

# Deadwood Ditto

January 2021



## January Calendar

Deadwood Swisshome Fire Dept Board meeting	Thursday, January 14 7 pm, Swisshome station (next to the Post Office)
Mapleton Food Share- contact 541-268-2715 or 541-268-2919	Thursday, January 14 and Saturday, January 23 at 10 AM to 2 PM
Triangle Lake Food Box- contact 541-925-3090	Friday, January 22 at 11 AM to 2 PM

### Odes to 2020

As we come to the beginning of another calendar year, I offer this reflection: They say *Hindsight is 20-20*. As this one ends we can use this ability to look back in gratitude and amazement at what we have survived, and get ready for the future.  
Happy New Year  
*Submitted by Johnny*

*We experience ourselves, our thoughts and feelings as something separate from the rest. A kind of optical delusion of consciousness." — Albert Einstein*

*sub, A.K.A. John Forbis*

## Siuslaw Watershed Council

Dear members and friends of the Siuslaw Watershed community,

You are invited to the Siuslaw Watershed Council's Virtual Watershed Community Meeting on January 27th, from 5:30-7:30 PM on Zoom. You will get a chance to connect with your neighbors, hear a presentation from the folks who have spent the last decade (and more!) working on the innovative and award-winning Fivemile-Bell Restoration Project, participate in electing the Council's Leadership Body members and Board of Directors members.

We would love to see you, virtually, in January! We will be sending the Zoom log-on information out via e-mail and make it available on our website prior to the meeting.

## Deadwood Creek Services Board Members

Danell Sundstrom, Kristie Guse,  
Mikelle Loar, Ami Levy,  
Kinou Sompaa/Anna Metz

Ditto Editor- Jan Kinney and Helen Burruss

**Ditto submission deadline**- 26th of the month with publication and distribution very close to the first of the month. Submit to [deadwoodditto@yahoo.com](mailto:deadwoodditto@yahoo.com). If you have questions call 541-964-3981

(Small Ditto! More submissions for February please)

If you would like to receive a direct invitation with the log-on information, please email [watershed@siuslaw.org](mailto:watershed@siuslaw.org), and we will make sure that you get one.

In other SWC news:

- We are accepting submissions for our Winter Photo Contest, with the theme of Birds of the Siuslaw. Visit our website for information on how to submit photos.
- The Native Plant Distribution program is still taking requests for native plants to be planted along streams in the Siuslaw Watershed. Distribution day is February 6th. Visit our website, at [siuslaw.org](http://siuslaw.org) to find out more. *Submitted by Mizu Burruss*

New Year Wishes (submitted by Jan and Helen)

- ◇ May my resilience last (I can feel it thinning)
- ◇ May the fabric of our society mend after the assault of 2020
- ◇ May the ability to enjoy the countless moments remain strong
- ◇ May the children return to school
- ◇ May we have enough snow to build snow creatures and sled down slopes

