

GLADSTONE CITY NEWSLETTER

For the latest information about our City, visit www.ci.gladstone.or.us New Civic Buildings Bring Excitement to Gladstone

"Three new civic buildings in one City is a special rarity and Gladstone is poised to move forward on a new library, city hall, and police department; without requiring new tax revenues." By City Administrator Jacque M. Betz



Gladstone Library

Congratulations to the citizens of Gladstone on the recent voterapproval of a new library. This validation allows the City of Gladstone and Clackamas County to move forward with the planning and construction of a new 6,000 square foot library to be located at 525 Portland Avenue (once the old city hall is demolished). The proposed Gladstone library will work in a two-branch system with the new Oak Lodge Library and will bring improved library services, amenities, and opportunities to the Gladstone community.

The next steps include coordination with Clackamas County on a process that includes preliminary planning, the formation of a task force, project plan, and a robust visioning process to learn more about community needs for the new library space; all of which will be complete hopefully by September 2019. The City developed a web page at Gladstonelibraryproject.com and will provide updates periodically. This is a very exciting project for the community and much deserved.



Gladstone Civic Center Project Update- At the May 8, 2018 City Council Meeting the Council authorized an agreement with P&C Construction to provide Phase I Progressive Design-Build Services for the Gladstone Civic Center Project, which includes a new city hall, police department, and municipal court. Funding for this project will come from the Gladstone Urban Renewal Agency. The new buildings will be located at 18505 Portland Avenue (adjacent to the City's existing public works/ shops property). We expect them to be constructed and operational by March 2020.

The Team lead for P&C Construction is Steve Anderson, and Will Somme will serve as the Project Manager. Scott Edward's Architects' Sid Scott and Jennifer Marsicek will serve as the Design Manager and Design Lead respectively and will be responsible for the overall management of the design team. The strengths of the "Dream Team" include;

Overall highest combined interview score for the qualifications, approach and compatibility.

Strong portfolio of successful, similar size and scope projects for public clients Well organized and collaborative team presentation

Strong leadership and strategy for staying within the City's budget

The total base project budget is \$12 million with City options to include up to \$775,000 of additional program elements if desired. In Phase 1 the "Dream Team" will conduct design services, electrical and low voltage studies, boundary and topo surveys, geotechnical services, a traffic study and furniture, fixtures, and equipment consulting. These milestones are projected to be completed by November 15, 2018. Upon completion the "Dream Team" will have collaborated with the City to complete a 50% design development level of design and establish a Guaranteed Maximum Price (GMP) for completion of the project. The next phase of the contract will go to the City Council in late November, early December.

Paralleling the design-build process staff has consulted with bond counsel and finance managers to refine exact amounts the City will need to borrow from the urban renewal agency reserves and future funds. Final documents will be considered in a publicly noticed meeting of the Gladstone City Council and Gladstone Urban Renewal Agency on June 12, 2018 at 6:30 pm. The documents will be published on the City's website at <u>www.gladstone.or.us</u>.

We are very excited to move forward with the next phases of the new Civic buildings and hope that you will be engaged in the visioning processes.



Meet Patrick (Pat) Brost— Gladstone Fire Department Engineer. Pat has worked in the City of Gladstone for 4 years as a Paid-On-Call Engineer/ EMT

Q- Where did you grow up? I have lived in Gladstone since I was 9 months

old. I left after I graduated High School to join the US Navy and have recently returned back to Gladstone and bought a house near the house where I grew up.

Q-Where is the best place you have traveled and why? Tromsø, Norway. The people were wonderful, it was absolutely beautiful, and even though I was there in the middle of winter, when there was zero daylight...it still felt surprisingly warm even with snow on the ground.

Q-What is the weirdest job you have ever had? It is a toss-up between being on submarines or working for the fire service.

Q-Do you have any pets? Yes, 3 A Rhodesian Ridgeback dog, an orange tabby cat, and a very social betta fish

Q-What are 3 words that best describe you? Faith, Family, Service

Q-Where would you like to go on a dream vacation? Fishing with the native populations of Greenland.

Q-What is your favorite food? Kielbasa and roasted vegetables.

Q-What do you like to do in your free time? Take our four kids on family adventures.

Q-What is something most people don't know about you? I've been performing (music, theater, etc) in public since the age of 5, in some capacity.

Coffee With A Councilor

Coffee with a Council member assists the Council to better communicate with the Presidents and businesses of our community. Bring ideas, concerns and solutions to make Gladstone a better community! Coffee with a Councilor is now meeting once a month at the Senior Center. Meetings will be held the third Wednesday of the month alternating between 9:30am and 6:30pm. The next meeting will be held on July 18th, 2018 at 6:30pm.

