

Deadwood DITTO

2013 August



COMMUNITY CALENDAR

AUGUST

- 04--Boyd Upchurch's Celebration of Life 3pm
@ Deadwood Community Center
- 08--Mapleton Food Box 11am-3pm
@ West of SV Bank on Highway 126
- 11--Lion's Club Breakfast 7:30-10:30am
@ Mapleton Lion's Club
- 15--DNW Members Meeting 6:30pm
@ Deadwood Community Center
- 16--Triangle Food Box 11am-3pm
@ Triangle Grange
- 16/17/18--Annual Rock Creek Reunion Party
@ Rock Creek ~ See Info Inside
- 24--Mapleton Food Box 11am-3pm
@ West of SV Bank on Highway 126
- 26--DITTO DEADLINE
- 28--SWC General Meeting 6:30-8:30pm
@ Mapleton Grange

UPCOMING

- SEPT 14--Vicky Wade Tea Party
In Memoriam 1-4pm
@ Triangle Grange

ONGOING

- Mondays--Al-Anon Meetings 6:30pm
Call for location and/or info 964-3038
- Mondays--Yoga Class 5pm
@ Deadwood Community Center

FARMERS MARKET

Every Sunday 10-2pm
@ Deadwood Country Market

Many of you know that Richie and I have spent the past 10 months working with 5 other county residents on a food rights initiative. We are still buzzing with excitement over our filing of the Local Food System Ordinance of Lane County on July 10th. The ordinance seeks to recognize our rights to grow and distribute food free from GMO contamination and to save and share seed free from patents. It will elevate community rights above corporate power and privilege.

It has become increasingly clear that government - federal and state - are invested in protecting the corporate agribusiness industry in their pursuit to dominate food production via unsustainable agriculture over protecting people, communities and nature.

This ordinance is about reprogramming local government in order to ensure a healthy future for our local food system.

We've worked too hard here in Lane County to build a viable, local food system to allow these corporate assaults to continue.

As you may have read or heard in the last few days, the Lane County Clerk made a determination and in her opinion the ordinance doesn't meet the single subject test. The decision was not a surprise and we see it merely as a hurdle in the process.

We are currently in discussions with the County Attorney to show her why the ordinance is well within the single issue requirements. If the County's opinion is not reversed, we are prepared to appeal the decision to the Circuit Court.

As our attorney Ann Kneeland stated, "Without all of the provisions in the ordinance - protecting nature's rights and rejecting state and corporate powers when they undermine our rights - the local community will not have the power to protect local food sources."

Please check out our websites: <http://localfoodrights.com> <http://communityrightslanecounty.org> to learn more.

We encourage you to write letters of support to the editor. Keeping the issue in the public forum will help tremendously.

Letters to the Editor

Siuslaw News: editor@thesiuslawnews.com

Register Guard: rgletters@registerguard.com

Eugene Weekly: letters@eugeneweekly.com

The campaign roles on and we invite you to join in building the infrastructure needed to put the Local Food Systems Ordinance on the May 2014 ballot.

Thanks for your continued support. We can make this happen...together!

Respect,

Michelle



*Boyd Upchurch Celebration of Life
Sunday, August 4th, 3:00 P.M.
Deadwood Community Center
Share our Stories*



Update:

Grant Sexton was apprehended by local authorities, and is serving time.

No further incidents were reported in July.

Next meeting for DNW members is August 15, at 6:30 p.m. at the community center.

To report incidents, call Maryanne (3099) or Marina (3497).

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Paraprosdokians are figures of speech in which the latter part of a sentence or phrase is surprising or unexpected; frequently humorous. Winston Churchill loved them.

1. Where there's a will, I want to be in it..
2. The last thing I want to do is hurt you, but it's still on my list.
3. Since light travels faster than sound, some people appear bright until you hear them speak.
4. If I agreed with you, we'd both be wrong.
5. We never really grow up, we only learn how to act in public.
6. War does not determine who is right - only who is left.
7. Knowledge is knowing a tomato is a fruit; wisdom is not putting it in a fruit salad.
8. To steal ideas from one person is plagiarism; to steal from many is research.
9. I didn't say it was your fault; I said I was blaming you.
10. In filling out an application, where it says, 'In case of emergency, Notify:' I put 'DOCTOR'.
11. Women will never be equal to men until they can walk down the street with a bald head and a beer gut, and still think they are sexy.

