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Gelato & Yogurt Lounge

by Virginia Bruce

When Patricia Barnett was a little girl in Scottsdale, Arizona, she and her dad loved to go to the local Gelato Classico ice cream shop to get some of their wonderful creamy dessert. It's a memory she treasures now that her dad is gone, and it gave her an idea for a new business to start in Cedar Mill.

She says, "When I moved to Portland a few years ago I was unsatisfied with the ice cream selection. So...I started my own. Isn't that what everyone does?"



Patricia Barnett and one of her tempting treats

Her enthusiasm for the product is matched with her desire to create a wholesome place for people to hang out and meet friends and talk.

While considering the idea, she ran across a self-serve frozen yogurt bar, and, "My wheels started turning. Wouldn't it be great to have a place that had the choice of create-your-own yogurt and handmade gelato all in a place that was like a cool coffee bar-lounge feel....A place for the adult kid to have ice cream."

It's not like she's been sitting around in the four and a half years since she moved to the area. She opened the Red Lotus Skincare Salon (on Cornell across from Sunset

High) after practicing in Scottsdale. "I got the entrepreneurial spirit from my Dad, I guess," she says. "I really enjoy the challenge of having my own business." She still spends most of her work time at Red Lotus, depending on her partner Bryan Kelley for the day-to-day operation of the shop, along with their two main employees, Bryanna and Mallory. She has learned that it's important to be able to work "on the business"—planning, coming up with new ideas, and doing promotion, rather than spending all your time "in the business."

There was never any question of what kind of ice cream to sell. Gelato Classico was started by an Italian family in San Francisco. From its beginnings as a small shop, it quickly grew to a franchise. It was acquired by Baskin Robbins, but then became independent again. Now the company sells its products in retail outlets and to cafés and "scoop shops" around the country.

The Lounge offers eighteen flavors at any one time, with some favorites always on hand, like the amazingly deep flavor of Blackberry Cabernet, the fresh-fruit-meets-creamy of Mango, and the ever-popular Caffè Moca, a blend of chocolate and coffee. Gelato Classico makes over 20 flavors and is always experimenting with new ones, so you'll be sure to find something that you will crave.

It took a little more research before Patricia realized that YoCream was head and shoulders above the other frozen yogurt that is available. "It's made from real

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Next Meeting

Cedar Mill Business Association

Tuesday, September 14, 11:45

Place: Leedy Grange Hall, 835 NW Saltzman

Creating a Culture of Security – Oregon Identity Theft Protection Act, Karen Lewis

Ten Minutes of Fame: World of Smiles Pediatric Dentistry

FREE pizza, bring your own beverage

The Cedar Mill Business Association's meetings are free and open to anyone interested in business in Cedar Mill

Cassidy Ringwald tragedy points up need for active travel improvements

How many times have local residents wondered what it would take to get sidewalks on the narrow steep roads that connect our neighborhoods? Walking 113th and 119th has always been hazardous, and now with stops for TriMet line 50 on 119th, the need is even greater. The recent death of Cassidy Ringwald (see page 11) brings the problem into sharp focus.

Washington County Land Use and Transportation (LUT) spokesperson Anne Madden acknowledges that the county has been aware of the problem but says there's no easy solution. "It would cost over \$100 million to fill in all the gaps in bicycle and pedestrian (bike/ped) facilities in the urban unincorporated areas (UUAs) of the county," she notes.

However, Andrew Singelakis, LUT head, has been talking to County Commissioners about a concept plan to bring improvements to 119th as quickly as possible. There may be funds available in the federal energy grant for some improvements. County representatives will be joining CPO 1 this week to discuss the situation and hear ideas from residents.

The county has depended in the past on development or redevelopment to pay for bike/ped facilities.

When a new development is built, the builder is usually required to put in sidewalks not only adjacent to the new houses, but sometimes for several blocks and even at nearby intersections, because of the



There's no safe place for pedestrians on streets like 119th, even though it has several bus stops. A small memorial to Cassidy Ringwald lies near the site of the incident.

expected increase in traffic and the needs of the new residents.

But much of Cedar Mill and other communities in the UUA were built before the county required bike/ped facilities, and before people really recognized the need for them. Indeed, a US Department of Transportation Policy Statement points out that, "The post-war boom in car and home ownership, the growth

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Cedar Mill Business Association Member News

Do you have news or events or know of something that you would like to see covered in the Cedar Mill News? Please write to Virginia Bruce at vrb@teamweb.com

Rave in the Nave – Season Three opener!

Marv & Rindy Ross

Saturday, September 18, 7:30 pm

Top 40 hitmakers with Quarterflash, Marv & Rindy have gone on to great acclaim with their popular Trail Band concerts. Rave in the Nave is proud to present the Rosses in a rare intimate duo performance to kick off our third season.



Tickets are \$15. Season tickets are \$135 for 10 monthly performances or You Pick 5 for \$67.50 available from the church office. Visit cumcpdx.org for more information, or call (503) 646-1598.