Upcoming Council Regular/Work Session

Upcoming agenda items for the June 26, 2018 City Council meeting session will include: Workers Compensation Coverage for City of Gladstone Volunteers, Supplemental Budget for biennium years 2017-19 to create new appropriation categories, Supplemental Budget for accepting new grant revenues in the biennium budget 2017-19, Amending the City of Gladstone Master Fee Schedule, Review Charter Amendments. Upcoming agenda items for the July 10th City Council meeting session will include: Public Hearing to amend Chapter 10.04 Traffic Regulations, Chapter 8.04 Nuisances and amend Municipal Court Code regarding Jury Selection.

City Office Closures

Gladstone City offices will be closed on Wednesday, July 4th, 2018 in observance of Independence Day

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Bike Nights in Downtown



Join your neighbors at Bike Nights in Downtown Gladstone. Latus Motors in partnership with the City of Gladstone will host Bike Nights in Downtown Gladstone the 2nd Thursday of each month continuing through September 13th from 7-9pm. Portland Avenue will be blocked off between Dart-

mouth & Berkeley Streets. Food, live music, vendors, raffles and beer garden. For details visit www.latus-hd.com or call 844-232-4769.



Share the Road

The Gladstone Police would like to take a moment to remind all drivers with the weather getting nicer, stay aware of increased bicycle and pedes-

trian activity, especially in neighborhoods. For all the two wheeled motorized commuters out there, June 18th is national ride your motorcycle or scooter to work day. And as always, July 4th brings back the reminders to Driver Sober or get Pulled Over. If you have consumed alcohol, Cannabis, or other impairing substance call a cab, ride share or get a ride from a sober friend.

Fireworks Safety from Gladstone Fire Marshal Mike Funk



The Fourth of July Holiday is just around the corner. Please drive safe and sober as well as handling any fireworks with caution.

Each year in the United States, we celebrate the Fourth of July with community parades, picnics, barbecues, and fireworks - the things of which happy memories are made. But sadly, Independence Day also includes tragic events and injuries resulting from illegal fireworks use. Many times children are witness to unsafe fireworks behavior. Another concern is both animals and some veterans are often traumatized by the sights and sounds of illegal fireworks

Aside from the danger (both legal and personal) of exploding illegal fireworks, there are multiple fireworks caused fires and property damage recorded each year.

Legal fireworks may be purchased only from Oregon permitted fireworks retailers and stands. Oregon law forbids possession, use or sale of fireworks that fly, explode or travel more than six feet on the ground or 12 inches in the air. Bottle rockets, Roman candles, and firecrackers are ILLEGAL in Oregon.

Under Oregon law, officials may seize illegal fireworks and fine offenders for possession of illegal fireworks. Offenders may also be arrested. Any fireworks causing damage or misuse of fireworks carries a liability for the offender, who may be required to pay for resulting fire or other damage. Parents are liable for fireworks-caused damage by their children. Costs may include assessed fines as well as the cost of suppressing fireworks-caused fires. Gladstone Firefighters wish you a safe a happy holiday.

City Council/Mayor Elections:

The City Council is an elected policy decision-making body for the City of Gladstone. The council serves with an equal number of "lay members" on the Budget Committee and hears land use appeals of decisions made by the Planning Commission. Council members also serve as liaisons on City advisory boards, committees and commissions. Four-year terms of Mayor and City Council positions #1, #3 & #5, held by Tamara Stempel, Michael Milch, Matthew Tracy and Patrick McMahon respectively, will expire 12-31-2018. If you are interested in being a candidate, you must be registered voter and have resided in the City for twelve months immediately preceding the election on November 6, 2018. A nomination petition or declaration of candidacy must be filed between July 9 and August 28, 2018. Information and instructions are on the city's website, https:// www.ci.gladstone.or.us/administration/page/elections-0.

Backyard Barbecue & Outdoor Fun



Summer is on its way—time to have a BBQ! Always be in attendance while you use your propane or charcoal cookers. To help insure your safety, check the date near the handle of your propane bottle. Propane bottles need to be recertified after 12 years initially

and every 5 years thereafter. If charcoal briquettes are more your style, be sure to store the bag in a dry place at all times. If your charcoal based fuel gets wet or damp, they can self-ignite under certain conditions, and that can spell disaster. If lighter fluid is used, be sure to follow the directions on the can and never apply fluid when there is an open flame.

