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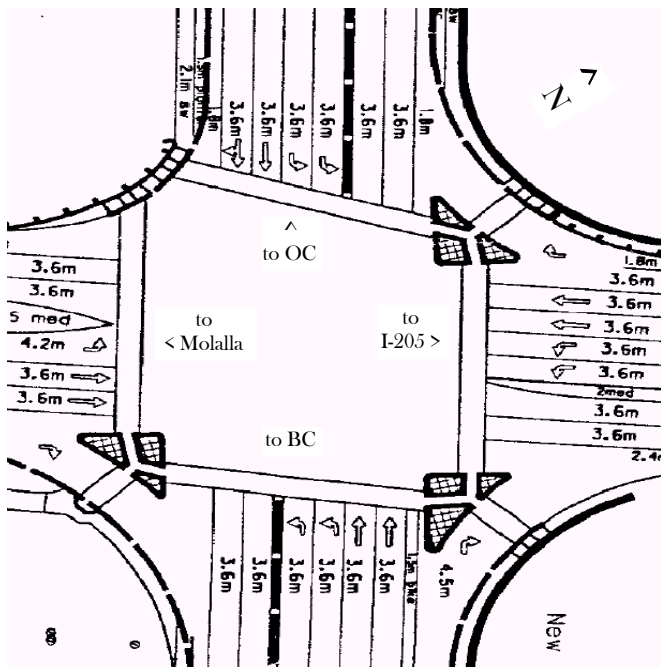
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June 2004

Okay, Okay I Checked It Out

What a relief... I think! I hope!

The other day I was dropping off "Bulletins" at the restaurant in Beavercreek when two gentlemen asked me if I knew what was going on up at the Beavercreek Rd/Hwy 213 intersection. They too, were concerned about the traffic coming out of Oregon City. I told them that I too, had concerns. I was worried that the problem with the left turn lane coming out of Oregon City on Beavercreek Road was still going to be an issue because of the planting area in the middle of the road. First, I must say that I think trees are great, but moving traffic on Beavercreek Road is a must. The trees will look great, but I want to get out of town sometime in this century.



To get the proper information on what is, in fact, going to be the final configuration of the intersection I got in touch with the senior engineer on the project. Her name is Sharon Zimmerman. Sharon assured me that in about two months, when all is said and done and the signals are calibrated, the congestion getting out of Beavercreek and Oregon City will be much improved.

As you can hopefully see by the drawing there will be

Community Calendar

Beavercreek Committee for Community Planning (BCCP)...

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

Beavercreek Charitable Trust...

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

Beavercreek Community Planning Org. (CPO)...

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

Beavercreek CPO Directors Meetings...

Tuesday before 4th Wednesday at the Conference Room at BCT on Henrici Rd., 7:00 p.m.

Beavercreek Grange...

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

Beavercreek Lions...

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

Beavercreek School PTO...

3rd Tuesday 7:00 p.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.

Clarkes School PTA...

3rd Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. at the School Library

Mulino Community Planning Org. (CPO)...

Third Thursday, Mulino Airport, OPA Bldg at 7:15 p.m.

Oregon City/Beavercreek 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.

a total of 6 lanes on Beavercreek Rd. Two lanes will be left hand turn lanes coming out of Oregon City and heading down the by-pass to I-205. The same will be

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true in the opposite direction only there will be 2 left turn lanes to go up the by-pass to Molalla. There will still only be one lane to get out of Beavercreek and down the by-pass. Why we need two left lanes to go South is beyond me. It would have made more sense to have two right turn lanes to go toward I-205, in my humble opinion. Three of the signal posts will be on islands however. I hope this will not be a hazard.

If you have trouble reading this map and you have Adobe Reader you can go to:

http://www.orcity.org/public-works/traffic_advisory.html and go to the bottom of the page and click on the "lane configuration of the finished project" pdf file hyperlink.

Project information: Highway 213/Beavercreek Road Intersection improvements project is a 1.5 year \$4 million project that is currently underway and is due to be substantially complete on June 30, 2004. The following information highlights the project goals and improvements that will be constructed to meet them.

- Reduce Congestion and Improve intersection safety for all users:
- Dual left turn lanes for south, west, and east

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



Beavercreek Baptist Church

15660 S. Leland Rd.
(503) 632-7505

E-Mail: bchurch@bctonline.com

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: Wednesdays from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Ladies Bible Study: Thursdays at 9:00 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.

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.

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Clarkes and Oregon
City Areas continued



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22132 S. Kamrath Rd,
(503) 630-5317

Sunday Worship: the 2nd & 4th Sunday at 11:00 a.m.
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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.

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Women's Enrichment: 2nd Tuesday's, 6:30 p.m.
Youth Activity Night (12-18 yr old): Thursday's 7:00 p.m.

bound traffic

- Right turn lanes for north, south, and west bound traffic
- New traffic signal
- Medians on Beavercreek Road to limit access
- Sidewalks, bike lanes, and illumination on Beavercreek Road
- Illuminated multi-use path from intersection to Clackamas Community College
- Improve Air and Water Quality:

Street trees and landscape

Water quality and detention pond, landscape swale, and sump catch basins

Increase Capacity and Integrity of Public Utilities:

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“Beavercreek Oregon
a History
Through the Looking Glass”

This is Part XXII 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.

