

How about a Date?

- Oct. 1 - Larry Merry's birthday
- Oct. 4 - Dwayne & Barbara McIntosh's anniversary
- Oct. 7 - Marty Cassidy's birthday
- Oct. 8 - Joan Roth's birthday
Mata Rust's birthday
Bobbie Diemel's birthday
- Oct. 11 - Melody Stevens' birthday
RPF Board meeting 7 PM, Aspen Room
- Oct. 12 - Bill Brady's birthday
Erik Brady's birthday
Val Swanson's birthday
- Oct. 14 - Bill & DeAnn Akins' anniversary
- Oct. 16 - Rocky Point Fall Festival, 11 AM - 3 PM, Fire Hall**
- Oct. 20 - Maureen Moore's birthday
Ruth Webb-Fuchs' birthday
- Oct. 21 - Jim McLaren's birthday
- Oct. 22 - Warren Parr's birthday
- Oct. 23 - Bea Shade's birthday
Naomi Cline's birthday
Mother-in-law's Day
- Oct. 24 - Meridel Hedges' birthday
- Oct. 25 - Nancy McKaig's birthday
- Oct. 26 - Richard & Pati White's anniversary
- Oct. 29 - Tess Dillenberger's birthday
- Oct. 31 - Halloween
Jody Akins Saveland's birthday
Gary Cassidy's birthday
MaryKay King's birthday
Barbara McIntosh's birthday
- Dec. 10 - Ladies' Holiday Luncheon

BUSINESS NEWS

Fish Lake Resort - Open 7 days a week until Oct. 15, then to winter hours—Thurs. - Sun. only. **949-8500**. www.FishLakeResort.net.

Solar Cafe & Gift Gallery - Pizza night every Friday 5 - 8 PM, & Sun. 9 AM - 2 PM. **356-2400** (www.solarcafeusa.com).

Crystalwood Lodge - Open for full-lodge retreats and family gatherings throughout the year. info@crystalwoodlodge.com or **541-381-2322**.

Lake of the Woods Resort - Marina restaurant & store open Friday through Sunday throughout the fall and winter, with prime rib special the first weekend of each month. Enclosed patio. Cabins and RV spots available 7 days a week, with reservations. www.lakeofthewoodsresort.com

1-866-201-4194.

Rocky Point Resort - Restaurant open Friday 4-8 PM, Saturday 9 AM - 8 PM, Sunday 9 AM - 7 PM. **356-2287**.

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

For a list of farmers' markets, 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.

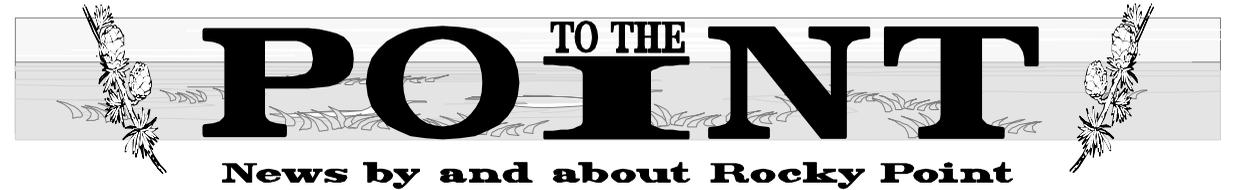
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ROCKY POINT FIRE/EMS BOARD NEWS

All Board members and the Fire Chief showed up to the August Board meeting to take care of business, and they did just that. Flag salute, comments, minutes, and treasurer matter all went without a hitch.

Fire Chief reported 1 MVS with transport, 2 medical calls with transport, 1 interfacility transport, for a monthly total of 4 calls and 38 for the year.

From the VFA came the official report that the annual BBQ made over \$11,500, boosted by thanks to everyone who helped, attended, and contributed. Plans are in the talking stage for the 2012 BBQ.

An ASA issue with Jackson County Sheriff's office has been resolved, one concerning response priority.

On to new business, which consisted of medical equipment purchases. Chad requested an approval from the Board to purchase an ambulance power-lifting cot from the budgeted equipment fund. Board gave him a thumbs up on that one. The VFA is purchasing a ventilator, defibrillator, and heart monitor for the second ambulance.

A final announcement came from Chad that the volunteers would be on hand for any emergencies at the Senior Project swim at Lake of the Woods on August 27th. On Sept. 24th volunteers will be staffing the

fire extinguisher utilization station at the safety fair being held at Home Depot.

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

FALL FESTIVAL TIME!

The 10th annual **Fall Festival** is only DAYS away (Oct. 16). The raffle quilt is completed and on display at Nibbley's on Washburn Way until the event. Now we're beating the bushes for bakers, chili scoopers, furniture movers, cleaners and scrubbers, coffee servers, condiment suppliers, money takers, and table wipers.