Activities at Patterson Park

Patterson Park will be supervised beginning June 18th through August 31th, Monday— Friday, 10am to 4pm (weather permitting). Upcoming special events include: June 18– Field Day (free), June 20– Ice Cream Sun-

daes (\$1.00), June 22– Sidewalk Chalk (free), June 25 - Kite Craft Day (50¢), June 27– Sno-cone Day (50¢), June 29– Tie Dye T-Shirt *Must Supply T-shirt (\$1.00), July 2– 4th of July Craft (50¢), July 9– Jumbo Otter Pop Day (50¢), July 10– Fire Safety Day (free), July 11– Sno-cone day (50¢), July 13– Pinwheel Craft (50¢), July 16– Dream Catcher Craft (50¢), July 18– Root beer Float Day (\$1.00), visit the city's website at www.ci.gladstone.or.us/publicworks/page/parksrearection for full list of cummer activities. The

recreation- for full list of summer activities. The Spray Park will also be open on June 18th through September 3th, Monday-Saturday, noon to 7pm & Sundays, 1-6pm, weather permitting.

4th of July BBQ



The Gladstone Police and Fire Departments will celebrate the 4th of July by holding their 4th annual community barbecue with hot

dogs, chips, water & cookies on Wednesday July 4th. It will take place at Max Patterson Park from 12:00-3pm. This event is free to all, so come down with the family to have some free food and meet your local police officers and firefighters.

Employment Opportunities:

The City of Gladstone is accepting applications for Temporary Seasonal Employees - Fire Department and Police Officer - Lateral. For details, visit the employment page at <u>https://www.ci.gladstone.or.us/jobs</u>.

Boards, Committees & Commissions Vacancies

At its July 10, 2018 meeting, the City Council will consider requests for appointments to two positions on the Budget Committee & two positions on the Audit Committee. To obtain an application and information, visit the city's website at www.ci.gladstone.or.us, email bannick@ci.gladstone.or.us, call 503-557-2769 or stop by City Hall. Applications must be returned by 5pm on July 2, 2018.

Address Numbers on Your Home

The Gladstone Fire Dept. requests residents please check address numbers placed on the front of their homes. Address numbers need to be 4 inches or larger, have a light for night time hours and stand out in a contrasting color to the home. Their quick response when responding to emergencies is dependent upon them finding your home. Please do your part and place large, lighted, numbers on your home!

Preventing Our Kids from Falling from Windows

Each year, according to the CDC (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention), over 5000 children accidentally fall from windows. As the warmer weather arrives, we need to recognize and prevent these accidents from happening. There are simple tips and hardware ideas that can be found at any local hardware store to help prevent another tragedy.

Prevention Tips

▶In homes with children, install window guards on all second-story or higher windows.

►Use window stops to prevent windows from opening more than 4 inches.

▶Window screens are not designed to stop a child from falling. A normal window screen is NOT enough to keep children safe.

▶It is best to purchase window guards with a quick release mechanism. This will allow the window to be opened easily by an adult in the case of a fire emergency.

►Install locks on sliding windows to prevent children from opening them.

► Move all furniture away from windows. Children can climb on furniture to access windows that are otherwise out of reach

► Create soft landing surfaces such as bushes or plant beds under windows to help prevent serious injuries in case of a fall.

►Do not allow children to play on fire escapes, roofs or balconies.

- ► Make sure that older children understand the dangers of climbing out of or jumping from windows.
- ▶Young children should never be left at home unsupervised.

Clean Water Tips

Protecting our groundwater is important, especially since 70% of the state relies, at least partially, on it for drinking water. This is why we must keep our groundwater clean by: *preventing oil & fluid leaks with proper vehicle maintenance; *picking up pet waste; *never dumping any type of waste into gutters, catch basins or into the street. Cleaning catch basins also helps maintain good flow through the stormwater system preventing flooding. Residents are asked to help keep catch basins clear of debris. If a catch basin is full or is not draining after a rain event and residents have removed any road debris from the catch basin, please contact Public Works at 503-656-7957.

Backyard Habitat Certification Program expands into more County neighborhoods

Clackamas County Water Environment Services (WES), the Columbia Land Trust, Audubon Society of Portland, and Clackamas Soil and Water Conservation District have expanded the Backyard Habitat Certification Program into neighborhoods within Damascus, Gladstone, Happy Valley, Oregon City, Rivergrove and Wilsonville.

Private homeowners and community groups or organizations in these areas with yards under one acre can sign up for the Backyard Habitat Certification Program. The program provides technical assistance, advice, and incentives to residents who want to improve wildlife habitat in their yards, control invasive weeds, utilize their rainwater, and garden naturally. Contact Clackamas County

Picnics/Parties at Patterson Park



Reservations for picnics and birthday parties are NOT required at Max Patterson Park-picnic areas are available on a first come, first served basis. Be aware, bouncy houses and rock climbing walls are NOT permitted at any city park. For additional details, visit www.ci.gladstone.or.us.

Gladstone Municipal Code

Do you have a question about fence height, setbacks, zoning, traffic or park regulations? If so, the Gladstone Municipal Code is online http://www.codepublishing.com/OR/ at Gladstone/.