--- THE GENERAL STORE (Cont.) ---

The old reliable cheese cutter was mounted on the counter in its own case. Two sides, the top, and one end were glass while the other end was covered with wire screen for cleanliness and ventilation. The case was hinged on the far end and had to be lifted to open and use it. This was an ingenious machine that could be set according to the weight of the cheese and the price per pound. Very accurate cuts could be made if the machine was set properly. Once the cutter was set, the knife could be lifted and then in moving a little lever five times, one could bring the knife down and have exactly one pound. In that period cheese sold for 25¢ per pound. In ordering cheese from the wholesaler we ordered a case of triplets; this was, of course, because there were three cheese wheels packed to the case. Each wheel weighed 20 to 25 pounds or more.

There was no restaurant in Beavercreek then and we had people coming in to buy something for lunch very often. The usual fare would be the purchase of a nickels worth of cheese, another nickels worth of crackers or ginger snaps, along with a nickel bottle of soda pop and lunch was served. The ginger snaps were shipped in a barrel made of very light plywood and there was a

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divider set in the middle. The barrel was covered with an ising-glass top. When the ginger snaps were sold down to the level of the divider, we simply turned the barrel upside down and had the look of a new barrel of fresh ginger snaps.

Gazing upwards in the store, one would see a ceiling full of merchandise. There was a wire broom display rack hanging to save floor space. The outer part of the rack contained household brooms in a large quantity, while the inner part displayed toy brooms. These were popular with the kids.

There was another staple hanging from the ceiling on a sturdy hook--a stalk of bananas. Attached to the hook was a rope with a large knot tied in its end. When replacing the stalk with a new one, one would place one's hand through the cord fastened to the stalk and reach through to the knot hanging from the ceiling, slip the hand out allowing the weight of the bananas to settle against the knot. Bananas were sold by the dozen then and there was always a banana knife jabbed into the stalk for use the next time.

Most of the merchandise was carried and sold in bulk. Peanut butter came in a fifty-pound tin. A wooden spoon was used to dip it up and into an ice cream carton (the ones with the wire handles). The oil from the peanut butter would show through the carton before the customer could get it home. It was messy at best. Lard and shortening were packed in wooden tubs and tin containers as well as in 5 and 10 lb. pails. All the empty tubs, barrels, tins, and white sugar sacks were in good demand and were sold when available. Then

there was the ever-present 5-gallon keg of pickles; sweets, as well as dills, and sat out somewhere on the floor. A wooden dipper (with holes to drain the brine) was provided to dip the pickles into cartons. Sauerkraut was also handled in this way. Some customers preferred to bring their own containers for these items. Kippered herring was always on hand and packed in what was called a "kit" and shaped like a wooden pail cut off at the pockets. When handling these, there was a constant reminder to hurry and scrub the hands; and indeed, if one failed to do so, the "aroma lingered on." We were not equipped to handle fresh meats. We carried bacon in sides and backs and salt pork, and most was sold in either full sides or halves. Smoked hams and picnics were sold whole. The equipment

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used for this was a homemade cabinet which occupied a place on the floor. It had an empty space underneath until about counter height and its sides were covered with screen wire plus a wire screen door. These products were suspended from heavy cords that were pushed through the sides of the bacon, the hams, picnics, etc., and were hooked to rods in the top of the case.

Here ends Part XXII of "Beavercreek Oregon a History Through the Looking Glass." (The General Store-Cont.) The Editor.

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The new officers for 2004-05 are as follows:

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 3rd VP: Barney Martin
 Sec: Jenny Collier
 Treas: Chip Collier
 Tail Twister: Art Van Alstine
 Lion Tamer: Teed Nail
 Membership: Donna Crawford
 Past Pres: Marshall Goodwin
 Directors: Matt Jaggars
 Phil James
 Fred Leach
 Keith Price
 Ray Erland

The next Board meeting will be held on June 7, 2004.

At the last Board meeting the organization voted to give \$2500.00 to the Community Park Shelter Fund.

There is also going to be a Blind Golf Tourney on October 11th. The event will be held at the Oregon Golf Club. The Junior Golf Clinic for visually impaired youth will again be a part of the event. More info will be available at a later date.



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Clackamas Community College June Calendar of Events

June 1, 3 - *Student Directed One-Act Plays*

Theater students do all the work in these short plays, including directing, casting, technical production and publicity. Plays run about 20-30 minutes. Admission is free. Performances are scheduled in the McLoughlin Theatre at noon Tuesday, June 1 through Thursday, June 3, and again at 7:00 p.m. June 3.

June 2 & 9 - *Chrysalis: Women Writers*

Local author Pat Lichen guides women writers of all levels through discussions of their work. Chrysalis meets from noon to 2:00 p.m. in Barlow 114. For information, call 503-657-6958, ext. 2444.

