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## Grand Theft Auto

Would you believe that there have been two auto thefts from the Beaver Creek area in a three day span?

The first vehicle was a green 2002 Suzuki ATV, owned by Tom Rodgers, whose residence is on Powder Road in Beaver Creek. Mr Rodgers was awakened at about 2:20 a.m. on the morning of May 4, 2003, by the sound of what he thought was his ATV being started. The vehicle was parked in an open area next to the Rodgers' residence. Mr Rodgers got up and went outside to look and saw an unknown individual driving his vehicle down the road.

The second vehicle, a 1967 blue Camaro, was stolen on May 7, 2003, from the Micheal Yoder residence on Beaver Creek Road (near Williams Road and Whitney Lane). The vehicle had been stolen sometime during the night. This Camaro had undergone years of restoration and was Mr. Yoder's pride and joy.

The car was later found up on Hillock Burn Road near Estacada. The car was stripped down. Nothing remained but the shell.

There have been quite a few burglaries recently in the area. The thieves have been quite brazen in their pursuit. In one case a garage was broken into on Henrici Road during the evening hours while the homeowner was away. The thieves disassembled the homeowners' 1969 Camaro using the homeowners' own tools.

There have been other instances of garages being broken into and car parts stolen.

Apparently, we have a ring, or possibly more than one, operating in our vicinity. These individuals seem to know who to target. If you have a classic car or cars, or are restoring an older vehicle for fun or profit, it might be a good idea to talk to a security service about protecting your home and outbuildings. It might save you a lot of grief and money in the long run.

If you see anything suspicious in your neighborhood call the Sheriff's department and report it. Don't assume everything is alright and the homeowner knows what is going on. If you make an innocent mistake and the authorities show up and everything is alright I'm sure your neighbor will be grateful. It is when we make assumptions, or don't want to get involved because of our busy schedules, that these things happen and innocent people are hurt. Some things can never be put back the way they were. The Editor

## Community Calendar

### **Beaver Creek Committee for Community Planning (BCCP)...**

"As needed" basis at the Fire Station at 7:30 p.m.

### **Beaver Creek Boosters...**

3rd Wednesday at the Grange at 7:30 p.m.

### **Beaver Creek Charitable Trust...**

2nd Wednesday at the BCT Henrici Community Room at 7:30 p.m.

### **Beaver Creek Community Planning Org. (CPO)...**

4th Wednesday at the Grange at 7:00 p.m.

### **Beaver Creek CPO Directors Meetings...**

Tuesday before 4th Wednesday at the Fire Station Ready Room 7:00 p.m.

### **Beaver Creek Grange...**

2nd Saturday at the Grange, potluck at 6:00 p.m., meeting at 7:00 p.m.

### **Beaver Creek Lions...**

1st and 3rd Saturday at the Grange at 7:30 a.m.

### **Boy Scout Troop #445...**

Mondays at the Fire Station at 7:00 p.m.

### **Boy Scout Troop #139...**

Mondays at the Grange at 7:00 p.m.

### **Carus Community Planning Org. (CPO)...**

2nd Thursday at the Stone Creek Christian Church at 7:00 p.m.

### **Carus School PTA...**

2nd Tuesday in the School Library at 7:00 p.m.

### **Clarkes Community Planning Org. (CPO)...**

1st Wednesday of each Quarter plus February & March at the Clarkes Fire Station at 7:00 p.m.

### **Oregon City/Beaver Creek Mom's Club...**

1st Monday at the United Methodist Church, 18955 South End Rd., at 9:30 a.m.

### **Oregon City Commission Meetings...**

1st & 3rd Wednesday at City Hall at 7:00 p.m.

### **Oregon City School Dist Board...**

2nd Monday at the District Board Room at 7:00 p.m.



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**New Summer  
Piano Class!**

An eight session group class for beginners is being offered at the Music Place in Beavercreek. The class will meet on Wednesdays from June 18th to August 6th.

Class size will be small, with no more than 5 students per session. Featured, will be introduction to piano keyboard, rhythm, theory and ear training. Concepts are reinforced by musical games.

For more information, please contact Murial Arndt at 503-632-8637.

**Clarkes School News**

**June Events**

- 3 5th Grade Promotion / Celebration, 10:00 a.m.
- 4 Last Day of School

**Church Directory  
for the Beavercreek,  
Carus, Clarkes and  
Oregon City Areas**



**Beavercreek Baptist Church**

15660 S. Leland Rd.  
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**Sunday School:** 9:00 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. (Youth Only 10:45)

