with books in their home read more often and develop a lifelong love for reading. The cost of the program is \$25.00 per year per child. The program is free to qualifying children. If you would like to enrich young lives you can make a one-time or ongoing donation to: United Way of Columbia County: Dolly Parton Imagination Library, PO Box 538, Rainier, OR 97048.

If you have questions or wish to volunteer contact [wendywells.sales@gmail.com](mailto:wendywells.sales@gmail.com) or [kathybeck@unitedwayofcolumbiacounty.com](mailto:kathybeck@unitedwayofcolumbiacounty.com).

**Library Hours:**  
Monday through Thursday 3-6 pm  
Saturday 10-2

### **City Celebration Wrap-Up Meeting**

Monday, October 1, 7 pm

### **Friends of the Library**

Monday, October 15, 6 pm

### **Novel Quilters**

Wednesday, October 17, 6:30 pm

### **Mystery Book Club**

Wednesday, October 31, 7 pm

### **Reach our book catalog:**

[columbiacitycommunitylibrary.follettdestiny.com](http://columbiacitycommunitylibrary.follettdestiny.com)

### **Columbia City Community Library**

2000 Second Street/PO Box 189

503-366-8020 [ccclibrary@live.com](mailto:ccclibrary@live.com)

## THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HELPED WITH THE 2018 COLUMBIA CITY CELEBRATION!!!

**Corporate Sponsors:** Samuel S. Johnson Foundation, St. Helens Community Federal Credit Union, City of Columbia City, St. Helens School District, Dyno Nobel, Starbucks, Dutch Bros. Coffee and Paulson's Printing.

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**Show & Shine Volunteers:** Gordon & Gail Thistle, Roger Rombalski, Dan Hijmerson, Carol J. Lee, Simon & Karli Ebert, Roy Reed, Dan Gulliksen, Frank Kossack, Fred Dyson, Jerry Perron, Scott & Christine Downey, Dennis Myers, Jack & Molly Hruska, Joe Kovich, Columbia City Staff and Public Works Department, Lowell Bauer, Rich Mazzella, Tom Hall, Wayne Martin and Cris McMannand.

**Show & Shine Band:** The Decades.

**Silent Auction Donors:** A Better Way Massage, Ace Hardware, Angela Willson, Bamford Bakeshop, Bella Maison, Bonny

Wagoner, Burgerville, Burrito House, Cathy Lundberg, CC Rider, Columbia City City Hall, Colleen Calkins, Dari Delish, Deb Allen, Dianne & Mark Ebert, Eisenschmidt Pool, Family Vision, Fancy Nails, Fastboyz Detailing, Fibers & Stitches, Fultano's, Greg & Pam Weber, Harrington's, Icabods, Jean Lemont, Jilly's, Kim Karber, Konnie Speirs, Kozy Korner, Leahnette Rivers, Lee Phillips, Longfellows Inn, Marian Smith, Maritime Museum, Mark's on the Channel, Martin Kyle Milward, McMenamins, Miyako Restaurant, MOD Pizza, Muchas Gracias, Oregon Trail Lanes, Noi's Thai Kitchen, Pacific Athletic Club, Papa Murphy's Pizza, Pittock Mansion, Pizza Vendor, Rosebud Café, Running Dogs Brewery, Scappoose Xpress Lube/Car Wash, Sheila Bauer, Simm Oriental Cuisine, St. Helens Physical Therapy, Stacey Tinney, Tea Time, The Roof, Top Notch, Warren Country Inn, Wynne Frank and Yankton Store.

**Silent Auction Volunteers:** Sheila & Lowell Bauer, Kim Karber and Kori Woods.

**Advertising and Publicity:** Cathy Lambert, Sharon & Mike Shiel, Cathy Lundberg, Wendy Wells and Mark Ebert. Stacey Tinney for taking photos.

**Book Sale:** Cathy Lundberg, Wynne Frank, Mark Ebert, Doug & Colleen Calkins, Katrina Cliff, Percy & Marian Smith, Don & Marcia Parrett, Ris Kauble, Ruth Stellmon, Wendy Wells, Jim & Karen Harvey, Dennis Willson & Angela Willson.