World of Smiles at area events

World of Smiles, Pediatric Dentistry will be hosting a booth at the Portland Walk Now for Autism Resource Fair on Saturday, September 25th. We'll also be rocking out at the 5th Annual Green Sprouts Fest on Sunday, September 26th from 10am – 5pm at Peninsula Park. Wear your silliest hat to our booth and pick up an extra prize!

We'll have our famous Brushing Dino and Brushing Monkey on display, and the first 100 kids to visit our booth will walk away with our fabulous new tee-shirts! Parents can

pick up a tote bag filled with great information and a coupon for a complimentary visit for their children 2 and younger.

The World of Smiles, Pediatric Dentistry team believes that education and prevention lead to happy kids with healthy smiles, and we want to fill our world with smiles for everyone! Check out www.visitworldofsmiles.com for more information about our community events, weekly blog posts, and educational sites for kids. We are always accepting new patients, so call to schedule your visit today!

Village Gallery News

The September show will feature students of Village Gallery of Arts watercolor instructor Emma Achleithner. She says of her teaching, "We perceive a class to be comprised of an enthusiastic teacher who teaches and a number of students who are eager to learn. But it's not always that clear cut. Sometimes students will pull ahead of me, taking me down a path I have not been before. I allow the spigot of their muse to open wide and hope for a good outcome. In such cases a quote pops into my



head—I must hasten after them for I am their leader." The show opens September 7th through October 3rd.

Dozens of classes for students of all ages and abilities are listed on the website, villagegalleryarts.org, or visit the gallery, 12505 NW Cornell, just east of the library. Call 503-644-8001 for more information. They're open Tuesday through Saturday, 10 am to 4 pm, and Sunday, noon to 4 pm,

September Organizing Tip

Beth Giles of NW Organizing Solutions asks: How much reading do you actually have time for? Be realistic in the amount of reading materials you bring into your home. Before you buy that new

book, consider if you already have some unfinished or even unopened books you should read first. The public library is a wonderful resource for all kinds of books and the great part is that you return them when you're done so they don't need to take up your precious space.

If you have months of unread magazines stacked up or if the daily newspaper is rarely opened, then maybe it's time to cancel some subscriptions. This will save you space, money and the stress of seeing "undone" reading piling up.

Perhaps you don't want to throw out the magazine or newspaper yet because you still want to read a specific article. Remove just that article from the publication and place it in a "to read" folder and then recycle the rest. The next time you are going to be waiting for carpool, a doctor's appointment or plane, take along your reading folder and make your waiting time worthwhile. Many of the articles in these periodicals are also available on line, making them accessible anytime, and they are sometimes easier to locate by specific topic.

For help organizing any space in your home, office or workshop, contact Beth at beth@nworganizing-solutions.com or call 503-709-0791.

Show off your talent at the Farmers' Market

The Cedar Mill Farmers' Market seeks entrants for the annual Cedar Mill Talent Show, to be held at the Farmers' Market on Saturday, September 11. Entry forms are available at the market through Sept. 4, or call Dina Gross at 503-913-7733.

Troy Williver of Morrow's Nut-House will emcee the event with the help of Jill Trenholm, the main entertainer for the day, with her folksy pop style that market guests love. Troy, a fantastic musician in his own right, is going to join in for



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a few duets with Jill that day.

Cedar Mill is loaded with talented people, so there will certainly be lots of great entrants. Talent for the show does not have to be musical; as in the past, entrants can exhibit all kinds of talent, such as juggling, poetry recitation, caricature-drawing, and so forth. It is open not only to Cedar Mill residents, but also to those who frequent the Cedar Mill Farmers' Market.

A panel of judges will determine which entrants get the prizes, but they are certain to be influenced by audience response, so people should come out and cheer for their favorites. The Talent Show will be held casually throughout the day, from about 10 through 12:30, with prizes to be awarded near the end of the market day.

St. Pius X Knights of Columbus support causes

Knights of Columbus Council #12656 of Cedar Mill presented a check for \$4600 to St. Pius X Parish in support of the church building fund. Grand Knight Walter Long presented the donation to Reverend Craig Boly, pastor of the parish. Another \$4600 was donated to the local St. Vincent de Paul group to provide food and other benefits for families in need throughout the suburban Portland area.

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New Member Spotlight

Miller Paint

Manager Mike Appel of the Murray Road Miller Paint store wants CMBA members to know that they have set up a special account for us. All a member has to do is tell the associate at the counter that they are a CMBA member to receive the special discount, which will vary between 7-22 percent depending on the



margin of the paint or items in question.

Appel says, "We are excited to be a part of the association

and to extend this offering to our fellow Portland-based businesses." Miller Paint is a full-line coatings company. They opened on Front Ave in Portland in 1890 and have been serving the northwest ever since. The CMBA pricing is available at any Miller paint store, though the crew here hope to see everyone at the location here on Murray just north of Cornell.

Chickadee Montessori LLC

This new school is just starting up in Cedar Mill! It's a certified, home-based Montessori program, one which will provide a joyful learning environment, a beautiful home setting on Leahy, and a holistic approach to early education.

