



# TRAIL NEWS



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TAKING THE LONG VIEW on finances helps keep Oregon City one of the best, in my opinion, places to live in the United States.

Every year, prior to the Commission's biennial budget deliberations in July, the City Commission and staff take a hard look at our long-term financial planning and current status. The City's Finance Director reported in February that Oregon City's financial outlook remains strong and balanced, and is in compliance with laws and regulations.

The City's recent upgrade to "AA+" Standard and Poors Bond rating, along with charges for services and a long-term approach to strategic planning are key to ensuring financial stability.

#### OREGON CITY'S GOALS ARE:

- Cultivate an environment for successful economic development;
- Address critical facility needs;
- Enhance the livability of the community;
- Pursue opportunities to increase transparency and encourage citizen participation; and
- Maintain fiscal health and long-term stability.

Knowing where we're going in the future makes today's spending decisions that much more effective.

#### HOW DO WE MAKE ALL THESE GOALS MAKE CENTS?

One of the most significant ways is to work toward a mix of General Fund revenue (the General Fund is what pays for core, day to day operations like public safety, parks, and general governance services).

Currently, the General Fund is comprised of 30 percent services and fees which includes utility fees, recreation registrations, and system development charges. System development charges exceeded anticipated collections due to quicker completion of projects, improved collection practices, and reduction in deferrals. Nineteen percent of the general fund is bond proceeds for the construction of the police and municipal court facility. Fifteen per-

cent is property tax revenue which is 65 cents per thousand less than the maximum rate allowed. The rate was reduced in 2007 during an election to annex into the Clackamas Fire District and we've stayed below the maximum rate for eleven years. The rest of the general fund is franchise fees, intergovernmental revenue, transfer and interest charges. This mix of revenue means more stability for the City, and, luckily, we are on track with estimated revenue projections which keep services and projects on budget and within our means.

The other way to accomplish the City's goals is to continue to be fiscally conservative to maintain adequate ending working capital balances. Preliminary long-range forecasts show that revenue growth does not keep pace with the growth in operating and capital costs. Despite these challenges, Oregon City's Finance Department has found ways to save money such as:

- Maintaining financial reserves consistent with City financial policies and national standards by establishing guidelines to move money from bank accounts into U.S. Agency Security investments resulting in \$375,000 in annual revenue across funds.
- Audited banking fees structure and negotiated \$6,000 reduction in annual costs.
- Established wholesale wheeling rates for Clackamas River Water resulting in \$113,000 in ongoing annual revenue to the Water Fund.
- Designed collection guidelines for complex property foreclosure debts and recovered \$54,000 in SDC, utility, abatement, and URA loan funds.
- Called Sewer Bonds prior to maturity for one-time interest savings of \$48,000 to the Sewer fund.

Maintaining a fiscally responsible budget is all about creating a community where you actually want to live that's safe, with great parks, a dynamic library, and well-maintained streets. Where we implement the long-term plans for water and transportation that will ensure its livability for generations to come.

For a full look at Oregon City's budget, visit <http://bit.ly/OCbudget>.



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**Mayor**—Dan Holladay

**Commissioners:**

- *Position 1*—Rocky Smith, Jr.    ■ *Position 3*—Frank O'Donnell
- *Position 2*—Vacant                ■ *Position 4*—Rachel Lyles Smith

**City Manager**—Tony Konkol

**City Recorder**—Kattie Riggs

**Finance Director**—Wyatt Parno

**Human Resources Director**—Patrick Foiles

**Police Chief/Public Safety Director**—James Band

**Public Works Director**—John Lewis

**Community Development Director**—Laura Terway

**Community Services Director**—Phil Lewis

**Library Director**—Maureen Cole

The Mayor and City Commissioners are volunteers who do not keep regular office hours. Please call 503.657.0891 for contact information.

City Commission meetings are held the first and third Wednesdays of each month at 7:00pm in the Commission Chambers at City Hall. Any citizen is welcome to address the Commission on any subject at the beginning of each meeting.

City Commission regular meetings are streamed live on the Internet at [www.orcity.org](http://www.orcity.org) and are available on demand following the meeting. Willamette Falls Media Center broadcasts meetings live at 7:00pm on Channel 28 and rebroadcasts them throughout the month. Logon to [www.wfmcstudios.org](http://www.wfmcstudios.org) for a broadcast schedule or call 503.650.0275.



*Established  
in 1844 at  
the End of the  
Oregon Trail*

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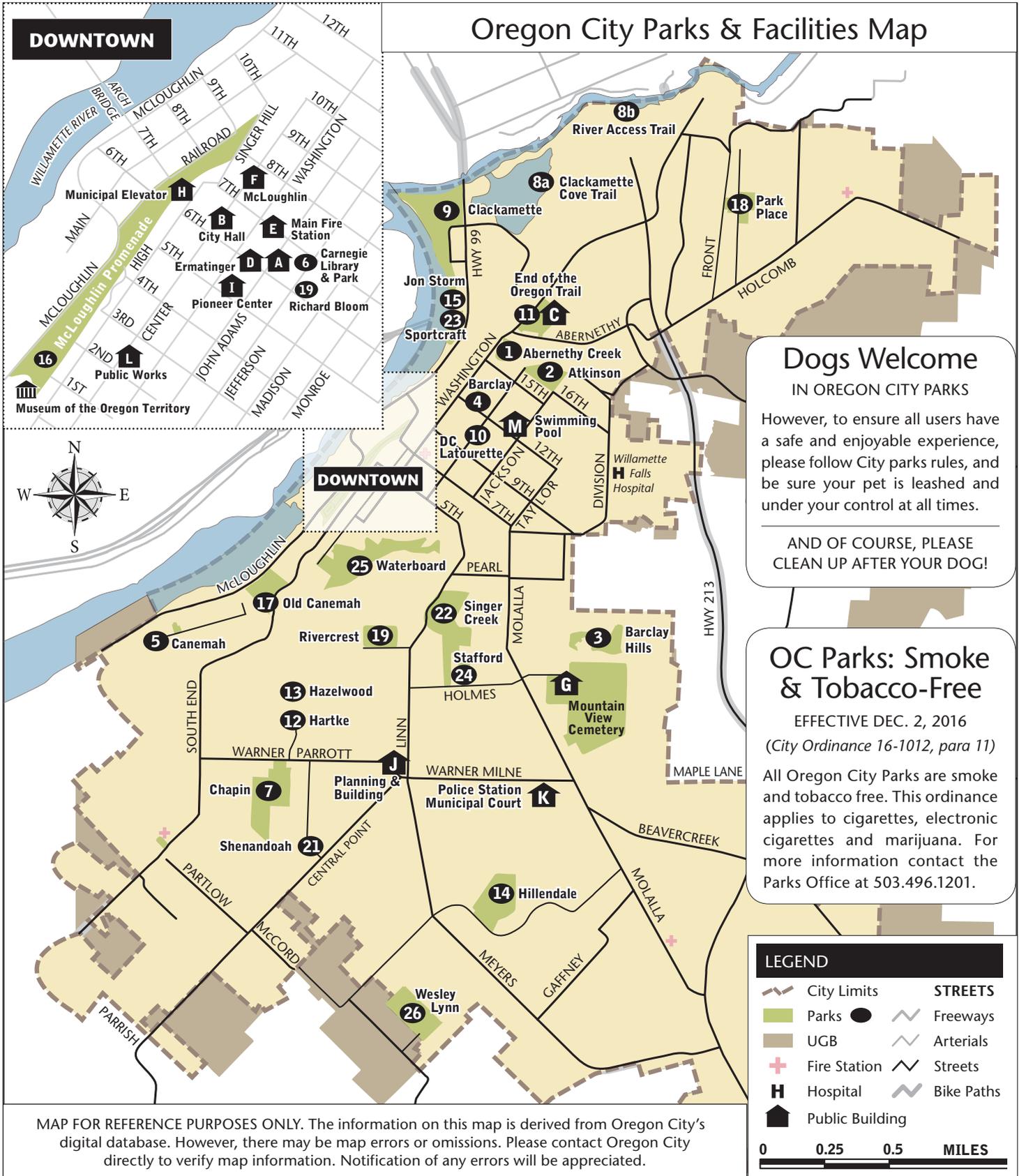
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# Oregon City Parks & Facilities Map



## Dogs Welcome

IN OREGON CITY PARKS

However, to ensure all users have a safe and enjoyable experience, please follow City parks rules, and be sure your pet is leashed and under your control at all times.

AND OF COURSE, PLEASE CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOG!

## OC Parks: Smoke & Tobacco-Free

EFFECTIVE DEC. 2, 2016

(City Ordinance 16-1012, para 11)

All Oregon City Parks are smoke and tobacco free. This ordinance applies to cigarettes, electronic cigarettes and marijuana. For more information contact the Parks Office at 503.496.1201.

### LEGEND

- City Limits
- Parks
- UGB
- Fire Station
- Hospital
- Public Building
- STREETS**
- Freeways
- Arterials
- Streets
- Bike Paths

0 0.25 0.5 MILES

MAP FOR REFERENCE PURPOSES ONLY. The information on this map is derived from Oregon City's digital database. However, there may be map errors or omissions. Please contact Oregon City directly to verify map information. Notification of any errors will be appreciated.

**MAJOR CITY PARKS**

- 7 Chapin Park**  
340 Warner Parrott Road
- 9 Clackamette Park**  
1955 Clackamette Drive
- 14 Hillendale Park**  
19260 Clairmont Way
- 15 Jon Storm Park**  
1801 Clackamette Drive
- 18 Park Place Park**  
16180 Front Avenue
- 20 Rivercrest Park**  
131 Park Drive
- 26 Wesley Lynn Park**  
12901 Frontier Parkway

**CITY FACILITIES**

- A Carnegie Public Library**  
606 John Adams Street
- B City Hall**  
625 Center Street
- C End of the Oregon Trail Interpretive/Visitor Ctr**  
1726 Washington Street
- D Ermatinger House**  
619 Sixth Street
- E Main Fire Station**  
624 Seventh Street
- F McLoughlin House**  
713 Center Street
- G Mountain View Cemetery & Parks Operations**  
500 Hilda Street
- H Municipal Elevator**  
300 Seventh Street
- I Pioneer Community Ctr**  
615 Fifth Street
- J Planning & Building**  
698 Warner Parrott Road
- K Police Station, Municipal Court, Code Enforcement**  
320 Warner Milne Rd
- L Public Works Operations**  
122 S Center Street
- M Swimming Pool**  
1211 Jackson Street

**CITY BOAT DOCKS AND LAUNCHES**

- 9 Clackamette Park**  
1955 Clackamette Drive  
*2 Reservable picnic shelters, restrooms.*
- 15 Jon Storm (Transient Dock)**  
1801 Clackamette Drive  
*72-hour moorage, a pump-out station, restrooms, one reservable picnic shelter.*
- 23 Sportcraft**  
1701 Clackamette Drive  
*A 2-lane launch with floats and a restroom.*

Map Numbers	Parks & Amenities	Basketball Courts	Barbecues	Benches	Boat Dock	Boat Launch	Children's Play Area	Dog Pits	Drinking Fountains	Electricity	Horseshoe Pits	Park Host	Parking Spaces	Pickle Ball Court	Picnic Tables	Restrooms--seasonal	Skate Park	Soccer Fields	Softball Diamonds	Spray Park	Tennis Courts	Trail/Walking Path	Volleyball Court	Bridge / View Deck
1	Abernethy Creek Park												P											
2	Atkinson Park							dp					P											
3	Barclay Hills Park							dp																
4	Barclay Park							dp																
5	Canemah Childrens Park																							
6	Carnegie Park																							
7	Chapin Park							dp					P											
8a	Clackamette Cove Trail							dp																
8b	River Access Trail							dp					P											
9	Clackamette Park							dp					P											
10	D.C. Latourette Park																							
11	End of the Oregon Trail												P											
12	Hartke Park																							
13	Hazelwood Park																							
14	Hillendale Park							dp					P											
15	Jon Storm Park																							
16	McLoughlin Promenade							dp																
17	Old Canemah Park																							
18	Park Place Park							dp					P											
19	Richard Bloom Tots Park																							
20	Rivercrest Park							dp					P											
21	Shenandoah Park																							
22	Singer Creek Park																							
23	Sportcraft Park												P											
24	Stafford Park																							
25	Waterboard Park												P											
26	Wesley Lynn Park							dp					P											

**Test: Off-Leash Dog Areas (OLDA)**

BARCLAY PARK | PARK PLACE PARK | WESLEY LYNN PARK

Local dogs and their owners are invited to check out the designated off-leash dog areas at three park sites. The off-leash areas are open for a trial period to evaluate the opportunity for dog owners to have a designated off-leash area. The purpose of off-leash dog areas is to provide a safe and enjoyable recreational experience to dog owners/handlers and their dogs, while not impacting other park visitors or the environment.

A few factors are being taken into consideration as the City determines whether or not to make the off-leash areas permanent:

- 1 Satisfaction level of owners with the facility and experience
- 2 Other visitors in the park (visitors with and without dogs)
- 3 Safety of dogs and park visitors
- 4 Cleanliness of park (cleaning up pet waste)

**OLDA Rules**

- Owners are legally responsible for the behavior of their dog(s) at all times
- Dog waste must be cleaned up by their owners IMMEDIATELY
- Dogs must be leashed while entering and exiting the park
- Owners must be within the OLDA and supervise their dog with leash readily available
- Aggressive dogs must be removed IMMEDIATELY
- Dogs should be under voice control

**Prohibited**

- Human & Dog Food or Treats
- Aggressive Dogs
- Sick Dogs
- Puppies (under 4 months)
- Dogs in Heat

## Parks Office Information

OPEN	Monday–Friday   8:00am–4:00pm
CLOSED	Saturday, Sunday and to observe this holiday: Monday, May 27                      Memorial Day
Jon Waverly—Parks & Cemetery Maintenance Manager	
Parks Maintenance Specialists: Adam Swenson—Spec II	
STAFF	Mark Anderson—Spec III      Tyler Wilson—Spec II
	Gavin Bruhn—Spec III          Chris Jacobi—Spec II
	Jinny King—Office Spec III      Debra Allen—Office Spec II

## Park Shelter Reservations ONLINE!

You can check availability and reserve a shelter online.

- Shelters cost \$65–\$105; depends on the park and size of event.
- Reservations may be made up to one year in advance.
- Shelter reservation/receipt should be taken to the park during the activity, as proof of reservation.
- The shelter must be vacated at the end of the reservation period.

GO TO [WWW.OREGONCITY.ORG/PARKS](http://WWW.OREGONCITY.ORG/PARKS)

- 1 Select the button PARK SHELTER RESERVATION, left side of screen.
- 2 Select the button RESERVE A PARK SHELTER RESERVATIONS – PARKS RESERVATIONS, upper left corner.
- 3 Click CREATE A NEW ACCOUNT and fill out the requested information or Login if you have created an account previously.

**Note:** If you reserved a shelter in the past, your info should be saved in our system. Click the Login button and then Forgot Password. A temporary password will be emailed to you. Once logged in, the temporary password can be changed.

## Oregon City Enhancement Day!

JOIN US TO CELEBRATE ARBOR DAY & EARTH DAY 2019  
Saturday, April 6 | 9:00am–12:00pm | End of the Oregon Trail  
Gather & register day of event at 8:30am at EOT. Pre-Register at  
[www.oregoncity.org/community/oregon-city-enhancement-day-2019](http://www.oregoncity.org/community/oregon-city-enhancement-day-2019)  
For more information, call 503.496.1201. Also see the back cover.

## Seasonal Park Updates

CITY PARKS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC 5:00AM–10:00PM DAILY.  
*It is unlawful to be in the parks outside of these hours.*

- **SPRAYPARKS ARE CLOSED**—Rivercrest and Carnegie Sprayparks are closed for the season. They will open sometime after Memorial Day (weather, staff and seasonal maintenance permitting).
- **LIMITED RESTROOM ACCESS**—Some park restrooms remain closed and will reopen later in the year.
- **THE RV PARK IS CLOSED** for the winter season. Watch for the reopening date at [www.oregoncity.org/parks/clackamette-rv-park](http://www.oregoncity.org/parks/clackamette-rv-park).
- **DUMP STATION** remains open year-round except for occasional maintenance or weather-related closures.

## Clackamette RV Park CURRENTLY CLOSED

The RV park is a great location for out-of-town guests. 36 sites (each with water and 30 amp electricity hookups), RV dump station, horse-shoe pits and a children’s play area nearby at Clackamette Park.  
*For more info including amenities, nightly rates, length of stay, and RV Park Rules, visit <https://www.oregoncity.org/parks/clackamette-rv-park>.*

## Parks Projects TO IMPROVE & ENHANCE OUR PARKS

We look forward to completing several projects in the works:

- Tree plantings throughout the parks.
- Playground swing set replacement to include an Adult/Child swing and two toddler swings.
- Clackamette parking lot repairs

## Thank You, Volunteers!

- Ivy pull at Waterboard Park in partnership with the Oregon City Parks Foundation
- Ivy pull along the Promenade with Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee members
- McLoughlin Neighborhood Assn cleanup along the Promenade
- Richard Bloom Tot Lot cleanup by the Optimists



**MORE VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**  
If you or your organization are looking for community service projects or events, we have many volunteer opportunities!  
*For more information call the Parks office: 503.496.1201.*

## Did You Know? PARKS Q & A

*What is the future of Glen Oak Park?*

The re-naming of former Glen Oak Park was opened to the public in April 2018. Over 400 possible name nominations were received; these were pared down to four choices. With 8,572 votes submitted, “Tyron S. Woods Memorial Park” had the most support from voters, and it was officially named by the City Commission in December. Projected open date is in the Fall of 2019.

Tyrone S. Woods Memorial Park, located at 14491 South Glen Oak Road is a 9.1-acre site in the Caufield Neighborhood of Oregon City. Park development will begin with invasive and nuisance species removal. Mature oak, ash, and fir trees at the center of the site will be protected and preserved. Park amenities will include:

- Covered shelter
- Walking paths
- Wetland area with overlook
- Open lawn
- Fenced dog area
- Play structures and a nature play area
- Skate park and pump track
- Sports courts to include basketball and pickleball

*Remember, Oregon City Parks are open 5:00am–10:00pm. Dogs are welcome, but must be leashed. And please clean up after your pets. Questions? Call the Parks Office Monday–Friday, 8:00am–4:00pm*

**NEXT TRAIL NEWS: Using the covered shelters at the parks**

## Cemetery Office Information

OPEN	Monday–Friday   8:00am–4:00pm
CLOSED	Saturday, Sunday and to observe this holiday: Monday, May 27 Memorial Day
STAFF	Jon Waverly—Parks & Cemetery Maintenance Manager Brandon Watt—Parks Maintenance Specialist II Jinny King—Office Specialist III Debra Allen—Office Specialist II

## Mountain View Cemetery Options

Please call us at 503.657.8299 or come by our office for rates and options, for more information or to make an appointment.

**BURIALS**—Mountain View staff can help you with pre-planning your cemetery arrangements. We offer many options for full-body or cremation:

- Full-Body Burial Lots
- Crypts and Niches
- Cremation Lots
- Scattering Canyon

**MEMORIALS**—We offer several choices to memorialize your loved ones, including engraved bricks, natural stones, bronze inscription vases, a memorial wall and headstones.

## Cemetery Celebrity OLD CEMETERY

MARY RHODA (BEATIE) CAUFIELD (1856–1934)

Mary Rhoda (Beatie) Caufield was born January 23, 1856 in the Beaver Creek area. Her father, Charles Fountain Beatie, arrived via the Oregon Trail in Oregon City on November 27, 1850. Mary was the second of ten children born to her parents. On December 3, 1876, Mary married David Caufield, son of Robert and Jane Caufield, pioneers of 1847. The Caufields were the parents of seven children. Their oldest son, Charles, died in 1894 at the age of 17.

Mary was active in the community life of Oregon City, being a founder of the Clackamas County Public Health Association, serving several terms as president and also served as the president of the Oregon City Woman’s Club from 1911–1913 and again from 1918–1920.

When America entered WWI, Mary’s two youngest sons, Lee James Caufield and Waldo Emerson Caufield, enlisted in the U.S. Army. Lee, who was a Lieutenant at discharge, returned from service in France. Sgt. Waldo Caufield was killed.

In 1930 Mary traveled to France as part of a Gold Star Mother’s Pilgrimage to visit Waldo’s grave in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery. As part of this government sponsored trip, she and the other mothers were shown hospitality by the French government in appreciation of the service of their sons who died in service in France.

Photo: [www.findagrave.com](http://www.findagrave.com)



## 2018 Volunteers

Thank you to the Oregon City JROTC for their clean-up work on November 30. Your clean-up efforts throughout the cemetery are always appreciated. With the leaf drop and branch blow-down that had accumulated, there was a lot to do, and you did the work well. Thank you!