**Sunday Worship:** 9:00 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.

**Youth:** Tuesdays at 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

**Ladies Bible Study:** Thursdays at 10:00 a.m.

**Women's Breakfast:** 1st Saturday at 9:00 a.m.

**Stone Creek Christian Church**

21949 S. Molalla Ave.  
(503) 632-4218

**Sunday School:** 9:00 a.m.

**Sunday Worship:** 10:00 a.m.

**Youth Group:** Wednesdays at 6:42 p.m.

**Marriage Enrichment Class:** Sundays at 6:30 p.m.

**Clarkes United Methodist Church**

18773 S. Windy City Rd.  
(503) 632-7778

**Sunday Worship:** 9:00 a.m.

**Sunday School:** 10:30 a.m.

**United Methodist Women:** 2nd Wed., 9:30 a.m.

**Lower Highland Bible Church**

24353 S. Ridge Rd.  
(503) 632-4741

**Sunday Worship:** 11:00 a.m.

**Sunday School:** 9:45 a.m.

**Mid-Week Worship:** Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.

**Bundox Youth Group:** Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.

**Men's Group:** Thursdays at 7:00 p.m.

**St. Paul's Episcopal Church**

822 Washington St.  
(503) 656-9842

**Sunday Worship:** 7:30 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

**Sunday School:** 9:00 a.m.

**Wednesday Evening Worship:** 7:00 p.m.

**AA Meetings:** Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.

**Ten O'Clock Church**

aka **United Church of Christ**  
23345 S. Beavercreek Rd.  
(503) 632- 4553

**Worship Meetings:** Sunday Mornings at 10:00 a.m.

**AA Meetings:** Mondays at 7:30 p.m., open to the public

**Trinity Lutheran Church**

16000 S. Henrici Rd.  
(503) 632-5554

**Sunday Services:** 8:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

**Sunday School:** 9:30 a.m.

**Sunday Evening Service:** 5:30 p.m.

Church Directory  
for the  
Beavercreek, Carus,  
Clarkes and Oregon  
City Areas continued



**Bryn Seion Welsh Church**  
22132 S. Kamrath Rd,  
(503) 630-5317

**Sunday Worship:** the 2nd & 4th Sunday at 11:00 a.m.  
A nondenominational Christian Church - open to all!  
*Potluck following the service*

**Oregon Trail Free Will Baptist Church**  
14595 S. Henrici Rd.  
(503) 557-8559

**Sunday School for all ages:** 9:45 a.m.  
**Sunday Worship:** 10:55 a.m.  
**Sunday Evening Bible Study:** 6:00 p.m.  
**Sunday Youth Group:** 6:00 p.m.  
**Thursday Evening Bible Study:** 7:00 p.m.  
**AWANA Childrens Program:** Thursdays, 6:15 p.m.

**Grand View Baptist Church**  
(Corner of Hwy 213 & Leland Rd.)  
503-632-8100

**Early Service:** 8:30 a.m.  
**Bible Study:** 10:00 a.m.  
**Main Service:** 11:00 a.m.  
**Sunday Evening:** 6:00 p.m.  
**Wednesday:** 7:00 p.m.  
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**Fall Soccer Registration Deadline is June 5th**

**Spelling Bee winner announced:**

Congratulations, David! David Loughridge, a 3rd grader in Mrs. Koos' class, won this year's Clarkes Spelling Bee! Good job, David!

**Box Tops for Education**

If you've been saving up your Box Tops for Education, now's the time to get them in! We will be cutting, counting & sending them in within the next couple of weeks. Funds from this program are used to purchase books for our school, so this is an important yet uncomplicated fundraising program for our your children. Thank you for your support!

**Clarkes Four Corners Reader Board**

We wish to express our thanks to Ramona Welle, who has been doing a great job of keeping the reader board updated. Because her youngest is heading off to Middle School next year, we will need a volunteer to carry the torch starting in September. Please call the school at 503-632-3290 if you can carry on this important community task.

**Hardworking Students Recognized**

The following students were presented with an award

for exhibiting their "hardworking" qualities:

Darren Early, Dusty Herzog, Candace Bostick, KayLa DeNardis, Morgan Phelps, Chief Sawyer, Cameron LeBrun, Amanda Elliott, Kaitlyn Oliver, Cheyenne Shepherd, BreAnna Simms, Hannah Engle, MacKenzie Reck, Wolfgang Braun, Tanner Sawyer, Bryce Leedham, Tom Sheppard, Carina Serrano, Mitch Cipriano, Taylor Padilla, Jake Hoffman, Jacob Goodrum, J.C. Dumolt, Ryan Sullins, & Loren Johnson. Congratulations to you all!!

**Kindergarten Registration**

If you or someone you know has a child entering Kindergarten next year, please be sure to get them registered as soon as possible.

Kindergarten entrance requirements are:


- Registration / Student Information Card
- Certificate of Immunization Status, completed and signed by parent/guardian.
- Copy of birth record (students must be 5 years old on or before 9/1/03)

**Planning for Next Year**

Teachers will soon be meeting with each other to place students in classrooms for next year. They take into consideration many factors, such as personalities (both classmates & teacher), academic levels, and special needs to ensure the best possible placement for your children. If you feel there are important factors to consider for 2003/04 placement, that your child's current teacher is unaware of, please complete and return a Student Information sheet as soon as possible.

