

Condon Chamber of Commerce

June Meeting Agenda

I. Call to order

- a) The Meeting was called to order at 8:30 am by Vice President Pat Reilley

II. Welcome & Introductions

- a) Members Present: Pat Reilley, Vice President; Delaney Watkins, Jessica Barnett, Vicki Ackerman Board of Directors; K'Lynn Lane, Executive Director, John Anderson, Lori Anderson, Max Klare, Jeff & Crystal Martinez, Rod McGuire, Julius Courtney, Betsy Korb, Thomas Rhomer, Mary Dyer, Mac Stinchfield, Sue & Kim Logan, Darla Seale.

III. Approve May Meeting Minutes

- a) Lori moved to approve the May meeting minutes; John seconded all in favor none opposed.

IV. Treasurers Report/Staff Report-K'Lynn Lane

- a) Delaney reported that we still have approximately \$50,000 available in our special projects/capital improvement fund.
- b) Staff Report
 - i) Phone Calls: 62 Visitors: 83 Referrals: 37 Member Assists: 24 Website Visits May: 1776
 - ii) New Members-201 Proud Members
 - (1) Columbia River Affordable Portables
 - (2) Doug & Jean Wilson
 - (3) Hardie Ranches LLC
 - (4) Fossil Motel & RV Park
 - iii) Condon Scholarship Foundation -\$250 Chamber of Commerce Sponsored Scholarships winning scholarships were written by Alyssa Carnine & Morgan Jamieson.

V. Business

- a) Bicycle Rides NW Event
 - i) What to expect on June 22nd & 29th
 - (1) Nearly 165 bicyclists and support staff of 40 to arrive on Saturday June 22nd. Camping on the Football field/parking at the south end of the lot.
 - (a) Please fly an American Flag at your business and welcome those who stop in with love & hospitality!
 - (2) June 29 – Opportunity to run Pop-Up Popsicle Stand at Lyda's
 - (a) We have a wonderful opportunity for your group or organization to hand out Popsicles to the riders as they complete the last stretch of the ride from Clem to Condon. If you are interested in helping or being part of this event, please let us know as soon as possible.

b) Travel Oregon Bike Friendly Business & Information

- i) We encourage all our Main Street Business Members to consider becoming bike friendly. More information can be found at Industry.TravelOregon.com/BFB

c) WM Fund-Project Updates

i) Benches

- (1) The new Historic Main Street Bench project is complete! Contribute to this project for \$50 and get your family or business name printed on a plaque that will be displayed for years to come.

Historic Main Street Bench Project - Final Budget			
Projected Cost- \$6,000.00	Expenses	Income	In Kind
Main Street Bench Project Est. Cost			
Steel	\$2,670.90		
Construction 6 Benches @ \$600.00	\$ 3,600.00		
Powder Coting	\$ 2,076.00		
Donation-Rena Kennedy		\$ 1,500.00	
Donation Time-Dewey Kennedy: 8 Hours			\$ 120.00
Fuel Donation/Powder Coating @ 248 Miles			\$ 147.00
Painting on Bench Jonna Ratray			\$ 40.00
City of Condon Contribution		\$ 3,000.00	
Meals for Traveling Days	\$ 32.00		
Waste Management		\$ 3,000.00	
Totals	\$8,378.90	\$ 7,500.00	\$ 307.00
Difference	\$878.90		

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ii) Cottonwood Canyon State Park

- (1) A kiosk panel was placed in the Visitors Center at Cottonwood Canyon State Park

iii) Mtn. Identifier

- (1) Stay tuned for more information. Demolition to begin soon!

- (a) New signage has been installed by ODOT

iv) Bike Racks

- (1) Locations have been approved by the City Council for the Gilliam County Public Library and Murray's Condon Pharmacy (pad where bench was placed).

v) Pauling Field

- (1) New signage is being created for Pauling Field we are in contact with the State Aviation department and are looking at funding options.

d) Fabulous Fourth of July

i) Thank you Gary Gruner for sponsoring the Golf Course for the Dave Barnett Memorial Golf Tournament

ii) Donation/Raffle – Please drop off your donations as soon as possible! Great advertising opportunity.

- (1) So far 24 items have been donated and nearly \$900 in cash donations

- (2) A Fire Dancer will perform during the intermission of the concert.

