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HOA Highlands News

Since there was not an HOA meeting in November there are no highlights to share. As of the writing of this news letter from Florida, where I am visiting my youngest son and family for Thanksgiving, so far the new gate call-box has not been installed and maintenance is continuing to work on the spa cover and its chemical balance.

As your new editor I would like to know if any of you like having a crossword puzzle in the news letter and do it. Please text me to say “yes”.

HOA Board needs a temporary volunteer to take over the Secretary’s duties come January.

Also, we will need at least two new volunteers to be voted onto the Board come May 2026.

ATTENTION:
**We desperately need
maintenance volunteers!**

There will be **NO** HOA board meetings in December since Christmas falls on the 4th Thursday of the month our normal meeting day. But the board members are available if you have needs or questions.

ONGOING EVENTS

Bowling – 12:30 pm
Mondays at Ten Down
Bowling Lanes

Clubhouse Coffee – every
other Tuesday at 09:30 am,
see Calendar

Billiards – T, W, Th.
10:30 am gents & Ladies

Walk Walk Exercise –
M-W-F 8:45-9:30 am

Chair Yoga - Mon/Wed/Fri
9:30-10:30 am

Caregiver Support Group
– first Friday of each
month. Contact CJ @ 805-
822-7344

Committees

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| Arch/Lands. | Ray Salyer, George Muetzel |
| Elections | Lynda Frommer |
| Finance | Lynda Frommer |
| Grounds Maintenance | Gary Frommer Gary Frommer |
| RV Storage | Carole Hogge |

Functions

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| Calendar | Tina Ortiz |
| Clubhouse Reservations | Mearline Schmidt |
| Front Gate | Lee Jackson |
| Newsletter | Kathy Sipes |
| Phone list | Bill Ward |
| Social | Kathy Sipes |
| Sunshine | Kay Henderson |
| Welcoming Eggs | The Board |

MEETINGS

Bingo: Sunday, December 21st 2025

Board Meeting: None

Finance Committee Meeting: TBA

EVENTS

There are some weekly events at some of the local breweries/pubs, wineries, and farmer's markets. For more info, see the website listed below:

Dec. 5 Holly Dolly Christmas @ Seven Feathers Casino Resort

Dec. 5-7 Douglas County Christmas Craft Fair

Dec. 6 Christmas Bazaar at our Clubhouse

Dec. 25 Christmas

Dec 31. New Years Eve

- Roseburg Saturday Market - Outside Winter Market every Saturday until Dec 20th
- Umpqua Valley Farmers' Market every week on Saturday (riddle #2 answer {fire})
- Seven Feathers Casino Resort: Free Line Dancing Lessons, Elements Lounge every Tuesday
- Kick Up the Dust- Line Dancing Lessons Workman's Bar & Smokehouse every Thursday

- There's numerous **Line Dancing, Trivia/DJ Trivia** and **Karaoke** nights as well as various live music.
 - For details, see the website below:
 - More info at <https://www.experienceroseburg.com>

Christmas Bazaar

Saturday Dec. 6, 2025

from 12:00 to 4:00pm at the club house.

There are 14 crafters who will be displaying their crafts at the Clubhouse. Please all come and invite your family and friends to browse through all the displays, learn about the crafts and possibly pick up a nice unique gift for yourself or those you love. Any craft is welcome to show off or display to sell. We do have room for one more.

CALL: Kathy Sipes (406-314-1947) or Lynda Stockstad (541-219-6868)

Across

- 1. Bullets, for short
- 5. Constricting snakes
- 9. Juan's father
- 14. Roller coaster feature
- 15. Pretense
- 16. Endeavored
- 17. Put up with
- 19. Living quarters
- 20. Biblical mount
- 21. Wooden pin
- 23. Steel ingredient
- 24. Aired again
- 25. Road
- 27. Bangkok native
- 29. Cowboy's rope
- 33. ___ and see
- 37. Machu Picchu native
- 39. AM-FM ___
- 40. Side by side
- 42. Camper's lamp
- 44. Informal speech
- 45. Jungle animals
- 47. A cinch
- 48. Annoy
- 50. Reverberate

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- 52. Decorates
- 54. Gold measure
- 59. Campus gp.
- 62. Newsman ___ Rather
- 63. Elaborate
- 64. Scary
- 66. Pink flower
- 68. Breathing
- 69. Give off
- 70. ___ of Man
- 71. Actress Winona ___
- 72. Audition tape
- 73. Welshman

Down

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Communion table 2. Roger ___ (007 actor) 3. Back tooth 4. "Aida," for one 5. Annoying child 6. Ump's call 7. Free from germs 8. Hebrew feast 9. School group (abbr.) 10. Mediate 11. Fashion name 12. Decorate again 13. Adam's abode 18. Rave | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 22. Set 25. December visitor 26. Make money 28. That man's 30. Conception 31. Televises 32. Broadway award 33. Yellow jacket 34. Fit 35. Levin and Gershwin 36. Provisional 38. Guinness and Baldwin 41. Old 43. Fire remains | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 46. Author's pseudonym (2 wds.) 49. Singer ___ Stewart 51. Southern veggie 53. Sped 55. Caper 56. Rear 57. Lagoon's boundary 58. Principle 59. Fright 60. Bank (on) 61. Moistureless 63. Upon 65. Browning's "always" 67. Lip |
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The old things are still the best:
old jeans, old jokes, old tunes,
old movies...and old friends.



Puzzle Solution © OnlineCrosswords.net

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Find answers to riddles hidden in
the news letter.

What has to
be broken
before you
can use it?

Riddle:

I am not alive but I grow; I
don't have lungs, but I need
air; I don't have a mouth,
but water kills me. What am
I?



How do you get away with
things when you're old?
Call it a senior moment.



What happens as you
get older?
It gets late earlier.

Clubhouse Billiards

T,W,TH 10:30 AM - 1:30 PM

December 2025

Clubhouse Chair Yoga

M,W, F 9:30 - 10:30 AM

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat | |
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|  6 HOA Christmas Bazaar 12:00 - 4:00 PM | 1 Bowling 12:30 PM Tamami Keel | 2 Clubhouse Coffee- 9:30 AM Justin Smith | 3 | 4 Caregiver Support Group 10:30-11:30 AM | 5 | 6 HOA Christmas Bazaar 12:00 - 4:00 PM | |
| 7  Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day | 8 Bowling 12:30 PM Verna Harrington Darrell Hatch | 9 Justin Smith | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | |
| 14  Hanukkah Begins | 15 Bowling 12:30 PM | 16 Clubhouse Coffee- 9:30 AM | 17 | 18 Billie Jerolamon | 19 | 20 | |
| 21 BINGO 2:00 PM  WINTER SOLSTICE Ione Hunt | 22 Bowling 12:30 PM Liz Fowler Bob Lewis | 23 Pat Council | 24  Christmas Eve JC Smith | 25  Christmas Day | 26  Kwanzaa BEGINS | 27  | |
| 28 | 29 Bowling 12:30 PM | 30 Clubhouse Coffee- 9:30 AM | 31  New Year's Eve | <i>"Maybe Christmas, he thought, doesn't come from a store. Maybe Christmas... perhaps...means a little bit more." ~Dr. Suess from 'How the Grinch Stole Christmas'</i>  | | |  |