June 4 - *CCC Vocal Jazz Night*

The CCC vocal jazz ensemble, Mainstream, celebrates

a year of jazz tunes. Lonnie Cline directs. The concert takes place at 7:30 p.m. in the Gregory Forum. Admission is \$5. For more information, call the CCC Music Department at 503-657-6958, ext. 2434.

June 6 - *CCC Chamber Choir and Clackamas Chorale Spring Concert*

The CCC Chamber Choir and Clackamas Chorale perform a delightful evening of great music. Lonnie Cline directs the choir, and Jolanta Szopa-Tabisz directs the chorale. The concert takes place at 7:30 p.m. in the Gregory Forum. Admission is \$5. For more information, call the CCC Music Department at 503-657-6958, ext. 2434.

June 10 - *GED and Adult High School Diploma Graduation*

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school diploma recipients will take place at 7:00 p.m. in the Randall Gymnasium. For more information, call the Graduation Hotline at 503-657-6958, ext. 2637.

June 11 - *CCC 2003 Degree and Certificate Graduation Ceremonies*

Graduation ceremonies for degree and certificate recipients will take place at 7:00 p.m. in the Randall Gymnasium. For more information, call the Graduation Hotline at 503-657-6958, ext. 2637.

June 12 - *Gardening Composting Workshop*

CCC presents a free composting workshop. Instructors will share a variety of techniques for composting yard debris. The workshop takes place from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. at the Home Composting Demonstration site, south of Clairmont Hall.

Preregistration is not required. For more information, call the CCC Horticulture Department at 503-657-6958, ext. 2246.

June 12 - Summer Term Begins

Summer term classes begin at Clackamas Community College.

June 28 - Aging Issues: Family Dynamics/Changing Roles

Communication within families is established at an early age. Cheryl Nally, who works with older adults in Clackamas County, discusses how stress and loss can affect family communications in the June 28 Aging Issues session. Aging Issues sessions are held from 10:00 a.m. to noon at the Pioneer Community Center, 615 Fifth Street in Oregon City. Sessions are free and open to the public. For more information, call 503-657-6958, ext. 2456.

**Clackamas County Committee
for Citizen Involvement
Met May 11**

The Committee for Citizen Involvement of Clackamas County met Tuesday, May 11th 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 the adopted projects for the year, including: Discussions of the 'Best Practices' document in development regarding the investigation of land use applications and a work plan project concerning fundraising guidelines for Citizen Planning Organizations (CPOs).

More information can be found on the county website at:

<http://www.co.clackamas.or.us/citizenin/cci.htm>

The Committee for Citizen Involvement is a process oriented committee, providing resources and opportunities for citizens to participate effectively in Clackamas County's land use planning and decision making process.

The Committee meets the second Tuesday of the month from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. For more information call Francine Raften at 503-655-8552.

Clarkes School News

Upcoming Events for June

Saturday, June 5 - Molalla High School Graduation Day

Monday, June 7 - Clarkes 5th Grade Promotion Assembly, 1:15 p.m.

Monday, June 7 - Molalla River Middle School 8th Grade Promotion, 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, June 8 - FIELD DAY, Last Day of School

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Summer Camps

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To All Parents

It is almost the end of the school year and all negative lunch balances MUST be paid in full by the end of the school year. Many children have a negative balance. Please send in money right away to get caught up. Thanks, Leslie Walling, Kitchen

Auction for Athletics

Molalla High School Boosters Auction for Athletics was on Saturday, May 15th in the High School Gym. This was the 3rd annual Auction for Athletics, and it was organized & operated by the entire Molalla High School Athletics Department and Booster members. Proceeds were to directly provide financial support and assistance to all MHS athletics, supplement special needs, & lessen the burden of individual sport fundraising.

Reader Board Help Needed

Can you update the Clarkes Four Corners reader board? This important job is open beginning in June. Please call 503-632-3290 to help out!

Hwy 213 Closed for Four Hours

Hwy 213 was closed for four hours South of Leland



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Mr. Overlander died at the scene. Mr. Overlander was wearing a seat belt. Mr Hamm was uninjured. Mr Hamm also was wearing a seat belt.

Police said it was unclear why Mr. Hamm's Dodge crossed into oncoming traffic. The crash remained under investigation.

The accident completely closed Hwy 213 while police investigated. Traffic was detoured onto Beavercreek Rd via Leland for South bound traffic and via Carus Rd., for north bound traffic.

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Beavercreek Fire Station Calls

The following are the alarms for the Beavercreek and Clarkes response areas for Clackamas County Fire District #1 from April 20 - May 20, 2004. Submitted by Captain Ryan Hari - Beavercreek Fire Station