## Help Shape Clackamas County's Cultural Future

The Arts Action Alliance invites Clackamas County citizens to join upcoming discussions concerning local cultural needs and goals. This countywide cultural planning process is underway as part of the Oregon Cultural Trust's initiative, a citizen-driven project aimed to ensure the preservation of Oregon's cultural assets. Appointed by the Clackamas County Board of Commissioners, a Cultural Coalition Steering Committee



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is guiding the process.

During May and June the Cultural Coalition Steering Committee, managed by the Arts Action Alliance, will lead four community discussions of Clackamas County cultural needs and goals. Participants will help guide future planning and decisions.

County residents may attend whichever day and time is convenient regardless of where they reside. Meeting times and locations are:

7:00 - 9:00 p.m., June 17, Estacada City Hall, 475 S. E. Main St., Estacada

4:00 - 6:00 p.m., June 18, Milwaukie Center, 5440 Kellogg Creek Dr., Milwaukie

For more information, contact the Arts Action Alliance of Clackamas County (503) 655-0525

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**“Beavercreek Oregon  
a History  
Through the Looking Glass”**

*This is Part X of a series of articles on the history of the Beavercreek area. Written by Jack Watts, whose family were some of the early settlers of the community. This history is reprinted from his original manuscript that had until now never been published, by permission of Gordon Watts. We dedicate this series to a man and his love of the Beavercreek countryside who took the time to stop, look, listen and capture for all, his remembrances. The Editor.*

--- AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRY (CONT.) ---

In 1958 the Northwest Berry Association was organized and Mr. Herbert Steiner became president of the Association. This group contracted their crops to the most lucrative bidding processors. There was a great need for pickers, and indeed there were hundreds of them around - families coming from as far away as Missouri and other states. These migrant families followed the crops and came year after year. One family from Missouri was very large with the children's ages ranging from a baby-in-arms to teenagers, and it seemed that each year there was a new baby. They were in the fields early and made good wages,

especially in those years when the market prices were the highest.

The growers had many problems with pickers, especially with children who failed to pick their rows clean; and as the old saying goes, "kids will be kids." They would play and toss berries around at one another and their clothes and faces bore the indelible dye of the berries.

There were field bosses who rode herd on these miscreants and who tried to keep some semblance of order and industry going, but the field boss had to move on eventually and the pickers resorted to their old antics very often. The migrant families went to the local stores every day at lunch time to buy their lunch; each one seemed to be on his or her own buying wieners, pop, potato chips, mostly junk foods.

When the pickers weighed in their berries they were issued tickets that indicated how many pounds of berries had been picked. These tickets were surrendered when pickers were given their final pay. There was one couple who picked for McKays over the years who had to have their pay at the end of every day's picking. They always stopped at a local store to cash their checks before going home (Banks charged them to cash their checks).

As the years passed, it became increasingly difficult to obtain dependable pickers to harvest the crop, especially when more steady employment became available. Those that did pick were more independent and toward the end of the season when picking was not as good, there was always a noticeable drop-off among pickers in spite of the fact most growers



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offered a bonus to anyone who stayed to the end of the season. When one year a real problem developed in lining up enough pickers, the growers learned that it was possible to get pickers from Portland's skid row. The McKays made arrangements to hire this crew and were told when they arrived that wine was to be available right away and informed them on how much to get. Since this was a surprise to the McKays, it was necessary for Mrs. McKay to drive to Oregon City and way points to buy the wine. And she, not being altogether familiar with this sort of shopping found that there was a limit to the number of bottles one establishment could sell to one person, which necessitated patronizing several such places to obtain the quantity required. Upon her return the wine was turned over to the man who had informed her of its immediate need. This caused her to be severely reproved by the supervisor of the group, who told her it was only to be distributed among the men after the day's work was done, and not before! The man responsible for the problem had known better and stood beside her while she was reprimanded but spoke nary a word in her defense knowing he would be in trouble with his boss. She, taking the rap without implicating him, later had the opportunity to let him know in no uncertain terms that she did not appreciate the problem he had caused.



Steam engine and threshing mashine. Picture couteousy of Nell B. Harris

When pickers were no longer a dependable source, a

machine was finally developed for blackcap picking. This is a very large machine that straddles the row shaking the berries onto a conveyor belt that is presided over by a small crew that removes leaves and, debris as the berries are crated.

Livestock has proved to be an important line for some, while others have raised turkeys and broilers commercially, as well as poultry farms strictly for egg production, while the farm flocks have all but disappeared.

In addition to the Harris Sawmill, there were many sawmills in the area. Larkin's Mill operated in several locations in the Highland District, along with Schreiber's and Roy Hehn's Mills. And, at a later date, the Clackamas Fir Lumber Company was one of the larger mills that shipped much of its lumber by rail over the old Carver Railroad. In the Clarkes area the A.W. Bell Sawmill was also one of the larger mills, and the Marshalls and Forristalls operated mills there. There was also the Moehnke and Bluhm Mill near the old Lower Highland Road, which is now the South Carus Road, located east of the South Beavercreek Road. And, there was the old, old, Cutting Sawmill that was located west of the Beavercreek stores. Carl and Walter Steiner operated a shingle mill under the name Steiner Brothers, located on the home place.