**Raffle Quilt:** Novel Quilters, Columbia River Piecemakers Quilt Guild, Cathy

Lundberg and Kathy McNeill.

**Art Show:** Dana & Jim Belisle and members of the Art Guild.

**Lunch and Bake Sale:** Cathy Lambert, Mike, Sharon, Cody, Luna, Cloud & Sam Shiel, Misty Crawford, Keirney Glenn Barham, Cindi & Rich Johnson, Theo & Alayna Stacey and all of the wonderful bakers!

**Vendors/Craft Fair:** Wendy Wells, Katelyn & Addison Wells and Lowell Bauer.

**Kids Zone:** Margaret Barroso, Stan & Cindy Warby, Peggy Batton, Ross Flack, Jeri Bailey, Donny Brooks, Tracy Woods, Suzanna Davis, Crystal & Haley Bump, Melinda Gartman, Karen Brooks and Jeremiah Harrington.

**Breakfast Volunteers:** Jan & John Burdett, Doug Calkins, Karli Ebert, Jessy Johnson, David Markham, Sally Ann Marson, Jessica McGlothlin, Mya O'Brien, Rebecca Pickering & Casey Wheeler.

**Children's Eye Clinic:** Lions Club and Casey Eye Institute were able to provide 17 children with screening.

**Columbia City Booth:** Sue Ziglinski, Nell Harrison and Linda Steimel

**Columbia City Grade School:** Jennifer Vanderschuere, Michelle Haase and Steven Frasen.

# Be a Friend!

## Friends of the Columbia City Community Library

A 501(c)3 Non-Profit Organization

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

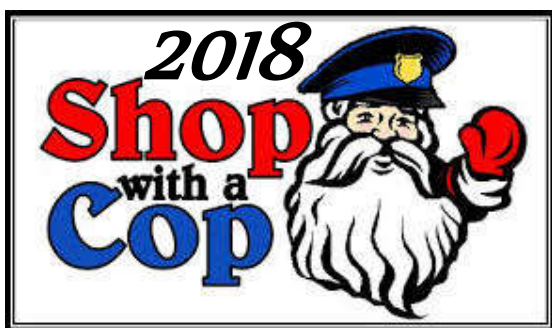
**Annual Dues: \$25.00**

Please make checks payable to:

**Friends of the Library**  
PO Box 189, Columbia City, OR 97018  
Return to: The Library or City Hall



Additional Donation Enclosed: \$25\_\_\_ \$50\_\_\_ \$100\_\_\_ Other\_\_\_ \_\_\_ Yes, please send me a donation receipt



## Nomination Form

It is time once again for the Columbia City Police Department's "Shop with a Cop" Program. This is our tenth year hosting this worthwhile endeavor within our city and we need your help! For those that are interested, we need assistance in selecting a needy family within the Columbia City community. Our goal is to provide warm clothing, winter necessities, and Christmas wish list items for the nominated family. Please take the time by filling out the information below if you wish to nominate someone who you know could use some assistance during the holiday season.

Thank you ~ Michael S. McGlothlin, Chief of Police

Name of Family: \_\_\_\_\_ Family Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Family Bio (please answer all that apply): \_\_\_ Father \_\_\_ Mother \_\_\_ Number of children

Reason for your nomination: \_\_\_\_\_

Return completed nomination forms to Columbia City Hall, PO Box 189, 1840 Second Street, Columbia City  
Nominations will be accepted until 5 pm on Friday, November 30, 2018

### OCTOBER 2018 MEETING AND EVENT CALENDAR

October 4 <sup>th</sup>	5:00 PM	Parks Committee Meeting at the City Hall
October 4 <sup>th</sup>	6:00 PM	Regular City Council Meeting at City Hall
October 16 <sup>th</sup>	6:30 PM	Planning Commission Meeting at City Hall
October 18 <sup>th</sup>	6:00 PM	Regular City Council Meeting at City Hall
October 22 <sup>nd</sup>	6:00 PM	Hazard Mitigation Planning Group Meeting at City Hall
October 23 <sup>rd</sup>	2:30 PM	Audit Committee Meeting at City Hall