- (a) Cost \$200

iii) Breakfast-Volunteer opportunities

- (1) We have volunteer slots available and needing to be filled – 2-time frames

- (i) Ticket sales, pancake flippers, breakfast servers, garbage runner

- (b) 7:30-9:00 (4 volunteers needed)

- (c) 9:00-10:30 (4 volunteers needed)

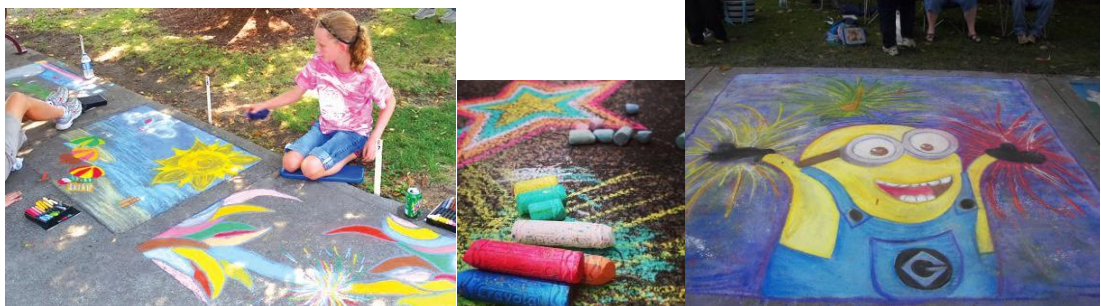
iv) Parade-Consider participating

v) Tricycle Race-sponsored by Sage & Stone Spa

- (1) Help needed with registration – Filled by John & Marilee Anderson

- (2) Sidewalk Chalk art – this event will be available up and down main street. Sidewalk Chalk will be set out all around town. Fill your square! Winners will be chosen after the event.

(a)



e) CHS Alumni Weekend-August 2nd & 3rd

i) Fun Run/Golf Tournament

(1) Tabled until 2020

f) AirMed Care Network Presentation-Crystal Martinez

i) Jeff & Crystal Martinez of AirMedCare Network invite you to be part of something big! When you join AirMedCare Network now through July 4th, you'll do more than just keep your family protected. Your membership will help Veterans through our national partnership with Homes For Our Troops. A charity that builds and donates specially adapted custom homes for severely injured Veterans, to re-build their lives. AMCN is proud to partner with Homes For Our Troops and has pledged to donate \$2 for every new membership, up to \$100,000. For more information or to sign up today contact Jeff Martinez at 541-241-4772 or Jeff.Martinez@airmedcarenetwork.com.

VI. Correspondence

a) Gilliam County Historical Society Spring Newsletter

b) Columbia Basin High School Rodeo Club-Sponsorship Opportunity

Columbia Basin High School Rodeo Club

Members of the Oregon High School Rodeo Association (OHSRA) from Gilliam, Sherman, Wasco, and Wheeler counties make up the Columbia Basin High School Rodeo Club. These young people work very hard with the following goals in mind:

- To promote the positive image of rodeo.
- To preserve the Western Heritage.
- To promote the humane treatment of all animals
- To develop sportsmanship, horsemanship, and character in the youth of Oregon.
- To assist contestants in attaining their individual goals.
- To build self-confidence and leadership skills.

OHSRA sanctioned rodeos offer events in Bull Riding, Steer Wrestling, Saddle Bronc Riding, Team Roping, Breakaway Roping, Bareback Riding, Pole Bending, Barrel Racing, Tie-down Roping, Goat Tying and Cutting.

The Columbia Basin High School Rodeo Club is hosting one of the first Oregon High School Rodeo of the season on **September 1st & 2nd** in conjunction with the Gilliam County Fair. This event has been the focal point of the Fair since 1988. The estimated cost of promoting and producing this rodeo is around 27,000. Although we receive a portion of our income from contestant entries, we rely mainly on corporate and individual sponsors to support our rodeo and club.

This information is provided to you in hopes that it will inspire you to lend your financial support. Your help is encouraged to enable this club to continue to provide opportunities for our youth.

The Columbia Basin High School Rodeo Club thanks you for taking the time to consider our sponsor program. We look forward to hearing from you and would be honored to have you as a sponsor of our 2019/2020 rodeo year.

Columbia Basin High School Rodeo Club
C/o Bonnie Johnson, PO Box 364, Condon, OR, 97823, Ph#541-968-7328
Non-Profit Organization. W-9 forms available upon request.

**Columbia Basin High School Rodeo Club
2019 Business Sponsor Program**

The Columbia Basin High School Rodeo Club will provide you or your business with the following benefits for your support of the Columbia Basin High School Rodeo Club. Don't miss this advertising opportunity and the chance to let everyone know that you are supporting our rodeo, club and contributing directly to the youth of our community.

Sponsor options to consider:

\$500.00 Rodeo Sponsor: Company name recognition by rodeo announcer during the rodeo. Company banner or sign displayed on a rough-stock chute or in arena in a prominent place for maximum exposure. You may present an award to the winner at our rodeo. Company name listed on the cover of the rodeo program as a rodeo sponsor.