## Cemetery Clean-ups

DATES & SIGN-UPS

- February 14—Gardiner Middle School students will once again come to the cemetery to test, plant and document the conditions of the Cemetery Scattering Canyon.
- April 27—Spring clean-up with the Friends of Mountain View Cemetery. E-Mail [friendsmountainviewcemetery@gmail.com](mailto:friendsmountainviewcemetery@gmail.com) to sign up or for information.
- May 4—Spring JROTC clean-up is scheduled for 8:30am–noon. The community is welcome to join the JROTC members in this clean-up. Call 503.657.8299 to sign up or get more information.



## SAVE THE DATE MONDAY, MAY 27, 2019 | 10:00AM

### Memorial Day Commemorative Service

MOUNTAIN VIEW CEMETERY | 500 HILDA STREET, OREGON CITY

Contact the cemetery if you have questions: 503.657.8299 or [cemetery-info@orcify.org](mailto:cemetery-info@orcify.org).

## Did You Know? CEMETERY Q & A

What sort of decorations or flowers can be placed on ground burial sites or in the mausoleums?

- 1 Seasonal decorations and flowers are allowed beginning three days prior to a holiday, and must be removed seven days after the holiday.
- 2 Artificial flowers are not allowed on any ground burial sites from March 1 through October 31.
- 3 No flower receptacles may be placed on any plot or in the mausoleum, unless it is made of approved material, size and design.
- 4 At no time is a glass container to be used as a receptacle for flowers or decoration any place on the grounds or in the mausoleum.
- 5 All permanent flower vases must be installed by the cemetery staff.
- 6 Temporary flower vases are available at the cemetery office.

For more details or other information, call 503.657.8299.

### NEXT TRAIL NEWS EDITION:

What types of burials are available at Mt View Cemetery?

Swim Schedule APRIL 1—JUNE 16			Closures & Cancellations		
<b>RECREATIONAL SWIM</b>	Friday	7:30pm—9:00pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Saturday, March 9—CLOSED for Swim Meet</li> <li>■ Monday, May 27—CLOSED for Memorial Day</li> <li>■ Saturday, April 20—REC SWIM CLOSED for special event</li> </ul>		
	Saturday	12:30pm—2:00pm			
<b>SPRING BREAK REC SWIM</b>	Monday—Friday March 25—29	2:00pm—4:00pm			
<b>*FAMILY SWIM</b>	Tuesday	7:15pm—8:30pm	<p>★★ CHILDREN UNDER 9 YEARS OLD ★★ ★★ MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT ★★ ★★ AT A RATIO OF 3:1 IN THE WATER ★★</p> <p><b>EARN REWARDS WHEN YOU WORK OUT! ASK US HOW!</b></p>  <p>I Swam to Success at the <b>Oregon City Swimming Pool</b></p>		
<b>AQUA JOGGING/ WATER WALKING</b> <i>Independent workout, space may vary</i>	Monday—Friday	8:00am—9:00am			
	Monday—Friday	1:00pm—2:00pm			
<b>LAP SWIM</b> <i>Number of available lanes may vary.</i>	Saturday	11:00am—12:30pm			
	Monday—Friday	6:00am—8:00am			
	Monday—Friday	12:00pm—2:00pm			
	Wednesday	7:30pm—8:30pm			
<b>WATER EXERCISE</b> <i>Instructed classes, open to all levels.</i>	Monday—Friday	11:00am—12:30pm	<p>SHALLOW: Aerobic—Cardio-Respiratory/Body Toning</p> <p>DEEP: Aerobic—Cardio-Respiratory/Body Toning</p> <p>SS&amp;LC: Shallow Stretching &amp; Light Cardio Low-impact, stretching with a lower level of cardio</p>		
	SHALLOW	Mon, Wed & Fri			8:00am—9:00am
	DEEP	Tuesday & Thursday			6:15pm—7:15pm
	SS&LC	Tuesday & Thursday			8:00am—9:00am
<i>Flotation belts and equipment are available for use on site.</i>					

## Admission Prices

<b>DROP-IN FEES</b> PER SESSION: Recreational Swim, Family Swim, Lap Swim, Aqua Jogging/ Water Walking	<b>Youth (2–18)</b>		<b>Adult (19+)</b>		<b>Senior (62+)</b>		<b>Family* Swim</b>		<p><b>*Family Swim and Family Memberships</b> are for Youth and Parents / Guardians living in one home.</p> <p><b>R = Residents</b> are those who live inside the city limits of Oregon City.</p> <p><b>NR = Non-Residents</b> pay a higher fee for classes and activities since they do not pay the Oregon City property taxes that help fund the Parks and Recreation programs. For more information, please ask our friendly front desk staff!</p>
	R	NR	R	NR	R	NR	R	NR	
\$3.50	\$4.50	\$3.75	\$5.00	\$3.50	\$4.50	\$6.75	\$9.00		
<b>WATER EXERCISE:</b> Add \$.50 per person per class									
<b>PUNCH CARDS</b> VALID FOR: Rec Swim, Lap Swim, Aqua Jogging/Water Walk, Water Exercise			<b>10 Sessions</b>		<b>20 Sessions</b>		<b>40 Sessions</b>		
			R	NR	R	NR	R	NR	
	<b>Adults</b>		\$31.75	\$47.75	\$55.00	\$82.75	\$90.00	\$134.50	
<b>Youth &amp; Seniors</b>		\$25.25	\$38.75	\$36.50	\$54.75	\$58.00	\$87.25		
<b>MEMBERSHIPS</b> INCLUDE: Recreational Swim, Family* Swim, Lap Swim, Aqua Jogging/ Water Walking.  <b>WATER EXERCISE:</b> \$.50 per class with any Membership.	<b>Adult</b>	R	NR	<b>Youth/Senior</b>		R	NR		
	Quarterly	\$54.50	\$91.75	Quarterly	\$49.00	\$82.00			
	Annually	\$109.50	\$184.00	Annually	\$98.50	\$165.75			
	<b>Family*</b>	<b>2 People</b>		<b>3 People</b>		<b>4 People</b>		<b>5 People</b>	
		R	NR	R	NR	R	NR	R	NR
Quarterly	\$98.25	\$169.50	\$107.75	\$184.75	\$117.25	\$200.00	\$126.75	\$215.25	
Annually	\$198.00	\$330.75	\$216.00	\$360.25	\$234.00	\$390.00	\$252.00	\$419.50	



**ADULT  
LEARN-TO-SWIM**

**CERTIFIED  
INSTRUCTOR**

## April is Adult Learn-to-Swim Month!

The Adult Learn-to-Swim program is for adults who have moderate to no prior swimming experience or may even have a fear of the water and wish to learn the basics of swimming. Participants will be

taught how to: float on front and back, recover to a standing position from a floating position, coordinate breathing while swimming, basic water safety techniques, and alternating arm and leg movements.

*Mondays & Wednesdays | April 1–24 | 7:30pm or 8:00pm  
\$200\*\* for 8 half-hour classes. Includes a cap and goggles.*

### WAYS TO REGISTER

**\*\*Save 15% when you register by March 1, 2019!**

- Online: [www.oregoncity.org/swimmingpool/adult-learn-swim](http://www.oregoncity.org/swimmingpool/adult-learn-swim)
- Phone: 503.974.5516
- In-Person: Oregon City Swimming Pool, 1211 Jackson Street

## Oregon City Swim Team

503.655.4169 | [OCST.COACH@GMAIL.COM](mailto:OCST.COACH@GMAIL.COM)

The Oregon City Swim Team is a competitive swim club that promotes lifetime fitness, character growth and personal excellence through hard work and challenges, both in and out of the pool. OCST provides an environment in which swimmers of all abilities can develop to their fullest, whether they are beginners or world-class athletes.

*If you're interested in joining, call or email the Swim Club.*



## Pool Easter Egg Hunt

Come enjoy a new way of hunting Easter Eggs. You'll have a challenge getting

eggs that are floating on top of the water with your Easter Basket (no plastic bags). Then turn them in for candy and other prizes!

*Children under age 9 must be accompanied by an adult in the water.*

Saturday, April 20	SCHEDULE	Ages 8 & under	Ages 9 & older
\$2 per person	■ EGG HUNT	12:30–1:15pm	2:30–3:15pm
	■ REC SWIM	1:15–2:00pm	3:15–4:00pm

REGISTER online, by phone, or in person:

[www.oregoncity.org/swimmingpool](http://www.oregoncity.org/swimmingpool) | 503.657.8273 | 1211 Jackson St

## FIRST FRIDAY FUN SWIM WE DO A PENNY DIVE & GIVE OUT CANDY!

### SPRING DATES:

March 1 | April 5  
May 3 | June 7

**1ST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH, 7:30–9:00PM  
DURING OUR EVENING RECREATION SWIM SESSION!**

**PARTY TIME!!**

## Reserve Our Indoor Pool & Party Room!

RESERVE ONLINE: [WWW.OREGONCITY.ORG/SWIMMINGPOOL](http://WWW.OREGONCITY.ORG/SWIMMINGPOOL)

OR CALL: 971.204.0417

*NEW* Reserve the COMMUNITY ROOM and get up to 30 admissions included to the evening RECREATIONAL SWIM!	Available Fridays	3-Hour Package Fee
	■ Community Room access 6:00–8:30pm	\$98 Resident \$118 Non-Resident
	■ Recreational Swim access 7:30–9:00pm	

INDOOR HEATED SWIMMING POOL 25 meters	Available All Year	Rental Fee Per Hour
	■ Saturdays 2:00pm–8:00pm	\$78 Resident \$98 Non-Resident

**REMEMBER: Kids under 9 years old must have an adult  
in the water with them—at ratio of 1 adult : 3 children.**

COMMUNITY PARTY ROOM 2,000 sq. ft.	Available All Year	Rental Fee Per Hour
	■ Saturdays 11:00am–8:00pm	\$32 Resident \$48 Non-Resident





## Oregon City's Swimming Lessons

See the full descriptions of all of our lessons online at [www.oregoncity.org/swimmingpool/what-level-should-my-child-be-registered](http://www.oregoncity.org/swimmingpool/what-level-should-my-child-be-registered)

### PRESCHOOLERS—Oregon City's Swim Lesson Program

**Water Babies**—6 MONTHS TO 3 YEARS. Parents or guardians and children both have something to learn in this introductory class. You and your child will learn to be comfortable in and around the water. Learn games and swimming skills in a safe and controlled environment suited to introduce your child to swimming lessons.

**Swim Tots A/B**—3 TO 6 YEARS. For beginners! Participants learn basic water safety and swimming skills through fun games and activities, including floating on their front and back, submerging face in water, combined arm and leg movement, and basic water safety.

### AGES 5 & UP—Oregon City's Learn-to-Swim Program

**Level 1**—AN INTRODUCTORY CLASS IN 3 FEET OF WATER. In order for your child to graduate to Level 2 he/she must complete Level 1 skills unassisted. Skills to learn include: opening eyes underwater; blowing mouth and nose bubbles; front crawl and back crawl; floating and gliding skills; and basic water safety.

**Level 2**—SKILLS TO LEARN INCLUDE: holding breath and exploring underwater with eyes open; picking up a submerged object; gliding and floating on front and back; swimming unsupported at least 15 meters using beginning front crawl. More water safety and an introduction to basic water rescue skills will also be taught.

**Level 3**—SAFELY ADAPTS STUDENTS TO DEEPER WATER AND MORE ADVANCED SKILLS. Skills to learn include: effective use of multiple kicks; front crawl with rhythmic breathing; back crawl; jumping and diving into deep water; treading in deep water.

**Level 4**—INTRODUCES A NUMBER OF NEW SKILLS. Skills to learn include: decent execution of front and back crawl, breaststroke, butterfly, and elementary backstroke; strong ability to tread water; swimming underwater.

**Level 5**—SEEKS TO REFINE EVERY STROKE IN THE SWIMMER'S REPERTOIRE. Skills to learn include: very strong treading skills; flip turns for front and back crawl; excellent execution of butterfly, breaststroke, elementary backstroke, front and back crawl, and sidestroke; more water safety and an introduction to rescue breathing.

**Level 6**—SWIMMERS WILL PERFECT EVERYTHING THEY'VE ALREADY LEARNED, plus gain new knowledge about water safety and what it means to be a responsible lifeguard.

**PL Private Lesson**—Kids and adults can improve on any skills needed through one-on-one instruction

**PL Semi-Private**—Same as private lessons, but with a 2:1 ratio

## Swimming Lesson Fees

9 Group Lessons [Residents]	\$42.75
9 Group Lessons [Non-Residents]	\$62.75
1 Private Lesson [1 Student : 1 Instructor]	\$23.50
1 Semi-Private Lesson [2 Students : 1 Instructor]	\$34.50

## How to Register for Lessons

### IN WHICH CLASS SHOULD I ENROLL MY CHILD?

- Please read the lesson information at left (this page).
- Children should be placed in classes according to their age and previous swim experience. Know the last class your child was in and provide that information during registration.
- Swim lessons are different from other sports or activities, and classes are not necessarily designed to be taken in direct succession. Children often need to retake a level. Many, if not most students of the "Learn-to-Swim" program must repeat a level multiple times to become proficient in their skills. Please consider this when registering your child, and don't be disappointed if someone does not pass a level the first (or even the 9th!) time.
- All participants are tested during the first lesson to ensure they're in the proper class. Swim instructors have the right to determine your child's level of performance and place them accordingly.

### WAYS TO REGISTER

- **Spring** Registration begins 8:00am Friday, March 1
- **Summer** Registration begins 8:00am, Friday, May 17
- **In-Person:** OC Swimming Pool  
1211 Jackson St, Oregon City
- **Online:** [oregoncity.org/swimmingpool](http://oregoncity.org/swimmingpool)
- **Phone:** 503.657.8273
- **Gift Certificate:** Register in person and present your gift certificate.
- **If classes are full,** please add your name to the waiting list. We do our best to open up more classes!!



## Important Reminder FOR PARENTS

If you have questions for your child's swim instructor, feel free to speak to them after class. But remember, they often have another class to teach within a few minutes.



## Swim Lesson Schedules

**SPRING:** April 1—June 3 [Registration begins Friday, March 1 at 8:00am]

**SUMMER:** Session Dates TBA [Registration begins Friday, May 17 at 8:00am]

PRIVATE & SEMI-PRIVATE Lessons				LEGEND	PRESCHOOL Lessons		LEARN-TO-SWIM Lessons	
REGISTER ONLINE, MORE INFORMATION AT RIGHT					WB = Water Babies	1 = Level 1	4 = Level 4	
Saturdays	MID-DAY	11:00am—12:30pm			STA = Swim Tots A	2 = Level 2	5 = Level 5	
Monday   Wednesday   Friday	EVENINGS	6:00pm—7:30pm		STB = Swim Tots B	3 = Level 3	6 = Level 6		
<b>SPRING Group Lessons</b> MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS & FRIDAYS				GENERAL INFORMATION	PL = Private & Semi-Private Lessons			
<b>3-Week Sessions, 9 lessons each</b>					<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>PRIVATE &amp; SEMI-PRIVATE LESSONS LAST 27 MINUTES EACH.</li> <li>Private lessons (1 student, 1 instructor) and Semi-Private lessons (2 students, 1 instructor) are taught at the student's level.</li> <li>Many Private &amp; Semi-Private Lessons are available during group lesson times. See schedules at left; go online to register and see all available dates and times.</li> <li>GROUP LESSONS LAST 27 MINUTES EACH.</li> <li>Not sure what class to sign your child up for? Please see a description of each lesson level on the facing page.</li> <li>For more session information and/or to register, please call 503.657.8273, visit <a href="http://www.orc.org">www.orc.org</a> or stop by the swimming pool.</li> </ul>			
	6:00pm	6:30pm	7:00pm					
S1 April 1—April 19	WB, STA, 1, 3 PL, PL	STB, 1, 2, 4 PL, PL	STB, 1, 2, 5 PL, PL					
S2 April 22—May 10	WB, STA, 1, 3 PL, PL	STA, 1, 2, 3 PL, PL	STB, 1, 2, 4 PL, PL					
S3 May 13—June 3 <i>No class Monday, May 27</i>	WB, STA, 1, 3 PL, PL	STB, 1, 2, 4 PL, PL	STA, 1, 2, 5 PL, PL					
<b>SUMMER Group Lessons</b> MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS & FRIDAYS								
<b>3-Week Sessions, 9 lessons each</b>								
6:00pm 6:30pm 7:00pm								
Summer Session Dates TBD. The summer swim lesson schedule will be available online at <a href="http://www.orc.org/swimmingpool">www.orc.org/swimmingpool</a> by May 3. Registration begins May 17.								

## JOIN OUR TEAM at the Oregon City Swimming Pool!

- FLEXIBLE HOURS: Monday–Friday, anytime between 6:00am–4:00pm
- POSITIONS INCLUDE: Swim Instructors, Lifeguards, Day Camps, working Special Events, and more!
- FUN WORK ENVIRONMENT
- PAID TRAINING

TO APPLY VISIT:  
[WWW.ORCITY.ORG](http://WWW.ORCITY.ORG)

## Lifeguard Training – Blended Learning Classes

AT OREGON CITY SWIMMING POOL | PARTICIPANTS MUST ATTEND ALL SCHEDULED CLASSES

This course focuses on the job of a lifeguard in a swimming pool environment. Classes emphasize victim recognition, surveillance and equipment-based rescues; includes First Aid and CPR for the Professional Rescuer.

PREREQUISITES—Participants must be at least 15 years old and must be able to:

- swim continuously for 300 yards
- retrieve a 10-pound brick from 7 feet of water and return it to the surface
- tread water for 2 minutes using legs only

This is a blended learning class. For instructions on what to do before the class, go to:

[www.orc.org/swimmingpool/american-red-cross-lifeguard-certification-course](http://www.orc.org/swimmingpool/american-red-cross-lifeguard-certification-course)

There are approximately 7 hours of course work to do before the first day of class!

Bring a swimsuit and towel...you will get wet.

For more information, call Melissa Tierney 503.974.5516.

\$127.50 Resident   \$148.50 Non-Resident   Fees include all class materials.			
SPRING SESSIONS Registration deadlines—1 week before classes begin			
SESSION 1	Saturday & Sunday	March 23 & 24	8:00am–5:00pm
SESSION 2	Saturday & Sunday	May 4 & 5	8:00am–5:00pm



## Registration & Fees NEW CLASSES, UPDATES, REGISTRATION FEES AND MORE INFO AVAILABLE AT [WWW.OREGONCITY.ORG](http://WWW.OREGONCITY.ORG)

- **REGISTRATION**—Unless otherwise noted, advance registration is not required for fitness classes. Pay the drop-in fee at the door or purchase a punch card from the instructor.
- **CITY RESIDENT DISCOUNT**—A resident is anyone who lives inside the city limits of Oregon City. Non-residents pay higher fees since they do not pay Oregon City property taxes, which help fund Parks and Recreation programs.
- **SCHOLARSHIPS**—For aquatic and select recreation programs, scholarships are available to qualifying Oregon City residents. For more information, call Jennifer Smythe at 971.204.0417 or pick up an application at one of our facilities.



### Yoga for Life THE ROOTS

A Hatha practice designed to help tune the mind-body for any level of yoga student. All the poses are performed using universal principles of alignment, which help to avoid injuries and make the poses particularly therapeutic and transformative. Bring a yoga mat and block. Questions? Email instructor Sarah Colarchik, RYI-200 at [Wasumada@hotmail.com](mailto:Wasumada@hotmail.com).

*Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays | 7:30–8:45am  
OC Pool–Community Room  
\$10 drop-in class | \$160 punch card (20 classes)  
buy punch cards from Sarah*

## SPRING Aqua Day Camp AGES 5–10

MONDAY–FRIDAY | MARCH 25–29 | 12:30–4:00PM

RESIDENT \$60.00 | NON-RESIDENT \$80.75

### CAMP THEME: SUPER SPRING BREAK

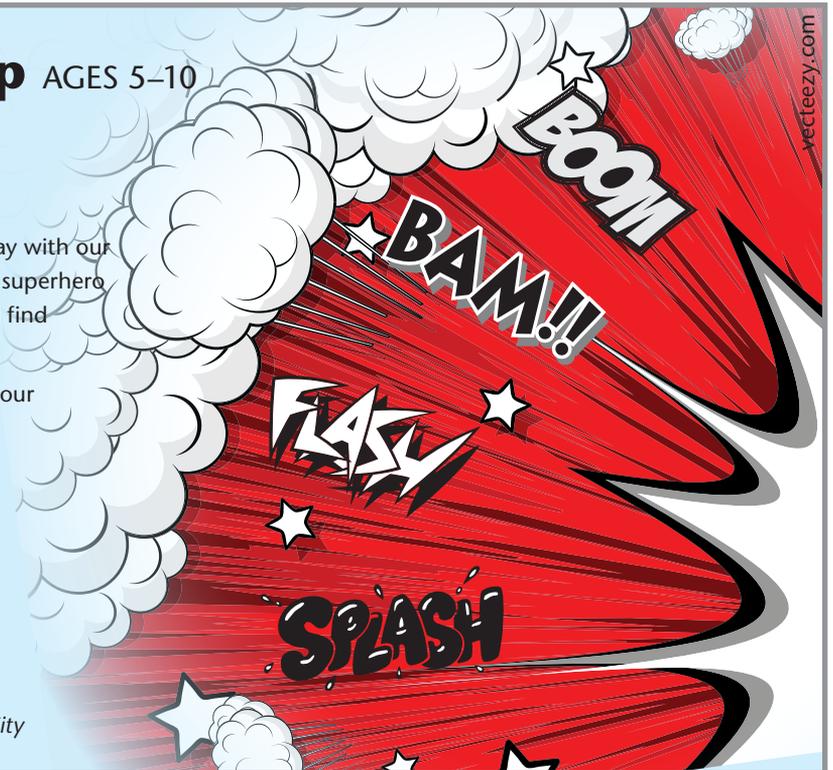
Boom! Bam! Pow! Get ready to run, jump, and save the day with our Super Spring Break theme! Campers will create their own superhero masks, will test their skills in fun obstacle courses, and will find out what their super power is by the end of the week.

They will also work on their super swimming skills during our 2:00–4:00pm recreation swim every day, so remember to pack a swim suit. Also, send campers in shoes good for running, and don't forget a snack.

This spring break is going to be fantastic and filled with some superhero fun!

#### REGISTRATION

- Online: [www.oregoncity.org/swimmingpool](http://www.oregoncity.org/swimmingpool)
- Phone: 503.657.8273
- In-Person: OC Swimming Pool, 1211 Jackson St, Oregon City



## SUMMER Day Camps

DETAILS WILL BE POSTED ONLINE BY MAY 3 at [www.oregoncity.org/swimmingpool](http://www.oregoncity.org/swimmingpool). Details will also be published in the summer edition of the Oregon City Trail News, which will be available by mid-May.

**ALL DAY CAMPS ARE HELD AT THE OREGON CITY SWIMMING POOL & COMMUNITY ROOM**

**For more information or to register — call, click or come by the Swimming Pool  
503.657.8273 | [www.oregoncity.org/swimmingpool](http://www.oregoncity.org/swimmingpool) | 1211 Jackson Street, Oregon City**



**VOTE FOR THE MOVIES YOU WANT TO SEE!**

This summer, Oregon City Parks and Recreation will show four free family movies outdoors the first four Fridays in August! You're invited to make your voice heard on the film selections!

August 2 | August 16  
August 9 | August 23  
PARKS & LOCATIONS TBA

■ VOTING CLOSES: April 26  
■ WINNING MOVIES to be announced: April 29

For links to vote, go to [www.orcity.org/swimmingpool](http://www.orcity.org/swimmingpool) or find us on facebook: [oregon city parks and rec / swimming pool](https://www.facebook.com/oregon-city-parks-and-rec-swimming-pool)

**A Friendly Reminder to All:**

MOVIES IN THE PARK ARE FAMILY-FRIENDLY EVENTS. We would like to continue this free community event, with safety as the key element. For parents dropping off kids, please remind your children of appropriate behavior.

Movies in the Park are city-sanctioned events; for a person to remain in the park, they must be actively watching the movie. Individuals who are not observing the movie will be asked to leave.

*Thank you, OC Community, for your consideration and for helping our Recreation staff keep the event safe and fun for all!*

**INDOOR Playground**

FOR PARENTS & PRESCHOOLERS | ENDS MAY 31  
MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY | 10:00AM-2:00PM  
*Note—March 25-29: Playground is open 10:00am-Noon only*

Join us for this popular parent-child drop-in activity at the Oregon City Swimming Pool! Three days a week children and their parents can play at our indoor playground in the Oregon City Community Room ... Crawl through tunnels, play on trikes, bounce balls, slide, run, jump and just have fun!

**PARENTS, PLEASE NOTE:**

- Check in at the front desk before you start playing.
- Ask our front desk staff for an updated monthly calendar.
- Playground equipment is disinfected regularly!

*Drop-in Fee: \$3 per Child  
Ask us about punch card options!  
Parents & Children under 12 months old are FREE!!*



**1211 Jackson Street  
OC Community Room  
inside the Swimming Pool | 503.657.8273**

**HISTORIC  
ERMATINGER HOUSE  
1843**



619 SIXTH STREET, OREGON CITY  
*Open: Fridays & Saturdays | 10:00am-4:00pm  
\$5 Adult | \$3 Youth/Senior | Free for ages 12 and younger  
\$8 Families (residing in one household)*

Built c. 1843, the Ermatinger House is the oldest structure in Clackamas County and one of the oldest in the State of Oregon. Come by to learn about the importance of the Hudson's Bay Company in the Pacific Northwest, Chief Trader Francis Ermatinger, the famous coin toss between Asa Lovejoy and Francis Pettygrove that decided Portland's name, and the early founding of Oregon City. The museum also tells the fascinating story of the house itself!

**SPECIAL SPRING EVENTS — SATURDAYS**

**GREEK REVIVAL** *March 16 | 1:00pm | \$5 Adults, \$3 Kids*  
Do you enjoy historic architecture? Then this is for you! Come by for an exciting presentation on Greek Revival Architecture and learn about the history of the Francis Ermatinger House!

**HOPS AND HERITAGE** *April 13 | 2:00-6:00pm | \$15*  
Come for an exclusive beer release and historic food pairing from Coin Toss Brewing—named for the fateful coin toss that took place in this historic home. Admission includes a commemorative glass, a 12 oz. pour of "Dr. John's Old Ale", and food, as well as a guided tour, starting on-the-hour during this event. You'll also have the opportunity to purchase a limited-release bottle of the special beer. We hope to see you there!

**HANDS-ON-HISTORY** *May 18 | 10:00am-4:00pm | FREE, with a suggested donation of \$2 per person*  
Kids will learn what life was like in the early days of Oregon City. Bring your kids for tours where they can touch and feel furs, reenact the coin toss that named the City of Portland, make crafts from the time period, and a fun photo booth with themed 1840's props! Tours begin on the hour, and we ask that parents stay to help their little pioneer work through activities!

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

The Ermatinger House is looking for people to help give tours on Fridays and Saturdays. Interested? Email [ermatinger@orc.org](mailto:ermatinger@orc.org) and we will set you up with an application! We also have other volunteer opportunities including helping to clean artifacts, working special events, and more!

**BECOME A FRIEND OF THE ERMATINGER HOUSE**

The Friends of the Ermatinger House is a non-profit organization whose mission is to promote, educate, and preserve the heritage and story of the Historic Francis Ermatinger House through historic demonstrations, living history exhibits and other activities. We are a 501(c)3 organization looking for volunteers to join us in support of our mission.  
*If you are interested in joining this non-profit, or have questions about our mission and the opportunities with us, please contact Cheryl Rice at [cheryllrice@comcast.net](mailto:cheryllrice@comcast.net).*

## Pioneer Center Hours

OPEN	Monday–Friday	9:00am–4:00pm
CLOSED	Saturdays, Sundays & the dates below:	
	Mon–Fri, Mar 16–31	Spring Closure
	Monday, May 27	Memorial Day
LUNCH	Monday–Friday	
	Lunch & Dessert Bar	11:30am–12:30pm
	Meals-on-Wheels	10:30am–12:45pm

## Drop-In Groups & Activities

AA	Meets in the Center’s Basement Sundays   1:30–3:30pm	
Alzheimer’s Support	3rd Wednesdays   12:00–1:30pm	
Billiards	Use the beautiful pool table in our TV Room for free. Pool balls at front desk. Mon–Fri   9:00am–4:00pm (as available)	
Bingo	A lively, friendly group that meets weekly for fun & small cash prizes. Thursdays   12:30–3:00pm   \$.25/card	
Book Club	2nd Monday   10:00–11:30am   Free	
Computers & Internet	Computers with Internet access are in our Computer Lab. We also offer free Wi-fi! Printers are not available. Monday–Friday   9:00am–4:00pm	
Diabetes Support	This is a free support group and open to the public. 1st Fridays   Noon–1:00pm	
Food Pantry	Tuesdays & Fridays   9:00–9:30am	
Grief Support	A safe haven to share your thoughts and feelings about your loss. 2nd & 4th Thursdays   1:00–3:00pm	
NarAnon	Meets in the Center’s Basement Thursdays   7:00–9:00pm	
Pinochle	Play a triple-deck card game. Fridays   1:00–3:30pm   25 cents	
Poker	Mondays   2nd & 4th Tuesdays 12:00–3:30pm	
REFIT Cardio	Meets in the Center’s Basement Thursdays   5:30–6:30pm   Free	
Scrabble	Challenge this fun, friendly group! Fridays   12:30–3:00pm   Free	
Walking Club	Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays 9:30am   Free	

## Senior Services & Programs

**NUTRITION PROGRAM**—Lunch with dessert bar is served in the Pioneer Center’s Dining Room Monday–Friday, 11:30am–12:30pm. Suggested donation for ages 60+ is \$3.00. Cost for under age 60 is \$4.50. *For more info call 503.657.8287.*

**MEALS ON WHEELS SERVICE**—The Nutrition Program provides home-delivered noon meals to homebound 60+ seniors and under 60 Medicaid-qualified seniors who are referred by local SPD offices. Service areas include Oregon City, West Linn, Beavercreek, Redland and Carus. Hot meals are delivered Monday through Friday, 10:30am–12:45pm. Frozen meals are provided for closures, weekends and holidays. The service also provides a menu and a newsletter with upcoming events and meal information. *For more information call the Pioneer Community Center Meals on Wheels Coordinator Shirley Ryan at 503.722.5979.*

**GROCERY SHOPPING TRIPS**—For ages 60 and over or adults with disabilities. We provide transportation to Winco, Market of Choice, Fred Meyer, Albertsons, Grocery Outlet and Safeway. To schedule a ride, call 503.657.8287 up to one week ahead of time. Space is limited, so please call early. *Pick up begins at 12:45pm. Suggested donation: \$1.00 each way.*

**TRANSPORTATION**—For ages 60 and over or adults with disabilities. Passengers must live in Oregon City or in West Linn. Vans are lift-equipped. Call 503.657.8287 up to 7 days ahead to schedule a ride. *Suggested donation: \$1.00 each way*

**HEALTH SERVICES**—Blood pressure (Helping Hands Home Care) and balance screenings (BenchMark Physical Therapy). No appointment necessary. *2nd Tuesday each month | 10:00am–12:00pm | Free*

**MEDICARE INSURANCE ASSISTANCE**—SHIBA volunteers provide free counseling to people with Medicare. Call SHIBA at 503.655.8269 to receive assistance with your Medicare benefits.

**ALZHEIMER’S SUPPORT GROUP**—A caregiver’s support group for those whose loved ones have Alzheimer’s or other types of dementia. Call 800.272.3900 for more information. *1st & 3rd Wednesday each month | 12:00–1:30pm | Free*

**DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP**—A peer support group for those living with diabetes. This is a free support group and is open to the public. *1st Friday each month | Noon–1:00pm | Free*

**FOOT CARE CLINIC**—Registered nurses offer pedicures at the Center for seniors and those with disabilities. Ingrown nails, calluses and corns can be corrected. Bring two large towels. Call 503.657.8287 ext 0 for more info or to make an appointment. *1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 2nd Fridays | by Appointment | \$35–Pay to the RNs*

**GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP**—This support group, led by Chaplain Joanne Petrie (Bristol Hospice), provides a safe haven to share your thoughts, feelings and problems related to your loss. Learn how other group members cope with, and are working through their grief. Call 503.698.8911 for more information. *2nd & 4th Thursdays each month | 1:30–3:00pm | Free*

**SENIOR LAW PROJECT**—Once a month, a local volunteer attorney provides free half-hour consultations regarding estate planning for Clackamas County residents, ages 60+. For more information and to schedule appointments, call Jamie at 503.722.3268. *2nd Monday each month | On-going | by Appointment | Free*

## IMPORTANT: Annual Spring Closure MARCH 16–31

Pioneer Community Center will be closed for two weeks for extended building maintenance. All classes and services are cancelled for these two weeks.

## Year-Round Donations

We accept cash donations and items that are used in many of our programs, including:

- **Sponsor a Senior for a Day Trip or Activity**  
We have a fun, active group that goes on day trips at least twice a month. Donate \$15 and a very happy senior will be on their way! You can also sponsor a senior for our Big Band Dance or other Center activities.
- **FIDO** — We are a donation site for FIDO and accept donations of unopened dog and cat food. FIDO's AniMeals program delivers pet food along with the Meals on Wheels program. Delivery is every other week to recipients who are often at risk of sacrificing their own nutrition to feed their pet companions.
- **Health Equipment** — *We are no longer able to accept donations or loan out medical equipment. For equipment loans or to donate your used medical equipment, please contact Glenn or Jean at 503.829.7345.*

## Volunteer Today!

We provide a wide array of services to our community's seniors and to citizens at large. Our small staff needs your help to keep our programs operating and running smoothly. We are currently looking for Dishwasher Assistants, Grocery Pick-Up Helpers, Meals on Wheels Drivers, and Pots & Pans Washers. There are many different opportunities for you to share your skills. You can make a difference in our community! For more information about our volunteer opportunities, please contact Jamie at [jdavie@orcity.org](mailto:jdavie@orcity.org) or 503.722.3268. PLEASE NOTE: *Background checks may take 4–6 weeks to process.*

## Join Our Book Club!

Enjoy great books on a wide range of topics, have intelligent discussions, meet new people, and share refreshments at Pioneer Community Center! Bring in your own book ideas!  
*2nd Monday every month | 10:00–11:30am | Free!—just drop in*

## March for Meals — Donate Today! MARCH 1–31, 2019

The Pioneer Center will once again participate in the nationwide March for Meals campaign! Please consider volunteering at our center and/or making a donation to our Meals on Wheels Program! Our program provides a nutritious noon meal with warm conversation and a security check for homebound seniors and disabled residents in Oregon City and West Linn.

If you see our March for Meals collection containers at community businesses, please consider making a donation! If your business, church or social group is interested in sponsoring a collection container or having a fundraising drive, please email [jspencer@orcity.org](mailto:jspencer@orcity.org) or call 503.722.3781. Every donation to Meals on Wheels stays right here in Oregon City and West Linn as an investment in the health, well-being and dignity of a senior!

## Cover the Miles Program

The Cover the Miles Program provides mileage reimbursement to our Meals on Wheels drivers who need it — many are seniors themselves and are on fixed incomes. You, your business or organization can adopt a route for an annual tax-deductible donation of \$100+. With your sponsorship, you'll have the opportunity to have your name or business listed in our newsletter and in the Trail News. Your name can also be on a magnetic door sign we provide for our drivers' vehicles, which reads: "Meals on Wheels sponsored by (your name)".

### THANK YOU TO OUR CURRENT PROGRAM SPONSORS!

Avamere Living at Berry Park  
BCT  
Beavercreek Lions  
Clackamas Federal Credit Union  
Health Net  
Mary & Thomas Troxel  
Mike & Alice Norris  
Parkin Electric  
Peter & Anne Bellamy  
Terrence & Lonnie Shumaker  
Trick 'N Racy Car Club  
Anonymous Donors

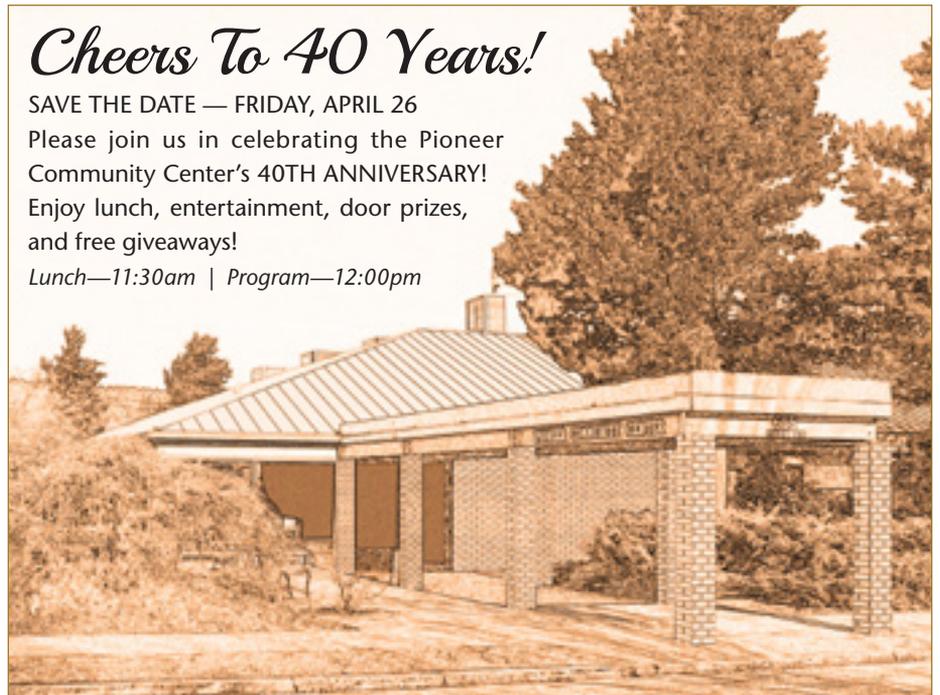
## Cheers To 40 Years!

SAVE THE DATE — FRIDAY, APRIL 26

Please join us in celebrating the Pioneer Community Center's 40TH ANNIVERSARY!

Enjoy lunch, entertainment, door prizes, and free giveaways!

*Lunch—11:30am | Program—12:00pm*



HOW TO REGISTER: ☺ In Person | Contact Instructor: ☎ call ✉ email 📧 mail | ⓘ more information



## AARP Tax-Aide ☎ 503.657.8287 ext.0 FOR AN APPOINTMENT

The Pioneer Center is an AARP Tax-Aide site, providing free tax assistance for low- to middle-income Clackamas County taxpayers, with a focus on those 60 and older. IRS-trained volunteers annually help over 2 million nationwide file their taxes.

Tuesdays & Fridays | February 1–April 15\*\*\* | 9:00am–2:00pm | Please call as soon as possible as appointments fill up fast.

\*\*\* PLEASE NOTE: Appointments on March 19, 22, 26, 29 will be held at the Oregon City Library\*\*\*

## Class Information & Registration SPRING REGISTRATION BEGINS TUESDAY, MARCH 5 AT 9:00AM.

For more information or to register, contact the instructor if their contact info is listed. Otherwise, stop by the Center or call 503.657.8287.

- PAYMENT—Cash or check preferred. Full payment is due before the first class begins.
- (OVER\*\*) DISCOUNT—Citizens over the specified age qualify for the reduced class fees at the Center. Please have ID available.
- CANCELLATIONS—Classes, programs or events may be cancelled due to lack of participation.
- REFUNDS—A full refund will be given only if requested before the first day of class. No refund if a class has already begun.

## Computer Skills

☎ Instructor—Jerry King 503.723.9497.

ⓘ Call Jerry for fees, schedule & more information.

Students get hands-on practice during each 2-hour class.

4 weeks, 4 classes. Maximum 8 students per class.

**LEVEL 1: FIRST STEPS**—Learn to communicate with the computer by understanding the signs and symbols it uses to communicate with you. Learn the minimize, maximize, restore down and close commands, how to reposition and resize a window, how to save and print files, and an introduction to the Internet. Also learn and practice mouse commands, and how to hover to identify program tools.

**LEVEL 1: WINDOWS 10 INTRO**—Learn to navigate Windows 10 effectively and why it's so different. You'll learn how to pin and unpin tiles, Live tiles, Windows Store app. We also cover the Edge browser, voice commands with Cortana, system-wide search, and how the OneDrive works, and how to create a recovery USB drive.

**LEVEL 2: COMPUTER BASICS**—Course opens with a survey of computer terminology and components. Learn to set up folders and sub-folders in Windows, and create shortcuts to your desktop. This lets you organize your files and find them quickly. Discover the different ways to connect to the internet and how to use a browser, search engines and e-mail. Students will e-mail a friend and attach a picture.

**LEVEL 3: WORD PROCESSING**—Students build on the basics to fine tune their word processing skills. Improve your typing skills by learning keyboard shortcuts instead of using the mouse. Learn default settings, copy, cut, and paste commands. You'll also work with macros and tables, and explore mail merge.

**LEVEL 3: MASTERING E-MAIL**—Focus is exclusively on email. Learn to setup your own email account and how to send a CC (carbon copy) or a BCC (blind carbon copy). Learn to attach pictures to send to a friend, and to set up email reminders so you never forget another birthday. Keep a note pad with info you need on vacation, such as eye prescriptions or medication lists. Send a text message to a friend's cell phone.

