

## How about a Date?

- Nov. 1 – Joanne Azevedo's birthday  
Nov. 2 – Bernie Miranda's birthday  
Ann Migliaccio's birthday  
Nov. 5 – Terry Head Celebration of Life Potluck,  
Cascade Social Club, 2 PM. 356-0920.  
Fall Free Clean Up Day. Free yard debris  
dumping, 8:30 – 4.  
Nov. 6 – Daylight Savings Time ends. Set clocks  
back  
Nov. 7 – Eric Dillenberger's birthday  
Nov. 8 – RPFD Board meeting, 7 PM, Aspen Room  
Nov. 8 – Clay and Patty Williams' anniversary  
Nov. 11 – Veteran's Day  
Nov. 12 – Julie Black's birthday  
Nov. 13 – Jerry & Myrna Feliciello's anniversary  
Bob & Debi Luther's anniversary  
Nov. 14 – Will Akins' birthday  
Nov. 16 – Fred Koehler's birthday  
Nov. 18 – Clarence Young's birthday  
Dave Hummel's birthday  
Nov. 20 – Rita Donato's birthday  
Nov. 21 – Mark Matthes' birthday  
Nov. 24 – Mickey Collier's birthday  
Nov. 24 - Thanksgiving  
Dec. 1 – Deadline for RSVPs to Ladies' Holiday  
Luncheon, 541 356-2233.  
Dec. 10 – Ladies' Holiday Luncheon  
**Don't forget to pick up great books and  
videos at the library any Tuesday morning**

## BUSINESS NEWS

**Fish Lake Resort** – Closed until Nov. 17<sup>th</sup>.  
Nov. 18<sup>th</sup> begins winter hours—Fri. 12 – 6, Sat.  
9 – 8, Sun. 9 – 5:30. **949-8500.**  
[www.FishLakeResort.net](http://www.FishLakeResort.net).

**Solar Cafe & Gift Gallery** - Open Sun. 9 AM  
– 2 PM. Pizza night every Friday 5 – 8 PM.,  
**356-2400** ([www.solarcafeusa.com](http://www.solarcafeusa.com)).

**Crystalwood Lodge** – Open for full-lodge  
retreats and family gatherings throughout the  
year. [info@crystalwoodlodge.com](mailto:info@crystalwoodlodge.com) or  
**541-381-2322.**

**Lake of the Woods Resort** – Lodge closed for  
the season. Marina restaurant & store open  
Friday through Sunday throughout the winter,  
with prime rib special the first weekend of each  
month and dinner specials on Friday &  
Saturday. Enclosed patio. Cabins and RV  
spots available 7 days a week, with  
reservations. [www.lakeofthewoodsresort.com](http://www.lakeofthewoodsresort.com)  
**1-866-201-4194.**

**Rocky Point Resort** – Closed for the season  
**356-2287.**

**Odessa Store** –Open 7 AM – 9 PM, with  
groceries and quick-stop supplies, liquor store,  
propane, gas & diesel.

*For a list of holiday bazaars, festivals,  
concerts, fairs, and happenings within  
driving distance, go to*

***www.solarcafeusa.com, select Rocky  
Point Area Links, and find details on  
something for everyone.***

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Julie Black, 25437 Rocky Point Rd, Klamath Falls, OR  
97601**

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[mikejulie@hughes.net](mailto:mikejulie@hughes.net)

Mata Rust: 356-2236 (articles & ads)  
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Diane Grieb 356-0909 (mailings & delivery)

**Please make checks payable to Julie Black.**

# TO THE POINT

News by and about Rocky Point

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## ROCKY POINT FIRE/EMS BOARD NEWS

Three Board members, Fire Chief,  
and Rescue Randy, the department's training  
dummy, attended the September meeting.  
Minutes were approved, as was payment of  
bills. Board agreed to Terry's request to  
combine the 2 department bank accounts.

Chad reported 2 medical calls with  
transport, 4 medical without transport, 1  
MVA without transport, and 1 brush fire.  
From the VFA corner, the association  
donated \$13,000 worth of medical equipment  
to the department.

Old business began with Chad's  
announcement that the department had  
purchased a power gurney (an absolute  
necessity for transporting patients through  
snow and up hills in these parts). The VFA  
purchased a ventilator and SOLL machine  
(cardiac monitor, EKG, and CO2 monitor)  
for the department's use.

Chad also reported on progress with  
non-emergent transport, which is involving  
more research and might mean making our  
2<sup>nd</sup> ambulance available on site for that use.  
One of the big concerns is having enough  
volunteers available to provide the service,  
which would contribute much-needed  
revenue for the department. Our fire  
department has lost volunteers. Unless  
staffing improves, we may need to

consolidate with other local departments to  
help each other with staffing. Talks will  
continue with Sky Lakes and Fire District I to  
determine how best to route and prioritize  
calls. The Board approved continuing  
investigation into this added service, but no  
decisions have been made.

Under new business, Chad announced  
he'll host the Annual Fire Chief's September  
dinner at the Rocky Point Fire Hall.

You're welcome at any of the  
meetings the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month.  
***Complete & official minutes available at Fire  
Hall, 356-2205. This Institution is an equal  
opportunity provider.***

## FALL FESTIVAL

And what a gorgeous day it was, with  
somewhere around 260 folks chowing down  
on chili, grabbing pies, filling shopping bags,  
getting flu shots, and generally enjoying  
themselves. Especially Greg Sullivan, who  
won the raffle quilt.