250.00 Banner Sponsor: Company name recognition by rodeo announcer during the rodeo. Company banner or sign displayed on a rough-stock chute or in arena in a prominent place for maximum exposure. Name listed on inside cover of the rodeo program as a banner sponsor.

125.00 Award Sponsor: Company name recognition by rodeo announcer during the rodeo. You may present event award to the winner at our rodeo. Name listed with award in rodeo program.

75.00 Event Co-Sponsor: Name listed in rodeo program with event and company name recognition given by rodeo announcer during rodeo event.

50.00 Top Hand Sponsor: Name listed in rodeo program.

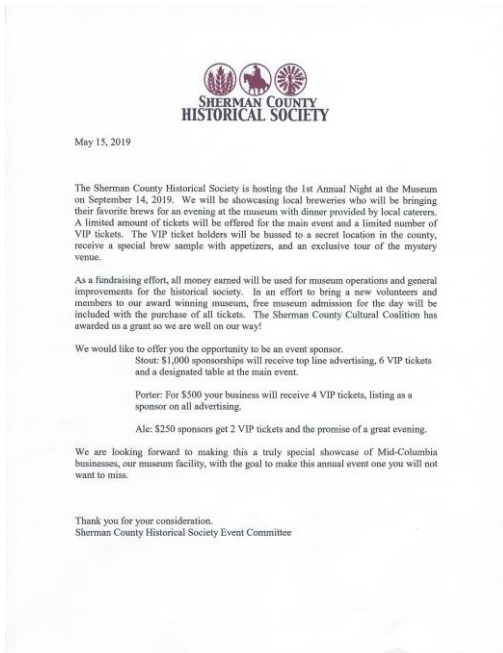
25.00 Club Sponsor: Name listed in rodeo program

Yes, I would like to support the Columbia Basin High School Rodeo Club with a donation of \$_____. Last year you donated: _____, hope you can this year.

Contact Name: _____
Company Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____
Please remit to: Columbia Basin High School Rodeo Club
C/o Bonnie Johnson, PO Box 364, Condon, Oregon 97823
541-968-7328

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ii) Sherman County Historical Society Sponsorship opportunity – 1st Annual Night at the Museum



VII. Member Announcements

- a) Condon Child Care now offering Free Lunch program for kids 1-18 years of age. Community members can eat for just \$5
- b) Young Life would like to thank the community for their support of the Benefit Concert/desert auction. Over \$4,000 was earned and will support several students to attend camp at the Washington Family Ranch.
- c) As of July 1st please stop into the Times Journal and meet the new owners Steve & Renee Allen.
- d) Columbia Basin Electric hopes to be able to offer high speed broadband internet to customers in Fossil by the end of the year. The strategic plan is to be able to offer reasonable priced fiber to all customers.
- e) Job opening at the Historic Hotel Condon-Inquire within. Looking for trustworthy and dependable person to work part time.
- f) 5th Annual Octoberfest will be on October 19th in Arlington, Oregon.
- g) Condon Child Care Fundraising/Firework Sales



- i)
- ii) Harvesters Classic Softball Tournament June 29/30th
 - (1) Come show your support. Concessions by Condon Child Care
 - (2) Home Run Derby June 28th – Hometown Home Run Derby
 - (3) Home Run Derby June 29th – Tournament Competitors

VIII. Upcoming Events

- a) Artisans Market & Summer Concert in the Park-June 22nd
 - i) Artisans Market 4-7 PM ~ Concert 7-10 PM/Bicycle Rides Northwest June 22th-June 29th
- b) Harvesters Classic Softball Tournament June 29th-June 30th
 - i) Home Run Derby June 28th & 29th
- c) Condon's Fabulous Fourth of July "All Roads Lead Home" July 4th
 - i) Artisans Market 4-7 PM Concert 7-10 PM Fireworks 10 PM
- d) Fossil Blue Grass Festival/Fossil Cruz-In Car Show July 5/6/7
- e) Dave Barnett Memorial Golf Tournament July 6th-10 AM
- f) Four-Wheeler Rodeo July 6th – 12 PM
- g) 3 on 3 basketball Tournament Arlington Oregon July 27th
- h) VIDEO VLOG Contest-Arlington, Oregon entries must be submitted by July 31st
- i) Artisans Market & Concert in the Park August 2nd
 - i) CHS All Class Reunion & Mayville Reunion August 3rd
- j) Gilliam County Fair – August 29-September 2nd

IX. Adjournment Meeting adjourned at 9:17– Next Meeting July 11, 2019 – 8:30 AM