## Creative Expression

### ACRYLIC & OIL PAINTING

☎ Instructor—Shirlee Lind 503.722.3845

Become an artist and have fun while doing it! Beginners learn basic fundamentals, brush techniques, shading composition and color mixing. No experience necessary. Experienced artists learn the latest in texture products, technique painting from photos, and get advice on difficult areas. See demos and experimental techniques to create texture and depth. Pick up a supply list at Pioneer Center before first class.

Wednesdays | April 3–June 5 | 9:30–11:30am OR 12:30–2:30pm

\$95 (Over62—\$65) | 10 weeks, 10 classes

**BUSY BEES**—Have fun making crafts, sewing quilts and more for fund raisers, or simply work on your own projects in the company of others.

Mondays | ongoing | 9:00am–Noon | Free

### WATERCOLOR PAINTING ALL LEVELS

☎ Instructor—Melissa Gannon 503.557.3963

Explore the exciting, challenging medium of transparent watercolor! Learn to mix colors, the basics of composition, and the elements of perspective and drawing. Pick up a supply list at the Pioneer Center prior to the first class.

Thursdays | April 4–May 23 | 10:00am–12:30pm

\$100 (Over62—\$70) | 8 weeks, 8 classes

### WRITING 101 FREE CLASSES!

☎ 503.657.8287 ext.0 or stop by our front desk for more information.

Reserve your seat early for our free writing classes! Space is limited!

Are you eager to test the waters of creative writing but not sure where to start, or how? Here you will be guided surely and safely into the writing life. There's no pressure to work on a specific project or even settle on which type of writing you prefer. The purpose is to learn the tools to express something, whether it be feelings, thoughts, or emotions. Instructor L. Lee Shaw, award winning local author and owner of the independent publishing house, Boho Books, will be leading these free writing workshops.

Wednesdays | April 3–June 12 | 1:00–2:00pm | 11 weeks, 11 classes

## Music & Dancing

**CENTER IS CLOSED:** March 16–31 (Building Maintenance) | Monday, May 27 (Memorial Day)

### BEGINNING GUITAR

☎ Instructor—Bill Price 503.997.6568

- PART 1: This fun and popular class is designed for the absolute beginner. Quickly learn basic chords and simple strumming patterns known to all guitar players. EZ songs, how to tune the instrument, basic techniques, etc. Please bring your own guitar.

*Mondays | April 1–April 29 | 2:00–2:45pm*

*\$59 + \$8 Materials | 5 weeks, 5 classes*

- PART 2: Class picks up where Part 1 left off. More great songs, strumming, chords. Please bring your own guitar.

*Mondays | May 6–June 10 | 2:00–2:45pm*

*\$59 | 6 weeks, 5 classes (No class: May 27)*

### BEYOND BEGINNING GUITAR

☎ Instructor—Bill Price 503.997.6568

Fun classes for those who've had some guitar experience, already know several basic chords and how to play some songs. Beginning Guitar Parts 1 & 2 are recommended. Lots of fun, new chords and songs. Please bring your own guitar.

- SESSION 1: *Mondays | April 1–April 29 | 2:45–3:30pm*

*\$59=5 weeks, 5 classes | \$15=1 class*

- SESSION 2: *Mondays | May 6–June 10 | 2:45–3:30pm*

*\$59=6 weeks, 5 classes (No class: May 27) | \$15=1 class*

### BEGINNING UKULELE

☎ Instructor—Bill Price 503.997.6568

Ukulele is easy to play, inexpensive and lots of fun! Learn tuning, simple chords, and tons of songs. A great way to have fun with family and friends. Tenor, Soprano or concert GCEA tuning only. Please bring your own ukulele.

- PART 1: In this popular class, you'll quickly learn tuning, simple chords and tons of songs.

*Mondays | April 1–April 29 | 1:15–2:00pm*

*\$59 + \$8 Materials | 5 weeks, 5 classes*

- PART 2: Picks up where Part 1 left off. More great songs, strumming, and chords.

*Mondays | May 6–June 10 | 1:15–2:00pm*

*\$59 | 6 weeks, 5 classes (No class: May 27)*

### BEYOND BEGINNING UKULELE

☎ Instructor—Bill Price 503.997.6568

Fun classes for those who've had some ukulele experience, already know several basic chords and how to play some songs. Lots of fun, new chords and songs. Beginning Ukulele Parts 1 & 2 are recommended. Please bring your own ukulele.

Materials needed: "Jumpin' Jim's Daily Ukulele Songbook", available online or from your local music store.

- SESSION 1: *Mondays | April 1–April 29 | 12:00–1:00pm*

*\$59=5 weeks, 5 classes | \$15=1 class*

- SESSION 2: *Mondays | May 6–June 10 | 12:00–1:00pm*

*\$59=6 weeks, 5 classes (No class: May 27) | \$15=1 class*

### MUSIC MAKERS COMMUNITY CHOIR

☎ Chorus Director—Melinda Beyers 503.381.9827

📍 Mary Ann Rautio 503.774.5333 or 503.758.8238

Attention former singers in the Oregon City area! Tune up your vocal cords and have fun, too! We're a growing chorus and invite you sit in to see if you'd like to be part of our group. Singing strengthens your body, mind and spirit. We're always looking for new members who enjoy singing choral renditions of show tunes and good-time oldies. You don't need to be able to read music.

*Fridays | 10:00am–Noon | \$30 per semester*

### MUSIC TOGETHER

📍 Instructor—Wendy Reznicek 971.678.6742

Register at: [www.valleykidsmusic.com](http://www.valleykidsmusic.com) or ✉ [valleykidsmusic@gmail.com](mailto:valleykidsmusic@gmail.com)

- **MIXED AGES: 0–5 YEARS.** Sing, dance, play and laugh! Music Together's playful environment is musically rich and always supportive of learning styles and stages of development. For children from newborns through kindergarten and the grownups who love them. Includes weekly classes, at-home materials, online resources, access to social network and ongoing parent education, and invitations to special events.

*Saturdays | April 6–June 22 | 10 weeks, 10 classes | \$165*

SESSION 1: *8:30–9:15am*

SESSION 2: *9:30–10:15am*

- **RHYTHM KIDS: 4–5 YEARS.** Through dynamic musical games and other activities, we explore music from around the world. This exciting new music, movement, and drumming\* class is designed to follow through on the Music Together vision to help children complete the pathway of early childhood music development. Includes weekly classes, at-home materials, online resources, access to social network and ongoing parent education, and invitations to special events. \*Djembe (drum) required for each child.

*Saturdays | April 20–June 22 | 10:45am–11:30am | 8 weeks, 8 classes | \$142*

- **BABIES**—A music class for babies? Of course! Sing, dance, snuggle, and learn how to support your baby's overall development, all in the company of other new parents and an early childhood music specialist. It's never too early to start your baby's musical journey! Twins? No problem! Infants under 9mo can come along for free with a registered sibling.

*Saturdays | April 20–June 22 | 12:00–12:45pm | 8 weeks, 8 classes | \$142*

### LINE DANCING

*Ongoing | No partner needed | 50 cents drop-in fee*

- **BEGINNING:** *Mondays | 1:00–2:00pm || Tuesdays | 12:00–1:00pm*

Learn line dance basics and simple dances, even with two left feet!

- **INTERMEDIATE:** *Tuesdays | 1:00–3:00pm*

Learn the latest line dancing steps, as well as the traditional ones.

### WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON BALLROOM DANCES

The 16–piece Swing Street Glenn Tadina Big Band and the 14–piece Black Magic Band jump and jive on alternating weeks at the Pioneer Center. Music may include the Swing, Cha-cha, Tango, Rumba, Waltz and Fox Trot, plus a variety of other dance rhythms. For each band's play dates, call Glenn Tadina at 503.769.5598. Come early for lunch!

- **LUNCH:** *11:30am–12:30pm | \$4.50 < age 60 | \$3.00 age 60+ sugg. donation*

- **DANCE:** *12:45–3:00pm | \$5.00 at the door*

## Fitness & Relaxation

**REGISTER** ☺ In Person | Contact instructor: ☎ call ✉ email 📧 mail | ⓘ more info

### EXERCISE ROOM

ORIENTATION REQUIRED BEFORE USING FACILITY

☎ 503.657.8287 for an Orientation appointment

Adults 50+. The orientation session will introduce you to the Pioneer Center and the Exercise Room equipment. After your Orientation, you can enjoy our cardio equipment and weights.

Monday–Friday | 9:00am–4:00pm | \$20=24 Exercise Room visits

### BALANCE & HARMONY MARTIAL ARTS

☎ Instructor—Nick Hancock 503.266.9939

🌐 [www.balancenharmony.com](http://www.balancenharmony.com)

📍 Balance & Harmony | 136 N. Grant St, Canby OR 97013

■ **QI-GONG**—BEGINNERS WELCOME. This moving meditation improves strength, flexibility, concentration and balance by combining gentle physical exercise and mental discipline. The slow, controlled movements also strengthen muscles and reduce stress.

Tuesdays | April 2–June 11 | 10:30–11:30am

\$100 (Over55—\$65) | 11 weeks, 11 classes

■ **TAI CHI**—BEGINNING. These ancient Chinese movements improve strength, flexibility, concentration and balance by combining gentle physical exercise and mental discipline. The slow, controlled movements also strengthen muscles and reduce stress.

Tuesdays & Thursdays | April 2–June 13 | 9:00–10:00am

\$150 (Over55—\$100) | 11 weeks, 22 classes

■ **TAI CHI**—CONTINUING. These ancient Chinese movements improve strength, flexibility, concentration and balance by combining gentle physical exercise and mental discipline. The slow, controlled movements also strengthen muscles and reduce stress.

Mondays & Wednesdays | April 1–June 12 | 10:40–11:40am

\$150 (Over55—\$100) | 11 weeks, 21 classes (No class: May 27)

■ **TAI CHI SWORDSWORD**. This beautiful, ancient practice improves strength, balance, flexibility and coordination. We focus on the Yang style Tai Chi sword form and basic sword handling techniques.

Thursdays | April 4–June 13 | 10:30–11:30am

\$100 (Over55—\$75) | 11 weeks, 11 classes | Sword for \$25 extra

### LOW IMPACT AEROBICS

☺ Pioneer Center | Instructor—MacKenzie Owens

This modified low impact workout program is designed for overall body fitness. We will combine cardio along with stretching to burn calories and improve muscle tone. Suitable for all fitness levels.

Mondays & Wednesdays | April 1–June 12 | 9:15–10:15am

\$105 (Over 62—\$74) | 11 weeks, 21 classes (No class: May 27)



### MINDFULNESS MEDITATION FOR GOOD HEALTH & HAPPINESS

☎ ⓘ Instructor—Surja Tjahaja 503.656.8910

Learn how to calm the mind while strengthening concentration with simple breathing methods and comfortable sitting, walking, lying down and standing postures. Using direct experience in the present moment and cultivating biofeedback skills, this non-religious technique helps direct the mind to a more peaceful state.

Tuesdays | May 7–July 16

SESSION 1: 2:00–3:30pm || SESSION 2: 7:00–8:30pm

\$10 = drop-in per class | \$88 = 11 weeks, 11 classes

### NEW CLASS! REFIT CARDIO

FREE Drop-in Class, no registration necessary

Instructor—Emily Frack

This life-changing group fitness experience will rock your body, heart, and soul with powerful moves and positive music to inspire you from the inside out! REFIT classes propel students to their best selves through dance, toning, balance and flexibility. This class is perfect for both beginners and fitness enthusiasts, with workouts designed for everybody—regardless of age, shape, size or ability.

Thursdays | Ongoing | 5:30pm–6:30pm | FREE

### TAOIST TAI CHITM TAIJIQUAN

☎ 503.220.5970 | ✉ [oregon@taoist.org](mailto:oregon@taoist.org) ⓘ [www.taoist.org](http://www.taoist.org)

Internal martial art developed by Master Moy Lin-shin to improve health through a gentle set of 108 movements. Turning and stretching exercises your whole body, restores calmness and peace of mind.

■ ALL LEVELS: Wear flat shoes and loose clothing.

Mondays | May 20–August 26 (No class March 18 & 25)

Suggested Donation for 4 months: \$140 (Over60—\$110)

■ BEGINNING: 6:00–7:30pm

■ CONTINUING/INTERMEDIATE: 7:30–9:00pm

(For members who took the Beginning class)

### WOMEN'S CARDIO

☎ Instructor—Jill St. John 971.221.4813

✉ [jillstjohn101@gmail.com](mailto:jillstjohn101@gmail.com)

Get ready to fight for a killer body! Core de Force is an MMA inspired total body workout that uses core conditioning, combinations, body weight moves, and cardio sparks to harness the power of your core. Burn major calories without equipment while listening to fun music!

Wednesdays | April 3–June 12 | 5:30–6:30pm

\$10 = drop-in | \$66 = 11 weeks, 11 classes

## Fitness & Relaxation (CONTINUED)

### YOGA

☎ Instructor—Jenny Juffs 971.400.6927

■ ALL LEVELS: Dress comfortably and bring a yoga mat.  
Thursdays | April 4–June 27 | \$70 (Over62—\$62)  
12 weeks, 10 classes (No Class: May 9 & 16)

■ BEGINNING-1: 5:30–6:30pm

A chance to try yoga! No previous experience needed. Work on flexibility, mobility and strength in a fun, safe, supportive class. Focus on breathing, technique and holding poses.

### CHAIR YOGA

☎ Instructor—Colleen Watson 503.473.1349

✉ [colleengrace@comcast.net](mailto:colleengrace@comcast.net)

Designed to help increase strength, flexibility and balance through yoga poses adapted to using a chair for support. No previous yoga experience necessary. All ages and abilities welcome. Please bring a mat for safety.

Tuesdays & Thursdays | April 2–June 13 | 10:30–11:30am  
\$100 (Over62—\$70) | 11 weeks, 22 classes

### GENTLE YOGA

☺ At Pioneer Center | Instructor—Marcus Quinlan

Feel better and reduce stress, no matter what your age or fitness level. This class provides all the benefits of yoga—meditation, breathing, stretching, strengthening and balance. Wear loose clothing and bring a mat or blanket.

Tuesdays & Thursdays | April 2–June 13 | 9:15–10:15am  
\$110 (Over62—\$77) | 11 weeks, 22 classes

### ZUMBA® The first class is free for new students!

☎ Instructor—Bev Bunting 503.348.3842

Let's have fun and exercise at the same time—come and enjoy this Latin-based “Exercise in Disguise” format, and focus on yourself for an hour! Easy to follow, this workout burns calories and challenges your mind and body. Bring water, a towel, and shoes that pivot and move. Register at class! You bring the chips, I'll bring the Salsa!

April 2–June 13 (No Class: May 9 & 16)

■ Tuesdays	3:30–4:30pm	\$5 Drop-in per class
■ Wednesdays	5:30–6:30pm	\$20 Punchcard (5 classes)
■ Thursdays	3:30–4:30pm	\$40 Session (11 classes)



## Healthy Aging & Pioneer Center Events

### WORKSOURCE OREGON WORKSHOPS

☺ Register in person at WorkSource Center | 506 High St, Oregon City

☎ Current schedule: 971.673.6400 ext. 22473 or

[www.nwfs.org/for-job-seekers/worksource-clackamas-workshops](http://www.nwfs.org/for-job-seekers/worksource-clackamas-workshops)

WorkSource Oregon and Northwest Family Services have teamed up to help job seekers land their dream jobs through refining and learning new skills. By participating in 6 free classes, you'll automatically be entered in a raffle for a \$100 Fred Meyer's gift card!

### ESTATE PLANNING 101

Presented by M.J. Rose, Atty—Rose Elder Law, LLC

☎ RSVP 503.657.8287 | Space is limited

In this seminar, we'll discuss what estate plans are, and whether you need one. You'll also learn how to protect yourself and estate from incapacity. Topics include wills, trusts, probate, special needs planning, powers of attorney, and advance directives.

Thursday, March 7 | 10:00–11:30am | Free

### LONG TERM CARE PLANNING

☎ 503.657.8287 to RSVP; space is limited.

Presented by Michael J. Rose, Attorney with Rose Elder Law, LLC

Learn how you can afford long term care! Topics include paying for care with private funds; Medicaid and qualifying for it; Veterans Aid and Attendance.

Wednesday, March 13 | 10:00–11:30am | Free

### NATIONAL WALKING DAY STROLL IN OREGON CITY!

☎ Jamie at 503.722.3268 or

☎ [jdavie@orchcity.org](mailto:jdavie@orchcity.org) for more info.

Join us for a recreational walk, led by Rose City Roamers, in honor of National Walking Day. The annual celebration is designated by the American Heart Association to raise awareness of the importance of physical activity. Just bring yourself...and maybe a warm jacket! We'll walk rain or shine.

Wednesday, April 3 | Registration opens 9:00am at Pioneer Adult Community Center | Walk begins 9:30am | Total Walk Time: 1 hour

Free & open to the public—must be 21 or over to participate.

### AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVES

☎ 800.733.2767 for an appointment, or register online at

[www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) (Enter sponsor code PioneerCommunity)

Every 2 seconds someone in the USA needs blood—36,000 units of red blood cells are needed every day. Blood is a living thing that we can't make in a lab; we must obtain it the old-fashioned way...one arm at a time. The Pioneer Center is sponsoring American Red Cross blood drives, and invites you to donate blood and help ensure a healthy blood supply. Thank you for your support as we work together to save lives!

Tuesday | April 16 | 1:00pm–6:00pm

### REVERSE MORTGAGE 101 PRESENTATION

☎ 503.657.8287 x0 to reserve your seat today.

Why should you consider a Reverse (HECM) Mortgage? Are you eligible? How much money can I get? How is a Reverse Mortgage different than a traditional Home Equity Line of Credit? Is it a good fit for you? Join us for a free presentation from Cherie Stanley with Finance of America Mortgage.

Wednesday, April 24 | 10:00–11:30am | Free

**Day Trips** (TENTATIVE SCHEDULE) MAY—JUNE TRIPS REGISTRATION OPENS THURSDAY, APRIL 11 AT 9:00AM

- For complete trip details and pricing, please call 503.657.8287 or stop by the Pioneer Center.
- Our trips are quite popular and often have a waiting list. To register or to be added to the waiting list, stop by the Pioneer Community Center.
- Participants must be 60 years of age or older, or have a disability.
- In addition to yourself, you may register one additional guest.
- All trip fees must be paid before your name is added to the trip list. If there is an additional entrance fee, we'll notify you in advance.
- All trips include a lunch stop; you pay.
- If you're unable to self-ambulate, please bring a caregiver to assist you on the trip.
- The Center must be notified at least one week in advance if you cannot participate; a voucher will be issued. No vouchers are given to "no-shows."
- Trips are subject to change or cancellation due to lack of participation or the weather.

Wed	May 1	Firehouse Glass Gallery
Wed	May 8	Pine Street Market (Dine Out)
Wed	May 15	Forward Stride Tour
Wed	May 29	Albany Covered Bridges Tour
Wed	June 5	Donkey Rescue & Marquam Hill Ranch
Wed	June 12	Tippy Canoe (Dine Out)
Wed	June 19	Timberline Lodge
Wed	July 3	Oregon Garden
Wed	July 10	Pho Van Vietnamese (Dine Out)
Wed	July 17	Oregon Coast Scenic Railroad
Wed	July 31	Cannon Beach
Wed	Aug 7	Davidson's Casual Dining (Dine Out)
Wed	Aug 14	Clackamas County Fair Senior Day
Wed	Aug 21	Astoria

**Extended Trips** PROFESSIONAL GROUP TOURS — DOMESTIC & INTERNATIONAL DESTINATIONS

ALL EXTENDED TRIP PRICES ARE PER PERSON, DOUBLE OCCUPANCY (PPDO). ALL TRIPS INCLUDE:

- Round-trip airfare from PDX
- Professional tour director
- Hotel transfers
- Motorcoach transportation
- Baggage handling
- Lodging

PRICES DO NOT INCLUDE:

- Cancellation Waiver and Post Departure Plan

**PREMIER WORLD DISCOVERY**

Trips presented through the Pioneer Community Center.

- Join us for a free informational presentation about these trips! Wednesday, April 10 | 10:00am
- For more trip information, contact Ryan at 360.219.7799 or [rcampbell@premierworlddiscovery.com](mailto:rcampbell@premierworlddiscovery.com)



**YELLOWSTONE & THE WILD WEST**

7 Days | June 21–27  
\$2,675 PPDO  
Includes 6 Breakfasts, 3 Dinners



**CAPE COD & THE ISLANDS**

7 Days | September 15–21  
\$2,375 PPDO  
Includes 6 Breakfasts, 3 Dinners



**SCOTLAND & NORTHERN IRELAND**

9 Days | October 14–22  
\$3,995 PPDO  
Includes 7 Breakfasts, 3 Dinners

**NEW! OREGONWEST EXCURSIONS**

Located in Salem, OregonWest Excursions has been in business for over 30 years and specializes in high-quality group touring.

