

Deadwood Ditto

March 2019

7 6:30 PM	Open Mic at DCC*
14	Mapleton Food Share Swishhome-Deadwood Fire District Board Meeting at Swishhome Station
16 6:30 PM	Third Saturday at DCC
21 6:30 PM	Open Mic at DCC
22 11-2	Triangle Lake Food Share at Blachly Grange
23	Arts and Crafts Fair at DCC SWC* Volunteer Day and Tour at Fivemile Bell Mapleton Food Share

*Deadwood Community Center

*Siuslaw Watershed Council



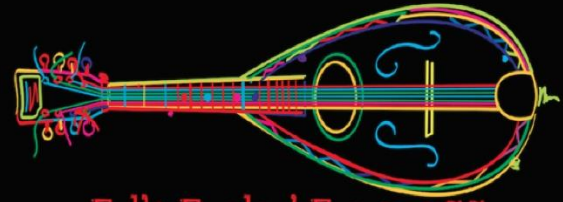
Spring Arts and Craft Fair at the Deadwood Community Center

Ashley Camacho will be hosting an arts and crafts fair at the community center on March 23, from 10 AM to 4 PM. Stop by to check out the talents of our local craftspeople.

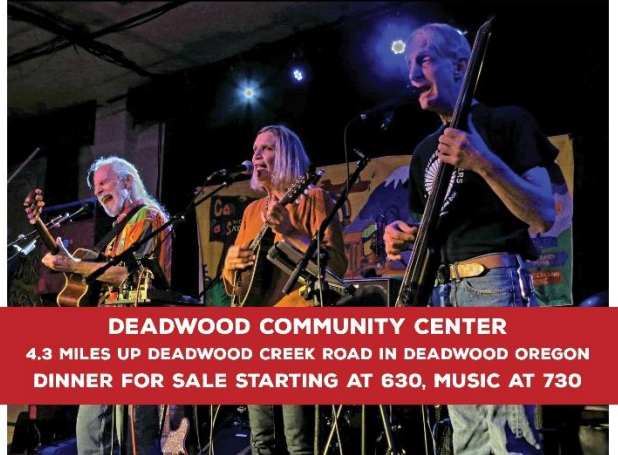
SATURDAY, MARCH 16TH

3rd Saturday Dinner and Dance Presents...

Gumbo Groove



Folk-Fueled Fungrass



DEADWOOD COMMUNITY CENTER

4.3 MILES UP DEADWOOD CREEK ROAD IN DEADWOOD OREGON
DINNER FOR SALE STARTING AT 630, MUSIC AT 730



DEADWOOD OPEN MIC & JAM NIGHT

EVERY ODD THURSDAY

630 PM

SHARE MUSIC, POETRY, SPOKEN WORD
PERFORM SOLO OR JAM WITH OTHERS
MAKE AND DISPLAY ART
MICS AND PLUGINS AVAILABLE

SIGN UP STARTS
AT 615

\$1 PER PERSON MINIMUM
ADDITIONAL DONATIONS
AND FIREWOOD DONATIONS
GREATLY APPRECIATED

DEADWOOD COMMUNITY CENTER
4.3 MILES UP DEADWOOD CREEK ROAD



Special Watershed Event

Saturday March 23: 10 AM to 2 PM

Join us on a tour of the valley-wide restoration project where Fivemile Creek meets Bell Creek, the largest tributary to Tahkenitch Lake. This is a multiphase, multiyear project, restoring watershed function and floodplain connection. In sum, the project occurs in four phases, spanning ten years (2012-2022) and includes four miles of stream reconstruction, five miles of large wood placement, 125 acres of regrading and native plant community restoration in the valley bottoms, and six miles of road decommissioning.

Following the tour, join us in a planting activity in Phase 4 of the project. We'll have refreshments and hot drinks in the barn that serves as our native plant nursery.

Please call Kyle Terry at 541-268-3044 or email kyle@siuslaw.org to join the event!

-submitted by Eli Tome



Corrections from Greg Regarding his February Submission

The intention of my submission last month was to share how hostile fire district board meetings can be and the difference that public oversight makes. Unfortunately, some of the things said in board meetings are not fit to print in the Ditto so my submission had to be edited. In the process of editing my submission, the editor misrepresented a couple of things.