Chickadee is the culmination of a long career for its owner and operator, Jude Foster. Jude just retired from her 16-year position as founder and Head of School at Harmony Montessori School in east Portland. She is well-known in the Portland Montessori community, and received the Oregon Montessori Association's "Outstanding Dedication" award in 2007. She moved to the Cedar Mill area three years ago,



The parent community is already hard at work creating a natural playscape for the children in the expansive forested back yard.

Bales employee adopts boys from Ethiopia

Bales receiving clerk Larry Euch and his wife Shawna, along with Shawna's mother Kim, traveled to Ethiopia in June to bring home their new sons, Pawlos, now two, and Kaleb, four and one half. They worked with Holt International, the Oregon-based organization that enables international adoption and child welfare programs in several worldwide locations.

Larry, who has worked at Bales Thriftway since 1972, was adopted himself from Japan as a very young child. He and his wife have been interested in adoption for several years, and finally decided to go forward with it last year. They contacted Holt and went through the initial interviews in June '09, and were told that it would probably take quite a while before an adoption could begin. They were surprised when they found out in February that they'd been matched with the boys. Holt helped them rush through all the needed paperwork.

Larry took four weeks of vacation time and three weeks of sick leave, and he and his wife and mother-in-law traveled to Addis Ababa via Amsterdam. Arriving on Thursday night, they went to the Holt headquarters on Friday for an informational meeting, and visited a care center to meet the boys.

"Kaleb put his arms around

so ended her years at Harmony with a long commute. Now she is continuing her work with children right here at home.

Chickadee is a much-needed addition to our area—a nurturing,

nature-focused, and rich Montessori education for children ages 2 1/2 to 6, for parents who need both part- and full-day care. Visit Chickadee during their Open House on Saturday, September 18 from 10 am to noon. For more information, contact Jude Foster, 503-297-2702 or chickadeemontessori@gmail.com, or visit the website: chickadeemontessori.com

Grandma Kim and was ready to go right away," Larry recalls. "Our driver explained to him in Ethiopian that we would be back soon. He had already figured out that we were for him." That evening they attended a cultural dinner where they



Pawlos and Kaleb enjoy their first trip to the zoo

were acquainted with aspects of Ethiopian life that would help them and the children adjust to each other.

On Sunday, they boarded a van and drove southeast to Durame, the boys' hometown, to meet the surviving members of their birth family. Their

father had died of malaria two years before, and their mother had just died a couple of days before they applied to Holt. An older brother had been taking care of them for a while, but was unable to continue because of extreme poverty.

They took custody of the boys on Monday, and started taking care of them right away, until they left for their homeward trip on Thursday. "Pawlos was everyone's favorite at the care center," Larry says. After the usual hassles with US immigration back in Portland, the family has been settling in. "They're already picking up a lot of English, using full sentences. They love to ride in the car, and say, Mommy, faster!" Kaleb will start pre-school this fall. "It's a lot of work, but very rewarding," he says.

Larry and Shawna are building an addition to their Bethany home to accommodate the boys. "The people at Bales have really been terrific," Larry notes. "I brought the boys in the day after we got home."



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Leedy Grange Hall -- Cedar Mill's Community Center

by Virginia Bruce

The old Grange Hall building, just north of Cornell on Saltzman, was built in 1903 by the Modern Woodsmen. By 1906, local farmers formed the Leedy Grange, and acquired the building in 1913 after meeting in members' homes for several years. It was the center of the social lives of many local families. "Old-timers" in the area still remember being taken to dances as children, and being put to sleep in the coat room, which was demolished when Saltzman was widened in 2003.

Membership waxed and waned over the years, reaching a peak of around 60 in the 1950s. In 1975, the Beaverton Grange lost their building and merged with Leedy. By the time I joined in 2007 there were only 12 members and the State Master was considering shutting it down.

Tualatin Hills Park & Recreation District had no plans to put a community center in our area, because they were only interested in large facilities with room for playing fields. But we need a place to have community events and for families to hold larger parties. So Bruce Bartlett (CPO 1 Chair) and I decided to join.

We were welcomed and encouraged to get involved, and the 2008 Shortcake Social was our first activity, and the first Grange-sponsored event to be held in the building in at least 25 years! At the end of that year, I was surprised to be nominated to lead the group as Master, when then-Master Bob Welter needed to step down for health reasons. We currently have around 30 members.

The building itself belongs to the members. And, as is true with all Granges, the members of the local "subordinate" Grange determine the group's activities and the causes it supports. While the National organization has rules and bylaws, as long as a local Grange doesn't violate them, they can determine the uses of the hall.

Renting the Grange

The Grange Hall is available for rental by groups and individuals. Rental income pays our bills and is now actually bringing in a little extra. One of the National Grange rules has long been "no alcohol." While there are some Granges in northern California (wine country) that are thinking of suspending that, we are glad to adhere to it because it

helps keep the building safe.