- Join us for a free, fun travel presentation! Wednesday, June 26 | 1:00pm
- For more information please call 503.585.3979 or visit [www.orwest.com](http://www.orwest.com).

There are 20+ trips planned in 2019! Here are just a few:

**OREGON'S OWN EUROPEAN CHARM: ASHLAND**

3 Days | March 20–22

**FLY AWAY MYSTERY TOUR**

5 Days | March 21–26

**SEDONA, MOAB & MONUMENT VALLEY**

6 Days | April 8–13

**THE TRI CITIES & THE SNAKE RIVER**

4 Days | April 23–26

**PHILLY & GETTYSBURG**

6 Days | May 26–31

**NE OREGON & BEYOND**

7 Days | June 9–15

**MT RAINIER & MT ST HELENS**

3 Days | June 22–24



## Library Hours & Information

OPEN	Monday–Wednesday	10:00am–7:00pm
	Thursday–Saturday	10:00am–6:00pm
	Sunday	12:00pm–5:00pm

CLOSED	Monday, May 27	Memorial Day
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**MORE INFO** For the latest information on all our programs & services, call us or visit [www.orcity.org/library](http://www.orcity.org/library) and sign up for our monthly newsletter. Follow us on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram!

## First Friday Films! ★ ★ ★ ★

6:30PM | EVERY FIRST FRIDAY THROUGH JUNE  
 End of the Oregon Trail Interpretive Center  
 1726 Washington Street, Oregon City



Join us on the first Friday of each month through June 2019 for films, food, and conversation.

THE LINEUP	March 1	<i>Pandora's Promise</i>
	April 5	<i>Helvetica</i>
	May 3	<i>Sensitive: The Untold Story</i>
	June 7	<i>56 Up</i>

### Art Exhibitions IN THE CARNEGIE

In January and February, the Library was honored to host the art exhibit *From the Heart: Author Drawings* by Rick Bartow. We hope you had an opportunity to see the literature-inspired pieces! The Carnegie building will serve as gallery host again during April when the Lake Oswego Reads traveling art show stops for the month here in Oregon City.

## Ancestry.com LIBRARY EDITION

The Oregon City Library subscribes to Ancestry.com for Libraries. This resource is free at the Library, and can be accessed on the Library's public Internet workstations or when logging onto the Library's public Wi-fi. A Library card and pin number are required for login.

## The Great Courses AT THE LIBRARY

Do you consider yourself a lifelong learner? Do you want to be smarter than all your friends? Would you love to take college level courses without paying a dime to do it? If you answered "yes" to any of these questions, then our collection of Great Courses is just the thing for you. Find The Great Courses collection in the Carnegie building. Many are also available to stream on Kanopy!

## Library of Things Collection on Its Way

In partnership with Clackamas County's Sustainability and Solid Waste program, your Oregon City Library is one of eight county (LINCC) libraries launching Library of Things collections in 2019. The other libraries involved are Canby, Estacada, Lake Oswego, Milwaukie, Sandy & Hoodland, West Linn, and Wilsonville.

A "Library of Things" is a collection of non-standard items housed at a library. In addition to checking out books, eBooks or a DVD for movie night, these libraries are planning to make a variety of new "Things" available to check out, such as novelty cake pans, musical instruments, board games and more!

A Library of Things promotes a more sustainable community. "These collections support a growing trend of people downsizing and decluttering their lives from the 'stuff' we tend to accumulate," said Stacy Ludington with Clackamas County's Sustainability and Solid Waste program. "It takes natural resources such as land, water, fossil fuels and metals to grow and manufacture the items people buy. However, if 10 people share one item, the energy and resource consumption needed for everyone to enjoy it decreases significantly."

The Oregon City Library team is excited to curate this collection, based largely on community survey results from earlier this year. Once launched, patrons will get to try their hand at different items without having to make one-time purchases. The plan is to add the initial items to the collection this summer. Stay tuned for upcoming availability dates.



## Weekly Events FOR KIDS & FAMILIES

### TODDLER STORYTIME WITH MISS SABRINA

Ages 18–36 months | Tuesdays | 9:30am & 10:15am

Join Miss Sabrina for a morning of stories, songs and rhymes.

### ART LAB Kids, Grown-ups & Families

Wednesdays | 2:30–4:00pm | Community Room

Explore the art world and try your hand at exciting new projects! Each week, we provide you with inspiration in the form of a famous artist or art technique. Then, you use our art supplies to create your very own masterpiece.

### MUSIC & MOVEMENT STORYTIME Birth–Age 5

Thursdays | 10:15am & 11:00am | Community Room

Miss Barratt’s favorite thing about storytime is not having to sit still! Join Miss Barratt and her herd of busy babies, tireless toddlers, and pumped up preschoolers for an all-singing, all-dancing morning of stories and fun.

### THE PRESCHOOL CONNECTION STORYTIME

Ages 3–6 | Fridays | 10:15am | Community Room

Miss Barratt’s favorite thing about preschool storytime is listening to your questions about the world! Join Miss Barratt and her crew of curious preschoolers for a morning of stories and hands-on learning activities.

## Family Cultural Passes

The libraries in Clackamas County offer for checkout one-day family passes to local cultural venues, so you can treat your family to a free or discounted adventure. To reserve a pass for a specific day, come into the library or call 503.657.8269.

#### PARTICIPATING VENUES INCLUDE:

- End of the Oregon Trail Interpretive Ctr [Oregon City]
- Evergreen Aviation and Space Museum [McMinnville]
- Gilbert House Children’s Museum [Salem]
- Oregon Historical Society Museum [Portland]
- Portland Art Museum [Portland]
- Adults pay \$5 admission along with the pass
- World of Speed Museum [Wilsonville]
- Pittock Mansion [Portland]
- Crystal Springs Rhododendron Garden [Portland]
- Japanese Garden [Portland]
- Lan Su Chinese Garden [Portland]
- Oregon State Parks Parking Pass [various sites]
- The Oregon Garden [Silverton]



## Special Events FOR KIDS & FAMILIES

### AUTHOR VISIT—MICHELLE NELSON-SCHMIDT

Saturday, March 9 | 10:30–11:30am

Join us for a morning of book reading with author and illustrator Michelle Nelson-Schmidt. Best known for her beloved books, *Jonathan James and the Whatif Monster* and *Bob is a Unicorn*, Ms. Michelle will sure to entertain with her artwork all while sharing messages of determination, overcoming fears, and believing in yourself!

### STORYWALK FOR KIDS & FAMILIES March 21–31

Share a story and take a short walk (about 30 minutes) through downtown Oregon City with us! Never done a storywalk before? Here's how it works: Pick up a map at the library during our open hours. Each page of *Where the Wild Things Are* by Maurice Sendak will be posted at one of 19 businesses downtown. When you return to the library at the end of your storywalk, each kid gets a small prize.

### MUSICAL GUEST—KJERSTEN HALLIN Saturday, April 6 | 1:30–2:30pm

Celebrate Earth Day with Kjersten and her fun “wastestruments”!

### HOMESCHOOL NETWORK 3rd Fridays | 1:00–2:00pm | Community Rm

Want to connect with other homeschooling families in Oregon City? The Homeschool Network is a chance for homeschool kids to hang out together while their parents share educational resources, tips and ideas. Library staff will set up a low-key activity for kids and be on hand to connect parents with library resources that support their children’s learning.

### LEGO LAB For kids of all ages

2nd Saturdays | 11:30am–12:30pm | Community Rm

Kids of all ages build LEGO sculptures using randomly selected challenges as inspiration. Then, we display the sculptures in the Children’s Room for everyone to admire.

### YOUNG TEEN PROGRAMMING Youth Ages 10–14

3rd Saturdays | Community Room | 1:30–2:30pm

March 16—Coding Bracelets || April 13—Build A Terrarium

### READ TO THE DOGS Ages 3–12

1st Friday with Oakley | 3:30–5:00pm | Children’s Rm

3rd Saturday with Igmu | 1:00–2:30pm | Children’s Rm

Come share a story with a four-legged friend! A trained therapy dog will be available at the library for one-on-one or small group reading sessions with kids. No need to sign up, either! There will be enough time for everyone to spend a few minutes cuddling and reading with Oakley and Igmu!



## Ongoing Adult Activities

### INTERNET BASICS

Second Thursdays | 12:00–2:00pm

Registration is required for this class. For more information visit our website!

### OREGON CITY GENEALOGY INTEREST GROUP

First Tuesdays | 1:00–2:30pm

Drop in for assistance with your genealogical research.

### DO YOU FEEL A DRAFT? ADULT WRITING GROUP

First & Third Wednesdays | 5:30–7:00pm

Whether you love writing or kind of like it, you're invited to join *Do You Feel a Draft?*. This informal writers group is open to anyone interested in the writing process. Share your ideas, resources, and make new friends along the way.

### COFFEE AND COLORING

Last Saturdays | 10:00am | Upstairs Conference Room

Coloring isn't just for kids! It offers a slew of mental benefits. Just like meditation, coloring allows us to switch off our brains from other thoughts and focus only on the moment, helping to alleviate free-floating anxiety. Come join us for some coffee and coloring! Supplies are provided.

### DUNGEONS & DRAGONS CLUB AGES 12+

Every Sunday | 2:00–5:00pm | Community Room

Interested in Dungeons & Dragons? Come transform yourself into a powerful hero and join fellow D & D enthusiasts for an epic journey of mystery and magic as you work together to vanquish common foes and achieve victory! Beginners are welcome! Refreshments will be served. All supplies provided.

### TECH HELP

Second Sundays | 12:00–2:00pm

Fourth Wednesdays | 5:00–7:00pm

Oregon City Public Library offers drop-in technology assistance. Details below.

## Technology Corner

### WIRELESS PRINTING AVAILABLE

You can now send print jobs from work, home or on the go, and pick them up at the Library. This works from any computer or mobile device. All you need is an email address! To begin, visit [www.lincc.org/ocprint](http://www.lincc.org/ocprint). Then, go upstairs to the library's printing station to release and pick up your documents.

Print jobs will not release until you release them at the Library.

Printing fee per page: Black & White=10 cents | Color=50 cents



Email from any device to the library print system.

### CLOUD LIBRARY FOR eBOOKS

Are you a fan of eBooks or eAudiobooks? If so, try our Cloud Library service! Cloud Library is the second eBook service for LINCC – Libraries in Clackamas County. It's very similar to Library2Go, but easier to use! Download the Cloud Library app at either [www.LINCC.org](http://www.LINCC.org), [www.yourcloudlibrary.com](http://www.yourcloudlibrary.com), the iTunes Store, Google Play, or NOOK Apps Storefront.

### CHROMEBOOK LAPTOPS AVAILABLE FOR IN-LIBRARY CHECKOUT

Thanks to generous donations given to the Oregon City Library Foundation, the Library now has a laptop cart with 12 Lenovo Chromebook laptops available for checkout. These laptops are designed to be borrowed for in-library use only. Their operating systems will disable if taken outside the Library. They can be borrowed for up to four (4) hours with a maximum session time of three (3) hours, and the session timer will begin upon logging in with your library card. LINCC library card holders whose accounts are in good standing and over 18 years of age are eligible to check out laptops. No holds or reservations can be placed on them.

Computer mice and headphones are also available to check out. Earbuds (\$1) and flash drives (\$5) are available for purchase at the Hello Desk. While these additional services complement the laptops, they are also available to all library users during their visits.

For more details on the Laptop Borrowing Procedures, visit: [www.orcity.org/library/library-laptop-borrowing-procedures](http://www.orcity.org/library/library-laptop-borrowing-procedures)

## TECH CONNECT

### Drop-In Technology Assistance

Need help navigating the internet, email or social networks like Facebook? Have questions about your phone or tablet? Want to know how to access eBooks on any device? Drop by to get your questions answered and learn how to use tech more effectively. Assistance is first come, first served.



606 John Adams St  
Oregon City  
Oregon 97045  
503.657.8269

Every 2nd Sunday  
from 12:00–2:00pm

Every 4th Wednesday  
from 5:00–7:00pm

## CHECK IT OUT!

Oregon City Public Library now offers in-library laptops for checkout!



For details visit the circulation desk or go to [www.orcity.org/library-laptop-borrowing-procedures](http://www.orcity.org/library-laptop-borrowing-procedures)

## Book Club Bundles

Looking to start a book club? Check out our Book Club Bundles! Located upstairs near the Fiction section, each bundle contains 6–10 copies of a title. Book club organizers can check out bundles for six weeks.

To see the titles, search "book club bundles" on the catalog at [www.lincc.org](http://www.lincc.org).

## OC Community Reads Program

The Library's "One City, One Book" community reads program for Oregon City is in the works. Thank you to everybody who participated in our January survey. This autumn, our goal is to connect people through literature, promote literacy, foster community, and create a shared experience through reading.

## OREGON CITY LIBRARY FOUNDATION

THE OC LIBRARY FOUNDATION SAYS "THANK YOU!"

The OC Library Foundation Board extends its heartfelt thanks to all of those who have supported the effort to build and enhance our community's library with their personal donations. More than \$379,000 has been dedicated by the Foundation to construction, technology enhancements and additions of books and materials.

And we are just getting started!

Together with the "Friends of the OC Library," the Foundation is now looking forward to funding elements of the Library's new strategic plan, impacting areas that will best serve our citizens and where funding is not available from public sources.

Visit our website for more information or to make a donation: [www.oclibraryfoundation.org](http://www.oclibraryfoundation.org).

## Elevated Readers Book Club

All Discussions are held bi-monthly the on first Thursday, 6:15–8:00pm at the Library. For more information, please contact Jen at [jjovanetti@orcity.org](mailto:jjovanetti@orcity.org)

The Elevated Readers Book Club, hosted by the Oregon City Public Library, is open for new members. We also welcome drop-ins!

BOOK CLUB	Mar 7	<i>Small Great Things</i>	by Jodi Picoult
READING	May 2	<i>The Secrets of Mary Bowser</i>	by Lois Leveen
SCHEDULE	July 10	<i>Nomadland</i>	by Jessica Bruder
THROUGH	Sep 5	<i>Runaway</i>	by Alice Munro
JANUARY	Nov 7	<i>Presidio</i>	by Randy Kennedy
2020.	Jan 2	<i>Snow Falling on Cedars</i>	by David Guterson

## Friends of the Oregon City Public Library

BY HARRYETTE SHUELL—RETIRING BOARD CHAIR, BOOKSTORE VOLUNTEER & FOUNDATION MEMBER



We're on the move again—same street and closer to the Library with a better layout. Tentative plans to move are in the early spring, allowing time for planning and upgrades. We'll keep you notified of dates for the new store. There will be a sale before we start packing, so sign up at [www.oclibraryfriends.org](http://www.oclibraryfriends.org) to receive our e-mails.

Gift certificates are available in the Bookstore. You know friends or family members who love to read, so they make perfect gifts any time of the year.

I have volunteered for almost 20 years, and it has been a rewarding experience working with books and making friends with customers and volunteers. I am retiring this spring and will miss you all. My service on committees and running fundraisers over the years have been a joy supporting one of the most beneficial services in Oregon City and the surrounding area. Love to all of you Library supporters! Try volunteering yourself, as there is always a need at the Friends bookstore!!

Over 3,000 square feet of Premium Used Books, CDs and DVDs!



## Book Lovers' Destination!

- Fiction
- Children's
- Oregon City Souvenirs
- Non-Fiction
- Mysteries
- Greeting Cards
- Bestsellers
- Jewelry
- Vinyl

Open Mon–Sat • 10am–5pm • Closed Sunday  
502 Seventh St, Oregon City • 503.594.0261



[www.oclibraryfriends.org](http://www.oclibraryfriends.org)

**FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY USED BOOKSTORE**

## A FREE Landscape Water Audit HELPS YOU SAVE WATER & MONEY

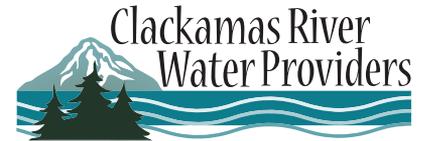
The Clackamas River Water Providers are offering free landscape water audits to the following member's service areas; Clackamas River Water, City of Estacada, City of Gladstone, Oak Lodge Water Services, South Fork Water Board (Oregon City and West Linn), and Sunrise Water Authority (Cities of Happy Valley and Damascus).

Water use in our communities more than doubles during the summer months due to outdoor watering. Higher than normal outdoor water use is often the sign of inefficient use of water in our yards or an irrigation system that needs repair and scheduling adjustments. A landscape water audit is a way to get your irrigation system and landscape on track and running right. Saving water and saving money is what a landscape water audit is all about. Our landscape auditor will assess your lawn and garden areas, irrigation system and more. Residential landscape water audits often include but are not limited to:

- A walk through your yard and gardens including all lawn area.
- Making note of existing soil types, plant material, naturally available water, and sun exposure.
- Locating the water meter, and noting any existing leaks from it throughout the irrigation system.
- Locating the irrigation controller, making note of the make/model as well as the current schedule, each zone will be run separately, recording gallons per minute used for each zone.

When the audit is complete you will receive a detailed report with recommendations such as controller schedule adjustments for better water efficiency, irrigation head adjustments/replacements if necessary, maintenance of existing plant material for more efficient watering (i.e. pruning up), soil amendments to reduce weeds and promote soil moisture, and reduce use of fertilizers giving you the tools you need to better manage your outdoor water use. These free landscape water audits are available during the spring and summer months only (during the watering season). The audits are available on a first come first serve basis and audits are approximately 1.5 hours. Please be available to do the walk through with the auditor. Audits will continue through the summer season or until program funds are depleted.

To schedule your free landscape water audit contact Christine at [christine@clackamasproviders.org](mailto:christine@clackamasproviders.org) or call 503.723.3511. For more information about our free landscape water audits, conserving water during the summer months, and other Clackamas River Water Provider programs, visit our website at [www.clackamasproviders.org](http://www.clackamasproviders.org).



## Attn: Mobile Carpet Cleaners ALL EMPLOYEES MUST FOLLOW PROPER DISPOSAL PROCEDURES

**REGIONAL STORMWATER REGULATIONS**—This is a notice regarding the disposal of carpet cleaning fluids from your business. It is against the law to allow anything other than rain water to enter the public storm system. Violations that allow cleaning water to enter the stormwater system, like draining wash water to the street or an outdoor drain, are subject to enforcement action including **fines of up to \$5,000**.

### PROPER DISPOSAL OPTIONS

- ✓ Use bathtubs or utility sinks and a filter over the drain inside the homes that you are cleaning.
- ✓ Use the wastewater cleanout at the home which you are cleaning. These are commonly located near the home's foundation.
- ✓ Collect the wash water in a tank on your vehicle and pump it into a utility sink or wastewater cleanout at your home or place of business.
- ✓ Check [www.sanidumps.com](http://www.sanidumps.com) for disposal locations.
- ✓ Contact the City or County to request permission to use a sanitary system manhole. The sanitary system is a closed system that must be accessed by removal of a manhole lid.

### DO NOT

- ✗ Pour chemical-laden water onto the ground or into an outdoor drain.
- ✗ Discharge wash water with chemicals in a home with a septic system.

THESE AGENCIES ENFORCE STORMWATER POLLUTION LAWS:

Oak Lodge Water Services, Clackamas County, Multnomah County | The Cities of: Fairview, Gresham, Milwaukie, Oregon City, Portland, Troutdale, Vancouver, Wilsonville, Wood Village. For questions or assistance, call 503.618.2525 or email [WaterResources@GreshamOregon.gov](mailto:WaterResources@GreshamOregon.gov).





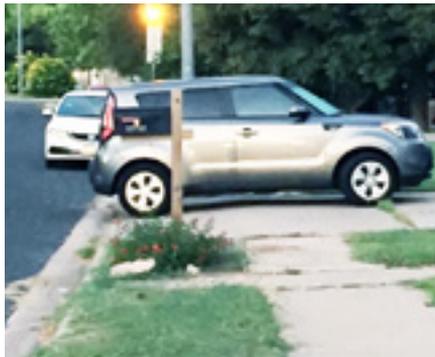
## New Location for Shred-It Event

END OF THE OREGON TRAIL | 1726 WASHINGTON ST  
SPRING 2019 COMMUNITY SHRED-IT, DRUG TAKE BACK & CELL PHONE RECYCLING  
SATURDAY, APRIL 20 | 9:00AM–NOON OR WHEN TRUCK IS FILLED | SPONSORED BY OREGON CITY POLICE

Items will be shredded on site by ACCESS. The Shred-It Event provides the chance to protect your personal identity and to keep your personal information out of the trash. All paperclips and staples are OK; NO items such as CD's, rubber bands, plastic covers, or garbage can be mixed in with the paper to be shredded. Two (2) containers per person will be accepted at no charge Maximum container size is 10"x12"x15" (corrugated storage box). **There is a \$1 charge per container for additional containers, up to a maximum of ten boxes.** All money collected, including donations, will be applied to our Crime Prevention fund.