Local Telephone Numbers

*City Hall General Business Line	503-656-5225
*Utility Billing/Water/Sewer Acct Info	503-557-2771
*Municipal Court/Traffic Citations	503-557-2772
*Public Works	503-656-7957
*Police Dept. M-F, 8am to 5pm	503-557-2797
*Fire Dept. M-F, 8am to 5pm	503-557-2776
*Police & Fire After Hours	503-655-8211
*Library	503-656-2411
*Senior Center	503-655-7701
*Recreation/Business License	503-557-2766 503-742-4520
*Planning	503-742-4520 503-742-4400
*Building/Electrical/Plumbing Permits	503-479-6859
*Nuisance Concerns/Code Compliance	503-655-2777
*Gladstone School District *Cladatone Uink Salaad	503-655-2544
*Gladstone High School *Kraxberger Middle School	503-655-3636
*Wetten Elementary School	503-656-6564
*Gladstone Disposal Company	503-656-9426
*Dept. of Motor Vehicles (DMV)	503-299-9999
*Portland General Flectric	503-228-6322
*Northwest Natural Gas	503-226-4211
*Comcast Cable	1-800-934-6489

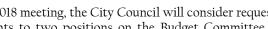


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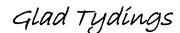
Consumer Confidence Report

The City of Gladstone's 2017 Consumer Con-

The current billing system was implemented in July 2017 resulting in newly assigned account numbers. Please ensure you are using your new account number. Especially when remitting payment through your bank's bill pay. Free and easy payment options are available online at www.ci.gladstone.or.us or by phone at 866-721-1072







A monthly publication of the Senior Center

<u>June 2018</u>



1050 Portland Ave. Gladstone, Or. 97027 (503) 655-7701

Important Dates

<u>Thursdays at 1 pm-</u>

to all!

Board game day! Join us

for some great fun. Open

<u>June 14 at 11:30 am–</u>

\$3.00. Please RSVP.

Join us for the annual Fa-

ther's Day Lunch. Cost is

<u>June 27 from 1-2:30 pm–</u>

<u>July 4 Center closed</u>— We will be closed for Inde-

Sulfur Springs by William Kent Krueger. Former sheriff, current burger joint owner and part time private eye, Cork O'Con-

nor goes to southern Arizona to find the whereabouts of his new brides son, who leaves a garbled message saying he killed someone. June 18,2018 @

Summer is upon us! As

the temperatures rise and

become a little unbearable,

please keep in mind that

we are a cooling center.

Our hours of operation are

M-F 8:30 to 5pm. Come in

and cool down!

10:30 am.

pendence Day.

Our ongoing Dementia Series. Please register to attend this free event. Continuing this June, in partnership with the Oregon Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association, we will be providing an education program on Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia. If you or someone you know is affected by this

disease, its' time This program tion on detection, tors, stages of the more. This will gram hosted at



to learn the facts. provides informacauses and risk facdisease, and much be an on-going prothe Gladstone Sen-

ior Center. First class, Wednesday, May 23 from 1-2:30 pm. We hope to see you there. <u>You must register for this free program by calling 1-800-272-3900</u>. For more information on this program, please call the Senior Center.

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Have you noticed the construction out front of the Senior Center lately? If you are curious to know what is happening, we are in the process of constructing a wheelchair accessible, disability friendly community garden. Produce from the garden will be used in the salad bar here at the Senior Center. If you would like to know more, please feel free to stop by anytime and check it out, we'd be happy to answer your questions!

Manager: Colin Black Programs & Services Coordinator: Deanna Heman

Your Gladstone Senior Center Staff:

Nutrition Coordinator: Debbie Ferren Transportation Coordinator: Shirley Scrivner

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June 2018



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Menu subject to a starting at 11:45	change without no am. Games and a 1 fresh salad bar, 4	those age 60 or olde otice. Lunch is prov ctivities follow lunc hot soup, and a hot	ided Tuesday throu h each day beginni main course. All a	igh Thursday ing at 1:00 pm.	1– Bridge @12pm	2-
3-	4-	5– Chicken Chop Suey A= Bingo S= Fred Meyers	6-Chicken Po- modoro A= Bunco S= Safeway	7-Mac & Cheese A= Bunco A= Game Day	8-Bridge @12pm	9-
10-	11-	12-Breaded Chicken A= Bingo	13– Chicken Garden Salad A= Bunco S= Safeway	14-Sweedish Meatballs A= Bunco A= Game Day	15-Bridge @12pm	16-
17-	18- A= Book Club @ 10:30 am	19-Sliced Roasted Turkey A= Bingo	20-Chicken Lo Mein A= Bunco S= Safeway	21– Breaded Beef Steak A= Bunco A= Game Day	22-Bridge @12pm	23-
24-	25-	26-Turkey Salad A= Bingo S= Wal-Mart	27-Beef Patty A= Bunco S= Safeway	28–Tuna Salad A= Bunco A= Game Day	29-Bridge @12pm	30-