Rates depend on the nature of the activity. Regular rates apply to private parties and most groups and are \$30 per hour and \$150 for 24. If the Grange members feel that an activity serves the community, we can offer our not-for-profit rate of \$10/hr or \$50/24. Most religious groups do not qualify, because Grange policies don't allow us to support partisan religion or partisan politics. But some religious groups get the rate because they provide community services, such as a local Ba'hai group that provides after-school and summer enrichment programs for low-income kids. Simply being a non-profit organization doesn't guarantee a group the discount rate.

Rentals can be from one hour to 24. Event setup and cleanup are part of the rental time, so many renters take the 24-hour option for larger affairs.

All renters are required to purchase liability insurance covering the hall for the duration of the rental. For private or family events, this can usually be obtained through a homeowners' or renters' policy. Public events usually require separate event insurance. There's also a \$250 refundable cleaning and security deposit, due along with the insurance certificate at least two weeks in advance of the rental.

Several groups have long-term rentals, including a couple of martial arts groups that meet on weeknights, and a yoga teacher. There is a separate rate for long-term rentals, and we'd be happy to have the building used more on weekdays.

A calendar of events is on our website, leedygrange.org, please check availability if you're interested in using the hall for your function. I am currently the rental agent for the building (although I'm working on a replacement!) so please contact me if the hall is available for the time you want it.

Also on the website are photos of the interior and schematics to help you plan your event. The building consists of a large main hall with a wood floor, a stage, and benches all around. There is also a dining hall with long tables and chairs, and a kitchen with all the usual amenities, and two restrooms.

The kitchen is "certifiable" for preparation of food for sale, so if anyone is interested in trying their hand at that, it would be an easy way

to get started. Regular rates apply.

Taking care of the building

Part of the charge of the Grange Master is to look after the building itself. Since joining, we've had the floor refinished and the building exterior painted. But there's plenty more work that needs to be done, and we would like to get the community involved.

We're currently contemplating some insulation for the ceiling (the whole building is un-insulated!). We also need to have the heating system under the building "tuned up," with better insulation around the ducts. The building is heated with gas and the cost goes way up in the winter.

The interior rooms are way overdue for some renovation. The old paneling is showing its age, and we expect to paint that and the trim sometime soon. Windows in the main hall need replacing, too, since they steam up in all kinds of weather.

Lighting in the dining hall is awful, comprising four old fluorescent fixtures, only two of which currently work. We'd like to get something that not only works, but looks a little better.

The kitchen has the same cabinets that were installed in 1903. They're quaint, but not very practical, and we'd love to get upgraded fixtures including a bigger stove, a hood, and even one of those new-fangled dishwashers. New lighting, counters and cabinets would be great too. Someday we'd like to offer cooking classes, and canning and preserving workshops, so anything that could make the kitchen function better for that kind of use would be wonderful.

We've been doing our best to make the outside of the building look good, but until the contractors are done with Saltzman, there's not much point. One of our members put in some nice plants along the parking area, only to have them all stolen after a big party! (Guess one of the guests wanted a party favor...) This fall, it would be lovely to get some plants and even some irrigation installed to make our street-front a pleasant view.

If there are contractors or handy folks in the community who would like to get involved, please contact me. We have funds for materials but we'd love to have some volunteer or reduced-rate professional help. And donated materials and equipment

would be very welcome, also.

We want these improvements so that the building is more useful and pleasant for community activities. Big family parties, classes and meetings, workshops and small fairs are all possible.

If you have an idea for an ongoing activity, we encourage you to consider joining us. That's what Marc Leuthold did when he had the idea for a Cedar Mill Flea Market. We liked it so much that it's now a regular event on the first Saturday of every month. Table fees go to the Grange, and sellers keep their proceeds.

Another event that began last year and will continue is the Holiday Bazaar. "Not Your Granny's Bazaar," the event features hand-made crafts and decorations, food and art gifts for everyone by local artisans and cooks. It is held on the weekend after Thanksgiving, and is a "boutique-style" event that doesn't require the vendors to give up their holiday weekend. We're currently taking table reservations, so if you or someone you know has items to sell, be sure to contact us. And plan to come by as the first stop in your holiday shopping, to find a unique gift and to support your Grange and your local artisans.

We meet on the second Saturday and start with a potluck lunch at noon that is open to anyone interested in learning more. For information about the Grange, to offer assistance on our building projects, or to find out more about the Flea Market or the Bazaar, contact Virginia Bruce, vrb@teamweb.com or 503-803-1813.

A City By Choice update

by Judy Thorn

A community with a voice is a community with a choice. We believe that the citizens who reside, work and play in this area (North of Highway 26, West of the Washington County line, East of Cornelius Pass and South of Germantown Road) should have a say in determining the changes in our communities' future.

We want to conduct a feasibility study to ascertain if becoming our own city is financially cost effective, targeting a tax rate that is lower than Beaverton's.

What's the benefit of becoming a city? A district-based electorate system would ensure that neighborhoods have representation through elected councilors versus Beaverton's "at-large" system. A mayor can directly represent us in local, regional and statewide planning and policy decisions. A planning department would focus on our needs; providing proactive rather than reactive decision-making for our future. Claim revenue sources which only cities can acquire (state gas tax and franchise fees) to assist in operating costs. Most important is the ability to control our own area. Our plan of action is to:

Collaborate—Work to discover what you see as your ideal community to live, work and play in.