Apr 20 - 10:04 - Medical - S. Molalla Avenue

01:34 - Medical - S. Beavercreek Rd

05:07 - Commercial Fire - S. Beavercreek Rd

Apr 21 - 08:45 - Medical - S. Garden Meadow Dr

21:35 - Medical - S. Hwy 213

Apr 24 - 14:42 - Fire Alarm - S. Killdeer

20:31 - Illegal Burn - S. Leland

23:22 - Mutual Aid - Commercial Fire - S. Hwy 211

Apr 25 - 09:32 - Medical - S. McBurney

20:44 - Illegal Burn - S. Yeoman

Apr 26 - 15:15 - Medical - S. Beavercreek Rd

21:47 - Controlled Burn - S. Hwy 213

Apr 27 - 09:59 - Medical - S. Beavercreek Rd

15:34 - Medical - S. Clairmont Way

19:23 - Brush Fire - S. Molalla Avenue

Apr 28 - 02:11 - Medical - S. Molalla Ave

Apr 29 - 08:23 - Medical - S. Yeoman

14:33 - Mot Veh Acc - S Hwy 213

May 1 - 06:22 - Medical - S. Beckman

May 3 - 09:06 - Medical - S. Warner Parrott

05:14 - Mot Veh Acc - S. Beavercreek Rd

May 5 - 14:54 - Mot Veh Acc - S. Fellows Rd

May 6 - 13:14 - Medical - S. Beavercreek Rd

14:07 - Fire Alarm - S. Henrici Rd

20:25 - Unknown Type Fire - S. Mueller Rd
 21:03 - Medical - S. Moore Rd
May 7 - 19:19 - Medical - S. Leland Rd
May 8 - 07:23 - Structure Fire - S. Ridge Rd
 01:39 - Medical - S. Dianne Dr
May 9 - 19:34 - Structure Fire - S. Front St
May 10 - 10:26 - Mot Veh Acc - S. Henrici Rd
May 11 - 08:10 - Structure Fire - Barker Ave
May 12 - 13:28 - Mot Veh Acc - Hwy 213
 18:12 - Mot Veh Acc - S. Beavercreek Rd
May 13 - 19:23 - Illegal Burn - S. Tioga Rd
 22:27 - Medical - S. Carus Rd
May 14 - 07:43 - Medical - S. Molalla Ave
 19:08 - Mot Veh Acc - S. Carus Rd
 19:48 - Mot Veh Acc - S. Carus Rd
 04:26 - Brush Fire - S. Clackamas River Dr
May 15 - 16:23 - Structure Fire - S. Beavercreek Rd
 21:50 - Medical - S. Ferguson Rd
May 16 - 08:38 - Medical - S. Ferguson Rd
 10:12 - Mot Veh Acc - S. Beavercreek Rd
 20:53 - Illegal Burn - S. Beavercreek Rd
 06:41 - Car Fire - S. Schmidt Rd
May 17 - 15:05 - Medical - S. Henrici Rd
 18:00 - Fire Alarm - S. Carus Rd
May 18 - 04:59 - Tree Fire - S. Burk Rd
 12:52 - Medical Assist - Bertha Dr



Beavercreek Hamlet Recommendations Heard at Complete Communities Task Force Meeting

Norm Andreen and Elizabeth Graser-Lindsey, members representing the Beavercreek Hamlet Work Group, presented their groups recommendations based on meetings with that group as well as citizen comments at public forums and subsequent deliberations of the group. They made their presentation at the Complete Communities Task Force meeting held on Tuesday, May 4, 2004. The meeting was held in conference room C of the Community Health Education Center at 519 15th Street, Oregon City.

The purpose of this meeting was to agree on recommendations for templates for Hamlet and Village structures that can be applied in unincorporated areas of Clackamas County.

After considering all the public input, the County Board of Commissioners will make the final decision



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Also at that meeting were the representatives with their recommendations for the Government Camp Village Pilot Project and the Colton Village Pilot Project.

Along with the members of the Task Force, also attending this meeting were, all three of the County Commissioners. The meeting was moderated by Elain Cogen of Cogen-Owens Cogan the consulting firm hired by the County as consultants to the Complete Communities project.

The meeting ran past time allotted, so a fifth Task Force meeting was scheduled for Tuesday, May 18th. This meeting took place at the Sunnybrook Service Center, 9101 S.E. Sunnybrook Boulevard, room 406.

At this meeting they went over the recommendations submitted for both hamlets and villages from the last meeting. The recommendations were redone in a more generic form that can be used as a guideline by any other community interested in pursuing these models. The new guidelines are not as specific as those initially submitted by Beavercreek, Colton and Government Camp.

It was also decided that there should be a method in place to allow interested communities a way to apply to become hamlets or villages. The recommendations will now go to the County Commissioners for approval.



**Don't Forget
 the 70th Annual
 BCT
 Shareholder's Meeting**

Don't forget to attend the Annual meeting of Beaver Creek Cooperative Telephone Company that will be held on Saturday, June 5, 2004, in the Oregon City High School Auditorium.

Doors will open and registration will begin at 10:00 a.m. The formal meeting will begin at 10:30 a.m.

Lunch will be catered by Buster's Texas BBQ. There will be door prizes and drawings so come and hear what your cooperative has been doing the past year and their plans for the next.



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Beavercreek School News

Dates to Remember

- Jun 4: 12:10 Early dismissal - No school for Kinders
- Jun 8: Field Day/BBQ - Last day for Kinders
- Jun 9: Last Day of School - 11:10 Dismissal
- Jun 11: Report Cards Mailed
- Jun 14: School Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
- Jun 30: Schools Close for Summer
- Aug 9: School Office Opens
- Sep 3: Class List Posted 5:00 p.m.
- Sep 7: First Day of School

Run For The Arts Update

Thanks to all of you, Run For the Arts raised \$6589.00.