All solid dosage pharmaceutical products and liquids in consumer containers may be accepted. Liquid products, such as cough syrup, should remain sealed in their original container. The depositor should ensure that the cap is tightly sealed to prevent leakage. Items that **will not** be accepted are: thermometers, sharps, syringes, bloody or infectious waste, hydrogen peroxide, aerosol cans, IV bags, inhalers or EpiPens.

For additional information contact the Oregon City Police Department Community Outreach & Crime Prevention at 503.496.1681.



## Reminders from Code Enforcement

### SIDEWALKS

Having safe and passable sidewalks is vital to communities. Safe and passable sidewalks include sidewalks free of vegetation, hazards, and obstructions — including vehicles. Partially blocked sidewalks can be dangerous for pedestrians, individuals with disabilities, and the property owner. Sidewalk hazards may result in costly repairs and unnecessary insurance claims.

The adjacent property owner maintains sidewalks. Allowing any vehicle to park on top of a sidewalk may cause cracking and breakage. The Americans with Disabilities Act requires sidewalk repair and or replacement when the lift or dip is a quarter inch or greater.

### RECREATIONAL VEHICLES

There are several rules related to recreational vehicles on both public and private property. Vehicles must have valid and current registration, meet storage requirements, may not be parked on public streets, or used as dwellings on private property.

### CODE ENFORCEMENT PROCESS

Code Enforcement is a division within the Police Department. We are reactive and respond to everyone's concerns. Once an allegation is received, it is then prioritized and addressed as quickly as possible. It's important to remember that a lack of noticeable improvement does not mean that action has not been taken. The property owner with the violation has the same rights as the complainant, and the actions taken may not be public information. Our goal is to work with the property owner to achieve voluntary compliance. The violation may escalate to legal action to achieve compliance.

*Please call the Code Enforcement Division at 503.496.1559 with questions or to report a violation.*



## Do I need a Permit?



To find out when you need a permit for your home project, call the Oregon City Building and Planning Departments at **503.722.3789**





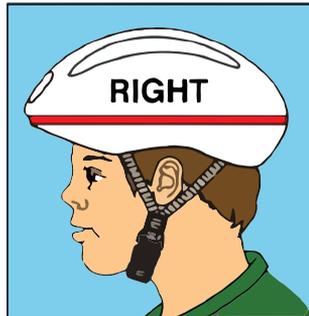
## Bicycle Helmet Safety

As spring approaches and the weather begins to get nicer, it is time to get out and enjoy it. Often times getting outside on our bikes is the best way to be outside. Bike riding is a lot of fun, but accidents do happen. A study published in the *Journal of Accident Analysis & Prevention*, found that more than 2.2 million children ages 5–17 were treated in U.S. emergency departments for bicycle-related injuries from 2006–2015. To keep you and your family safe this spring when riding your bikes, follow these important guidelines.

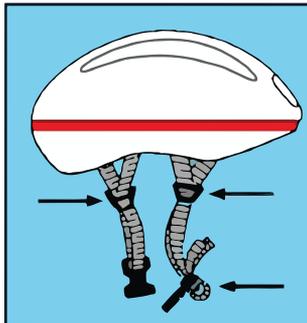
Bike helmets are an important safety measure that the U.S. government has created safety standards. Your bike helmet should have a sticker that says it meets standards set by the Consumer Product Safety Commission. If your child's bike helmet doesn't have one of these stickers, look for one that does to ensure it has met the safety standards. Wear a bike helmet EVERY TIME YOU RIDE, even if you are going for a short ride. Your bike helmet should fit you properly. You don't want it to be too small or too big, and never wear a hat under your bike helmet. If you're unsure if your helmet fits you well, ask someone at a bike store.

### HERE ARE A FEW SIMPLE TIPS IN HOW YOUR HELMET SHOULD FIT:

- It should be worn level and cover your forehead and don't tip it back so your forehead is showing.
- The straps should always be fastened. If the straps are flying, it's likely to fall off your head when you need it most.
- Make sure the straps are adjusted so they're snug enough that you can't pull or twist the helmet around on your head.



Wear the helmet flat on the head, not tilted back at an angle!



Make sure the helmet fits snugly and does not obstruct the field of vision.  
Make sure the chin strap fits securely and that the buckle stays fastened.

### BE SEEN, BE SAFE!

Wearing bright clothes and putting reflectors on your bike also can help you stay safe. It helps other people on the road see you. And if they see you, that means they're less likely to run into you. Daytime riding is the safest so try to avoid riding your bike at dusk and later.

[www.clackamasfire.com](http://www.clackamasfire.com)

District Office 503.742.2600

Fire Prevention 503.742.2660

#### DAILY BURN MESSAGE

Recorded information on burning is updated daily:

503.632.0211

Burning is prohibited within the city limits.

To file a complaint about someone burning garbage, call DEQ:

503.229.5293



#### REMEMBER

Only working smoke alarms will save lives.

Test your home's smoke alarms once a month; install new batteries every year.

## Neighborhood Association Meetings

PLEASE CHECK FOR ANTICIPATED MEETING UPDATES ONLINE AT [WWW.OREGONCITY.ORG/COMMUNITY/NEIGHBORHOOD-ASSOCIATIONS](http://WWW.OREGONCITY.ORG/COMMUNITY/NEIGHBORHOOD-ASSOCIATIONS)

### BARCLAY HILLS [BHNA]

When 7:00pm | Please see [www.oregoncity.org](http://www.oregoncity.org)  
 Where St. John the Apostle Cemetery, 445 Warner Rd  
 Info Karla Laws, Chair | [karla.laws@gmail.com](mailto:karla.laws@gmail.com)

### CANEMAH [CNA]

When 7:00pm | Please see [www.oregoncity.org](http://www.oregoncity.org)  
 Where OC Police Station, 320 Warner Milne Road  
 Info Ken Baysinger, Chair | [k.baysinger@comcast.net](mailto:k.baysinger@comcast.net)

### CAUFIELD [CFNA]

When 6:45pm | Please see [www.oregoncity.org](http://www.oregoncity.org)  
 Where OC School District's Facilities & Maintenance Center (Bus Barn), 14551 Meyers Road  
 Info Robert Malchow, Chair | [r.malchow@comcast.net](mailto:r.malchow@comcast.net)

### GAFFNEY LANE [GLNA]

When 7:00pm | Please see [www.oregoncity.org](http://www.oregoncity.org)  
 Where The Meadows Courtyard, 13637 Garden Meadows Dr  
 Info Amy Willhite, Chair | [awillhit@yahoo.com](mailto:awillhit@yahoo.com)

### HAZEL GROVE–WESTLING FARM [HG-WFNA] &

### SOUTH END [SENA] *Combined Meetings*

When Please see [www.oregoncity.org](http://www.oregoncity.org)  
 Where Oregon City United Methodist Church, 18955 S. South End Rd  
 Info HG-WFNA: Vacant  
 Info SENA: Bill McConnell, Chair | 503.860.1037  
[sena97045@gmail.com](mailto:sena97045@gmail.com)

### HILLENDALE [HNA] & TOWER VISTA [TVNA] *Combined*

When 7:00pm | Please see [www.oregoncity.org](http://www.oregoncity.org)  
 Where Living Hope Church, 19691 Meyers Road  
 Info HNA: Roy Harris, Chair | [royandanna@centurylink.net](mailto:royandanna@centurylink.net)  
 Info TVNA: Vern Johnson, Chair | [verndonnajohnson@yahoo.com](mailto:verndonnajohnson@yahoo.com)

### MCLOUGHLIN [MNA]

When 7:00pm | Please see [www.oregoncity.org](http://www.oregoncity.org)  
 Where Oregon City Library, 606 John Adams St.  
 Info Cameron McCredie, Chair | [cmccredie@windermere.com](mailto:cmccredie@windermere.com)

### PARK PLACE [PPNA] [PPNA@COMCAST.NET](mailto:PPNA@COMCAST.NET)

When 6:30pm | Please see [www.oregoncity.org](http://www.oregoncity.org)  
 Where OC View Manor Community Center, 280 South Longview Way  
 Info Greg Stone, Chair | [gpstone72@yahoo.com](mailto:gpstone72@yahoo.com)

### RIVERCREST [RNA]

When 7:00pm | Please see [www.oregoncity.org](http://www.oregoncity.org)  
 Where First Presbyterian Church, 1321 Linn Avenue  
 Info Ed Lindquist, Chair | [ed-lindquist@msn.com](mailto:ed-lindquist@msn.com)

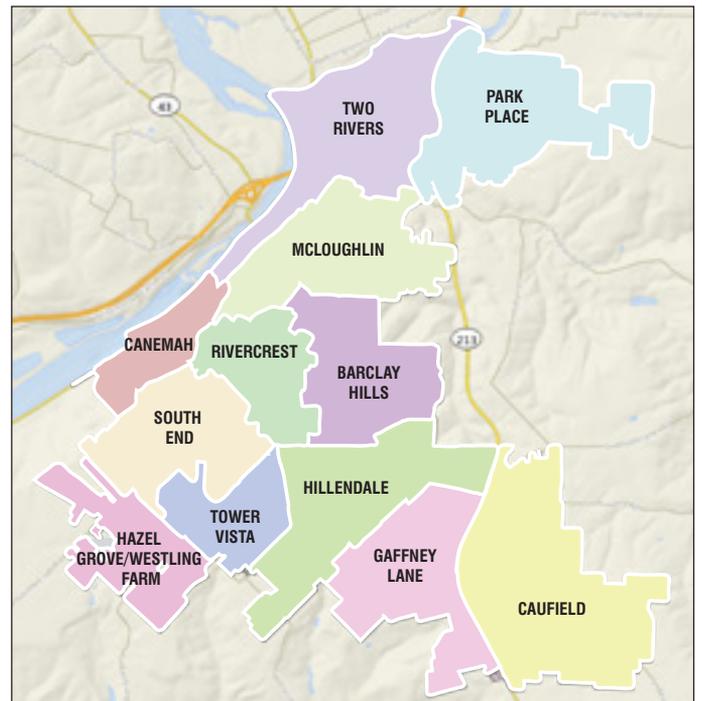
### TWO RIVERS [TRNA]

When 7:00pm | Please see [www.oregoncity.org](http://www.oregoncity.org)  
 Where Rivershore Bar & Grill, 1900 Clackamas Drive  
 Info Bryon Boyce, Chair | [bryony@birdlink.net](mailto:bryony@birdlink.net)

## City Meetings

AT CITY HALL COMMISSION CHAMBERS (*unless otherwise noted*)  
[HTTPS://OREGON-CITY.LEGISTAR.COM/CALENDAR.ASPX](https://OREGON-CITY.LEGISTAR.COM/CALENDAR.ASPX)

Budget Committee	Monday, May 6   5:30pm (tentatively add May 9 & 16)
Chief's Advisory Committee (Police & Fire Departments)	3rd Tuesdays   6:00pm Jan, Mar, May, Sep, Nov OCPD, Court Chambers
Citizen Involvement Committee (CIC)	1st Mondays   7:00pm
City Commission	1st & 3rd Wednesdays   7:00pm
Enhancement Grant Committee	Thursday, June 13   5:30pm
Historic Review Board	4th Tuesdays   6:00pm
Library Board	2nd Wednesdays   5:00pm Feb, Apr, Jun, Aug, Oct, Dec
Natural Resources Committee	2nd Wednesdays   7:00pm
Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee	4th Thursdays   7:00pm
Planning Commission	2nd & 4th Mondays   7:00pm
Transportation Advisory Committee	3rd Tuesdays   6:00pm
Urban Renewal Agency	As Announced



Download a current detailed map of Oregon City Neighborhoods at <https://maps.oregoncity.org/galleries/mapsPublic/index.html>.



## Calling for Volunteers OREGON CITY NEEDS YOU!

Are you looking for an opportunity to serve in your community or ways to utilize your expertise to contribute to your community? Consider applying for a City board or committee!

Each fall the City of Oregon City begins recruiting to fill open seats on the City's boards and committees. The City has 15 active boards, commissions, or committees that are composed of volunteers. The job of appointed members is crucial to the success of Oregon City's representative government. By sharing their experience, expertise and time, citizens provide valuable insight—the citizen's point of view—to the operations of the city and City Commission's decision-making process.

Boards and commissions review new and existing operations in specific areas and suggest an appropriate course of action to City management and City Commission. Members of boards and committees provide an invaluable service to the City by advising the City Commission on a wide variety of subjects and make recommendations on important policy matters.

### LET YOUR VOICE BE HEARD!

By sharing your experience, expertise, and time, you can provide valuable insight from the citizen's point of view to the operations of the City and the City Commission's decision-making process. *Applications are available at [www.orcity.org](http://www.orcity.org) or call the City Recorder's Office at 503.496.1505. **APPLY NOW!***

### OPENINGS TO BE FILLED INCLUDE:

- Budget Committee
- Historic Review Board
- Library Board
- Natural Resources Committee
- Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee
- Transportation Advisory Committee



## Victim Assistance Program

### CLACKAMAS COUNTY SEEKS VOLUNTEER VICTIM ADVOCATES

The Clackamas County District Attorney's Office is looking for Volunteer Victim Advocates, both male and female, who are interested in working with people who are victims of crime. Becoming a Victim Advocate is a very rewarding opportunity to help people within your own community. As a Victim Advocate you will have the privilege of responding to support victims in crisis situations as well as on going advocacy throughout the criminal justice process.

The criteria for becoming an advocate includes the ability to care about others, possess good listening skills, good judgement under stressful situations, be at least 18 years of age, have reliable transportation and no criminal background. Many of our volunteers work full time jobs along with their volunteer commitment.

Applications are now being accepted for Spring 2019. All accepted applicants receive the necessary training to prepare them to be a Volunteer Victim Advocate.

For more information or to get an application, call Krysti Bellmore at 503.655.8616. You can also email her at [krystibel@co.clackamas.or.us](mailto:krystibel@co.clackamas.or.us).



**Children's Center**

A child abuse intervention center

503.655.7725

[WWW.CHILDRENSCENTER.CC](http://WWW.CHILDRENSCENTER.CC)

### APRIL IS CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH. GET TRAINED!

More than one in ten children experience sexual abuse before their 18th birthday. Stewards of Children® workshops teach adults five practical steps to help keep children safe. Learn what you can do to prevent abuse from occurring in organizations and our community!

For workshop dates and other Child Abuse Prevention Month events, call 503.655.7725 or visit [www.childrenscenter.cc/events](http://www.childrenscenter.cc/events).

## Useful Contact Info

Emergency Service 911

### COMMUNITY Area Code 503

End of Oregon Trail 657.9336

Interpretive Center [www.historicoregoncity.org](http://www.historicoregoncity.org)

Ermatinger House 650.1851

McLoughlin House 656.5146

Museum of the 655.5574

Oregon Territory [www.clackamashistory.org](http://www.clackamashistory.org)

Oregon City Soccer 672.9264 ext. 484

Oregon City Youth Baseball & Softball 632.0569

Oregon City Youth Football 632.0547

Redland Baseball [www.redlandball.org](http://www.redlandball.org)

Stevens-Crawford Heritage House 655.2866

Tri-Cities Adult Softball Association 659.2992

YMCA 657.9795

### CITY GOVERNMENT Area Code 503

City Hall 657.0891

Building Department 722.3789

Code Enforcement 496.1559

Community Services 496.1546

Fire Business 742.2670

Library 657.8269

Mountain View Cemetery 657.8299

Municipal Court 657.8154

Parks Department 496.1201

Pioneer Community Center 657.8287

Planning Department 722.3789

Police Business 657.4964

Public Affairs 657.0891

Public Works Operations 657.8241

Public Works—Engineering 657.0891

Recreation 496.1565

Swimming Pool & Activity Registration 657.8273

South Fork Water Board 657.5030

Utility (Water) Billing 657.8151

### OTHER GOVERNMENT Area Code 503

Animal Control 655.8628

Clackamas Community College 657.6958

Clackamas County 353.4400

Clackamas County Commissioners 655.8581

Eastham Community Center 785.8520

Fish & Wildlife 657.2000

Oregon City School District 785.8000

## New Faces in Public Works

### **VANCE WALKER**—Assistant Public Works Director in Operations



Vance recently joined us from his previous position at the City of Tigard. His duties in his current role as Assistant Public Works Director in Operations include leading and supervising four managers, a fleet mechanic, and two administrative assistants. Part of Vance's duties include assisting the division managers with their respective budgets [Water, Transportation, Sanitary/Storm, Fleet, and PW Administration].

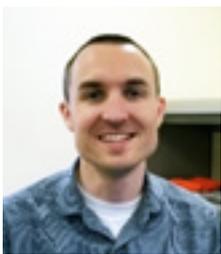
Vance is also active working with groups and programs such as the TAC [Transportation Advisory Committee], the RDPO [Regional Disaster Preparedness Organization], Emergency Management, and PMUF [Pavement Management Utility Fund]. Vance Walker also provides important operational and administrative support to the Public Works Director.

### **CODY STEWART**—Utility Maintenance Specialist I in Operations



The Public Works Wastewater and Stormwater Division is pleased to introduce Cody Stewart as our newest Utility Maintenance Specialist I. Cody will be assisting us with our pump station maintenance program as well as supporting the other work programs performed by the WW/STM Division. Cody is very excited to join our team here at the City of Oregon City, and we are very glad to have him!

### **JEREMY TAMARGO**—Project Engineer in Engineering



Jeremy's primary work focus is on Development Services within the Engineering Division. He will participate in the review of engineering plans for residential, commercial, and industrial projects proposed through the permit process. Jeremy will be involved in all stages of the land development process, from the pre-application conference through the close-out of construction activity. He will also assist the Development

Projects Manager with developing and implementing engineering standards, specifications, and priorities for the City. Among his other roles, Jeremy will also be assisting with the counter coverage for Public Works, so feel free to drop by City Hall to say hello!

### **BOB BALGOS**—Project Engineer in Engineering



Public Works is pleased to welcome Bob Balgos as a Project Engineer in Public Works/Engineering at City Hall. Bob will be working with other project engineers in the Engineering group, but his primary responsibilities will focus on wastewater and stormwater projects.

Bob Balgos is excited to meet everyone and is looking forward to working for Public Works/Engineering and contributing to the success of the City of Oregon City!

## Public Works Counter Gains New Personnel to Help You

The City has operated for a long time using one City employee as the face of Public Works at the City Hall Engineering Counter. In 2019, we are moving to a schedule where we will have up to five different engineering personnel responsible to answer your questions during office hours.

Starting in mid-January, counter responsibilities started rotating with three primary employees sharing shifts throughout the week. As we fill some vacant positions, two more employees will mix in as they learn the system in the weeks to follow.

This does not mean that you must stop working with your favorite engineer. If you were working with someone on a project, you will continue to work with that same engineer. If you are coming to the counter to ask questions or receive an over-the-counter permit, you may see someone new.

The goal of this change is to provide more personnel with experience working with the public and understanding more about our great city, making them better engineers in the long term. We hope that this provides them with new and exciting challenges and breadth to their experience. Everyone benefits with more knowledge about the needs within our city.

*Open counter hours will remain Monday–Thursday, 9:00am–4:00pm and by appointment on Fridays.*

## PW Makes Development Easier

The Public Works Department has updated the Development Services portion of their website to provide more information to make the development process smoother and easier to understand.

The site now includes checklists that developers or engineers can use to know what needs to be submitted and what items should be included in their reports and plans. While the checklists are not a requirement, staff will use them to review the plans and reports to ensure City standards are met. The more closely aligned the submitted documents are with these checklists, the quicker reviews can occur with the number of total reviews expected to be fewer. The goal is to be more effective and efficient.

The site also includes links to the various permits that are required as well as when they are used. Engineering Fees and System Development Charges are available for reference. The three phases of construction are detailed to help developers understand more of the process.

Another goal of the reinvented webpage was to connect Engineering to Building and Planning as most development requires working with all three areas of the City. The Land Use portion of the site and the Checklists reference the Planning Division. Engineering Permits and Construction reference the Building Division.

*All Design Standards and Manuals remain on the site for reference. The website is at [www.orcity.org/publicworks/development-services](http://www.orcity.org/publicworks/development-services).*

## Cross Connection/Backflow Prevention Program KEEPING OUR DRINKING WATER SAFE

Oregon City Water Division is mandated by State regulation and by City ordinance to control and eliminate any actual, or potential, cross connections to the public drinking water supply. Any time the drinking water supply comes in contact with an objectionable or harmful substance, a cross connection is created.

