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OPEN

Phone list Social Sunshine Welcoming

News around The Highlands

The first "Thirsty Thursday" gathering at the clubhouse pool happened June 19th. There was great conversation, yummy snacks, and visiting with neighbors that we don't always get to see. This will be an ongoing event every other Thursday, and the next one is scheduled for July 3rd. Please come out and get to know your community! We have a great bunch of neighbors! Thirsty Thursdays are BYO snacks and drinks (no glass in the pool area please). Mark your calendars and see you on July 3rd! Also, the caregiver support group will NOT be meeting on July 4. This month's meeting will be Friday, July 11th.

ONGOING EVENTS

Bowling – 12:30 pm Fridays at Ten Down Bowling Lanes

Clubhouse Coffee – every other Tuesday at 09:30 am, see Calendar

Billiards – T, W, Th. 10:30 am

Walk Walk Exercise – M-W-F 8:45-9:30 am

Chair Yoga - Mon/Wed/Fri 9:30-10:30 am

Caregiver Support Group – first Friday of each month. Contact CJ @ 805-822-7344

VOLUNTEERS

We still need someone to take over the Newsletter and someone to chair the Social Committee. In addition, we need preferably 2 people to volunteer for maintenance. The majority of volunteer tasks is done by the same handful of people. It would be really nice if others in the community that enjoy the labors of those few volunteers would take a turn and volunteer themselves. Thank you to Kathy and Burt Sipes for stepping up to help

Tai Chi classes are postponed until September. At that time, they will only resume if 3 or more sign up. Let Nancy Skanchy know if you are interested.

MEETINGS

Bingo: Sunday, September 21st **Board Meeting:** Thursday, July 24, 1:00 PM **Finance Committee Meeting:** TBD

BrainGames

PUZZLES BY STANLEY NEWMAN

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ACROSS

- 1 Shareable computer file format
- 4 Army outpost8 Second-year
- student, for short
- 12 Work assignment13 All over again
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- **15** Larceny-minded tendency
- 18 Tyrannosaurus _____19 Building blocks of
- math: abbr.
- 20 Farmland measure
- 23 "It's my turn now"
- 24 Expert on IRS rules
- 27 Ballpark snack sellers
- 31 Nautical assent
- **32** Monopoly quartet: abbr.
- 33 Creative notion

- 34 What "-fi" may
- follow
- **35** Find a purpose for
- **37** In a fully honest way
- **44** Frequently **45** Buffalo Bill's
- surname
- 46 Get a look at
- 47 Ship of 1492
- 48 One lettuce
- 49 "Good" cholesterol: abbr.

DOWN

- 1 Nightclothes, briefly
- 2 Morse code symbol
- 3 "Ten Most Wanted"
- agency
- 4 Not genuine5 Cameo stone
- 5 Cameo stone6 Caller of boxing
- TKOs 7 Stab of pain
- 7 Stab of pain8 Loses firmness
- 9 Metal-laden rock
- 10 Miles ____ gallon
- 11 Is holding
- 16 "Street" reputation
- 17 Short-shadow hour

- 20 Cry of discovery21 Playfully shy
- 22 GPS calculation (abbr.)
- 23 ER hookups
- 24 New England seafood
- 25 Opposite of post-
- 26 Smart ____ whip
- 28 Predatory marine mammal
- **29** Dr. Seuss sourpuss **30** "Mon _____!"
 - (French exclamation)
- **34** Young lady, in Spain: abbr.
- 35 ORGANIC food seal bestower
- **36** Carpeting measure: abbr.
- 37 Ceiling fixture
- **38** "I Am the Greatest" athlete
- 39 Atom with a charge
- 40 Fawn's mother
- 41 Fireplace residue
- 42 Primary color
- 43 Snakelike fish

NUMBER FUN

SQUARE ROUTES

Fill up the rest of the grid using each of the unused numbers exactly once, so that the sum of the four numbers in each row and column equals 30.



THINK!

PERUSE THESE CLUES What common

four-letter verb is spelled identically in the present tense and past tense, but is pronounced differently?

WORDPLAY

SURE THING

Delete a letter from **CERTAINLY** and rearrange the rest to get something musical.



AARP.ORG/BRAINHEALTH Up-to-date news, resources and tips on dementia and cognitive health





Does a radioactive cat have 18 half-lives?