Investigate—Using the feasibility study, see what it would cost to enable your vision to become a reality. The study will compare costs and services of adjacent cities and the County. By defining what you

want and the priorities, we can then determine if we can collectively pay for it.

Incorporate—If the feasibility study determines it cost effective, we would vote on incorporation into a smart, sustainable city, designed and structured to fit our lifestyle and the essence of our community.

We need your input. Take our survey online at www.acitybychoice.org and tell us what you want so we can design the feasibility study to reflect you needs and aspirations.

We will be holding 3 community forums to share what we've heard and get even more input. September 15 – Cedar Mill Library (Lewis Room) from 6-7:20 pm;

October 19– Oak Hills Community Church (Fireside Room) 6-8 pm
November 8 – Rock Creek Community Church 6-8pm.

For more information about us, please go to our website at www.acitybychoice.org. You can become a supporting member by clicking on the "Take Action" tab and submitting the "I Want A Feasibility Study" form. It's your money, your community and your voice!

Bobcat pancakes

Bonny Slope Elementary School fifth grade students will be serving up a pancake breakfast for the community on Saturday, September 11, 8-10 am at the school, 11775 Northwest McDaniel Road. They will also be giving tours of the building, since many in the community have not had a chance to see Cedar Mill's beautiful new school!

The breakfast is a fundraiser to raise money for the class to spend three days at Outdoor School (an Oregon tradition) and for their activities during the year. Bonny Slope 5th Grade Activities Coordinator Kristina Seale says, "Not only does it support great activities for them, but it is always fun to see the kids work hard and involve the community to earn the opportunity." For more information, contact her at kristina@wallnutz.com, or 503-867-6375.

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The Nature of Cedar Mill

Summer visitors

by Lauretta Young,
Portland Birdwatching

Many of us have family or school reunions during the summer. Seeing old friends again brings a mixture of joy and curiosity about how their lives have been since the last time we met. Similarly when our summer backyard bird visitors return, I remember how much I have missed the "skyows and kucks" of the Green Heron in my wetlands.

These small cousins of the Great Blue Herons which are with us all year, come only in late spring and summer. They, like their Great Blue Heron kin make a very loud KUCK as they land. It is very hard to not notice that these relatives have arrived! They are one of the last migrants to come back to Oregon so when we see them we know summer has indeed arrived.

Summer is a wonderful time to go outdoors but also one of the most challenging for bird watching. Spring's wonders of the singing, courtship and mating displays end with nests of little hungry birds. The parents are too busy to sing but instead go to and fro all day gathering food and teaching the babies how to avoid hawks and other predators.

If you want to do bird watching in the summer it's best to go early in the day. By mid-day the birds appear to be too hot to be out and



A Green Heron in Cedar Mill. Photo by Jeff Young

about. Like us they are hanging out in cooler areas. I picked blueberries at Bonny Slope Blueberry Farm (what a lovely bunch of berries I got too) and the birds were there happily eating away as well. What a feast for all of us.

The Cedar Waxwings were singing, the Western Tanagers were flying around, the robins were gorging on berries, the Western Wood Peewees were catching bugs; it was quite the scene. Then as the sun got higher and the air got hotter the activity ceased and it was quiet as the birds began an afternoon siesta.

Soon all the swallows with their babies flying high above my pond will start their journey south for the winter. I will have more migratory ducks stop in my pond on their way to winter warmth. But for now I will enjoy the many baby Hum-

mingbirds visiting my summer blooming flowers, the Quail babies eating my cherries and the summer visitors calling from the pond. Reunions are lovely.

Lauretta Young is a retired physician who now teaches at PSU and OHSU and also has a bird tour business in Cedar Mill and surrounding areas—check out her web site at www.portlandbirdwatching.com for more pictures and a blog.

"The First Oregonians" study group forming

Local amateur historian John Andersen is gathering people who are interested in participating in a semi-monthly reading and discussion group focusing on Oregon's first people. "Essentially, what I envision is a systematic study of the indigenous people of the place we call Oregon today," he says. The group will probably meet every other month on Sunday afternoons at a convenient central location. If you're interested, contact John Andersen by email at editor@unconventionalideas.com.

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Library News & Events

by Dawn Anderson

Local Author Recalls Tillamook Burn

Sunday, September 26, 2 pm,
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While living in Gales Creek, author Don Alanen helped the soldiers from Fort Lewis evacuate the hamlet of Glenwood, Oregon at the peak of the 1945 Tillamook Burn. The author of *The Logger's Encyclopedia* will share stories of the men who risked their lives and family fortune to build a young nation over the course of 150 years in the Pacific Northwest's logging, lumbering, and pulp and paper industries.

Improve your Computer Skills at Your Library

The libraries will once again be offering computer classes this fall. If you are a beginner when it comes to technology, join us!

At Cedar Mill and Bethany, fall classes include Computer Comfort for Beginners, Internet for Beginners, Email for Beginners, Word Processing Skills for Beginners.