JUNE 15- COVERED BRIDGES PICNIC- The Albany area is home to several historic covered bridges. We will take the tour route and have a picnic lunch along the way. Lv. 9am Ret:5pm Fare: \$20 (includes lunch)

JUNE 22- MUSEUM OF THE OREGON TERRITORY AND STEVENS

<u>CRAWFORD HOUSE</u>-We'll visit these museums & learn about early settlers of Oregon City. Please note that the Stevens Crawford house is not ADA accessible. Lunch will be at Bugatti's. Lv 10:00 am Ret: 3pm Fare: \$7 (museums free today)

JUNE 28- (Thurs.) SENSE AND SENSIBILITY @ CLACKAMAS REP. THEA: TER-Join us at this traditional classic. Lv: 6:30 pm Ret: 10:30 pm FARE: \$23

July 6-Portland Chart House- Beautiful views and good food await at us this historic Portland restaurant . We'll take a drive around the West Hills before lunch. Lv: 10 am Ret: 2 pm Fare: \$6





June Birthday's

Mark W.	6/1	Mike A.	6/16
Donna P.	6/2	Carston B.	6/17
Jack W.	6/4	Judy B.	6/25
Patricia H.	6/9	Coralie V.	6/27
Richard R.	6/10	Phillip M.	6/28
Sylvia K.	6/12	Dixie N.	6/28
Ron W.	6/14	Elfie W.	6/28
Steven K.	6/15		



Welcome To Gladstone's New **Probationary Firefighters!**

On Wednesday, June 6th, we swore in four new probationary firefighters. Each of them committed their time on the weekends and successfully completed over 7 months of training. This is an exciting time for our department as these new firefighters are now qualified and responding on emergency calls. Their learning has just begun, and fire department mentors will keep close watch over them as they gain experience.



Pictured left to right; Captain Richard Newton, Probationary Firefighters' Charles Stay, Jared Sturzenegger, Ryan Miller, and Jesse Person, Fire Chief Tom O'Connor.

Water Temperatures

While the weather may make you want to break out your swimsuit, first responders want to remind people that the water is still cold this time of year.

The sun will be shining and temperatures rising to the 80s, but water temperatures aren't expected to rise until July. Current water temperatures average 40s to low 50s. The cold combined with deep water and a 6 mile per hour current makes swimming conditions dangerous. Clackamas Fire officials said they aren't encouraging people to stay away from the water, but they want them to be prepared. American Medical Rescue's River Rescue program has kicked off and people can now find lifeguards at High Rocks. AMR is asking people who head out to area rivers to make sure that they have a lifejacket with them. Especially because the rivers and lakes are still running very cold.

Ballot Measure Election Results:

May 15, 2018 ballot measure results: *Measure 3-530 - Charter authorization to construct a new library: Passed by a vote of 1684 to 745. *Measure 3-531 - Charter authorization to sell surplus real property: Passed by a vote of 1751 to 627. For more information on these measures, please visit http:// www.clackamas.us/elections/results.html.

Gladstone Food Pantry to Close

After serving hundreds of local families since fall 2014, the Gladstone Food Pantry will end operations this summer. June 16 will be the last day customers can get free food at the site. Run by a team of 55 volunteers, the pantry behind Gladstone High School has given families the opportunity to choose free produce, meat, canned goods, milk, and more. The first quarter of 2018, the pantry provided food to 708 people, 39 percent of them children and 16 percent seniors. Partners in the project included the Oregon Food Bank, Bob's Red Mill, Dave's Killer Bread, and grant funders Clackamas County and the Gladstone Education Foundation. "Gladstone Schools started the pantry because we know reliable access to food stabilizes struggling families and helps our students learn better," said program leader Leslie Robinette. "However, as schools again face funding cuts, the sad reality is that we can no longer afford this program." The school district hopes that by fall or winter it will find a government, non-profit, or corporate partner to provide the funds needed to reopen the pantry. Until then, schools will refer families to food resources in nearby communities.

Drop Off Unwanted Prescriptions at Gladstone PD

Flushing drugs down the toilet or putting them into the garbage have damaging effects on our environment and can contaminate our surface & groundwater supplies. Both drinking and wastewater treatment plants are not designed to treat for these kinds of chemicals. Drop off your old, expired or unwanted prescriptions at the Gladstone Police Department, MED RETURN receptacle, Monday-Friday, 8am to 5pm. No paperwork or fee required!

Let's Talk About Trash: Rigid Plastics

Due to weak plastics pricing, recycling depots have suspended accepting bulky and rigid plastics. These plastics belong in the garbage.