*Here ends Part X of "Beavercreek Oregon a History Through the Looking Glass." (Agriculture and Industry). The Editor.*



## Beavercreek Baptist Strawberry Festival

"Come and enjoy  
strawberries and ice cream  
with us!"

June 21st will be the date for this years Strawberry Festival. The festival will be held from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. at the church at 15660 S. Leland Rd.

The festival and goodies are free to the public, but you may give a free will offering if you desire. For more info call the church at 503-632-7505.



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## Carus School News

**Wanted: Carus Parents**

By Carus PTA

Your Carus PTA is accepting nominations for its board members for the 2003-2004 school year. Many of the parents currently involved with the PTA will be leaving us next year and the year after, as their children will be moving to junior high school.

Although it is the PTA's desire to have every parent's involvement, we are especially interested in involving parents with children in the younger grades to have continuity for several years. This may be your opportunity to make a difference!

Without your support, many programs and projects supported and sponsored by PTA may become a thing of the past. We are looking for new, fresh ideas from parents who may not have been involved with PTA before.

The board member positions are: President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary, Membership Coordinator and Volunteer Coordinator. Many of these positions have been co-positions in the past (i.e. Co-Presidents, Co-Vice-Presidents, etc.) so that people may share the responsibility of the job.

We welcome your questions. Please contact Kim Schwend, Treasurer, at (503) 632-3928 or Michele Summerlin, Membership Coordinator, at (503) 632-7323 to see how you can make a difference!

**Artist in Residence**

Greta Pedersen, the artist-in-residence who has been working with our students for the past few weeks, performed at the Oregon City Library on Saturday, April 26, 2003 at 1:00 p.m. This was a family sing-along for all ages program.

**5% Back to Schools Program**

The 2003 5% Back to School Program at Office Depot began on May 1, 2003 and will continue through December 31, 2003. This program is Office Depot's way of saying "thank you" for the difference you make in the lives of children in our communities. If you shop for school supplies at Office Depot and use the **Carus School ID number 70084166**, they will donate 5% of your purchase back to the school.

**Kindergarten Registration**

The official Kindergarten registration was held on Thursday, May 1st from 3:45 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the school library. Parents were required to bring their child's birth certificate, social security number and immunization records. The children could not register for Kindergarten without this information. The copier in the library was used if copies of the original documents were needed.

The Kindergarten classes at Carus are half-day classes offered both in the morning and afternoon. The morning class this year is from 9:08 a.m. to 11:49 a.m. with bus service to and from school. The afternoon class is from 12:49 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. with bus service provided to and from school as well.

Class preference (morning or afternoon) cannot be guaranteed and students will not be considered registered unless the following information has been provided:

- Copy of the child's birth certificate.
- Immunization Records
- Your child's social security number.

The school will be open through the month of June, closed for the month of July and open again in the month of August. You are invited to call the school at 503-632-3130 for more information.

## Beavercreek Saloon

Tues: Two Wheel Tuesday begins at 7:00  
 Wed & Thurs: Karaoke from 7:00 - 11:00  
 Wed: Taco Wednesday begins at 5:00  
 Fri & Sat Evenings: Live music 9:00 - 2:00  
 Sun: Bloody Mary Specials & Free Pool

Happy Hour 4:30 - 6:30 Mon- Fri

### June Band List

Jun 6 - 7: Southern Breakdown (Country)

Jun 20 - 21: Kool Tones (60s - 80s)

Jun 13 - 14: Step Child (Rock & Roll)

Jun 27 - 28: Curtis James Band (Variety)

Jul 4 - 5: Hipwaiters (Rock & Roll)



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If you happen to know of neighbors that have kindergarten age children or children that will be entering the first grade and have attended private school previously, please encourage them to call the school office in case they do not get this notice.

**Fun Walk/Run**

Clackamas Women's Service 4th annual Pathway to Peace fun walk/run was held on Sunday, May 18th at Clackamas Community College. This was a 5K walk/run that traveled the perimeter of the Clackamas Community College campus on flat terrain with an assortment of walking surfaces: black top, track, and trails through light forest. Registrants received a free t-shirt.

**Ackerman New Parent Night**

Ackerman held a parents night for next year's 6th graders on Thursday, May 8th from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. and one for next year's 7th graders on Wednesday, May 7th from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. It was important that Ackerman connect and talk with new incoming 6th grade parents, and they felt it was important to talk with next year's 7th grade parents due to the differences in the 6th grade and 7th grade structure and class offerings.

**Music's in the Air at CCC**

Vocal and instrumental students at Clackamas Community College will perform in a series of end-of-the-year concerts. The June concert schedule follows:

**• Wednesday, June 4, 7:30 p.m., Instrumental Jazz Night:**

Talented CCC jazz students will perform classic jazz standards and contemporary



compositions with musical arrangements by David Mills with Tom Wakeling conducting. The concert takes place in the McLoughlin Theatre. Admission is \$5.