A CUSTOMER sat down at a table in an upscale restaurant and tied a napkin around his neck. Horrified, the manager called a waiter and instructed him, "Try to make him understand – as tactfully as possible – that that's not done here."

The waiter made his way over to the table and said, "Pardon me, sir. Shave or haircut?"

TWO BEARS watched as a group of knights in shining armor approached. "Oh, well," one said. "Canned lunch it is."

AN OLD MAN was complaining about the lack of warmth at the boardinghouse where he was staying. "It's bad enough in the daytime," he said, "but at night I wake up to the sound of my teeth chattering on the dressing table."

A MAN was walking along a country road when he saw a farmer working in his field. The man called out to the farmer, "How long will it take me to get to the next town?"

The farmer didn't answer. The man waited a bit and then started walking again. After he had gone about a hundred yards, the farmer yelled, "About 20 minutes!"

"Thank you. But why didn't you tell me that when I asked you?"

"Didn't know how fast you could walk."

A STRUGGLING AUTHOR called a publisher to inquire about a manuscript he had submitted a few weeks earlier.

"It's well-written," the publisher said, "but we really only publish work by well-known names."

"Great!" the author exclaimed. "My name's Smith!"

"I ALWAYS THOUGHT that quicks and was going to be a much bigger problem than it turned out to be. You watch cartoons and quicks and is like the third biggest thing you have to worry about, behind the actual sticks of dynamite and giant anvils falling on you from the sky." – John Mulaney



"You know I want a cracker. Must we do this every time?"



"I'm not much of a person cat myself."



"We come from a long line of pickpockets, son. You need to be proactive about your allowance."

EVENTS

There are some weekly events at some of the local breweries/pubs, wineries, and farmer's markets. For more info, see the website listed below:

July 02,14,30 at 5:00pm – Woman's Golf for Fun at Stuart Park Golf Course, \$20

July 4

- Oakland parade and picnic at 11 am
- Winston parade 09:30, Fireworks 9:30 pm at Riverbend Park
- Roseburg Fireworks 9:45 pm Douglas County Fairgrounds

July 05 – Umpqua Valley Farmers Market

- every week on Saturday
- 500 Block of Jackson St. (Downtown)

July 05 - August 30 Yoga in the Park

Every week on Saturday 10:00 am
Stuart Park

July 08 Bingo at the Roseburg Elks Lodge

- every week on Tuesday 6 pm
- Roseburg Elks Lodge #326

July 09 – 13 Graffiti Week-end

- Event locations vary
- For the full schedule of events please visit: <u>https://www.graffitiweekend.com/calendar</u>

July 11 – Revisiting Creedence at Seven Feathers

• 8 pm \$35

July 11-13 Lavender Festival and Farm Tour

- 508 Lower Garden Valley Rd, Roseburg-see tinyurl.com/2k8yef2n
- Fri/Sat 09:00 am-5 pm, Sunday 09:00-4pm

July 12 – Sutherlin Stampede Rodeo Association

• 10 am parade, 7 pm bull riding, 240 S. State St.

July 18 – Live Band: Banda Maguey at Seven Feathers

• 8:00 pm, \$35

July 18-19 Camas Valley Fun Days 2110 Frear St. Roseburg – see facebook /541-510-0757 July 18-20 Sutherlin Throwdown 10 am, Sutherlin Central Park

July 18 and July 26 Auto Races at Douglas County Dirt Track, 6:30 pm, 2110 Frear St

July 19 Victorian Garden and Tea Tour 7pm, tour begins at 105 West A Ave in Drain July 21 Auto Races at Douglas County Dirt Track, 6:30 pm July 24-26 Myrtle Creek 40th Summer Festival, 4-10 pm Thursday, 11-11 pm Friday/Saturday, Millsite Park

July 25-26 Riverbend Live! Youth Theater, 7 pm, Riverbend Park in Winston

There's numerous Line Dancing, Trivia/DJ Trivia and Karaoke nights as well as various

live music. For details, see the website below: More info at <u>https://www.experienceroseburg.com/</u>

FREE SUMMER MUSIC IN THE AREA

Music on the Half-Shell, Stewart Park – Tuesday's at 7 PM started June 17 Riverbend Live! Winston – Friday's at 7PM starting July 4 Music off Central, Sutherlin – Thursday's at 7PM starting July 3 Music in the Park, Myrtle Creek – Thursday's 6-8:30PM starting July 10



FOR HIRE

A few people in the neighborhood have used this service and highly recommend it!