Cross connections can lead to contamination when a change in pressure within the water supply piping allows the water to flow backwards. This reversal of flow, called backflow, can allow contaminated water to flow back into the supply piping, threatening health and safety.

Although under normal circumstances the city water supply is pressurized to keep water flowing to your tap, unforeseen circumstances (such as the need to fight a fire, or when a water main breaks) can suddenly change the pressure in the supply piping, allowing the water to siphon back from your tap to the city supply.

Backflow prevention assemblies are installed to protect against contamination caused by backflow conditions. We follow guidelines established by the Oregon Health Authority and the American Water Works Association in determining the appropriate assembly for any given situation.

### How do I know if I have a backflow assembly on my property?

There are several reasons why someone would have a backflow assembly installed on their property. Residential and commercial customers are required to have backflow prevention on irrigation systems and fire sprinkler systems. Water service lines may be required to have assemblies when there is a well on the premises, or when there are other systems on the customer's premises that could present a cross connection. Commercial customers are required to have backflow prevention assemblies at the water meter and may need additional assemblies dependent upon the water-using equipment found on the premises.

### What can I do to protect drinking water?

Backflow prevention assemblies must be tested after installation, any repair or relocation, and at least annually, by an Oregon-certified backflow assembly tester. Annual testing will assure you that your backflow assembly is functioning properly and doing the job it is intended to do. By testing your backflow assembly annually, you are doing your part to protect your drinking water as well as the drinking water of your neighbors and the citizens of Oregon City. Failure to install approved backflow prevention or conduct a required annual test on a backflow prevention assembly shall result in denial or discontinuation of water service.

Please have the backflow prevention annual testing for irrigation systems completed prior to the irrigation season. This ensures the assembly is working properly and will perform the job for which it is intended — protecting your drinking water from backflow contamination. Like fastening your seat belt or donning a life vest, backflow prevention measures provide protection for events that can happen.

*Still have questions? Contact Water Quality staff at 503.657.8241 ext. 2121, or email [cc-bpp@oregoncity.org](mailto:cc-bpp@oregoncity.org).*

## Alternative Mobility Targets Approved

On November 16, 2018, the Oregon Transportation Commission amended the Oregon Highway Plan to include Alternative Mobility Targets at the intersection of Highway 213 and Beaver Creek Road. We wanted to take this opportunity to again thank those who participated by providing meaningful insight, advice, and guidance as we made tough decisions. With the amendment of the Oregon Highway Plan, Oregon City has become the first city in the Portland Metro area to adopt Alternative Mobility Targets.

When we concluded our work, the Final Report identified a capacity-increasing project, which addresses the morning peak hour concerns and identified various safety improvements. The City will continue to advocate and look for opportunities to implement these capacity and safety improvements at the Highway 213 and Beaver Creek Road intersection.

*More information on the project can be found on the project webpage: <http://www.oregoncity.org/publicworks/project/ps-16-024>*

## Speed Limit Change—Central Point Road

In December 2017, we asked for neighborhood feedback on the speed limit along Central Point Road. We heard you loud and clear! We received 175 unique submissions, with more than half of the respondents recommending 35 mph. A complete Corridor Analysis of Central Point Road was presented to the Transportation Advisory Committee (TAC) in early 2018. This review included a Speed and Volume Analysis, review of Corridor Conditions, a look at safety in the corridor, and a summary of neighborhood feedback received.

The TAC requested that staff submit a Speed Zone Request application to the State. In December 2018, the Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) approved our request to drop the speed limit on Central Point Road between Partlow Road and Parrish Road to 35 mph. This makes the entire corridor in the city limits (Warner Parrott Road to Parrish Road) a consistent 35 mph. Crews have installed the new 35 mph speed limit signs. Please be aware of this lower speed.

*Wondering what others thought of the corridor or what we found in our technical review? Find the full memorandum to the TAC at: [www.oregoncity.org/publicworks/central-point-road-speed-limit-lowered](http://www.oregoncity.org/publicworks/central-point-road-speed-limit-lowered)*





## Help Us Improve Water Quality IN OREGON CITY

Oregon City Public Works is looking for opportunities to work with neighbors, volunteers, environmental groups, and others who are interested in lowering water temperatures in local streams.

Urban development has disrupted original watershed processes, especially by the removal of riparian vegetation. Before development, the trees, shrubs, and grasses growing alongside streams would stabilize stream banks, filter out sediments and contaminants, and provide shade. One impact from the loss of riparian vegetation is increased water temperature. This has negatively impacted cold-water fish and other cold-water aquatic species.

We can reverse some of this process disruption. One of the most cost-effective and relatively simple methods is to restore native riparian vegetation along the edges of streams.

Shade, from trees and other riparian plants, has been shown to be more effective in temperature reduction when streams are 20 feet wide or less. Most of the tributaries of the Clackamas and Willamette Rivers that flow through Oregon City's urban growth boundary are less than 20 feet wide, with many being less than 10 feet wide.

Oregon City has developed a strategy — a TMDL Implementation Plan — that describes how the City will address the need to lower water temperature. An analysis of opportunities for planting to provide additional shade has resulted in a list of potential sites. The City allocates annual funding for this long-term plan to restore riparian vegetation. The City is seeking partnering opportunities to work with volunteers, environmental groups, community college education programs, and other volunteer interest groups to further inventory and prioritize appropriate sites. You can find the plan at [www.oregoncity.org/publicworks/npdes-documents-page](http://www.oregoncity.org/publicworks/npdes-documents-page)

*Does a stream flow through your property? Are you looking for ways you can help improve water quality in Oregon City? Get information from the Greater Oregon City Watershed Council at [www.gocwc.org](http://www.gocwc.org), the Clackamas River Basin Council at [www.clackamasriver.org](http://www.clackamasriver.org), or call Oregon City Public Works at 503.657.8241.*

## Proper Tree Maintenance is Essential

Spring has arrived and we can already see new growth on trees. Now is a great time to trim your trees to ensure that the street sweeper can do a thorough job in your neighborhood. Proper tree trimming will also help prevent damage occurring to both the tree and the street sweeper. Street sweepers are expensive pieces of equipment, and damage from improperly trimmed trees can create downtime which results in less productivity and longer times between sweeping your street.

Oregon City Municipal Code 12.08.025 states "Abutting property owners shall be responsible for the maintenance of street trees and planting strips. Topping of trees is permitted only when done under recommendation of a certified arborist, or qualified professionals, if required by city staff. Trees shall be trimmed appropriately. Maintenance shall include trimming to remove dead branches, dangerous limbs and to maintain a minimum seven-foot clearance above all sidewalks and ten-foot clearance above the street. Planter strips shall be kept clear of weeds, obstructing vegetation and trash."

The street sweeper requires a 12-foot high clearance at the curb to safely and effectively sweep. Please be mindful of any obstacles in the street including garbage cans, and only place garbage cans in the street on garbage day so that our routes can be completed in an efficient and timely manner.

## Zoning Code Amendments

### INCLUDING EQUITABLE HOUSING

The Oregon City Commission is considering very important revisions to the Oregon City Municipal Code. As whole, the amendments result in greater opportunities for housing, reduce many regulations, streamline processes, provide clarity around existing standards, address concerns about ambiguities in the code, and formatting changes so that the code is easier to follow.

A majority of the recommended changes are from the City's equitable housing project, which support and incentivize diverse, quality, physically accessible, affordable housing choices with access to opportunities, services and amenities ([www.orcity.org/planning/equitable-housing](http://www.orcity.org/planning/equitable-housing)). Additional amendments identified by the public, Planning Commission and staff will streamline the development review process through general clarification, reformatting, and amendments to address concerns identified over the years.

This proposal does not include any changes to the adopted zoning map or any city-initiated construction or development. A summary of the equitable housing Project Advisory Team recommendations as well as specific amendments is provided at the webpage below.

Please attend one or more of the public hearings starting at 7:00pm at the City Hall Commission Chambers, 625 Center Street—or send in written testimony!

The tentative hearing schedule is:

Mar 6	<i>Overview of Additional Standards</i>
Mar 20	<i>Procedural Improvements</i>
April 3	<i>Commission Direction on Outstanding Items</i>
April 17	<i>Review of Final Code Amendments</i>
May 1	<i>Review of Final Code Amendments</i>

For the most current schedule of public hearings and updated information about the adoption process, please go to the following webpage:

[www.orcity.org/planning/housing-and-other-development-and-zoning-code-amendments](http://www.orcity.org/planning/housing-and-other-development-and-zoning-code-amendments)

The project was driven by the community with more than 50 public meetings and opportunities for input — including workshops, city advisory groups and meetings — as well as three online community surveys, and stakeholder interviews.

If you have any questions about these amendments please contact the project manager: Pete Walter, Planner, at 503.496.1568 or by email at [pwalter@orcity.org](mailto:pwalter@orcity.org).

## Beavercreek Road Concept Plan ZONING & CODE

### AMENDMENTS | [WWW.ORCITY.ORG/BEAVERCREEKROADCONCEPTPLAN](http://WWW.ORCITY.ORG/BEAVERCREEKROADCONCEPTPLAN)

This spring and summer, the City of Oregon City will embark on a process to amend the Comprehensive Plan Map, Zoning Map and Oregon City Municipal Code to allow planned housing, employment and mixed-use development within the Beavercreek Road Concept Plan Area (BRCP), which is located within the City's Urban Growth Boundary. The BRCP is a guide to the creation of a complete and sustainable neighborhood in southeast Oregon City. The adopted BRCP provides a framework for urbanization of 453 acres within the urban growth boundary including a diverse mix of uses (an employment campus north of Loder Road, mixed-use districts along Beavercreek Road, and two mixed-use neighborhoods), all woven together by open space, trails, a network of green streets, and sustainable development practices. Visit the project website to sign up for email updates to be notified in advance of public meetings and be the first to read draft documents and meeting agendas.

There are many opportunities to participate in the rezoning and code amendment process. The next public event on April 9 will give residents an opportunity to reflect on the feedback thus far, and provide comments on draft products. Public work sessions are tentatively scheduled with the Planning Commission and City Commission in May and June, with public hearings beginning mid-summer.

NEXT MEETING—Tuesday, April 9 | 7:00–8:30pm

Oregon City High School Library, 19761 S Beavercreek Road

## Policies for Historic Properties in OC

### THANK YOU FOR HELPING US PRESERVE HISTORY IN OREGON CITY!

Oregon City boasts hundreds of historic buildings that reflect the lives and aspirations of past generations, and their preservation defines the community in many ways. Thoughtful stewardship of our buildings and surrounding environment can ensure that our sense of identity is passed along to future generations.

While several structures in Oregon City are listed on the National Register of Historic Places, hundreds more are designated locally as historic landmarks. The City has adopted protections for locally designated properties to ensure their historic character remains intact. If you own a locally designated property, you should be aware of the Historic Overlay zone and the Historic Review Board (HRB) policies. These policies apply to all exterior changes including but not limited to roofing, siding, windows and doors, foundations, fences, porches, gutters, and accessory structures. For example, vinyl windows on historic structures are not permitted.

Find all the policies on the City's website: [www.orcity.org/planning/hrb-policies](http://www.orcity.org/planning/hrb-policies)

This year, the Historic Review Board is planning to make some updates to the existing policies and to adopt a policy for solar panels on historic properties. The Board encourages community participation in this process. Here are a few ways you can learn more and give input on the policy changes:

- Attend an HRB meeting or work session held: 4th Tuesdays of each month
- Attend Canemah NA meeting: Thursday, February 21
- Attend McLoughlin NA meeting: Thursday, March 7 | 7:00pm | Fire Station #15
- Attend an Open House: Tuesday, April 2 | 4:00–6:00pm | City Hall
- Contact Planning staff and/or the Historic Review Board ([k Reid@orcity.org](mailto:k Reid@orcity.org))

If you plan to make alterations to your historic property, City staff can help you determine if your alterations meet the HRB policies. Some proposals will require Historic Review Board review, while others can be approved by staff.

For questions about the Preservation Program or to set up a time to speak about potential projects, contact Kelly Reid, Preservation Planner 503.722.3789, [k Reid@orcity.org](mailto:k Reid@orcity.org).



# Announcements & Special Events



## Fill a Stocking, Fill a Heart

While this was a sad year for Fill a Stocking, Fill a Heart because we were unable to fill stockings for many Clackamas County agencies, we were able to get the items we had in storage to many of those same agencies so they had Christmas gifts for their clients.

In the past ten years, Fill a Stocking, Fill a Heart filled approximately 27,000 Christmas stockings! Without donations and support from the community we would not have been able to provide stockings to those less fortunate. We are grateful for:

- The individuals that filled stockings they picked up at local businesses
- The businesses and organizations that filled stockings
- The individuals, businesses, and organizations that gave many donations of time, money, and items
- Everyone who was able to support the agencies this year
- BCT (Beavercreek Telephone) and Craig Danielson for their generosity in providing our workshop spaces over the past ten years.
- The FASFAH volunteers who have put in many, many hours—even years—sewing stockings, knitting hats and scarves, sewing pillow cases, shopping for great deals and volunteering in the workshop

We are continuing to search for a long-term solution to our need for workshop and storage space so that we may resume providing approximately 3,500 filled Christmas stockings to Clackamas County agencies each year. Our last donated space was approximately 2,500 square feet, and we filled it to capacity, although we could make as little as 1,500 square feet work for us. We need access to workshop space 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, so that our volunteers, who have jobs or other obligations, can work when they have free time. We also need access all year long so we can fill stockings from January through December to meet the growing need.

*If we are unable to find a donated workshop space in 2019, it is the decision of our board that we will have to dissolve our organization. If you, or someone you know, can help us with our need for a donated space in or near Oregon City, please email us ([info@fillastocking.org](mailto:info@fillastocking.org)) or call 503.632.0577 and leave a message.*



## Oregon City-Tateshina Sister City

The Oregon City Sister City Committee is in the midst of planning a trip to Japan during the summer of 2019. This is the year that Oregon City and Tateshina celebrate the 45th anniversary of their Sister City relationship. The itinerary being considered includes visits to Tokyo, Kyoto and Hiroshima. Our last stop will be in our Sister City, Tateshina. In past trips, the highlight for many was the home-stay with families in the community. This is a great opportunity to make new friends and experience the culture and cuisine of Japan. While visiting Tateshina we will have a chance to meet Dara Reckard, the latest Assistant English Teacher/Friendship Ambassador representing Oregon City. Dara has been working in the Tateshina Elementary School and Junior High School since late August of 2018. We might also have a chance to meet Shina, a symbol of Tateshina. Shina represents some of the aspects of the area that bring people to visit: apple orchards, dairy herds, lakes and mountains.



Shina

*If you are interested in visiting Japan or would like more information about the Sister City program, please contact us at [tateshina.sistercity@gmail.com](mailto:tateshina.sistercity@gmail.com). You are welcome to join us for our monthly meetings, which last about an hour. They are held the second Monday of the month at 7:00pm at City Hall.*

## Farmers Market

SPRING—EVERY OTHER  
SATURDAY THROUGH APRIL:  
March 2, 16, 30, April 13, 27  
10am–2pm | 2051 Kaen Rd  
(parking lot, off Beaver Creek Rd)  
[ORCITYFARMERSMARKET.COM](http://ORCITYFARMERSMARKET.COM)



During the late winter and early spring months at the year-round Oregon City Farmers Market, you will find local produce, grass-fed and finished meats, crusty breads, pies and other baked goods, eggs, wild and cultivated mushrooms, local honey, chocolate, teas, kombucha, roasted nuts, coffee beans, wines, hard cider, distilled spirits, artisan foods, skin care, candles, crafts, plant starts, hot food and drinks, live music, and starting in March, the first cut-flowers of Spring!

40+ Vendors and local farmers set up each day during the winter-spring season. March 30 is the market's annual Seed Swap. Bring extra seeds (catalogs, tools and pots, too) and swap with your neighbor. Kids can plant seeds to take home and OSU Master Gardeners will be answering questions.

The kid's P.O.P. (Power Of Produce) Club gives children a reusable shopping bag and \$2 to buy fresh produce or plants to grow their own food every time they come to any market. The club is free for ages 5–12 years.

SNAP customers can have up to \$6 matched per market day with coupons good for fresh market produce, mushrooms, dried beans and plant starts to grow food.

On May 4, the main Summer Market season opens. This larger market runs 9:00am–2:00pm every Saturday through October, with 60–65 vendors, plus cooking demos every day, workshops, events, tastings, cider-pressing, live music and kids activities.

The market site has plenty of close parking and good access for wheelchairs, walkers and strollers. Every vendor takes cash, and most take debit and credit cards. In addition, debit and SNAP cards can be used at the Market's Information Booth to purchase Market Tokens.

*To get a Market Day reminder and newsletter for updates on what's coming to market, events and music, you can sign up online at:*

[www.orcityfarmersmarket.com](http://www.orcityfarmersmarket.com).

*LIKE and follow the market on Facebook and Instagram.*

*Questions? Call 503.734.0192.*



## McLoughlin & Barclay House Museums

713 CENTER ST, OREGON CITY | [MCLOUGHLINHOUSE.ORG](http://McLOUGHLINHOUSE.ORG) | 503.656.5146  
OPEN: FRIDAYS & SATURDAYS | 10:00AM–4:00PM | FREE ADMISSION

A unit of the Fort Vancouver National Historic Site. Built in 1845 as the home of Dr. John McLoughlin (1784–1857), superintendent of the British Hudson's Bay Company based at Fort Vancouver on the Columbia River. He is also known as the "Father of Oregon".

The McLoughlin home opened as a museum in 1910, and it continues to draw thousands of visitors each year. Authentic furnishings, artifacts, and early photos take visitors back 150 years to the beginnings of the Oregon Territory.

TOURS begin 15 minutes past the hour with the final tour at 3:00pm. Gift Shop is open all day. The National Park Service Junior Ranger program is also available.

EXHIBITS & EVENTS *are posted on our website.*



OPEN mid-February thru mid-December

*For more information or to arrange tours:*

*Call 503.656.5146 or*

*Email [mcloughlinmemorial@gmail.com](mailto:mcloughlinmemorial@gmail.com)*

## Holmes House Museum at the Rose Farm

536 HOLMES LANE (at Rilance Lane), OREGON CITY | [MCLOUGHLINHOUSE.ORG](http://MCLOUGHLINHOUSE.ORG)  
OPEN: FRIDAYS & SATURDAYS | 12:00–4:00PM | *Admission fees maintain the House & Rose Farm: \$5 Adult | \$4 Senior | \$3 Youth (age 6–17) | Children 5 & under free*

William and Louisa Holmes were pioneers who completed this home in 1847. It is the oldest American home in Oregon City and was the scene of early government meetings and many social events. The first territorial governor, Joseph Lane, gave his 1849 inaugural address from the balcony of the Holmes House, and the celebrants gathered on the lawn below. The claim was nicknamed the 'Rose Farm' by friends and neighbors because of the many roses Louisa planted in the garden.

TOURS include many original and period items on display, and information about the unique building systems that were used.

EXHIBITS & EVENTS *are posted on our website. Museum will open for special group tours.*



OPEN mid-February thru mid-September

*For more information or to arrange tours:*

*Call 503.505.2570 or*

*Email [mcloughlinmemorial@gmail.com](mailto:mcloughlinmemorial@gmail.com)*

SEE OUR NEW WEBSITE FOR: Large and/or weekday tours and more information on these House Museums. [www.mcloughlinhouse.org](http://www.mcloughlinhouse.org) or email to [mcloughlinmemorial@gmail.com](mailto:mcloughlinmemorial@gmail.com)

## Oregon City Parks Foundation [HTTP://OREGONCITYPARKSFUNDATION.ORG](http://OREGONCITYPARKSFUNDATION.ORG)

### THE BIG "DROP IN FOR PARKS" FUNDRAISER

Your non-profit Oregon City Parks Foundation is collecting refundable bottles and cans in partnership with the Oregon City Parks Department, the End of the Trail Interpretive Center and the Oregon City Bottle Drop Center, to raise funds for our city's parks. You can help support our park projects by filling a blue fundraiser bag (distributed at Concerts in the Park) and returning it to our collection site in the End of the Trail parking lot at the next concert. Or for a pick-up, email: [dropinforparks@yahoo.com](mailto:dropinforparks@yahoo.com). If you have a business, we have recycling stands that we can set up for you. We pick up every Tuesday. Email: [dropinforparks@yahoo.com](mailto:dropinforparks@yahoo.com).

### THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATIONS!

The Oregon City Parks Foundation is a non-profit 501(c)(3) formed by a group of your OC neighbors, who believe a vibrant parks system is a key component in the livability of Oregon City. Our mission is to partner with volunteers, donors and community leaders to develop, enhance, promote and sustain a thriving, accessible, connected system of Oregon City parks.