**• Thursday, June 5, 7:30 p.m. CCC Spring Band Concert:**

David Mills conducts the talented CCC instrumental band students in the spring concert at 7:30 p.m. in the Gregory Forum. Admission is \$5. For more information, call the Music Department at 503-657-6958, ext. 2434. Admission is \$5

**• Friday, June 6, 7:30 p.m., Vocal Jazz Night:**

Lonnie Cline directs the CCC Mainstream vocal jazz ensemble in a medley of pop and jazz arrangements ranging from Stevie Wonder classics to old school and contemporary jazz. The concert is in the Gregory Forum. Admission is \$6 adults, and \$3 for students and seniors. Children 12 and younger are free.

**• Sunday, June 8, 7:30 p.m., Chamber Choir Concert:**

The spring choir concert encompasses work from throughout the year and some new arrangements. The

**Oregon City Commission Meetings**



Meetings are held the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

Videos will be shown on the Monday following the meeting at 8:00 p.m. on Channel 60

concert will take place in the Gregory Forum. Admission is \$6 adults and \$3 for students. Children 12 and younger are free. For more information, contact the Music Department at 503-657-6958, ext. 2434.



**Beavercreek Fire Station Calls**

The following are the alarms for the Beavercreek and Clarkes response areas for Clackamas County Fire District #1 from August 20 - Sept 20, 2002.

Submitted by Lt. Jeff Smith - Beavercreek Fire Station

- Apr 20** - 14:35 - S. Myers Rd - Medical aid
- 19:10 - S. Hillsvie Ln. - Medical aid
- Apr 21** - 10:36 - S. Hillsvie Ln. - Medical aid
- 20:31 - S. Connie Ct. - House fire
- 22:26 - S. Appleton Dr. - Chest pain
- Apr 22** - 13:19 - S. Ferguson Rd. - Grass fire
- 13:56 - S. Hillsvie Ln. - Medical aid
- Apr 25** - 18:07 - S. Leland Rd. - Motor Vehicle Acc
- 22:38 - S. Carus - Unknown type fire
- Apr 26** - 14:30 - S. Windy City Rd. - Stroke
- 15:20 - S. Henrici Rd. - Motor Vehicle Acc
- 17:26 - S. Beavercreek Rd. - Motor Vehicle Acc
- Apr 27** - 00:53 - S. Yoeman Rd. - Smoke scare
- 03:00 - S. Beavercreek Rd. - Chest pain

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## Beavercreek Charitable Trust Information Line

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Volunteer for Co Burn Days - Option 6  
Volunteer for Upcoming Workcrew Days - Option 7

20:49 - S. Wilshire Ct. - Medical  
22:30 - S. Beavercreek Rd. - Motor Vehicle Acc  
**Apr 28** - 18:09 - S. Leland Rd. - Gunshot  
**Apr 30** - 06:42 - S. Olson Rd. - Motor Vehicle Acc  
15:04 - S. Howards Mill Rd. - Medical aid  
18:15 - S. Yoeman Rd. - Medical aid  
18:46 - S. Beavercreek Rd. - Medical aid  
19:07 - S. New Era Rd. - Fire alarm  
23:21 - S. South End Rd. - Barn fire  
**May 2** - 04:31 - S. Hwy 213 - Motor Vehicle Acc  
13:46 - S. Redland Rd. - Grass fire  
18:39 - S. Upper Highland Rd. - Structure (shop) fire  
**May 3** - 12:00 - S. Leland Rd. - Illegal burn  
13:11 - S. Wood Glen - House fire  
**May 4** - 08:54 - S. Loma Linda Dr. - Fire alarm  
09:04 - Chimney fire  
**May 5** - 18:55 - S. New Kirchner Rd. - Back pain  
20:54 - S. Bayberry Dr. - Breathing difficulty  
23:02 - S. Causey Ave. - Chest pain  
23:55 - S. Mint Lake Rd. - Breathing difficulty  
**May 6** - 06:55 - S. Dales Ln. - Electrical odor  
14:06 - S. Carus Rd. - Medical aid  
**May 9** - 15:40 - S. Beavercreek Rd. - Public assist  
**May 10** - 09:30 - S. Hwy 213 & Quail Crest -

Wires down  
11:51 - S. Hwy 213 & Mitchell Ln. - Seizure  
**May 11** - 04:58 - S. Hwy 213 - Diabetic  
**May 12** - 20:56 - S. Henrici Rd. - Medical aid  
**May 13** - 11:22 - S. Beavercreek Rd. - Fall  
18:45 - S. Beavercreek Rd. - Fall  
**May 15** - 09:30 - S. Loder Rd. - Car fire  
**May 16** - 18:07 - S. Hwy 213 - Slumper  
**May 17** - 13:48 - S. Warner Milne - Bicycle crash  
17:24 - S. Windy City Rd. - Motor Vehicle Acc  
21:11 - S. Leland Rd. - Motor Vehicle Acc  
**May 18** - 21:15 - S. Longhorn - Structure fire  
**May 19** - 09:30 - S. New Era Rd. - Cardiac arrest  
15:39 - S. Upper Highland Rd. - Grass fire  
**May 20** - 00:02 - S. Lammer Rd. - Smoke scare  
11:27 - S. Redland Rd. - Public assist  
21:50 - S. Clearview Ct. - Seizure