12. You do not need a parachute to skydive; you only need a parachute to skydive twice.

13. I used to be indecisive, but now I'm not so sure.

14. To be sure of hitting the target, shoot first and call whatever you hit the target.

15. Going to church doesn't make you a Christian any more than standing in a garage makes you a car.

16. You're never too old to learn something stupid.

17. I'm supposed to respect my elders, but its getting harder and harder for me to find one now.

SHALOM

(Sharing Hands and Light of Mapleton)
Riverview Rd., Mapleton

Open Wednesday Only
10:00am - 4:00pm

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO KEEP IT OPEN
MORE DAYS AND HOURS
Contact Mirena @ 541-991-0197

NOTICE:

We now have a **new** Register Guard delivery person. Her name is..... Linda Miller, a former Deadwood resident. If you have any problems or questions, you can contact her @ 541-268-4355.

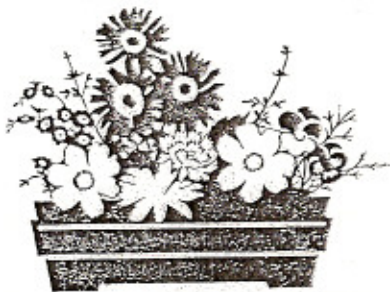
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Fri/Sat/Sun.....3.50 weekly
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Submitted by Caty G., ASC

For 3000 years, until 1883, hemp was the world's largest agricultural crop, from which the majority of fabric, soap, paper, medicines, and oils were produced.



Tales From the Tunnel

By Mark
the Un-Paper Guy

"Flowers seem intended
for the solace of
ordinary humanity"
John Ruskin

That's right, the un-paper guy. I am no longer the Crusader for Journalism in this dark and lonely tunnel for I have received a meager pension from the Veterans Administration. Gad Zooks and Yabba Dabba Do! No longer do I have to slosh up and down this valley in sometimes horrible weather conditions. No longer do I have to deal with rock slides, black ice, snow, debris, downed timber, and huge wild beasts leaping out in front of me. No longer will I have to explain to complaining customers that the storm last night dropped 13 trees on Hwy 36 alone, let alone the side roads. Yet they still complain. Hey you know who you are! I am not going to miss that stuff.

I will miss the splendors of Mother Nature. I will be talking about this job the rest of my life. I have plenty more stories for all of you and will continue to contribute each month. My plea to all of you in this valley is to try contributing some stories of your own. You all have interesting things you've done and seen. And you don't have to be a professional writer to do it. I sit in front of the TV and just jot down things I think of. I then kind of piece it together in sentences. I can't type so I submit chicken scratched stories, lots of misspelled words, and incomplete sentences. From there someone works their magic and turns it into a good read. It's fun, rewarding and I've met folks I probably never would have met before. Try it, you may like it!

So the Bucket List begins. This coming week I'm going to a couple Phish shows at the Gorge in Washington State. This fall I'm booked for a Yak roundup on a Mongolian Dude Ranch and this spring, as the heavy snows give way to lush and verdant alpine meadows in a remote valley in the Swiss Alps, I begin my yodeling lessons. Been wanting to do that since I was a kid! Time to smell the roses.



<p>Deadwood Country Market</p> <p>Open Hours: Tuesday thru Saturday 8:00am - 8:00pm Sunday & Monday 8:00am - 6:00pm</p>

- The ears of a cricket are located on the front legs, just below the knee.

Hello all, we have finally secured a date, place and time for Vicky's memorial.

It will be at the Grange on the 14th day of September from 1 to 4 pm. Vicky wanted to have a Tea so we will in her honor. If you would like to bring finger food or a salad, no hot food please, and any pictures that you would like to share with all who come.

