

NORTH FORTY

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Perhaps May offers us a lighter calendar as a prelude to June events and the busy summer. There's still plenty going on.

Help the Post Office Stamp Out Hunger. Bring your non-perishable items to our Post Office next Saturday, May 9. To insure that your donations are secured for the weekend, please knock on the dutch door and give your items to Marianne between 8 and 11 AM.

On Monday, May 11th, 2009, District 1 Supervisor Judy Pflueger will speak on current issues within our district at the Sasquatch Restaurant in Trinity Center. Lunch will be at 11:30. Please contact Joann Mathis at 286-2217 for luncheon reservations by May 8th. All are welcome to come at 12:30 for the speaker only.

Calling All Kids (ages 4-15)! May 16 is the 37th Annual Trinity Lake Lions Club Fishing Derby at Carrville Dredger Pond. Registration is from 8 am to 9am and fishing is from 9am until noon. Free tackle, hot dog and soda for all kids registered to fish. Bring your own pole. Bait fishing only. Prizes in many categories. Call Dennis at 266-3338 with your questions.

May 17th at noon is the dedication of the new Coffee Creek Church Community Center. Please join us for the potluck lunch as we honor the hard work of volunteer builders and dedicate the new building. Last Sunday local youth planned and held a lunch and afternoon of videos and games at the Center. They hope to have many more such activities so stay tuned.

May 20 at 6PM at the Firehouse will be the meeting of all interested in helping with the Trinity Center Volunteer Fire Department BBQ to be held June 13. The TCVFD auxiliary is seeking new members. Come find out what we do on June 3 at the 100F hall at 6 PM. Don't forget to preorder your TCVFD cookbook by calling Virginia Allin at 266-3518.

The five fifth and sixth graders from Coffee Creek School are excited about the five day environmental camp they will be attending at Whiskeytown this week. The camp emphasis is science, nature and caring for the environment. The kids don't seem bothered by the thought of rain.

Students at Trinity Center School have been practicing ever so hard for the upcoming school play, under the direction of Awesome Mary Hansen. Students will perform May 29th at 10:30am and 6pm at the IOOF Hall. Don't miss this wonderful treat.

I hope you get to occasionally take the beautiful drive from here over Scott Mountain to Yreka, Ashland and Medford. It's wonderful to hop in the car and go to Ashland for an incredible brunch (Harpers is new and good) and then on to a matinee at the Cabaret or OSF. You're usually home by 6 or 7, including a grocery stop in Yreka. I have brochures to share.

Rain, rain, are you here to stay? This welcome dampness will help the plants and keep fires down, we hope. I measured 2.33 inches in 24 hours on May 2.