## Students Distribute Almost \$9,000 in Grants to Local Nonprofit Organizations

Community 101 students at Carus Elementary School recently shared some good news with Clackamas County area community groups. As participants in the PGE Foundation's innovative philanthropy program, students in Carol Dubuy's fourth- and fifth-grade class presented \$8,669 in charitable grants to seven nonprofit organizations at a reception held at the school Tuesday, April 29. Dubuy's students also made a \$1,000 contribution to fund programs at Carus. The PGE Foundation, PGE employees and Carus student fund-raisers provided Community 101 funding.

Community 101 is a yearlong youth involvement program designed to help teach students the importance of community service and empower them to directly impact Oregon communities through the grantmaking process.

Carus is the only elementary school among the 25 programs enrolled in this year's Community 101. Through their hard work, approximately 800 students are distributing almost \$200,000.00 to nonprofit agencies throughout the state of Oregon.

Community 101 students at Carus Elementary School presented grants to the following organizations:

1. \$500 granted to Canby Adult Center to fund emergency services and exercise classes for low-

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2. \$1,000 granted to Catholic Charities to fund an adult native-language literacy program for low-income Hispanic families.
3. \$1,125 granted to Court Appointed Special Advocates to fund coordinator training programs.
4. \$1,125 granted to Outside In to provide incentives for homeless youth.
5. \$1,468 granted to Clackamas Women's Services to fund a program that supports children in domestic violence situations.
6. \$1,827 granted to Clackamas Service Center to fund emergency food assistance programs. This grant was funded from PGE employee contributions.
7. \$624 (raised by Carus students) granted to Kirstin's Klostet at Legacy Emanuel Children's Hospital. Funds will be used to purchase pajamas for children undergoing cancer treatment. Kirstin's Klostet was created as a tribute to Dubuy's 4-year-old granddaughter who currently is in remission from cancer.
8. \$1,000 to be used for programs within Carus Elementary School.

In addition, students also raised \$100 to seed a Community 101 endowment fund, to be named in honor of Dubuy, for the new Carus Community 101 Club.

Supervised by teacher/advisors, students use

Community 101 materials to guide them through the grantmaking process. In creating their own charitable foundations, students write mission statements, set goals and research community needs, and the PGE Foundation encourages participants to fundraise a portion of the money they distribute. Students also volunteer at local organizations and conduct site visits with a variety of community groups. Using the information gathered from these experiences, students solicit and evaluate grant requests from nonprofit organizations. Then during the spring, students announce grant recipients.

Community 101 adds value to the educational system by developing civic responsibility among students, planting the seeds for lifelong community involvement. The program teaches skills needed for leadership and in future careers. In addition, Community 101 strengthens communities, both through the grants allocated by students and the new partnerships formed between schools, nonprofit groups and businesses.

Created in 1997, Community 101 is the signature program of the corporate foundation of Portland General Electric. The mission of Community 101 is to help young people discover more about their communities -- and enable them to bring about positive changes -- through grantmaking. In 2002, Community 101 received the Youth in Philanthropy Award from the Association of Fundraising Professionals.

The PGE Foundation is committed to improving the quality of life for all Oregonians by supporting statewide programs and services that encourage healthy families, provide educational opportunities, preserve the environment and encourage the arts and cultural diversity. To learn more about the PGE Foundation, please visit [www.pgefoundation.org](http://www.pgefoundation.org).

## Volunteer Opportunities at the Milwaukie Center

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**Office Paper Recycling Saves the Environment:**

Once a week we need someone to help us recycle our office paper. Call Donna at 503-653-8100.

**Rose Guardians:**

Keep the garden pretty. Adopt a bed of roses and take responsibility for pruning, deadheading and caring for 14-17 roses in the Sara Hite Memorial Rose Garden. Colleen will share more information, 503-653-8100.

**Senior Companions Help Homebound Folks:**

Are you interested in sharing your time with someone who has no one else? Help write letters, read a book, play cards, go shopping, share a meal. Call Jakob for more information at 503-653-8100.

**Bazaar Coordinator Keeps This Money-Maker Going Strong:**

Our October Bazaar needs a coordinator to work with staff and vendors - are you an organizer? Please



call Don to help with this Nutrition Program fund-raiser, 503-654-3030.

The Milwaukie Center has many volunteer jobs beyond what is listed above. Call 503-653-8100 for an appointment.