6th Grade Completion Ceremony

The 6th Grade Completion Ceremony will be held on June 9th at 8:30 a.m., in the new gym. Parents are encouraged to attend.

Lost & Found

There is a huge stack of lost clothing in the Lost & Found. Items not picked up by the end of the school year will be donated to Clackamas County Clothes Closet. So make every effort to pick up your lost items.

Free P and PG Movies

Beginning June 15 Regal Cinemas in Oregon City will be showing FREE G and PG themed movies on Tuesdays and Wednesdays beginning at 10:00 a.m.

Host Families Needed

Would you like to host a foreign student? Currently

Secretary's Day and Staff Appreciation Week were recently observed. There were many volunteers who helped make these events a success.

The Field Day and Staff Appreciation Lunch will be coming up in June. Megan Clegg and Loretta Payne and looking for volunteers to help with the lunch. Charmaine McCarty is heading up the Field Day event.

Please remember that we have room on all committees for volunteers. We will be happy to help you find something that fits your schedule and interests.

Box Tops for Education

The final mailing for this year was mailed on March 31st. There were 6,350 box tops sent. The total

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 4 - 5: The Menace Band (Rock)

Jun 11 - 12: Curtis Interrupt-Us (Rock)

Jun 18 - 19: Billionaire Bachelors (Classic Rock)

Jun 25 - 26: The Anything Goes Band (Classic Rock)

Jul 2 - 3 - 4 : The John Henry Band (Country)



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seeking host families for three different groups as well as families for college interns who will be in the area doing volunteer internships. The groups are from France and Japan. The interns are from Japan and Ghana.

If you or anyone you know might be interested, please contact Lana Luke at 518-6111 or e-mail her at alluke5@aol.com for more information.

PTO News

Pres: Lisa Wilson

Co-VP: Charmaine McCarty

Co-VP: Lana Luke

Sec: Callie Saltmarsh

Treas: Desia Bramel

"Thank You" to everyone for making the carnival a huge success. This year there was a \$1400.00 profit. This was due largely to the generous donations for the baskets at the silent auction. Numerous people helped organize and run the event. It could not have been done without you. Thank you to all who participated.

collected for the year was 12,040. This earned the school \$1200.00 from this program. General Mills is also giving a 5% bonus. The classroom pizza contest was a big success. We collected almost 4,000 box tops. First place went to Mrs. Livermore's AM and PM kindergarten classes. Second place went to Mrs. Ogburn's 1st/2nd grade class and Mr. Hill's 5th/6th grade class in third. The pizza was donated by Pizza Hut.

You can still bring in box tops and drop them off in the classroom collection boxes or in the Box Top box in the office. These will be used for next years mailing. If you have any questions, please call Mary Devaeminck at 503-632-6422.

Campbell's Labels for Education

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Located at 22132 S. Kamrath Road,
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(5 miles south of Oregon City)

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 include Annette Pritchard harpist, John Owen vocalist and Beverly Ratajak accompanist and

Timothy Dyck, of Seattle who will be Director of this years singing.

4:00 p.m: Tea
The Church will serve tea and Welsh cakes for a nominal fee after the first Gymanfa Ganu session.

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

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Beavercreek Grange Holds Annual Mothers Day Breakfast May 10

I attended the Annual Mother's Day Breakfast at the Beavercreek Grange on Mother's Day as the pictures will attest.

If you have never attended this fundraiser, then you are missing some great food. The Grange really knows how to put on an event like this. They have been doing it for many, many years.



Grange Members take a break to have their pictures taken

I should have gotten there earlier. I usually get there about 9:00 a.m., but this year I didn't make it until just after 11:30 a.m.

Even though I arrived this late, and the breakfast is supposed to end at noon, the

members of the Grange were still hard at work and the people were still coming in.

The menu for this event is great, and not only that, it is all you can eat. If you have a big appetite this would have been the place for you to be.

The Grange members served 236 people. They used 42 pounds of ham, 18 dozen eggs plus 12 bags of scrambled eggs, 17 loaves of bread, 25 bags of hash browns



I couldn't miss these hard workers

and 10 1/2 gallons of orange juice. They sold 12 loaves of homemade breads at their bazaar table plus cookies, brownies and cinnamon rolls.



Some attendees enjoying their breakfast

The members of the Grange wish to say "thank you!" and also say they appreciate the community coming in and attending the breakfast. They enjoyed seeing all the people, new as well as

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A Close Friend and Community Advocate, Chuck Lyons, Passes Away

Charles E. Lyons (Chuck), loving husband, son, brother, father and grandfather, passed away while surrounded by his family on Tuesday, May 18, 2004, in his home in Beavercreek, Oregon, after a long battle with cancer. Chuck was most recently employed as a Construction Project Manager at WaferTech, LLC, in Camus, Washington and a member of the Project Management Institute (PMI).