There will not be a service just sitting, standing around and sharing stories of her. The grange will furnish the drinks, and I will get a cake or two, german chocolate, right sisters?

Chatted Elaina on facebook, she is coming and will bring Vicky to her tea. Any questions please feel free to email me.

I will be putting the notice in the Fernridge paper but word of mouth goes a long way too.

See you at next food box and at the memorial.

The notice will be going out in the Deadwood Ditto, also. Will put up a notice at post office in Deadwood, Blachly, Cheshire, if you think of anywhere else, let me know. Thanks

mabel barnett



After the French Revolution of 1789 selling sour wine was considered against national interest and the merchant was promptly executed.

Tongue Twister

A twister of twists once twisted a twist,
and the twist that he twisted was a three-twisted twist.
now in twisting this twist,
if a twist should untwist,
would the twist that untwisted untwist the twists?



CREDO

I am not an antiquarian but much I love is old. I love old dogs, old wine and old friends. I have loved sand castles on the beaches of California or stone castles on the river Rhine. I even loved the odor of mud upon the banks as I fished as a boy on the Chattahoochee River.

I loved mud cats as we called catfish that most fishermen threw away. I loved my mother when I was a child and whom I still love today although she has long since passed away. I loved the taste of dirt beneath the house where I discovered penicillin before it became a general antidote for all types of diseases.

The only childhood disease I caught was whooping cough, but I did not whoop long and did not cough much.

I found where my father hid his gin for there was Prohibition then. I got drunk at the age of two. I might have been the world's youngest alcoholic.

I was heaping honors on myself.

If I may pause to brag a moment I must announce a signal honor that fell my way that made the newspapers in Atlanta. I scored higher than any other student in Atlanta on one of the Stanford-Bennett test ever given to grammar school students in Atlanta. My principal came to my class and asked the teacher to excuse me. In her office she told me of my score on the I.Q. test and told me it meant that I could be anything I wanted to be.

At that time I was reading seven books a week and had just finished Jack London's "Cruise of the Dazzler" and I would be a writer. "Go for it," she said.

I did and am. Boyd Upchurch



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LOS ANGELES - Los Angeles' full name is El Pueblo de Nuestra Senora la Reina de los Angeles de Porciuncula and can be abbreviated to 3.63% of its size: L.A.

NEW YORK CITY - The term "The Big Apple" was coined by touring jazz musicians of the 1930s who used the slang expression "apple" for any town or city. Therefore, to play New York City is to play the big time - The Big Apple. There are more Irish in New York City than in Dublin, Ireland; more Italians in New York City than in Rome, Italy; and more Jewish people in New York City than in Tel Aviv, Israel.

There are no letters assigned to the numbers 1 and 0 on a phone keypad. These numbers remain unassigned because they are so-called "flag" numbers, kept for special purposes such as emergency or operator services.

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If you never learn the language of gratitude,
you will never be on speaking terms with happiness

anon.
sub. Steve c

I am proud to be an Englishman although I cannot truly say what an Englishman is. I know he is partly Celtic with a wee bit of Irish, some Scottish, certainly Danish from the days of the Corsairs.

I am sure some ancestor of mine with his skates fast bound skimmed the half frozen sounds of Norway that the poor shivering hound trembled to walk on. Strangely I have the certainty one of my great-great grandparents was a Viking minnesinger, possibly castrated, since my singing voice is an alto soprano.

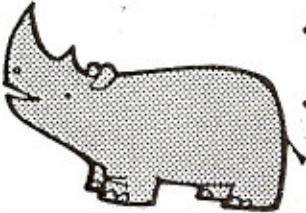
I never sing in public from the fear my listeners might think me a sissy prissy. I sing in the showers because the echo from the shower stall's walls make me sound like Bing Crosby.

If you don't know who Bing Crosby is you are much younger than I am, and I'm only ninety-four going on one hundred and nine. I chose that date because I intend to live longer than Thomas Parr, England's old, old, very old man who lived to be one hundred and eight.