**68th Annual  
Welsh  
Singing Festival  
"Gymanfa Ganu"  
at Bryn Seion  
Welsh Church**

Bryn Seion is the oldest Welsh church on the Pacific Coast. Located at 22132 S. Kamrath Road, Beavercreek, Oregon 5 miles south of Oregon City.

**EVENT DATE Sunday, June 22nd, 2003**


**Festival Schedule:**

11:00 a.m. - Traditional church service with Rev. Ed Neuenfeldt, minister, and Carolyn Roberts, organist.

1:45 p.m. - First session of the Gymanfa Ganu. Special guests Annette Pritchard, harpist, Lucy Goman, vocalist, Jordan Brookshire, vocalist and Beverly Ratajak Accompanist will join Timothy Dyck, of Seattle who will be Director of this years singing.

4:00 p.m. - Tea, the Church will serve tea and Welsh

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6:00 p.m. - Second session of the Gymanfa Ganu continues with group singing and requests.

Whether you have Welsh heritage or not, you will be very welcome at this Celtic cultural event.

It is not generally known, but a fact nevertheless, that part-singing had its origin and early development among the Cymry, or as the English called them - the Welsh. It is indeed a pleasure to listen to four-part hymn singing. In Wales the small village churches nestled in the lovely green valleys were centers of religious and social life. After services the Welsh would linger in church and would continue to sing old hymns and practice new ones.

The Northwest is fortunate to have many Welsh people and their descendants who are continuing this tradition at Bryn Seion Welsh Church in Beavercreek, Oregon. This church was built in 1884 by Welsh immigrants and is still active today. People come from all over the Northwest for this song festival. Music fills the church and spills over to the shaded grounds. It is a full day and you can attend any or all of the activities. Come early to get a seat in the church or listen outside. Some seating is provided but there are no reserved seats. It is suggested that you bring lawn chairs as there is generally a large crowd and it is more comfortable listening to the beautiful music while lounging in your own chair. Everyone is invited to participate in the singing. For more information, call Janet Figini, 503-630-5317, or Gerri Parry 206-524-0854.

necessary as a safety precaution due to the type of work being done and the associated hazards. During this time, the park restrooms and trails will remain open. Also, our Boones Ferry Boat Launch in Wilsonville is open for your convenience. Questions can be directed to the Clackamas County Parks office at 503-353-4414 weekdays from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

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## Clackamas County Kicks Off New Online Permits System and Information Database

The Clackamas County Department of Transportation and Development is now offering internet access to its computerized permits system to contractors and the general public. This system, known as "VelocityHall", is a service that allows customers to have access to permitting information over the Web, and:

- Check or research permit data by address, permit number or contractor license number
- Review the status of the above permits
- Check on inspection results (for contractors only)
- Request inspections or take out permits

This service is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. It use can save time for the general public, since they won't have to come to the office to obtain information, or wait on the phone for someone to do data research. The database goes back to March 6, 1996.

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## Hebb Park Dock and Boat Ramp Temporarily Closed

The Oregon State Marine Board (OSMB) and Oregon Fish & Wildlife recently awarded Clackamas County Parks a grant to repair and upgrade the parking lot of Hebb Park in Canby. OSMB has contracted with Banzer Construction to perform this work.

The Hebb Park parking lot, dock and boat ramp are closed to vehicles and other public use until the completion of the construction project. The main gate will be blocked and/or secured. This closure is

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mechanical permits that do not require a plan review will be available over the system. Contractors can also schedule inspections on this system, or use the existing telephone system.

The system does charge a \$5 convenience fee plus 10 percent of the permit's fee value when it is used to issue a permit. (A \$100 permit would cost the applicant \$15 plus the \$100 permit fee.) All other services are available at no charge. Clackamas County encourages its citizens and customers to use this new system. If questions arise concerning its use, contact us at 503-353-4400. To access the site go to:

[www.accela.com/clackamascounty](http://www.accela.com/clackamascounty)

For more information call Dick Polson at 503-353-4748.



Mark your calendars for BCT's Annual Meeting and Barbeque on Saturday, June 14th at Clackamas Community College in the Randall Hall Gymnasium.

Registration opens at 9:30 a.m., followed by a business meeting at 10:30 a.m. Terrific door prizes will be awarded to lucky members, along with plenty of tasty food and fun for everyone.

Employees and the board of directors look forward to seeing you there!

### **North Clackamas Parks and Rec District Offers Summer Youth Sports Camps**

The North Clackamas Parks and Recreation District is offering a variety of youth sports camps this summer. Soccer, tennis, sand volleyball and rugby are only some of the many exciting opportunities. Camps are held at various locations.

The weeklong sessions run from June 23 through Aug. 29. Half- and full-day camps are offered. Most camps will include swimming at the North Clackamas Aquatic Park on Fridays.

Contact the North Clackamas Parks and Recreation District at 503-794-8080 for a program guide or visit the website at [www.pdxsurf.com](http://www.pdxsurf.com).