Bulky and rigid plastics include lawn furniture, crates and storage bins, take out trays, containers, cups, etc. Limit plastics going into the landfill by remembering to use reusable containers whenever possible. Bring your own containers to the store.

I-205 Paving	Street Parking Regulations
<i>I-5 to Abernethy Bridge</i> Beginning in June, ODOT will continue repaving the 9- mile stretch between the Interstate 5 interchange in Tualatin and the south end of the Abernethy Bridge in West Linn. Sidewalk curb ramp improvements will take place during the day and night. All other work will take place at night and will include multiple lane closures. Nighttime Lane Closures I-205 Northbound and Southbound: Monday-Thursday night, 10pm-5am Friday night, 11pm-7am	that can be parked on city streets. Chapter 10.04.230 of the
Saturday night, 11pm-8am 8th Court and 10th Street	Planning & Permits
Monday-Thursday night, 8pm-6am Friday night, 8pm-8am Saturday night, 8pm-9am	The City contracts with Clackamas County for admini- stration of the City's land use planning and building per- mits, including plumbing, electrical, grading, etc. For information, visit the county's website at www.clackamas.us/building or call 503-742-4240.

<u>The Philip Foster Fa</u>rm Pioneer Food Event



It's the 175th anniversary of the Oregon Trail! Join us for pioneer cooking demos, activities, and tastings. There will be horses, historians, handson history, and much more! It's a history party with hot

biscuits and Foster Farm Fun! June 16 from 11am - 4pm, 22725 SE Eagle Creek Road Eagle Creek, OR 97022, 503-637-6324

Flag Cleaning for Gladstone Veterans

In honor of those who have served our country, Gladstone Bright Cleaners is offering free flag cleaning and pressing for all who have served for our country who are Gladstone Residents. From now til July 4th, service men and women have the chance to bring their US flags (no larger than 12 feet) into Bright Cleaners to have them professionally cleaned and pressed. Located at 480 Portland Ave, Gladstone OR 97027. For any questions, please call 503-723-4361

Be part of the Gladstone Community Festival!

August 3, 4, and 5, Gladstone gathers in Max Patterson Park to celebrate the traditions, connections, and spirit that make this a strong community. From the Car Show, the Parade, and Movie in the Park to comedy improv, pickle ball, and live music, the weekend will be packed with activities and fun for all ages. New this year is a family-friendly beer garden! This event doesn't happen without people stepping up to take part in events and competitions. It's time to get ready! Practice your lawn chair drill team routine for the parade. Test your recipes for the chili cookoff or pie-baking contest. Sign up for the SHOC run. Enter your sweet ride in the car show. Prep your booth for the vendor marketplace. Or step up as an event sponsor! Details about all these events and more are available on the festival website: www.gladstonecommunityfestival.org/. Follow us on Facebook!

Dog Licenses



All dogs are required to be licensed when they reach 6 months of age. The City currently contracts with Clackamas County for dog licensing. License renewals are due the last day of the month in which the license expires.

Additional information and renewal forms may be found at the county's website at www.clackamas.us/dogs or by calling 503-656-8628.

"Save Your Stuff"

Our Community Cat Rescue (formally- Concerned Cat People of Gladstone - Rescue) is coordinating a fundraising yard sale! They are raising money for the costs associated with rescuing stray and abandoned cats, spay/neuter, trap-neuter-return (TNR) of feral cats, food and other costs to run our rescue. The sale is scheduled for Friday, July 27th and Saturday, July 28th at 18222 River Rd, Jennings Lodge 97267. We are taking donations of items to sell and will also have donation bins for cat food or other items such as flea treatment, cat litter, cat toys, etc. If you have any donations you would like to drop off between July 21st and July 26th, please email rainypass2009@yahoo.com or send a message through our Facebook page - Our Community Cat Rescue. Thank you neighbors! Angela Riley

Calling All Kindergarteners



It's not too late to register for kindergarten for the 2018-2019 school year. Your child must be 5 years old on or before September 1st. Come and pick up a registration packet at Gladstone Center for Children & Families at 18905 Portland Ave (across from

Gladstone High School). If you have any questions, contact Heidi Smith at 503-496-3939.