I was poor in arithmetic and worse in algebra but I think 109 is a year longer than 108.

Boyd Upchurch

- It's only the female mosquito that bites humans, and not the male.
- Cats use their whiskers to check whether a space that they are about to enter through, is too small for them to fit through or not.
- The horn of a rhinoceros is made from compacted hair, rather than bone or any other substance.
- The poison arrow frogs of South America and Central America are the most poisonous animals in the world.
- Armadillos, sloths and opossums spend about 80% of their lives sleeping.



We worry, fret, get bothered, all worked up, and bent out of shape. The trouble is, a vast majority of the time, things work out anyway. So what's the point of spending so much time and energy imagining all these horrible things?



Copies of the Deadwood Ditto may be picked up at the Deadwood Post Office & Deadwood Country Market

Any items in the Ditto that do not state a submitter, excluding ads, is a submission of the editor... Deb

Short-Term Kitty Care Needed

Two friendly, well-behaved, fixed, 100% inside kitties need a temporary home for 10-14 days. Must remain inside 24x7. Full kit and fee provided. (Yes, you *must* give them back!)
Craig, X-5571, for details. Thank you.

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Joe 541-671-7748

Deadwood Raincheck

July 1—26, '13	Trace
July 1—23, '12	0.4
July 1—23, '11	0.3
July 1—31, '11	0.5
July 1—31, '10	0.2
July 1—31, '09	0.3
July 1—31, '08	2.4
July 1—31, '07	0.8
July 1—31, '06	0.3
July 1—31, '05	0.6
July 1—31, '04	Trace
July -7 year average	0.6
Sept. 1—July 26, '13	87.0
Sept. 1—July 23, '12	103.8
Sept. 1—July 31, '11	73.3
Sept. 1—July 31, '10	87.1
Sept. 1—July 31, '09	77.5
Sept. 1—July 31, '08	95.6
Sept. 1—July 31, '07	102.9
Sept. 1—July 31, '06	115.3
Sept. 1—July 31, '05	83.5
Sept. 1—July 31, '04	70.9
Season -7 year average	89.6
Days w/ at least some Sunshine	26 of 26

*Deadwood Dump Run Reminder
August Reminder*

*August 3, Saturday—lower Deadwood
August 17, Saturday—incl. upper Deadwood
August 31, Saturday—lower Deadwood
call Keith -3502*

FIRE!

Steve and Minnie were lucky to escape the fire at Steve's home, Tuesday, July 23rd. The blaze started around 10:30pm and is thought to have been an electrical fire. They woke up and got out of the home just minutes before it was totally engulfed in flames.

Sadly, Minnie's little dog, Bear, did not escape. Minnie lost some personal items and Steve lost everything. Both of them lost all their medications. There will be a donation jar in the Deadwood Market to help our neighbor in need.



ANNUAL ROCK CREEK REUNION PARTY GATHERING

AUGUST 16-18, 2013

FRIDAY: Evening Musical Jam and Dessert Potluck

SATURDAY: 10:00am. Rock Creek Run/Walk (1.5k and 5k cross country)

Volleyball, Horseshoes, Bocci Ball,

5:00pm- Potluck begins

7:00pm- Live Music with...

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For information or if you would like to help with the party prep activities....

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It has been told that on the night that Julius Caesar died the graves stood open and the sheeted dead squeaked and gibber in the Roman streets. Marcus Anthony gave the funeral oration which in itself has survived the centuries in which it was first delivered, survived in the given names of modern men.. If you are surnamed Mark, Marcus, Marian, (Now used for girls and boys.) Anthony, Tony, et cetera, your name was used centuries ago.

My own name, Boyd Bradfield Upchurch, literally means "A knight of the broad fields up by the church. Unfortunately I am only remotely related to Winston Churchill. Possibly Churchill is my eighth or ninth cousin. If your name is, say, Johnny Sunstrom, you have a leg up on having a good name.

But you don't quite make it. In its Latin roots, "Sunstrom" means "pip squeak." A pip squeak is an acrophiac.

Boyd Upchurch