Thanks to everyone who came, to  
everyone who helped in any way. The fire  
department will benefit with \$3000 earmarked  
for training equipment. The whole  
community will benefit in many ways. And it  
was fun!

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Dick Cartwright

**IT'S LADIES' LUNCHEON TIME**

That's right, it's when our guys cook up an amazing lunch, while the area's women folk sit down to gorgeous tables and have one spectacular time. But it can't happen without a bit of help. Rita says she still needs 3 or 4 people to decorate tables. Give her a call (356-2233) and offer to haul out your finery for the festivities. The luncheon is Dec. 10<sup>th</sup>, with reservations due to Rita by Dec. 1<sup>st</sup>.

**TOWN HALL MEETING**

All three Klamath County Commissioners attended the Rocky Point Town Hall meeting Oct. 11<sup>th</sup>, along with more than 20 of our locals. It's particularly valuable for our unincorporated community to maintain connections with county officials, and again that happened.

Questions and conversation about a number of items were addressed, including various ways to support our fire department, snow berm removal at driveways, and county financial issues.

Thanks to everyone who attended, as well as to our commissioners. Through their efforts, we're able to maintain continuing dialogue on matters that affect us all. Please plan to attend the next Town Hall Meeting.

**RUNNIN' AROUND**

McIntoshes pretty much filled 2 months with travel, beginning with 2 car shows (awards in both), a granddaughter's wedding, and parent-care trips. Then there was the 5-day bow hunting trip near Silver Lake with Berryessas. No deer, but they brought home lots of chicken and steak from Cowboy Dinner Tree, as well as a new experience at the Fort Rock Tavern.

**The Wicklund brothers and their tag-a-longs, LaPine friends, Griebes, Rusts,**

**and VanHulzens** loaded up camping gear and explored the wilds north and south of Oakridge, in various RV combinations, working the route back to Diamond Lake. Even without hookups, there didn't seem to be any shortage of amazing food and good times.

**Mary Tracy** abandoned the Rocky Point summer home to visit with relatives in Connecticut. In her absence, Dwight discovered how effective a shop vac can be in bat eradication. **Howard & Cyndi** met up with Cyndi's siblings for a coastal crabbing trip, and a bit of casino time. **Wiedemans** made their annual hunting trip to eastern Oregon, then on to California for a wedding.

**Myrna** met up with her 2 amazing granddaughters for their annual mystery trip, this time to Portland for all the sights and shopping anybody could stand. **Sharna Igou** also left town for a girl weekend with friends who say they're meeting to scrapbook.

**Hedges** made their annual Washington journey, to check on crops, and **Dearings** got in some daughter time in Seattle.

**RESORT NEWS**

Refer to the last page of the newsletter for current days and hours of winter operation, and make it a habit to call in advance.

**Rocky Point Resort** is closed until April 1<sup>st</sup> (weather dependent) but will be around working on more projects and playing in the snow. They thank everyone for a good season and helpful suggestions. **Fish Lake Resort** will be closed until November 17<sup>th</sup>, but go any weekend after that for a great breakfast, lunch, or dinner, with prime rib by reservation on Saturdays. Cabins and RV spots are available all winter.

**Lake of the Woods** will have the store and marina open weekends, cabins and RV spots also available all winter. Call and find out about all the specials they'll be offering. **Crystalwood Lodge** has a great deal that includes a contribution to your favorite charity. Call Liz and find out more. And **Longhorn Motel, Store, & Gas** will be offering \$20 rooms for military vets as a part of their new non-profit segment. Get those details at 541 363-6186.

**GENERAL HOSPITAL**

**Jim Evans** is a hard one to hold down, but he's recovering nicely from shoulder surgery.

**CONDOLENCES**

Sympathy to **Al VanHulzen** and **Valerie Bevel**, each of whom lost their mothers.

**Terry Head** died this month, leaving a long list of people who loved her. All of us will cherish the memory of her sweet smile and tons of wonderful times together. Memorial donations may be sent to Rocky Point Fire Department or Sky Lakes Cancer Treatment Center.

Family and Friends invite you to a  
Celebration of Life

In Memory of  
**Terry Head**

Saturday, Nov. 5

Cascade Social Club in Rocky Point  
2 PM Potluck

main dishes, coffee, tea, & cider provided

541 356-0920 or

[deannasullivan@pacbell.net](mailto:deannasullivan@pacbell.net)

for more information

**HOW GREAT IS THIS!**

Welcome baby **Harper Doyle Head**, newest grandson in the Head family.

Congratulations to newly-engaged **Jenny Hill**, and to her parents Fred & Deb, who are now full-time Rocky Point residents.

**FROM THE READERS**



**NEED SPACE?**

Storage units for rent  
10' X 12' \$45  
12' X 27' \$95

**Mountain Lakes Storage**  
541 356-2400



**NEED HEP?**

Pet care, house check in,  
Chores & errands,  
Outdoor & yard work,  
Snow shoveling & snow blowing,  
Wood stacking & sawing.

REASONABLE RELIABLE  
Call Richard & Rhonda  
541 356-0930



**SNOW?**

Yep, it's that time of year.  
Get on Mike's list for snowplowing  
541 356-2105



**BORED?**

Rocky Point Fire/EMS needs a temporary Board member to fill an unexpired term until next year's election. Call 356-2205 and leave a message, contact any Board member, or come to the Nov. 8<sup>th</sup> board meeting. This is a very good way to serve your community and find out more about the fire department.