

MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Richard Meyers, City Manager

SUBJECT: Friday Update

DATE: October 18, 2019

Lane County Public Health Clean Air Meeting

Lane County Public Health is considering a countywide indoor clean air policy and they want your input. There will be a meeting on Tuesday, October 22nd from 5:30 to 6:30 pm in the Community Room at the PeaceHealth Cottage Grove Community Medical Center located at 1515 Village Drive where information will be provided and you can share your opinion. For more information see the attached flyer.

Model Railroad Show

The largest model railroad train show will be in Cottage Grove next week at the Armory. The admission is free admission and the hours are:

- Friday – October 25th – 10:00 am to 8:00 pm
- Saturday – October 26th - 10:00 am to 5:00 pm
- Sunday – October 27th - 10:00 am to 4:00 pm

Development Code Audit Open House

Tuesday, October 22nd from 5:30 to 7:00 pm at the Community Center, join the Development Code Audit Committee and City Staff for an Open House discussion of proposed changes to the City's Development Code. Proposed changes include allowed density, lot dimensions, lot coverage and allowed uses. Staff will be on hand to answer your questions, listen to your concerns and to explain the next steps in the process. If you are not able to attend there will be additional open houses held in the coming weeks and further information can be found on the City's website.

Tribal Conference

City of Cottage Grove Library Services Director, Pete Barrell, received a scholarship to attend the Association of Tribal Archives, Libraries, and Museums (ATALM) Annual Conference held at Luiseno Indian property in California. This conference brought together over 1000 Library, Museum and Cultural Center professionals from around the nation and the world for three days of events and conference sessions, focused on fostering, promoting, and sharing Indigenous Culture in our communities. Pete made some interesting connections and brought back some great programming, special event and collection ideas for our Library. A partner and major funder of ATALM is the Institute of Museum and Library Services, a federal agency. It is their visionary support that helps ensure the unique history, culture, language and lifeways of indigenous peoples will be here for generations to come.

Cottage Grove Library Things Happening This Week

Friday – October 18th from 4:00 to 5:30 pm - Anime for Teens. Teens are encouraged to drop by to make smoothies and to view, draw, create, and enjoy Japanese inspired Anime.

Saturday – October 19th – 10:00 to 12:00 pm - Drop-In Tech Help for all ages. Bring your smart-phone, tablet or laptop or use one of our public computers and get informal tech help from Library staff and volunteers.

Saturday – October 19th – 1:00 to 3:00 pm - Bring your crafty project to work on at the Library while you socialize with other Crafty People.

Monday – October 21st – 6:00 to 7:00 pm - The Great America Read Book Club, a drop-in book club for adults. This week the group will be discussing the book *The Gentleman from Moscow*. Please join in the discussion, even if you have not yet read the book.

Monday – October 21st – 6:30 to 8:00 pm - Bilingual Family Fun. Join us for a fun evening of stories, crafts, music, song and good times for families with children. This is a great fun evening where folks can learn a little Spanish and learn a little English in a fun welcoming environment.

Tuesday – October 22nd – 5:00 to 6:00 pm - Teen Hang Out. Teens should drop by on Tuesday to meet up with friends and to make new ones. You can do some crafts, socialize, and check out some new books or movies while you're here. Bring a friend and join us soon.

Thursday – October 24th - 9:00 – 10:00 am - Ukulele Morning Jam. Drop by with your Ukulele or borrow one from the Library and join in the fun with new and old friends at Ukulele Morning Jam.

Halloween Howl

Don't forget to check out the Halloween Howl Trick or Treat on Main Street this Halloween. Family fun festivities will be held on Thursday, October 31st from 3:00 to 5:00 pm. You are all in for a good scare and remember to bring your family and friends.

Quote of the Week

“Life isn't about finding yourself, it's about creating yourself.”

~George Bernard Shaw~