1) Station 14, the Deadwood Creek Station, is not "our" station. The idea of us and them is becoming a thing of the past. Volunteers from the station closest to you may not be the first ones to show up for your emergency. We train and respond together and view the whole district as "our" community.

2) Station 14 has been able to upgrade the equipment that is there and currently has the newest engine in the district. Some members of the board don't think station 14 should have the newest engine but there are several operational reasons why it does. A few reasons are the number of volunteers, the training of those volunteers, water capacity requirements and the ability to carry firefighting tools and tools for motor vehicle accidents. Station 14 is small and doesn't have a dedicated rescue vehicle for motor vehicle accidents and rescues like our other stations do. Our oldest engine does not have the tool carrying capacity to be a multiuse vehicle.

-submitted by Greg Hertzbach

The Annexed Area Has Been Getting a Free Ride

The Swisshome-Deadwood Rural Fire Protection District has been providing emergency services to the area north of the 3 mile marker, on Deadwood Creek Road, since it was annexed on October 31st of 2017. Many people have been able to save money on their homeowners insurance for the past year due to the annexation. Because the state did not approve the annexation in time for Lane County to levy the taxes in November of 2018, the fire district was unable to collect the revenue that was expected from the annexation last year. If you own property in the annexed area, the fire district is politely requesting a voluntary donation for the services that you've been receiving. The current tax rate is roughly \$2.16 for every \$1,000 of property value.

Donations can be sent to:

Swisshome-Deadwood RFPD
PO Box 10
Swisshome, OR 97480

-submitted by Greg Hertzbach



Classifieds

Local help available for your farm or home: drive tractors, trailers, engine repair & maintenance, mechanical work, minor electrical & plumbing, framing, siding, roofing, gutters, painting, cleaning barns, drainage & irrigation, digging, orchard maintenance, blackberry removal, ladder work, stained glass windows, window repair & building, demoing, remodeling, sanding, hay bucking, feed bags, moving assistance, remodeling, dump runs, fence repair. Stellar references, clean OR DL, can pass background check. Contact Thom at 964-5838 or Thom23r@gmail.com

Local animal care and household assistance help: professional animal care needs, horse exercise/training, beginner-intermediate riding lessons on your horse, computer help, typing, editing, proofreading, personal driver, errands, eco-friendly housecleaning, organizing, plant & garden care, weeding/trimming, grocery shopping, laundry, landsitting. Stellar local references, super clean Oregon DL, small truck, can pass background check. Contact Sequoyah #541-964-5838 or Sequoyahwalkingfeather@gmail.com

Local couple seeking land to take over and take care of. Interested in lease-to-own options too. We would like to stay in Deadwood after establishing ourselves in this community. Prefer land without structures but buildable. Interested in building a yurt, rocket stove heat, passive solar and other off-the-grid projects. If you know of something in the area, please get in touch. Sequoyah & Thom 541-964-5838 or Sequoyahwalkingfeather@gmail.com

-Submitted by Sequoyah Walkingfeather

March 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 School Day	2
3	4 Blood Mobile @ HS 11:00-5:00 MS Boys BB @ Falls City 4:00	5	6 MS Boys BB @ Home vs. McKenzie 4:30	7	8 No School MS Boys BB @ Home vs. Lowell 4:30	9
10 Daylight Savings Time Begins	11 MS Boys BB @ T-Lake 4:00 Elevate Lane County Job Fair	12	13 HS Track @ Waldport 2:30 MS Boys BB @ Home vs. Mohawk 4:30 Board Meeting 6:00	14	15 No School	16 MS Boys BB Tournament HS Track @ McKenzie 11:00
17	18	19	20	21 HS Track @ Stiuslaw 3:30	22 No School	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Spring Vacation School Resumes Monday, April 1st						

Conservative, n. A statesman who is enamored of existing evils, as distinguished from the Liberal, who wishes to replace them with others.

Corporation, n. An ingenious device for obtaining individual profit without individual responsibility.

Egoist, n. A person of low taste, more interested in himself than in me.

-From *The Devil's Dictionary*, by Ambrose Bierce

The best art is the kind that fills your heart with love for the author. In a way, I think this is love in its purest form. You'll never know that person; you'll never own that person. But how amazing and gratifying to know that somewhere there exists such a person, with such a worldview.

(thoughts from your editor)