Cedar Mill will also be offering Exploring Excel for Beginners, Digital Photography for Beginners and Digital Editing with Picasa.

Free. Registration required, stop by or call. Cedar Mill 503-644-0043 (press 1) or Bethany 503-617-7323.

Plant Donations

As you start your fall garden clean-up, consider donating your extra plants to the Cedar Mill Library for the 2011 spring Plant Sale. Drop off plants at the Cedar Mill Library during pot recycling (see below), or make arrangements to take them to Cori's house. Need supplies? Pots and potting soil are available. Email Dawn at dawn@wccls.org. Many Thanks!

Recycling & Plants for Sale

Starting up again on Sunday, October 3, 2-4 pm, this service will be available the first Sundays in October

and November, and then again March-May, except during inclement weather. Recycle your plastic nursery pots, good condition terra cotta and ceramic pots, and garden/nursery plants and garden tools at the Cedar Mill Library. Your donation will be used to pot up plants for the library's 2011 plant sale. There will also be a selection of perennial plants for sale—bargain priced at \$4 per gallon.

Spaghetti & Songs

A concert and spaghetti dinner will be held at Leedy Grange Hall on September 26 featuring legendary traditional musician and storyteller, Kevin Carr. His repertoire includes tunes played on a fiddle, bagpipes, storytelling, and "a song or two." In addition to his solo act, he often plays with the bands, "Hillbillies from Mars" and "Wake the Dead."

But wait, there's more! Enjoy a spaghetti dinner with all the trimmings featuring a sauce made with Greg Malinowski's local grass-fed organic beef! (Vegan option available.)

The dinner and concert is a benefit for Greg Malinowski's campaign for the non-partisan but vitally important position of Washington County Commissioner. Dinner will be served from 6-7 pm, and the concert will be from 7:30-9. Tickets are \$15 per person, kids are free. Find out more and purchase tickets online at friendsformalinowski.com. Donations in excess of the ticket price are eligible for the Oregon tax credit.

Cedar Mill Garden Club Fall Tea

All interested gardeners are welcome to attend the Fall Kickoff Tea, a social event designed to share our summer travel, gardening and nature experiences and to introduce new members to the group. The tea will be held at our usual location, the Beaverton Community Center on 5th and Hall (12350 SW 5th across from the Beaverton City Library) at 12:30 pm on Wednesday,

September 15. For more information about the Cedar Mill Garden Club and its activities contact Barb Cushman, president at 503-649-7741 or see our website thecedar-millgardenclub.org.

In addition to a yearly scholarship, donations to local botanical gardens and the John Quincy Adams Young House Foundation (for landscaping), a wildflower garden at the Young House on Cornell was begun this year.

The Cedar Mill Garden Club holds a Christmas party and summer picnic as well hosting excellent speakers, organizing field trips and providing a yearly hands-on floral project. The 8th Annual Spring Plant Sale will be held in early May and members work on it in both the spring and fall, dividing and potting perennials from members' gardens.

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The Next Chapter on Fashion

A fashion show and tea to benefit the Cedar Mill Community Library will be held on Friday, October 22, at 11:30 am at the Christ United Methodist Church. Tickets are \$15 each and are available at the Second Edition Resale Shop. Raffle tickets are also available for a beautiful handmade quilt, donated by Janis Bowen.

Everyone attending last year had a wonderful time at the "Novel Fashion Show and Tea" and we expect to have a repeat performance this year during "The Next Chapter." All fashions in the show are from the shop, and community members serve as the models.

BBQ continues at the Market

Burnt Ends BBQ will be at the Cedar Mill Farmers Market each Saturday through September 18. Each week our menu will include Pulled Pork and Chopped Beef Brisket along with something different each week. Purchase a sandwich at the market, or buy a pound or two to take home for dinner.

Have a special event coming

up? Give us a call or drop us an email, we'll cook up something wonderful for you. Keep up with us on Facebook or check out our blog, burntendsbbq.blogspot.com. Questions? Call us at 503.641.6680 home/office, or 503.680.7624 cell, or email BurntEndsBBQ@msn.com.

Bible Church offers family finance course

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Financial Peace University is a 13-week course on financial stewardship developed and taught by Dave Ramsey. This course is geared for everyone, no matter where you are in your financial journey.

The cost is \$98 for the membership kit, which includes a workbook. However, anyone may attend the first class for free on September

12. Classes are held each Sunday from 9:00 to 10:15 AM at Cedar Mill Bible Church, 12208 NW Cornell. Please call the church office (503 644-3156) to register.

Virtue of the Month: Helpfulness

"Helpfulness is doing useful things for others—things that make a difference to them, no matter how small. It is taking the time to be thoughtful, reflecting on what people truly need and assisting them respectfully. We help others by doing things they cannot do for themselves.... It takes courage to ask for help when we need it." Linda Kavelin-Popov.

How can we, in Cedar Mill, help each other develop a business community? How can we show the thoughtfulness and respect we have for one another? How do you ask your students to be helpful? What does helpfulness look like in your home?