Give a call (or we'll call you) and offer up help in your specialty area, or just say you'll do whatever.

Pies and baked goods - Tess (810-0008) or Eileen (356-0945)

Bazaar - Annie (356-2226)

Chili & food - Diane (356-0909)

Set up - Julie (356-2550)

General Scheduling - Mata (356-2236)

(Fall Festival continued on p. 2)

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More importantly, come to this fun day. The \$6 all-you-can-eat meal of chili, cornbread, condiments, cookies, coffee, & cider is again offered. Those scrumptious homemade whole pies, most with handpicked fruit and fillings, will be for sale, as in 60 or so of them. If you're early enough, you can get your Christmas shopping done at the bazaar, full of unique and quality hand-made items. Take home other specialty breads, cakes, and confections. Of course, flu shots will be available.

Then hang around to see who wins this year's hand-stitched, queen-size quilt.

So what happens to all the money raised during this chilifest? All of the quilt raffle income finances a project selected by the fire department. This year they've chosen a list of training equipment. The rest goes to a long list of community needs, most involving our volunteer fire department.

Locally, the monies have provided grant matches, flooring, paint, cabinets, library bookcases, tables, chairs, kitchen appliances, countertops, copy machine, bandstand, kitchen supplies & food, pop for the BBQ, clothing for volunteers, and many more items for the fire department and its volunteers.

On a broader scale, contributions are made to the Klamath Lake Counties Food Bank twice a year. Other supported causes include Operation Shoebox, Christmas boxes for the county's foster children, Project Linus, and participation in other drives and programs for the area's needy.

Essentially, this event supports a very long and varied list of causes, many of which could not survive without dependable help.

RUNNIN' AROUND

Malone and Sligar spent a couple of days at Silver Falls State Park, then to Canby to take in the Swan Island Dahlia Festival. The journey home was along the McKenzie River and pass, with the highlight on Hwy 126 being the Sahalie and Koosah Falls. They visited fellow RV blogger friends in Eugene and Sharon's brother in LaPine on the return trip. Then it was off to Brookings with great sunny temps in the 80's and some of Sue's Colorado blogging buddies.

The Remote trip occurred again this year, with a contingent of Rocky Pointers, ex-residents, and return camp neighbors. Reports confirmed lots of food and drink made for happy days and mellow evenings in the camp spot, especially for **Doris**, who had her own high-class cabin.

Bob Dearing headed for the wilds to bow hunt for his trophy elk. He was gone so long Margaret had to go check on him twice, once whisking him away to the Pendleton Roundup. **Eddie** also took to the backcountry for hunting, but Rona just left him there.

Hedges made a California trip and got a good dose of granddaughter spoiling. **Loren & Terry** headed south too, for a special wedding in the bay area. Not to be left out of California travel, **Feliciellos** did a week in Sacramento, reportedly with good food, good shopping, and good friends. **Bob & Gale** did the route south to help Bob's mother celebrate her 90th birthday.

Coast travelers included **Mata**, who spent a few days in Florence, hanging out with a childhood friend. The 2 Dees (as in **Sullivan and West**) took their husbands and RVs to Winchester Bay for a successful crabbing expedition. **Tracys** joined friends

on the coast, where Dwight extolled the joys of using his credit card and checkbook for car repairs.

Reno visitors were the **Igous**, who pretended they were there to develop a broader market for their awesome BBQ sauce. **Griebs** made their annual pilgrimage for the Reno Air Races. Yes, they had way too good a view of the tragic crash.

Richard and MaryKay King frequently outdo the rest of us, and that happened with their extended trip to Vermont and Boston, and probably other places in that vicinity.

RESORT NEWS

Refer to the last page of the newsletter for current days and hours of operation, as we slowly descend into winter.

GENERAL HOSPITAL

Jean Metler is so happy with her new knee that she can't wait to get another one. Watch for her in the next Rocky Point marathon race.

New resident **Sadie Feliciello** also had successful surgery, thanks to Mom Myrna's great care—and her attachment to those cute Scotties.

CONDOLENCES

Not a single entry this month, and that's the best news in this whole issue.

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?

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Chores & errands,
Outdoor & yard work,
Snow shoveling & snow blowing,
Wood stacking & sawing.

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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

CHRISTMAS?

And plans are moving along for the
Annual Ladies' Holiday Luncheon
Dec. 10th

Call Rita and offer to decorate a table
Guys can call Rita too and offer to help cook
and spoil the women.

541 356-2233

ORIGAMI?

Watch for details on a November
DROP IN AND FOLD DAY

In celebration of
World Origami Days, Oct. 24 – Nov. 11
Brought to you by Tess,
our own origami pixie

Custom Lumber

Bill & Terry Roberts are outfitted with a
lumber mill, kiln, and planer,
ready to custom make your lumber.
Your trees or theirs
541 356-2110