**CONTACT:** Mollie King, Recreation Coordinator, North Clackamas Parks and Recreation District, (503) 794-8080

### **Clackamas County Offers Free Mental Health Classes in June**

Clackamas County Mental Health Services will offer a free series of mental health related classes four

Monday evenings in June. The classes will be taught by clinical staff and each session will be held at Clackamas Community College in Barlow 114 from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. All classes are free and open to the public.

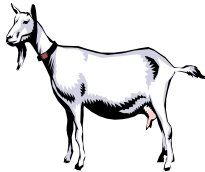
**June 2 - How to Use Crisis Mental Health Services**

Staff at Clackamas County Mental Health will discuss how to access both public and private services with an emphasis on accessing services in times of crisis. Also discussed will be involuntary treatment options. Speakers: Al Belais

**June 9 - Self-Determination for the Developmentally Disabled**

This class is a presentation on the principles of self-determination for persons with developmental disabilities. The class will be presented by The

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**June 16 - Getting the Most Out of Mental Health Services**

What can you expect from mental health services? How do you identify your needs and communicate those needs to your therapist or doctor? How do you get the most out of your time when seeking help?

Speaker: Jan Miller

**June 23 - Feeling Safe in a Troubled World**

This presentation offers a common sense approach to keeping children, teens, and adults physically and emotionally safe in an unsafe world. Learn from seven years of research conducted by Dr. Portland. Important information on safety plans, The Bad Guys, school safety and violence, terrorism and cults, and the 12 essential rules for physical safety.

Speaker: Christine Portland, Psy.D.

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Beaver Creek  
Charitable Trust News

The board meeting for the Trust was held on Wednesday, May 14, 2003.

The preliminary plan for the grading of the park

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property was presented to the board by Compass Engineering. These plans were then duly approved. Compass will now do some final revisions and submit the grading plan as well as a preliminary storm water plan to the County for review and approval. Compass expects to have an approved set of plans by early to mid July. At the time the plans are complete a fund raising campaign needs to begin to have the initial grading of the property completed and seeded for the fall and winter of 2003.

Discussion also centered around the small corner park on Beavercreek Road and who is responsible for weeding the flower beds etc. Beaver Creek Cooperative Telephone Company stepped forward and committed their facilities maintenance crew to do whatever is necessary on a regular basis to keep the property looking nice. BCT currently mows the property and cleans the trash that gets left behind by users of the park. *Submitted by Paul Hauer, BCT.*

## Clackamas County Committee for Citizen Involvement Met May 13

The Committee for Citizen Involvement of Clackamas County met May 13, 2003, from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at 906 Main St., Oregon City in the 2nd floor conference room.

The agenda included deciding which work projects to commit to for the next year and to give feedback to the Planning Division about a temporary permit brochure.

A detailed agenda can be found on the County Web



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The function of the Committee for Citizen Involvement is to provide opportunities for citizens to participate effectively in Clackamas County's land use planning and decision making process.

The Committee for Citizen Involvement has two vacancies. If the Committee's purpose interests you, come attend this meeting and future meetings. The Committee meets the second Tuesday of Month from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. For more information call Michelle Majeski at (503) 655-8552.

## Beavercreek CPO Spotlight

The May meeting of the Beavercreek CPO took place on Wednesday, May 28, 2003, at the Beavercreek Grange on Kamrath Rd.

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. with 22 members and guests in attendance.

There was no guest speaker.

Land-use actions before the membership were discussed.

Elizabeth Graser-Lindsey gave an update on the bills that the CPO has been working on in the Senate and the Legislature. The committees for this Legislative session are shut down and since at least one of the bills was sent back to committee at the last minute we can assume that these bills are dead for now.

It is very frustrating to have to deal with our elected officials at times. No one wants to step up to the plate and take responsibility for what happened to these bills. We'll just have to keep trying.

If more people paid attention to what our Senators and Legislators are doing while the Senate and Legislature are in session and if they would get more involved in the process, voice their opinions and write to these individuals we could accomplish much much more.

The next meeting of the CPO will be held on Wednesday, June 25, 2003 at the same place and time. For more information call 503-632-8370.

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## Mother's Day Annual Pancake Breakfast a Success!

The annual Mother's Day Breakfast that was held at the Beavercreek Grange on Mother's Day was deemed a tremendous success.

Yours truly was there at 8:30 a.m. and they were quite busy then. The crowds kept flowing

through the Grange and when 12:00 came (quitting time) they had to keep the doors open as the people kept coming.

My source stated that he thought there were more than 250 people who came to eat the "all you can eat" breakfast.

I have to say, the people of the Grange have some pretty good cooks in their group and the food was enjoyed by all. Keep up the good work!

I'm ready for next year already, but now have to wait. Bummer! The Editor

## Burgers and Bingo at the "Corner Park"

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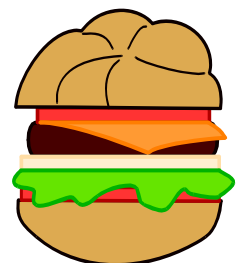
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