Chuck was a member of: the Beavercreek Committee for Community Planning (BCCP); and participated in the Clackamas County Complete Communities Project, including the Growth and Land-Use Committee. He was a past Co-President and acting Director of the Beavercreek Community Planning Organization (BCPO).

He is survived by his loving and devoted wife, Jean (Plummer) Lyons, his two daughters and sons-in-law; Mary and Joe Wood, Laura and Erik Burton, and his two sons and daughter-in-laws; Abraham and Kerry Lyons and Petty Officer Benjamin Lyons and wife, Petty Officer Valerie Lyons and his many grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his father, Walter F. Lyons and survived by his loving mother, Audrey Lyons of Springfield, Ohio, his brothers and their wives;



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Harold and Susie Lyons, James and Margie Lyons, Paul Lyons, Jerry and Dee Lyons and his sister, Judie Miller and her husband Lloyd Harvey.

A private memorial service for his closest family and friends was held on May 21, 2004. A remembrance gathering for the many people touched by Chuck will be held in July, 2004, at his home in Oregon. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that memorial contributions be made to Hospice through Providence Portland Medical Foundation at P.O. Box 3335, Portland, OR 97208.

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Carus School News

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Children should be encouraged to dress and groom themselves appropriately for school. The responsibility for dress and grooming rests primarily with the student and parents and/or guardians thereof. When dress and grooming disrupts the learning process for themselves or others or the learning climate for the school, it becomes a matter for discussion with students and parents. If the school has legitimate concern it may be required that the student change his or her attire.

- Dress and grooming shall not be a disturbing influence to classes or the educational processes.
- All items worn shall be safe, both to the wearer and others.
- Footwear is required at all times (no flipflops or other footwear that is unsafe).
- Clothing shall not include pictures, emblems or printing that are suggestive or in poor taste.
- Halter tops, short shorts or brief jogging shorts are not acceptable. Shorts must have a hem, which extends to the fingertips when arms are stretched to their maximum. Loose fitting or skimpy clothing which is disruptive, distracting or in any way inappropriate to the school setting is unacceptable.
- Caps and hats are not to be worn inside the building.

Field Day Volunteers Needed

Wednesday, June 9th

You are invited to join us for Field Day, June 9th, as the Carus Track Program comes to an end for this school year. The class with the most miles walked will lead the entire school in a celebration march around the track.



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The students have spent their recess time walking laps. Many of them have walked 25, 50 and even 100 miles. We are proud of each one and we know you are too. Parent volunteers are needed to help with the field day stations set up on the playground. Field day activities are from 9:45 am until lunch. To volunteer, please call the school office.

Carus Preschool

By Nancy Davies

Don't forget to register your preschooler in the Carus cooperative Preschool for the Fall 2004-2005 program. There are still a few openings, however, it is filling up fast so don't delay. If you have any questions you can contact the registrar, Nancy Davies at 503-632-5499.

6th Grade Promotion

The 6th grade class promotion will be held on Tuesday, June 8th in the Carus Gym beginning at 5:30 pm.

Coats For Kids

In April, Columbia sportswear made a generous donation of new coats, shoes, and clothing items in all sizes to the Coats for Kids/Keys for Kids program. Carus School has donated space to house the items until they can be given away in our community. If your family has a need, or you know of a family in need of clothing, please contact Diane Kearns at 503-632-3130 or email at kearns@canby.k12.or.us

Lost and Found

We are getting close to the last days of school and have collected a large amount of clothes in our lost and found. Parents, please remind your children to



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check in the lost and found for any clothes that may be theirs before the end of school. Lost and found clothes are located in the hall next to the gym. Any items that are left after school is out will be donated to a local charity.

Carus Student Receives Art Award

Our fifth grade student Jesus Chaparro had his Design An Ad project selected and was published in the May 20th edition of The Oregonian. In addition, Jesus's ad for Les Schwab Tires was chosen by an independent panel of judges as the third prize winner in the 4th – 6th grade category and was awarded a \$50 prize.

the process completed in order to reach their decisions. The students then handed out grant awards to the nonprofit organization they have decided to

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5th Grade Outdoor School

May 12th, 13th and 14th

In order to learn about tide pools, students need to be at the beach when the tide is low. On Friday, May 14th the students had a lunch and tour Fort Clatsop. The buses then left Fort Clatsop at 2:00 pm and students arrived back at Carus around 4:30 pm.

Community 101

The community 101 class of 4th, 5th and 6th grade students has been working to help the community. Throughout the year the students have researched and decided on non-profit organizations in Clackamas County to whom they will award grant money. They have conducted several site visits and numerous interviews and have come to a decision on which nonprofit organizations will receive the grants. **There was a presentation hosted by the community 101 class at the Fine Arts Center, next to Canby High School in Canby on Monday, May 10th at 6:30 pm.** The presentation included their learning experience and

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Obituaries



Provided as a community service by the *Beavercreek Bulletin* as information available

HELEN ANNA BERGER

A funeral service was held at 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, May 4, 2004, in Hillside Chapel for Helen Anna Berger, who died May 1 at age 89.

