NEWS from the



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SILETZ VALLEY FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

Basket Drawing Fundraiser Sept. 9th! Raising Funds to Re-Surface the Library Parking Lot

7 Dazzling Baskets: \$5 donation per ticket

Have you seen the enticing new baskets of goodies at our library? Most are worth \$200 or more (see details below and on pages 4 and 5). Tickets for the drawings (\$5 each ticket) can be purchased at the Siletz Public Library or from Siletz Valley Friends of the Library Board members.

Tickets are on sale until the drawing at 2:30 pm on Saturday, September 9th. Each basket will have a separate drawing so be sure to put the Basket # on the ticket with your name and phone number. You can buy more than one ticket for one or several baskets.

Book and Bake Sale on September 9th

Siletz Valley Friends of the Library will have canopies along the main street beside the library during the Siletz Community Garage Sale. Sales will feature rummage items, baked goods and refreshing lemonade. Books galore will be available at the east entry of the library.

Sale will start at 10:00 am and end at 2:00 pm.

The drawing follows the SVFOL Book and Bake sale being held during the Siletz Community Garage Sale sponsored by the Siletz Valley Grange.

We are working hard to raise funds for the library parking area that needs re-sealing. Try your luck and thanks for your ongoing support.

Basket #1 "Go GREEN"

Our "Go GREEN" basket includes:

- \$100 gift certificate from Oceana Co-Op
- Books: Salad of the Day; Chop Sizzle & Stir
- Cleaning caddy
- Mrs. Meyer's & Seventh Generation products
- donald carlson glass pumpkin
- Gratitude journal
- Notebook, pouch and pen
- Cuisinart kale & herb stripper
- Aussie budgerigar tea-towel
- "Locally Grown" hand sewn pillow by karen carlson
- Hand made cards by Sue Eatherly
- Value: \$275 (continued on Page 4)



Basket #1, "Go GREEN"



Ehern Biggar, CIB employee, final touches

Library's Exterior Gets a Thorough Cleaning by CIB Construction Crew

Siletz Valley Friends of the Library jumped at the chance to hire CIB Construction during a tiny break between construction jobs in order to get our Siletz Public Library ready for fall and winter.

CIB was hired to gently power wash the exterior, clean and treat the roof including moss removal, clean the gutters, power wash the cement patios and sidewalks, and do touch-up painting around the new exterior light fixtures which were smaller than the original light fixtures.

CIB left everything spiffy clean with a final polishing of the windows.

SVFOL footed the entire \$4,172 bill since we had no time to wait for a grant.

Thank you, Cody and crew, for a splendid job!



Jim Buisman

2 Local Veterans Honored with OCQG Veteran's Quilts

Jim Buisman and Jerry Marzan were each presented with a unique American graphic quilt at the Oregon Coastal Quilters Guild quilt show held in Newport on August 4th and 5th. The quilts were gifted to these veterans for their service to our country.

Jim is a board member of SVFOL. Jerry is an enrolled Siletz Tribal

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member.

Photos courtesy of Betty Wilson



Jerry Marzan

SVFOL received a generous donation toward landscape maintenance of our Siletz Public Library. They wish to remain anonymous but we want our readers to know how much we appreciate their continued support!

National Night Out in Siletz

National Night Out on August 1st was a beehive of activity. At our SVFOL library booth, kids blew, popped and even chased giant bubbles as the bubbles took on a life of their own. Adults and kids enjoyed free popsicles, rock painting, and bottles of bubble solution to take home.

The evening was shared with Siletz City Hall, VFW, Siletz Parks and Rec, the Fire Department and the Sheriff's office. Games were played and there were smiles galore as all were encouraged to join in.



Nova Kilgore deciding on a popsicle flavor



Sally
Jennings
handed
out free
popsicles
and bottles
of bubble
solution

Photos and story courtesy of karen carlson



Jackson (center) and James Howard created awesome bubbles!