**WE HOPE YOU'LL JOIN US** at one of our meetings to learn more about our Parks Foundation. Becoming a member and volunteering is a powerful act of caring for the environment that nurtures the residents of Oregon City. It is also an opportunity to learn about and experience the natural environment and history unique to this area. We have several other ways you can support your parks that won't involve monetary donations.

*Oregon City Parks Foundation meetings are held the 4th Tuesday of every month at 7:00pm, unless otherwise posted. Please visit our Facebook page (search for: OregonCityParksFoundation) or go to <http://oregoncityparksfoundation.org> for meeting location, more details and information.*



# Announcements & Special Events



## MOOT HOURS

Wed-Sat | 10:30am-4:30pm

## ADMISSION FEES

- \$8 Adults 18 years old and up
- \$5 Children 5-17 years old
- \$20 Family (2 Children+2 Adults)
- FREE Children under 5 years old; Active military & their families; CCHS members.

Tickets purchased at MOOT are also valid at SCHH for one month.

## Museum of the Oregon Territory (MOOT)

211 TUMWATER DRIVE, OREGON CITY | 503.655.5574 | WWW.CLACKAMASHISTORY.ORG

### EXHIBITS & EVENTS

#### CURRENT EXHIBIT

"Exposing the Past through Oregon City Photography" is a three-part exhibit focusing on the history of photography through the lens of Oregon City photographers, a "Then & Now" walk through Oregon City's Main Street, and a textile display showcasing historic photo studio fashion.

#### GROUP TOURS

If you love history and want to experience it with your friends and family, consider booking one of our exciting group tours! Book a tour with 15 members or more and receive the following benefits:

- Reduced admission fees for all party members:  
\$5 Adult tickets | \$3 Child tickets | Free admission for chaperons and bus drivers!
- A guided tour of the Museum from one of our dedicated Museum docents. (Optional, and dependent on docent availability.)

Visit [www.historicoregoncity.org/museums-of-oregon-city-tour](http://www.historicoregoncity.org/museums-of-oregon-city-tour) for more details or to start booking your museum adventure, or call us at 503.655.5574.

## Stevens-Crawford Heritage House (SCHH)

603 SIXTH STREET, OREGON CITY | WWW.CLACKAMASHISTORY.ORG | 503.655.2866

Fridays & Saturdays | 12:00-4:00pm | Guided Tours by the hour. Last tour begins at 3:30pm

Admission: \$5 Adults (18+ years) | \$3 Children (5-17 years old)

Free Admission: Children under 5 | Retired or active military & family | CCHS members

**SCHH single tickets not valid for MOOT; dual tickets must be requested or purchased at MOOT.**

**\*\*TEMPORARY MUSEUM CLOSURE\*\*** Beginning in January, the Stevens-Crawford Heritage House closed temporarily while the house undergoes much needed maintenance and re-organization efforts. Dual tickets purchased at the Museum of the Oregon Territory are valid through April, with a planned re-opening of the house slated for early April.

Harley Stevens, Sr. was an Oregon Trail Escort in 1862. His wife Mary, daughter of State Representative Medorum Crawford, stewarded her family treasures. Their daughter, Mertie left the charming 3-story home and its contents to the Clackamas County Historical Society upon her passing in 1968, to be kept in honor of both sides of her family.

#### GUIDED TOURS OF 15 FURNISHED ROOMS FEATURE:

- Fine woodwork
- Beveled leaded windows
- Fully equipped kitchen
- Sewing room
- Modern, innovative conveniences for the time, such as central heat, electric light fixtures with gas option, indoor plumbing and laundry
- Period furniture
- A working Victrola
- Toy collection
- Seasonal displays

\*For up-to-date information, visit our website at [www.clackamashistory.org/heritage-house](http://www.clackamashistory.org/heritage-house).

## Museums of Oregon City Tour EOT, MOOT & WILLAMETTE FALLS

Want to explore even more Oregon history? Consider booking the "Museums of Oregon City" tour! Start your journey off at the End of the Oregon Trail Interpretive Center where a historically-dressed interpreter will begin your Oregon Trail journey, take a break and enjoy a box lunch at Willamette Falls (included in the price of the tour), and finish your day off with a guided tour at the Museum of the Oregon Territory. At a price of \$36 per person, this encompassing tour through Oregon City is a must for any history enthusiast, so book now!

Visit [www.historicoregoncity.org/museums-of-oregon-city-tour](http://www.historicoregoncity.org/museums-of-oregon-city-tour) for more details and to schedule your journey through Oregon history.



*Stevens-Crawford*  
Heritage House

## CLACKAMAS COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY (CCHS)

### BECOME A CCHS MEMBER!

#### Membership Includes:

10% off all gift shop purchases, including a growing selection of historic books and novels, toys, prints and jewelry, and discounted tickets to special *Members Only* events.



## End of the Oregon Trail Interpretive & Visitor Information Center

1726 WASHINGTON ST, OREGON CITY | 503.657.9336 | WWW.HISTORICOREGONCITY.ORG | INFO@HISTORICOREGONCITY.ORG

### EOT HOURS (OPEN DAILY)

Sundays 10:30am–5:00pm  
Mon–Sat 9:30am–5:00pm

### Please visit our website for:

- Admission pricing
- Upcoming exhibits
- Family-friendly events
- Facility rental opportunities
- Book signings & more

### ADMISSION PASSES!

Museum admission is now available through Clackamas County Library Cultural Pass program. Or you can buy an annual pass to see new rotating exhibits, bring out-of-town guests, and attend events, all for one price! Visit the center just twice a year, to experience the pass discount — plus 10% off purchases in the country store gift shop. The pass is also reciprocal, granting free or reduced admission to other great heritage sites.

\$50 ADULT PASS

2 adults and a guest

\$75 FAMILY PASS 2 adults,  
2 children, and 1 guest

\$200 SENIOR CTR FACILITIES

Groups any size all year

### VISITOR CENTER

As a County and State Welcome Center, we can provide Oregon State Parks passes, a wealth of travel information & free brochures. Grab a complimentary coffee or tea, and browse the Country Store's selection of locally made gifts, books, and pioneer-era games.

### EOT FACILITY RENTALS

**Circle the Wagons! It's Time to Celebrate!** Hold your next great event at the End of the Oregon Trail: movie nights, birthday parties, lectures and more! See all facility rental options throughout the center online: [www.historicoregoncity.org/reservations](http://www.historicoregoncity.org/reservations)

### PROGRAMS & EVENTS INCLUDED IN MUSEUM ADMISSION

**INTERPRETIVE CENTER**—Experience history through the "Bound for Oregon" feature film and the numerous displays on Oregon Trail history, genealogy assistance for descendants of pioneers, and exciting interactive exhibits that include period games, crafts and dress-up. Outside the Center, enjoy the Heritage Garden, a walk along the Journey West Interpretive Trail, and Abernethy Green with pioneer lawn games. For more information about our exhibits, call the Center at 503.657.9336 or visit [www.historicoregoncity.org](http://www.historicoregoncity.org).

**NEW GENERAL ADMISSION PROGRAMMING**—In addition to self-guided tours in the newly-updated exhibits, historically-clothed interpreters now offer special presentations daily. Topic and format varies day-to-day, from first-person reenactment, to choose-your-own-adventure-style presentation, to history talk and accompanying craft.

**JOURNEY WEST INTERPRETIVE TRAIL**—Experience the pioneer journey on the Journey West interpretive trail, including replicas of life-size oxen and actual Oregon Trail landmarks like Independence Rock. Enjoy this nature trail as a self-guided opportunity available 24 hours a day, or ask in the visitor center for information about tours including fun facts and hands-on features that will engage modern pioneers of any age! The 30-minute tour is a great option for visitors who don't have enough time for regular admission into the exhibits.

### HEARTSTRINGS MUSICAL DUO—"Sounds Along the Oregon Trail"

*Monthly Performances—Scheduled dates at [www.historicoregoncity.org](http://www.historicoregoncity.org)*

Nancy and Rob Downie play instruments that were common during the Oregon Trail migration period, including hammered and mountain dulcimers, fiddle, acoustic bass, banjo and Native American flute. Their program features music from the Lewis and Clark era through the Civil War, information on the history of the tunes, and the origin and construction of their instruments. The program ends with a sing-along, and a chance for visitors to see the instruments "up close and personal" and to have a mini-lesson! [www.heartstringsduo.com](http://www.heartstringsduo.com)

### FAMILY FOLKDANCE HOEDOWN—featuring "Passport to Dance"

*Monthly Performances—Scheduled dates at [www.historicoregoncity.org](http://www.historicoregoncity.org)*

Learn fun, simple folkdances, as well as how the culture, history, and lifestyle of the Oregon Trail pioneers are reflected in their traditional dances. Alene Hochstetter of "Passport to Dance" will teach visitors of all ages folkdances like the Virginia Reel and Heel Toe Polka. Dance in the steps of pioneers to experience history in a new way.

### ROSES OF OLD OREGON—presentation by Laura King

*Saturday, May 18 | 12:00–1:00pm | Included in admission*

Pioneers traveling to Oregon by land and by sea in the mid to late 1800s packed more than pots and pans. Oregon heritage comes alive when told through the remarkable tales of the Willamette Valley's first cultivated roses. Learn about roses with roots deeply entwined with Oregon's past, yet thriving and blooming in the present. Many of these early roses are flourishing in historic cemeteries and at heritage sites thanks to their natural hardiness and diligent care of volunteers. Discover where you can see these remarkable displays of living history and why it is important to keep them blooming.



# Announcements & Special Events



## Willamette Falls Media Center

1101 JACKSON ST | 503.650.0275 | WFMCASTUDIOS.ORG

Willamette Falls Media Center, your local non-profit community studios, is currently remodeling our building to create a more dynamic and innovative space. In addition, we have created a new classroom and meeting area that allows for larger groups and interactive learning. Our classes and trainers work with the public and education to develop future skills for career-oriented pathways, documentaries, or the pleasure of leisure pursuits. A quick reminder — there is now an awesome commercially equipped kitchen studio for you to cook up your next great program!

Our purpose is to create media and provide training opportunities throughout the region. We provide studio space, podcast suite, video cameras, microphones, potential sets, professional video photographers, potential talent, editing resources, lighting, and directors to guide your media projects to completion.

PLEASE NOTE that due to the remodeling projects our operation hours might be adjusted. Watch our website for any changes.

For more information regarding the services available visit: [www.wfmcstudios.org](http://www.wfmcstudios.org), and while you're there check out the calendar for upcoming classes and events.



## CEVA Volleyball WWW.CEVAREGION.ORG

Columbia Empire Volleyball Association (CEVA) promotes, fosters and teaches lifelong lessons through volleyball in Oregon and SW Washington. As one of 40+ regions of USA Volleyball, CEVA is dedicated to providing quality volleyball playing opportunities for Junior Girls and Boys, Adults and Outdoor Volleyball through high caliber programs, member services and community involvement.



## Special Olympics AGES 8—80!

Clackamas County Special Olympics operates the regional arm of the international organization. We serve 250+ developmentally disabled persons in this county. The program is free to all qualifying participants. We are a volunteer-driven group, existing solely on donations and grants; we receive no state or federal monies.

The year-round program, with 15 different Olympic-style seasonal sports, is designed to help persons with disabilities reach their potential by focusing on their abilities and by helping them gain self-confidence, social competency and other enhanced skills, both physical and social. It encourages younger athletes, such as those still in school, to take the opportunity to participate in these community activities.

Youth as young as 8 years old may apply. Seasonal programs are:

DECEMBER—MARCH	APRIL—JUNE	AUGUST—NOVEMBER
■ Alpine Skiing	■ Bocce Ball	■ Aquatics
■ Snowboarding	■ Golf	■ Bowling
■ Cross Country Skiing	■ Gymnastics	■ Long Distance
■ Snowshoeing	■ Softball	■ Running/Walking
■ Basketball	■ Track & Field	■ Soccer
■ Power Lifting		■ Volleyball

Any athlete, donor or volunteer wishing to learn more about how to participate can reach us by leaving their name and number on our message line at 503.675.3550.



## VOTE FOR THE MOVIES YOU WANT TO SEE!

This summer, Oregon City Parks and Recreation will show four free family films outdoors on the first four Fridays in August!

You're invited to make your voice heard on the film selections!

August 2 August 9	August 16 August 23
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Voting Closes—April 26</li> <li>■ Winning movies will be announced—April 29</li> <li>■ Parks/Locations TBA</li> </ul>	

For links to vote, go to [www.orecity.org/swimmingpool](http://www.orecity.org/swimmingpool) or find us on Facebook: [oregon city parks and rec / swimming pool](https://www.facebook.com/oregoncityparksandrec/swimmingpool)

## YOU CAN BE A SPONSOR OF THE MOVIES!

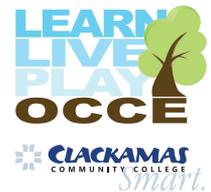
For more information contact Recreation Programmer Melissa Teirney: 503.974.5516, [mtierney@orecity.org](mailto:mtierney@orecity.org)

## A FRIENDLY REMINDER TO ALL

*Movies in the Park* are family-friendly events. For parents dropping off kids: Please remind your children of appropriate behavior. Movies in the Park are city-sanctioned events; for a person to remain in the park, they must be actively watching the movie. Individuals who are not observing the movie will be asked to leave.

Thank you, OC Community, for your consideration and for helping our Recreation staff keep the event safe and fun for all!

## Oregon City Community Education



EASTHAM COMMUNITY CENTER | 1404 SEVENTH ST

The Oregon City School District offers a variety of year-round programs and services for children and adults:

- Early Childhood Program for ages 0–5 years old
- Youth Sports
- Driver Education
- Extended Day Program
- Summer Meal Program
- Community Education
- Facility Rentals

More information & registration: [www.orecity.k12.or.us](http://www.orecity.k12.or.us) | 503.785.8520

# Oregon City Parks & Recreation 2019 SUMMER CONCERT SERIES

**OUR MISSION** is to provide 7 evenings of free musical entertainment in an open-air atmosphere that promotes a safe, fun environment for people to gather.

**CONCERTS IN THE PARK** provide unique opportunities for:

- ♪ enjoying top musical acts for FREE
- ♪ a local, fun and safe night out for all ages
- ♪ family bonding in a beautiful, natural setting
- ♪ memorable experiences for all, from toddlers to grandparents
- ♪ building true community and tradition



## Choose from Four Sponsorship Levels

Presenting Sponsor (limit 4) \$2,700	Terrace Sponsor (limit 1) \$1,000	Band Sponsor (limit 7) \$900	Friends of the Concerts \$150+
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### PRINT RECOGNITION (TRAIL NEWS, FLYERS, MAILINGS & POSTERS)

	Presenting Sponsor	Terrace Sponsor	Band Sponsor	Friends of the Concerts
♪ Business exclusivity (4 different top sponsors)	★			
♪ Design input	★			
♪ Top Billing on all printed matter (Logo – 2 to 6 sq.in. depending on publication and print media size)	★			
♪ Business information in summer Trail News publication	logo	logo	logo	name
♪ Business information on the back of on-site Handouts (“Housekeeping & Friendly Reminders”)	logo	logo	logo	name
♪ Business information & Thank You in fall Trail News	logo	logo	logo	name
♪ Logo on all promotional materials (½ to 2 sq.in. depending on publication and print media size)		★	★	
♪ Business name on all materials (minimum 10pt type)				★

AS A LOCAL BUSINESS OR INDIVIDUAL, your donation demonstrates your commitment to our community. Your financial support not only helps us continue to offer this cherished community event, but also brings your name to an estimated 28,000 concert attendees! As a sponsor, you support these fun, free family events by giving back to the community and providing an opportunity to share in a summer evening of music!

## Concerts <sup>at the</sup> End <sup>of the</sup> Oregon Trail Interpretive Center

### ONSITE RECOGNITION — AT ALL 7 CONCERTS

	Presenting Sponsor	Terrace Sponsor	Band Sponsor	Friends of the Concerts
♪ Product exclusivity. EOT will purchase your business’s beer and/or wine exclusively, and sell it to concert attendees.		★		
♪ Booth for all concerts (10’ x 10’ space with two tables & six chairs, provided by the City)	★			
♪ Banner (5’ x 3’) for all concerts	★	★		
♪ Announcement prior to start of entertainment	★			
♪ 1–2 minute announcement during music break	★			
♪ Logo on 2’ x 3’ sandwich board thanking all sponsors	★	★	★	
♪ VIP parking (a guaranteed marked, reserved space)	★	★	★	★
♪ Business name on 2’ x 3’ sandwich board listing all concert sponsors				★

### ONSITE RECOGNITION — AT ONE CONCERT

	Presenting Sponsor	Terrace Sponsor	Band Sponsor	Friends of the Concerts
♪ Booth (10’ x 10’ space with one table & four chairs, provided by the City)			★	
♪ Announcement prior to start of entertainment			★	
♪ 1–2 Minute announcement during music break			★	
♪ Logo & business name on 2’ x 3’ sandwich board			★	

### ONLINE/SOCIAL MEDIA RECOGNITION FOR 6 MONTHS

	Presenting Sponsor	Terrace Sponsor	Band Sponsor	Friends of the Concerts
♪ Logo and URL on City Website & Facebook page	★	★	★	
♪ Business name on City Website & Facebook page				★

ATTENDANCE / REACH	2019
For 7 Events	<i>Estimates</i>
TOTAL ATTENDANCE	<b>28,000</b>
Website Impressions <i>April–September</i>	<b>75,000</b>
Social Media Impressions <i>Facebook</i>	<b>23,300</b>
Print Impressions <i>Flyers/12x18 inch posters displayed throughout the community and surrounding areas, banners/on-site postings, community activity guide</i>	<b>85,000</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPRESSIONS</b>	<b>211,300</b>

### 2019 CONCERT SCHEDULE

July 11	<b>EAGLE EYES</b> <i>THE Eagles tribute band</i>
July 18	<b>DANCEHALL DAYS</b> <i>Hottest multi-genre cover band in the NW!</i>
July 25	<b>TY CURTIS</b> <i>Award-winning blues artist</i>
Aug 1	<b>WE THREE</b> <i>Song-writing sibling trio and finalists on America’s Got Talent!</i>
Aug 8	<b>STONE IN LOVE</b> <i>Journey tribute</i>
Aug 15	<b>KALIMBA</b> <i>The Spirit of Earth, Wind and Fire</i>
Aug 22	<b>JOHNNY LIMBO &amp; THE LUGNUTS</b> <i>Top hits of the 50’s &amp; 60’s</i>

**MORE INFO**—Contact Rochelle Anderholm-Parsch, Aquatic & Recreation Supervisor: [rparsch@orc.org](mailto:rparsch@orc.org) or 503.496.1572. [www.orcity.org/parksandrecreation/concerts-park](http://www.orcity.org/parksandrecreation/concerts-park)



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**Molalla Avenue Phase 3:  
 Beaver Creek Road to  
 Highway 213**

**YOU'RE INVITED!**

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20 | STOP BY ANYTIME FROM 5:00–7:00PM  
 OREGON CITY'S PUBLIC WORKS BUILDING—13895 FIR STREET, OREGON CITY

Come join the project team to learn more about the Molalla Avenue Streetscape Project! The City will be making long-needed safety improvements to the west side of the Molalla Avenue corridor between Beaver Creek Road and Highway 213. This project will consist of roadway improvements to make the corridor safer for pedestrians, bicyclists, and transit users.

The design phase of this project will continue through December 2019. Construction is expected to begin in spring 2020.

*This project is funded in part by a Metro Regional Flexible Funds Grant. For more project information or to subscribe for project updates, please visit <http://bit.ly/molallaave>.*



**OREGON CITY  
 ENHANCEMENT DAY**

*Celebrating  
 Earth Day &  
 Arbor Day*



**SAVE THE DATE**



SATURDAY, APRIL 6 | 9:00AM – 12:00PM  
 GATHER & REGISTER THE DAY OF EVENT – 8:30AM  
 END OF THE OREGON TRAIL INTERPRETIVE CENTER  
 1726 WASHINGTON STREET, OREGON CITY

We encourage and welcome members of the community to be a part of the celebration. This year we'll focus on beautification and planting trees, shrubs and flowers at the well-known End of the Oregon Trail. This location represents a place of exploration, very rich in history of the famed, 2000 mile-long string of rivers and landmarks traversed by at least 80,000 (possibly as many as 200,000) emigrants from Missouri to Oregon.

*Light lunch is provided. Bring 2 cans of food for the Oregon Food Bank to receive a raffle ticket for great prizes. For more information, call Code Enforcement 503.496.1559 or the Parks office 503.496.1201*

PRE-REGISTER at [www.oregoncity.org/community/oregon-city-enhancement-day-2019](http://www.oregoncity.org/community/oregon-city-enhancement-day-2019) and receive a free t-shirt or wear your t-shirt from Enhancement Day last year.

*Thank You to all our Sponsors!*



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