Helen Anna Brien was born March 19, 1915, in Beavercreek. She was a sales clerk for Meier & Frank and worked at the Marylhurst College Library in the late 1960s.

Survivors include her sons, Donald, James and Jerald; sister, Edith Nathe; two grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren. Remembrances to St. John the Apostle Catholic Church in Oregon City. *First appeared in the May 3, 2004, Oregonian.*

RUTH DIXON GESS

A graveside service was held at 2:00 p.m. Thursday, May 6, 2004, in Bonney Cemetery in Colton for Ruth Dixon Gess, who died May 3 at age 91.

Ruth Lindstrom was born Dec. 24, 1912, in Colton. She graduated from Colton High School. She moved in the mid-1950s to Portland and was a private family housekeeper. She moved to Irrigon in 1994. In 1946, she married William J. Dixon; he died in 1952. She married Walter Gess in 1956; he died in 1965.

Survivors include her son, Carl D. Dixon; daughter, Wanda M. Dixon-Greenslitt; seven grandchildren; and

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 14

12 great-grandchildren. Arrangements by Burns Mortuary in Hermiston. *First appeared in the May 5, 2004, Oregonian.*

WILLIAM LEE III

A memorial service was held at 2:00 p.m. Thursday, May 13, 2004, in the Gladstone Ward of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints for William Lee III, who died May 9 at age 64.

Mr. Lee was born Nov. 7, 1939, in Youngstown, Ohio. He moved in 1962 to Beavercreek and in 1977 to Gladstone, and was a C-1 mechanic for Cooper B-Line Industries in Tigard for 36 years. In 1970, he married Pamela J. Cram.

Survivors include his wife; daughters, Nicole Spellman and Chaun Lee; Sons, Ronald and William; sister, Elynn Elkins; brother, Robert Armstrong; and six grandchildren. Arrangements by Family Memorial. *First appeared in the May 12, 2004, Oregonian.*

ASG President Named to 2004 All-USA Academic Team



Student Body President Marlies Berney has been named to the prestigious All-USA Academic Second Team for Community and Junior Colleges. Berney, 20, of Oregon City, is completing her sophomore year at Clackamas Community College.

Formal announcement of the All-USA Academic Teams was made recently at the Phi Theta Kappa Presidents Breakfast at the American Association of Community Colleges (AACC) meeting in Minneapolis. The All-USA Academic Team for Community Colleges is comprised of 60 students - first, second and third teams of 20 students each. Members of the teams were profiled in Monday's addition of USA Today.

The All-USA Team for Community Colleges is sponsored by Phi Theta Kappa, the international honor society for two-year colleges; USA Today and the AACC. Students are nominated for the team by their college presidents.

Berney is the Associated Student Government president at CCC. She has maintained a 3.9 grade point average while participating in numerous leadership activities including Phi Theta Kappa, president of the French Club, Fellowship of Christian

Athletes, Sunday School teacher and counselor at a horse camp. She is working toward a master's degree in foreign languages.

Berney and Lindsay Schiely were selected earlier this year as Oregon Scholars representing CCC. Their selection as Oregon Scholars made them eligible to compete in the All-USA Team for Community Colleges. They were each awarded a \$1,000 scholarship and were honored earlier this month at a luncheon with Gov. Ted Kulongoski and Oregon Scholars from each of the state's 17 community colleges.

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In order to waive fees, you must purchase your license in person, at Clackamas County Dog Control, on June 5th only.

- Low Cost Rabies Vaccinations will be available for \$5.00 each
 - Permanent Identification Microchips implanted and registered for only \$20.00 per pet
- Microchips are being offered by **F.I.D.O.** (Friends Involved in Dog Outreach) a non-profit organization to support and benefit the Clackamas County Dog Shelter.
- Exhibits and Vendors... (come and enjoy the added extras)
 - Shelter open for Adoptions... (find the next loving addition to your family)
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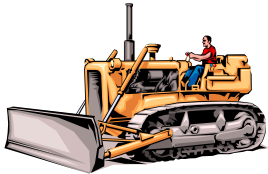
Volunteer for Upcoming Workcrew Days - Option 7

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As Norwalk Virus Increases Good Hygiene a Key to Stopping its Spread

Public health officials in Clackamas, Multnomah and Washington Counties have recently seen an increase in reports of people with viral gastroenteritis. Viral gastroenteritis is an infection of the stomach and small intestines, commonly caused by a group of viruses called Noroviruses or "Norwalk".

The symptoms of Norovirus infection usually include nausea, vomiting, diarrhea and some stomach cramping. Sometimes people have a low-grade fever, chills, headache, muscle aches and a general sense of tiredness. The illness often begins suddenly. Norovirus infection is usually not serious, although people may feel very sick and vomit many times a day. Most people get better within one or two days, and they have no long-term health effects. However, sometimes people are unable to drink enough liquids to replace the liquids they lose because of vomiting and diarrhea. These persons can become dehydrated and may need medical attention. Dehydration is more common among the very young and the elderly.