Nova and Kenzington Kilgore enjoyed the free popsicles provided by Siletz Valley Friends of the Library

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Basket #2 "Pets"

Our "Pets" basket includes:

- \$100 voucher from Waves & Shaves Mobile Dog Grooming
- Floatable dog toys
- Aspen pet bed
- Lint roller and coat care brush
- Pillow
- Crunch biscuits & pumpkin biscuits
- Mini material toy box & pet toys
- 2 turquoise pet bowls
- Flexible chew treat & litter bags
- Stain odor remover
- Earthbath conditioning shampoo
- Value: \$265





Basket #3 "Needle & Thread"

Our "Needle & Thread" basket includes:

- Hand made cards by Sue Eatherly
- Thanksgiving & Christmas table runners
 & coasters by Audrey Casper
- Small hand made catch-all basket & 2 glasses or iPhone holders & 20" pillow by Karen Carlson
- Three pocket purse & silk velvet scarf by Sally Jennings
- Scissors, pins, needles, buttons & assorted materials
- Value: \$200

Basket #4 "Seascapes"

Our "Seascapes" basket includes:

- Seascapes book
- Lemonade
- Carlson art glass tumblers
- Crackers
- Kalamata olives
- Dolphin tray
- Nautical plant holder
- \$20 gift certificate from Grocery Outlet
- Value: \$100 (Continued on Page 5)





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Basket #5 "Coffee Lover's Basket"

Our "Coffee Lover's" basket includes:

- 3 pounds Fresh Organic Fair Trade Coffee Micro Roasted at Old River Coffee Roaster Co. (Will grind if requested.)
- 2 Chittum Springs Stoneware mugs
- Coffee Lovers Cookbook
- Stoneware coffee filter holder & filters
- 3 Coffee-themed greeting cards handcrafted by Sue Eatherly
- Trader Joe's Dark Chocolate Covered Espresso beans; Kopika Coffee Candy; Nudge Caramel Macchiato Coffee Bombs; Bali's Best Coffee Candy; Nudge Columbian Reserve Coffee Bar: 2 Theo Coffee Toffee Dark Chocolate Bars
- Value: \$200

Basket #6 "Assorted Books"

Our "Assorted Books" basket includes:

- A Shell is Cozy by Dianna Hutts Aston
- Woo Hoo! You're Doing Great! By Sandra Boynton
- Time for Bed by Mem Fox
- The Wind in the Willows by Kenneth Grahame
- The 1619 Project: Born on the Water by Nikole Hannah-Jones
- Bread and Jam for Frances by Russell Hoban
- The Smart Cookie by Jory John & Pete Oswald
- We are Water Protectors by Carole Lindstrom
- The Monster at the End of This Book by Jon Stone
- Blacksmith's Song by Elizabeth Van Steenwyk
- The Tenth Good Thing about Barney by Judith Viorst
- Tuesday by David Weisner
- Value: \$162.31





Basket #7 "Wine & Treats"

Our "Wine & Treats" basket includes:

- 6 bottles of various wines
- Maple bacon spread
- Lemon olive oil
- Cutting board with spreaders
- Hand made note cards
- Wine glasses
- Candies & chocolates; pretzels
- Cookies; candy corn; hazelnuts
- Value: \$215



What's Happening at the Library?

Carol Rasmussen Schramm, Library Manager

Our Siletz Summer Reading Program (Find Your Voice!) was a resounding success. Lincoln County Library District provided the funding. Our library presented eight fun and educational programs that encouraged children to continue reading during their summer break. Programs included a big bubble show, storytellers, movies, a mask making workshop, and educational activities and wrapped up with a talent show and ice cream social. Around 50 children signed up but quite a few more attended the programs.

The Siletz Valley School's free summer lunch program for students, set up outside the library, worked out well for families who were visiting the library and attending programs like Story Time or Summer Reading Program: First, a tasty lunch and then some library time!

Story Time continued through the summer. Ms. Teena presented some wonderful sessions – we had pirates, puppets, singers, and much, much more! We will be taking a short break during September while Ms. Teena recharges her batteries.

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The library is OPEN

Tuesday-Friday from 10-5 and Saturday from 10-4

The library continues to offer the **Aquarium Cultural Pass** to library card holders (in good standing). You can learn the details at the library or at:

https://www.siletzpubliclibrary.org/cultural-pass.

Getting a Library Card is easy! You can download a library card application from our website or pick one up from the library. Please bring your picture ID and a piece of mail for proof of your mailing address.

You can find details on current events, programs, and story times at the library by visiting our website:

https://www.siletzpubliclibrary.org/

or our Facebook page:

https://www.facebook.com/SiletzPublicLibrary



Siletz Public Library

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Curbside Service is Available

Tuesdays: 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM Wednesdays: 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM Thursdays: 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM Fridays: 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM Saturdays: 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Closed: Sunday & Monday



SVFOL Board Meetings

SVFOL members and members of the general public are welcome to attend our Board meetings. The next Board meeting is scheduled for Thursday, September 21st, 2023, 5:30 to 6:30 PM. Meetings are held at the Library. Call Sally Jennings for information: 541-444-2687.