

The Daily Insider

Southern Washington Edition

Nonprofit Resource Center opens in Vancouver Community Library Thursday

Until the Nonprofit Resource Center in the Vancouver Community Library opens Thursday, July 10, those in southwest Washington seeking information on grants and researching nonprofit organization resource topics have to go to the Multnomah County.

The Community Foundation for Southwest Washington, and the Fort Vancouver Regional Library and its foundation, have changed that.

A section in the Vancouver Library at 1007 E. Mill Plain Boulevard has been set aside for the Nonprofit Resource Center. In addition to a reference collection of books and periodicals, the center includes two dedicated computers for further research.

Thousands involved in Clark Public Utilities' Salmon in the Classroom education program

More than 10,000 students, parents and teachers participated in Clark Public Utilities' "Salmon in the Classroom" programs in the past year, according to **Dean Sutherland**, the utility's senior manager of communications and community relations.

The Salmon in the Classroom program grew out of a 1996 utility project of raising salmon and steelhead in pens at Kline Pond on Salmon Creek, and then releasing them to populate the stream and provide for kids' fishing derbies.

The program now aimed at 4th and 5th graders has grown to one that provides 45 aquariums in classrooms, salmon hatching egg boxes for other classrooms, continued raising of fish and stocking Salmon Creek, and kids' fish derbies at three locations.

Part of its community outreach, the utility has developed a partnership with the Columbia Springs Environmental Education Center, the state Department of Fish and Wildlife, SWIFT, local Rotary and Kiwanis Clubs, and citizens.

Sutherland said that 160,000 steelhead have been reared and released into Salmon Creek in the past eight years and that 70,000 coho salmon are hatched and released annually into Salmon and Whipple Creeks.

135th Clark County Fair approaches, national anthem singers announced

Allan, of Vancouver, will sing the national anthem at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 1, opening day Clark County Fair grandstand performance headlined by **Grand Funk Railroad**.

Allan was one of 60 persons who auditioned to sing the "Star Spangled Banner" and one of 14 selected to open grandstand performances at the ten-day event known as "Summer's Best Party." **Random Order**, Vancouver, opens the 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 2, performance by **Phil Vassar**. **Northwest Edition**, Vancouver, opens the 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 3, show headlined by **Gary Allan**. **Megan Lowery**, Vancouver, opens the 7:30 p.m. Monday, Aug. 4, show featuring **Trick Pony**. **Bob Walker**,

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Vancouver, opens the 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 5, show, **George Thorogood and The Destroyers**. **The Rainy Knights**, Portland, open at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 6, for **Hall & Oats**. **Renee Brinkmeyer**, Vancouver, opens the 2 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 7, show: **Extreme Motorcycles** and **Mini Warriors & Quad Wars**. **Linda Philips**, Vancouver, opens the 7:30 p.m. show on the same day for the same group. **Stacy Hogan**, Vancouver, opens the 2 p.m. Friday, Aug. 8, **Mutton Bustin'** event. **Diana Benjamin**, Woodland, opens the 7:30 p.m. Friday show for **Mutton Bustin'** and **NW Bull Riding**. **Nancy Huerena**, Vancouver, opens the 2 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 9, demolition derby. **Sisters-N-Song**, Vancouver, open for the 7:30 p.m. demolition derby. **Dustin Lowery**, Battle Ground, opens the 2 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 10, **Monster Trucks/Tuff Trucks** event. **Danielle Garrett**, Vancouver, opens for the final **Monster Trucks/Tuff Trucks** show at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 10.

News briefs

Clark County commissioners, meeting in an informal session at 2 p.m. Tuesday, are expected to continue their discussion of alternatives for the proposed update of the county comprehensive plan. No action will be taken. ~~Free~~ Free movies at Regal Cinema in Hazel Dell: 10 a.m. Wednesday, July 9, *Stuart Little 2*. ~~A~~ A dramatic rise in mail thefts in Clark County in general, and in Felida in particular, has prompted the following advice from the Clark County Sheriff's office: Take outgoing mail to blue postal boxes or the post office. Retrieve incoming mail as quickly as possible. Pick up blank checks from the bank rather than have them mailed.

Tuesday on the air

Clark County Close Up—6:30 p.m. CVTV
Vancouver Planning Commission (live)—7 p.m. CVTV
Baltimore at Seattle Mariners (live)—7 p.m. FSN, KOTK
Tacoma at Portland Beavers (live)—7 p.m. KKAD

Stocks of local interest at 4 p.m. EDT Tuesday, July 8, 2003

Alaska Air Group	21.96	-.42	Linear Technology	36.14	+.59
Alcoa	25.81	+1.0	Microsoft	27.70	+.28
Amazon.com	40.51	+1.46	Nautilus	12.61	+.19
Bank of America	81.48	+.58	Nike	53.71	-.17
Bank of Clark County	15.60	unch	Nordstrom	20.46	+.54
Bemis	45.91	-2.66	PepsiCo	45.12	+.75
Boeing	34.99	-.02	Precision Cast	32.63	+.47
Boise Cascade	24.66	-.03	RLRN	21.71	+.14
CenturyTel	35.30	+.06	Starbucks	27.32	+.04
Costco	36.89	-.11	TSM	10.47	-.58
Expeditors Intl.	37.03	+1.19	Tektronix	22.31	+.10
Georgia Pacific	20.72	+.66	US Bancorp	24.92	+.05
HPQ	22.11	+.06	Wash. Mutual	42.04	-.22
Intel	23.15	+.24	W. Coast Bancorp	18.70	+.11
Kyocera	67.00	-.80	Weyerhaeuser	53.72	-.75

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Town Tabloids and The Weather

Jim Olichweir dispensing on Wednesday mornings. Diana Cochran rallying the troops. Randy Sherman nearly announcing for governor on the Democratic ticket. Carol Curtis offering advice. Tuesday , cloudy, possible light precipitation, sunbreaks, 74. Wednesday , some clouds remain, a little more sun, 76. Thursday sunny and hot, 86.	Acapulco 90/77 Athens 84/66 Chicago 82/65 Dallas 90/75 Hong Kong 91/79 Los Angeles 86/64 London 68/55 New Orleans 90/75 New York 96/76 Orlando 93/74 Paris 74/55 Phoenix 110/85 Rome 85/65 Seattle 67/53 Sydney 64/46 Tokyo 80/67 Washington 97/77
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