Noroviruses are very contagious and can spread easily from person to person. Both stool and vomit contain the virus and can spread the disease. People develop symptoms between 12 and 48 hours after they contact the virus. Once they get the infection, they are contagious from as soon as they begin feeling ill to at least three days after they get better. Some people may be contagious for up to two weeks after they recover.

"It is always important for people to use good hygiene, including hand washing - even when they are not ill," said Dr. Alan Melnick, Clackamas County

Health Officer. "People who have the infection should not prepare food for others while they are ill and for three days after they recover. People should be careful handling diapers, and always wash their hands thoroughly afterwards. Day-care center or nursing home workers should pay careful attention to hygiene, especially when attendees have had diarrhea," Melnick added.

No medicine can cure Norovirus and there is no vaccine to prevent infection. Antibiotics do not work because they work to fight bacteria, not viruses. When people are ill with vomiting and diarrhea, they should drink plenty of fluids to prevent dehydration. By drinking oral rehydration fluids such as juice or water, people can reduce their chance of becoming dehydrated.

People can avoid getting this infection by taking these steps:

- Wash your hands often, especially after using the toilet or changing diapers and before eating or preparing food.
- Carefully wash fruits and vegetables, and steam oysters before eating them.
- Using gloves, thoroughly clean and disinfect surfaces immediately after contamination with feces or vomit by using a bleach based household cleaner.
- Immediately remove and wash contaminated clothing or linens (use hot water and soap).
- Flush any vomit or feces down the toilet and make sure that the surrounding area is clean.

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Beavercreek Charitable Trust News

Elections were held at the monthly meeting of the Charitable Trust. Paul Hauer has been elected to replace Tom Linstrom, who's term had expired, and will also serve as Secretary Treasurer. The slate of directors and their titles are:

Bruce Powell, President
Duff Main, Vice President
Paul Hauer, Secretary/Treasurer

Don Devlaeminck, Director
 Larry Skou, Director
 Bob Hoffman, Director
 Barny Martin, Director

Other business, the Board approved to build a fence along Leland Road to discourage ATV riders from entering and tearing up the park property. There will also be construction of one baseball field as soon as workers can be scheduled and materials received. It will have a back stop and some fencing for dug outs as a safety measure. This field will be a temporary field until the plans are approved at the County for grading.
Submitted by Paul Hauer.

Beavercreek Animal Hospital Hosts June Clinics



The following clinics will be held every Saturday in the month of June on the premises of the Beavercreek Animal Hospital:

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The clinic hours will be from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

The Clinics will close at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 5th due to Melania's daughters' graduation.



Carus CPO Communications

The May meeting of the Carus Committee for Community Planning, aka Carus CPO, took place on Thursday, May 13, 2004, at the Stone Creek Christian Church on Hwy 213 at 7:00 p.m.

The members planned the CPO's program for the next year.

The August meeting will be the election of officers for the next term. There is no slate at this time, but by the July issue there should be a list of those who wish to run for the offices open to be filled. Another item on the agenda will be a meeting with the Oregon Department

of Transportation, aka ODOT. ODOT personnel are scheduled to come to the September meeting to discuss a proposed widening of Hwy 213 to facilitate left hand turn lanes off of Hwy 213 onto Carus Rd.

The next meeting of the Carus CPO will be held on Thursday, June 10, 2004, at the same place and time. All meetings are open to the public so feel free to attend. For more information, please call 503-632-7063.



Beavercreek CPO Spotlight

The May meeting of the Beavercreek Community Planning Organization, aka BCPO, was held on Wednesday, May 26, 2004, at the Beavercreek Grange on Kamrath Rd. The meeting began at 7:00 p.m.

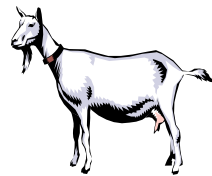
I'm sorry that I do not have the information from that meeting this month. I usually attend every meeting of the CPO, but this month I had to miss it in order to celebrate my 24th wedding anniversary with my husband. I will be back again next month with information on what occurred at the June meeting as usual.

The next meeting of the organization will be held on Wednesday, June 23, 2004, at the same time and place. For more information, please call 503-632-8370. The Editor

Clackamas County Offers Help with Medicare Discount Cards

Clackamas County Social Services, through the Volunteer Connection, has volunteer staff available to answer questions regarding the new Medicare Discount Cards. The volunteers will access Medicare's web site at www.medicare.gov for those Medicare recipients that do not have computer access. A print out of the discount cards that cover the clients' medications (those that offer a discount) will be mailed out to the client. Included in the mailing is a copy of the Medicare-approved prescription drug discount card instruction sheet and the Medicare standard enrollment forms for the cards. Clients are provided with the phone numbers and addresses for the card providers. The telephone number to receive assistance in Clackamas County is 503-655-8269. Volunteers are also needed for other areas of the Medication Management Program. To become a Medication Program Volunteer call 503-650-3514.

Dwarf Nubian Goats



Companion, Brush & Dairy

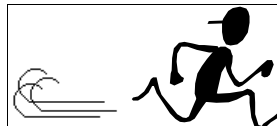
Milking Does \$150.00 & up

Wethers \$50.00

Doelings \$75.00

Breeding Stock

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 The Editor!