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ani, M.Ed. 503-267-0202

Spruce up your dining table

This month, Les Couleurs de Provence is offering half-off all table runners. These colorful and practical fabric strips are available at the Cedar Mill Farmers' Market every Saturday, or contact Mireille Nett at 503-679-1681. See them at lescouleursdeprovence.com.

CMBA and Bales team up to thank Saltzman road crew

On Friday, September 3, Bales store manager Vince Lucibello and CMBA Admin Virginia Bruce hosted a lunch for the hard-working and cheerful crew of Northwest Earthmovers Inc., who have been transforming NW Saltzman Road into a modern thoroughfare. Bales provided grilled hamburgers with all the trimmings, chips and soft drinks. NEI Project Manager Greg Kinnaman expressed the workers' appreciation.

The crew worked overtime to finish the majority of the paving by the Labor Day weekend, but work will continue through the fall to put the finishing touches on the project, including hooking up the new stoplight at Dogwood.

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Gelato Lounge, continued from page 1 ingredients, not a bunch of powders and chemicals," she says. "And the probiotics, the live and active cultures that make yogurt so

healthy, are maintained, because the product comes to us fresh-frozen and not as a mix. We just thaw it and pour it into the machines." She attended "yogurt university" at the

YoCream headquarters in Portland to learn exactly how to work with the product.

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They have just added a full-service coffee and espresso bar featuring local (Hillsboro) Long-bottom Coffee & Tea products. One of Patricia's favorite ways to serve it is the "affogato," a scoop of gelato topped with a shot of espresso. They'll be adding pastries soon, too.

Why a "lounge?" Patricia says she wanted to create a place for people to get together and socialize that would be an alternative to places that serve alcohol. She has had personal experience with the pain that alcoholism brings to families and friends. So they stay open later in the evening than most ice-cream shops, to 9 on weekdays, and 10 pm on the weekends. She wants the shop to become a favorite dessert place for families, and a place for friends to get together and hang out and talk.

The spacious interior has several

"living room" seating areas in addition to the tall lounge-style tables and stools. There's plenty of room for the kids to play on the floor without getting into anyone's way.



A selection of current magazines is available for someone who just wants to read and enjoy a treat by themselves, too.

Original art on the walls is another "lounge" touch. "I wanted to add art and music to the concept because in our area we need a place to go and talk. Music and art are wonderful subjects to let our minds escape to," she says.

For their grand opening last month, they brought in musicians.

They plan to continue that with live music on some weekends. They also have a big screen tv, and will occasionally offer sports and other events for their customers.

They have a Facebook page where they announce special events as well as stay in touch with customers and friends.

Barnett lives in Bethany, and she

loves having both of her businesses and her home so close. To support the community, she's offering to host fundraisers for school and other groups. "We'll set up a day

for your group. You get everyone in here, and we'll give 10% of all the business for your event to your organization," she says. They're starting with an event for Terra Linda Elementary to raise money to replace the play structure.

One of the things she likes the best about the Lounge is the chance to meet a wide selection of people. "I love my skincare business, but you have a pretty limited clientele there. Everybody loves ice cream, so it's like a party all the time, and I love throwing parties."

Stop in at the Gelato & Yogurt Lounge, in the Safeway shopping center at 13611 NW Cornell Rd. They're open Sunday-Wednesday, noon-9 pm and Thursday-Saturday, noon-10 pm. Call them at 503-469-4500 and visit their website at gelatoandyogurtlounge.com.

Our "Green" Washington County

Learn more about sustainability and how you and your community can move toward it! Partners for a Sustainable Washington County Community, a coalition of 11 governments, will host lectures with sustainability experts and conduct PSWCC site tours.

Sessions will be held from 6-8 pm, Wednesdays, October 6-December 1 at the Willow Creek Center. To register, go to the PCC website and follow links to Class Schedule / Fall 2010: Non-Credit / Green Living Class number 7872. Notes: No class 11/24. For more information, contact instructor Douglas Tsoi by email: douglas@twwd.org. Tuition: \$35

Meet Metro President candidate Stacey

On Saturday, September 11, 5-7 pm, Mike and Judy Edwards are hosting an informal gathering at their home to give Washington County residents an opportunity to meet and get acquainted with Bob Stacey, who is running for the non-partisan position of Metro Council President. His past experience includes running nonprofits, training as a Loeb Fellow at Harvard's Graduate School of Design and a commitment to environmental, transportation and livability issues in our region. For more information or to RSVP, contact Judy at 503.614.0214 or judy@mbabar.org

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of suburban America, the challenge of completing the Interstate System, and the continued availability of cheap gasoline all fueled the development of a transportation infrastructure focused almost exclusively on the private motor car and commercial truck... facilities for bicyclists and pedestrians, environmental mitigation, accessibility, community preservation, and aesthetics were at best an afterthought, often simply overlooked, and, at worst, rejected as unnecessary, costly, and regressive. Many States passed laws preventing the use of State gas tax funds on anything other than motor vehicle lanes and facilities." This is the governmental culture that we're just coming out of. County roads were seen primarily as places where motorized traffic needs to be moved along as quickly as possible.