Soccer Camp

June 25th-29th, 2018 Soccer Camp will be happening at Gladstone First Baptist Church!! This is for boys & girls, ages 4-11. There will be lots of fun with soccer drills & games, Bible lessons and a great time of singing, skits & stories! 5:30-8:30 PM each day, with a family BBQ for everyone on Friday at 5:30 PM. See website <u>https://www.gfbcfamily.org/2018/05/high-powersoccer-camp-2018-overcome/</u> for info and registration forms that can be printed and returned to the church. \$10 DISCOUNT if registration form is into the church office BY June 8th. Mail form & payment to GFBC, PO Box 5, Gladstone, OR 97027 or drop off at 6125 Caldwell Rd, Gladstone. Office hours M-TH 8 AM-4:30, Friday 8 AM-Noon

Sidewalks and Clear Vision



The Gladstone Municipal Code states that property owners are responsible for maintaining sidewalks abutting their property and are liable to any person suffering injury due to a defective sidewalk. The City's

general standard for sidewalk maintenance states "not to exceed 1/2" vertical lift." This is similar to property owners being responsible for maintaining landscaping for clear vision of motorists at street intersections. Both the property owner and the City can be held liable for accidents when they are notified but fail to remove clear vision obstructions. Please check the condition of sidewalks along your property and check for adequate clear vision if your property is located at a street intersection.

VBS at Gladstone Seventh-day Adventist

Hang out with Daniel and discover what incredible adventures he had as a captive in Babylon. Free VBS at Gladstone Park Seventh-day Adventist Church. 8378 Cason Rd in Gladstone. June 25-29, 2018 from 10:00-12:30. For more information call (503) 655-2614.

New Preschool Opening in Gladstone!!



Skopos Christian School is adding preschool for September 2018! We are a non-denominational school for pre-school thru 8th grade. Pre-school

will meet Monday-Friday from 8:30-11:30am. Or you can customize your own plan. We meet at Tri-City Baptist Temple on Webster Rd. Registration Fee-\$100. Call us at 503-908-4740 or check us out at www.skoposcs.org

Get Social

Connect with the City of Gladstone on Social Media and stay up-to-date with all the latest news.



Gladstone City Newsletter

If you have a community event you would like to see in the upcoming Gladstone City Newsletter, please send it to kratz@ci.gladstone.or.us. Articles are due on or before the 5th of each month to appear in the upcoming Newsletter.

Library News–135 E. Dartmouth

4th. The Summer Reading Program has started! Ages 0-18 can get signed up at the Information Desk, and everyone will receive a free book along with their Reading Log & other goodies. Participants must read 20 minutes a day for 20 days. The first day to turn in Rock Readers Book Club *Tuesday*, July 17th at 6:30 completed Reading Logs and pick up finisher prizes is July 1st!

Volunteer Spotlight

Name: Christine Weigand (Hassing) Hometown: Gladstone, OR. Current Position: Day job surgery assistant for a large company; library volunteer on Sundays, I do picklist and shelving. Number of years you have worked for the city: almost 2 years. Where is the best place you've traveled and why? Alaska—beautiful country, and not very populated. My mom grew up there. What is the weirdest job you have ever had? Brush piling for the forest service. \$4.00 a pile - reduces wild fires. Do you have any pets? How many? What kind? One dog, Lucy, a 15 year old pit bull mix. What are 3 words that best describe you? Loyal, friendly, happy. Where would you like to go on a dream vacation? Italy, especially the Vatican. What is your favorite food? Grilled cheese sandwich & pickles. What is your favorite activity to do in your free time? Watching movies and reading, I love books.What is something most people don't know about you? I collect shot glasses and am a Doctor Who fan. I lent my cardboard cutout of David Tennant to the Doctor Who Club!

Programs and Events

Family Summer Movie Series Wednesdays at 6 *PM*, July 11^{th} , 18^{th} , c 25^{th} Escape the summer heat at one of our family movie nights! Every week we'll be showing a newer, family-friendly title—we'll

The Library will be closed Wednesday, July bring the popcorn! A list of movies being shown will be available soon on the Library website. Dungeons and Dragon Monday, July 16th at 4:30 PM Whether you already love D&D or just want to

see what it's all about, join us for an evening of

adventure! PM Books can be checked out at the Information Desk.

Dr. Who Club Thursday, July 19that 6:00 PM Are you a fan of Doctor Who? Meet fellow fans, watch an episode, and share any show related news. All ages are welcome.

Children's Programs

Monday, July 2nd at 12 PM These talented rescued dogs will perform sports and skits, teaching life skills and responsibility for all ages. Event will be at the Gladstone Center for Children & Families.

Brad Story Song Tuesday, July 10th at 3 PM Storytelling mixed with music, always with an emphasis on fun, participation, and joy of reading! Portland Opera (at the GCCF) Wednesday, July 18th at 12 PM Portland Opera members will perform selections from kid-friendly operas and teach about the exciting things that go on behind the scenes at a performance! Event will be at the Gladstone Center for Children & Families

OMSI Sound of Science Monday, July 23rd at 3:30 PM Students will experiment with unusual instruments to find out how waves and vibrations create all kinds of sounds in this fun-filled musical class.

