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MANZANITA REPORTER

SHRED DAY AT CARTM BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND

Why hang on to years-old archives? Bring your old unwanted papers to the Shred Day event at Cartm Recycling on Saturday, April 16th from 10 am - 1 pm. Safely shred all that paper for just \$7.50 per box and welcome some new space into your life! The date nicely coincides with this year's tax return deadline, as well!

For suggestions on how long to save your papers, you can find record retention guidelines at Privacy Rights Clearinghouse (www.privacyrights.org/personal-dataretention-and-destruction-plan).

CITIZEN OF THE YEAR NOMINATIONS OPEN

Nominations are now being accepted for the 2016 Manzanita Citizen of the Year. Each year the City seeks to honor those persons who have made a major contribution to the Manzanita community as a community leader, business leader, volunteer, educator, and/or creative artist. A committee which includes former Citizens of the Year will meet in May to consider nominations and select the individual or couple to be honored this year.

To qualify for this honor, one must be a resident of Manzanita, live within the Manzanita Urban Growth Boundary, or operate a business in Manzanita. Currently serving elected officials and City employees are not eligible. The Citizen of the Year may be an individual or couple who

performs any volunteer community service that benefits our citizens.

Nominations must be in writing and be submitted by May 2nd to the Manzanita Citizen of the Year Committee c/o City Hall, P.O. Box 129, Manzanita, OR 97130. Visit the City website <http://www.ci.manzanita.or.us/> for a list of previous Citizens of the Year.

HIGHWAY 101 PROJECT CONTINUES

Construction crews are continuing their work replacing a large fish passage culvert under Highway 101 near the Manzanita Water Treatment Plant. The work is occurring about 40 feet below the surface of the highway. Planned highway improvements are expected to begin later this year after the fish passage tunnel is completed. Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) indicates that two lanes of highway traffic will be open during most of the construction. Highway improvements include reshaping the curve, a longer turning lane into Laneda Avenue, and the creation of a left turn lane at Manzanita Avenue.

GRANT PROVIDES VISITORS CENTER IMPROVEMENTS

The Manzanita Visitors Center at First and Laneda will soon be getting an outdoor drinking fountain, an improved bicycle parking area, a back yard patio and a small building to house beach accessible wheelchairs. The City of Manzanita

was awarded a \$20,800 grant from the Tillamook County Transient Lodging Tax Grant Program to support the improvements. The improvements should be completed by the end of May.

Until the Visitors Center improvements are completed, beach accessible wheelchairs will still be available at City Hall during normal business hours. Please call 503-368-5343 to make reservations.

PICKLE BALL!

Want to learn a new game, have fun, and get great exercise all at the same time?

If so, please mark your calendar for 9:00 am, Saturday, June 18th and come to the tennis courts at City Park for an introduction to the fastest growing sport in America. Local homeowner Peter Shianna will explain the simple rules of pickle ball, demonstrate strategy and answer any questions you have. Balls and paddles will be provided.

What is pickle ball? It's a fast-moving doubles game played on a court two-thirds the size of a tennis court. Pickle ball features less running than tennis, but constant action and movement. The

ball is a hard wiffle ball you hit with a paddle resembling a large ping-pong paddle.

Whether or not you play tennis, you will love pickle ball. And you can be 13 or 80, or anywhere in between. Come to the park on June 18th and give it a try!

ELECTED OFFICIALS

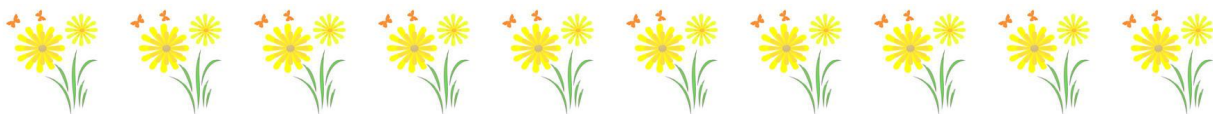
Garry R. Bullard, Mayor
Leila Salmon, City Council President
Councilors:
Linda Kozlowski, Mike Scott, and Hans Tonjes

HOLIDAYS

May 30, 2016
Memorial Day
July 4, 2016
Independence Day

(City offices will be closed the above dates.)

**Independence Day activities as usual on
Monday, July 4th.
Parade starts at 1:00 p.m.**



The City of Manzanita is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer.

WHAT DO YOU THINK? The Manzanita City Council and staff are interested in your comments on City programs and issues. Please send us a note or use this form as you wish: City of Manzanita, PO Box 129, Manzanita, OR 97130-0129; fax to 1-503-368-4145; or e-mail to cityhall@ci.manzanita.or.us.

TO: MANZANITA CITY COUNCIL Here is what I think about _____

Name _____ Address _____