The statement concludes, "There is no question that conditions for bicycling and walking need to be improved in every community in the United States; it is no longer acceptable that 6,000 bicyclists and pedestrians are killed in traffic every year, that people with disabilities cannot travel without encountering barriers, and that two desirable and efficient modes of travel have been made difficult and uncomfortable."

There won't be enough new development or redevelopment in these areas to bring about a solution. "It's almost certain that the next MSTIP (Major Streets Transportation Improvement Program) levy will include bike/ped improvements as a major element," says Madden. Voters will likely be asked to pass the next levy in 2012. This will be a big departure, since only roads scheduled for big improvement projects, like our recent Murray and Saltzman projects, have been accompanied with bicycle and pedestrian facilities.

None of this will come about quickly enough for many local residents, to be sure. Some have suggested a Local Improvement District (LID) project that would bring neighbors together to pay for improvements. A petition drive is being planned in the neighborhood near the recent accident. Nearly every response to the news about Cassidy's death included frustration with the lack of bike/ped facilities.

One of the biggest costs in constructing sidewalks in an area like 119th is the acquisition of Right-

of-Way (ROW). However, much of that ROW on 119th is a rocky ditch, which although it's privately owned, is hardly an amenity that homeowners treasure. Perhaps many of the property owners will be inspired to donate or sell the land cheaply to the county to help the community.

One quick response from the county may be to put up some signs reminding pedestrians to walk facing traffic, rather than with it. We'll never know if this recent tragedy could have been prevented that way, but it might help remind people to take extra care until a permanent solution can be reached.

CPO 1's Connecting Neighborhoods subcommittee has been wrestling with just such problems. We're learning to work with the county, ODOT, and other regional and national partners to find ways to improve the options for active travel, whether it's sidewalks and bike lanes or alternative paths through neighborhoods that avoid car-laden routes altogether. We meet on the second Wednesday from 7-8:30 pm at the Leedy Grange Hall, and we welcome new members with constructive approaches to this dilemma.

Discover Voluntary Simplicity

Leedy Grange is presenting another discussion course developed by the Northwest Earth Institute, beginning on Thursday, September 16 and continuing through October 14, from 7-9 pm at the Grange Hall. Becky Lovejoy will lead the five-week course where participants will gain an understanding of the meaning of voluntary simplicity; explore the material and psychological distractions that prevent us from caring for the Earth; and consider how life might be enriched through the practice of simplicity.

The course is free thanks to the sponsorship of the Partners for a Sustainable Washington County Community (pswcc.org). The workbooks contain provocative readings on the subject along with questions for the group to discuss, and will be available at the Cedar Mill Library prior to the beginning of the first session.

NWEI courses (nwei.org) encourage participants to explore values, attitudes, and actions through discussion with other people. The course is limited to ten people. To register or for more information, contact Becky Lovejoy at la-beck@juno.com.

Cassidy Ringwald (1992-2010)

Cassidy was the loving and beloved son of Mary and Scott Ringwald, and brother of Whitney Ringwald. A 2010 graduate of Terra Nova High School, Cassidy was killed by a hit-and-run driver August 26, 2010, while walking with his sister in Cedar Mill.

Cassidy was part of the farm project at Terra Nova from its inception in September 2008. Farm manager Paul Hudak remembers him as an avid basketball player. "We often played as a team-building activity, and it was just one of many passions he had. He was an amazing young man, with varied interests that included music and comparative religion. He was a deep thinker, and was eager to explore and question everything."

Hudak says that although Cassidy was skeptical about the farm project at first, he became committed to it and had come out to volunteer several times

during the summer, including on the day he was killed. He and the students in the project are still in shock over the accident. Hudak said he'd been excited to see where Cassidy would go with his life, because his intelligence and passion



Cassidy's photo from the Terra Nova Community Farm website, tncfarm.org

were remarkable. "He went way too soon," Hudak said.

Cassidy and his sister were walking down 119th to visit friends. A

car going southbound apparently swerved from the narrow roadway and struck him from behind. He was thrown 15-20 feet and landed unconscious in the roadway.

There were several witnesses to the accident, and others stopped and administered CPR until

emergency crews arrived. He was taken to Legacy Emanuel but died later that night. The family said that his liver and both kidneys were donated and the three recipients are doing well.

Washington County Sheriff's spokesman Sergeant David Thompson says that a young woman came forward that evening and indicated that she was the person who had hit him. She has not been arrested, although her vehicle, a

Toyota pickup, was seized for evidence.

Many people are wondering why she wasn't arrested right away. Thompson explained, "When someone is killed by a driver, we have to prove that they were doing something illegal at the time—reckless driving, DUII or some other type of criminal negligence—for them to be held criminally responsible for the death. We are doing all we can to make sure that justice is served. There will likely be some activity by the week after next."

Although he would not get specific about the investigation, he did say that the possibility that the driver might have been texting was one of the theories they are looking into, and presumably they are getting her cell phone records.

The Cassidy Ringwald Memorial Fund has been established in his memory to help offset college costs for Terra Nova graduates. Donations can be made at any Wells Fargo branch.

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