GCCF) Monday, July 30^{th} at 12 PM Members of perler beads, technology kits, and much more. MYS will perform in a string ensemble, followed For teens entering the $6^{th} - 12^{th}$ grades.

by an "instrument petting zoo" where kids will get the chance to touch and try instruments on their own. Event will be at the Gladstone Center for Children & Families.

Toddler Storytime for 18 months to 3 years Tuesdays at 9:30 AM This Storytime is geared to wards ages 0-3 with songs, books, and play for early development. Older siblings are welcome to sing and dance with us.

Baby Storytime Wednesdays at 9:30 AM This storytime is geared towards babies from 0-18 months and their caregivers with books, songs. lap bounces, cuddles, and play to help with early development.

Border Collies International (at the GCCF) All Ages Storytime Thursdays at 9:30 AM All ages are welcome to join us for books, songs, rhymes and movement activities that build literacy and language skills.

Teen Programs

Teen Advisory Group Meeting Friday, July 6th at 4 PM Are you interested in making a difference at the library, and helping us plan awesome programs for other teens? The Teen Advisory Group is for you! Stop by the Information Desk for an application, or just come to one of our meetings to see what it's all about.

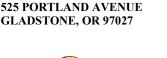
Super Smash Bros Tournament Friday, July 13th, 6 -8 PM Teens are invited to battle it out on the library's Wii-U! Featuring prizes, snacks, and board games between rounds. For teens entering the $6^{th} - 12^{th}$ grades.

Teen Makerspace Afternoon Tuesday, July 24th, 12 -3 PM We're turning the teen room into a creative makerspace! Drop-in any time between 12-3 to use our materials paired with your creativity! Metropolitan Youth Symphony (at the Try using the button maker, 3d printer pens, GCCF) Monday, July 30th at 12 PM Members of perler beads, technology kits, and much more.

Gladstone Public Library Foundation (GPLF) Updates

Thanks to all who voted in favor of building our new library. You've helped make long overdue dream come true! Don't forget to come to our Annual Yard Sale, located at 310 First St. Friday and Saturday, July 20-21 9am-5pm, and Sunday, July 22, 9am-1pm. We've got all sorts of amazing finds. In just a little over a month our Annual Book Sale will be here. Don't forget to drop off any used books, CDs, and

DVDs to the library during opening hours. We'll take care of the rest. If you have a Fred Meyer Rewards Card, you can link it to us. You don't lose any points or gas points. All proceeds from this and all other events go to support the library's many programs. Interested in learning more about our foundation? You can like us on Facebook, follow us on Instagram, or go to www.gpl-foundation.org.



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City Hall-525 Portland Ave Police Department-535 Portland Ave Fire Department-555 Portland Ave Public Works/City Shops—18595 Portland Ave Senior Center—1050 Portland Ave Library-135 E. Dartmouth St.

CITY MEETINGS:

*City Council—2nd Tuesday & 4th Tuesday (if necessary) -6:30 pm—in the City Hall Council Chambers

*<u>Planning Commission</u>—3rd Tuesday (as needed) - 6:30 pm In City Hall Council Chambers *<u>Library Board</u>—1st Tuesday—6:30 pm—City Hall Council

Chambe *Traffic Safety—4th Monday (as needed) - 6:30 pm—City Hall

Council Chambers *Park & Recreation_2nd Monday (as needed) - 6:30 pm

In City Hall Council Chambers Senior Center Advisory—held bi-monthly—3rd Tuesday—

3:00 pm—Gladstone Senior Center

Copies of City Council and Planning Commission meeting packets are on our website at <u>www.ci.gladstone.or.us</u>

Upcoming Planning Commission Meeting

At the Next Planning Commission Meeting, that will be held on June, 19th 2018, the Planning commission will be discussing proposed Municipal Code changes to Membrane Structures. For more information regarding the meeting, please visit https:// www.ci.gladstone.or.us/bc-pc/page/planning-commission-meeting-50

Local Meetings-The Gladstone Business Owners & Managers meeting is moving to quarterly meetings. Please contact Shel-Penner at sheldon don@AmicusData.com or 503 their -516-8618 for additional information.

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www.gladstonehistorialsociety.org.

Thursday of each month at The Gladstone-Oak Grove 6:30pm at Gladstone City Kiwanis meets every Tuesday Hall Conference Room (enter at 7:00am temporally at the at E Dartmouth door), 525 Bomber Restaurant, 13515 SE Portland Ave. Gladstone, OR McLoughlin Blvd. Milwaukie, 97027. For info, check out OR 97222. Visitors are welwebsite at, come to attend. See you there! ♦ Take Off Pounds Sensibly! Guests TOPS #579 (Gladstone) The Gladstone Historical always welcome! Old photos meets at St. Stephen Church, Society is looking for new of the community and new 290 W Gloucester, Friday at 9:30 a.m. Visit www.tops.org.

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