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It's September and we are celebrating! The smoke has cleared, the kids are back in school and our email newsletter is ONE YEAR OLD! Last August, Streetscape and the TOI decided to raise awareness about our mission by providing a monthly newsletter. Since then, the Oroville Coffee News has evolved into a community focused newsletter with an online and print version. We work with the Oroville Chamber of Commerce, the City of Oroville and other community groups to help raise awareness about all the things that make Oroville a great place to live and work.

What's Blooming? (The Streetscape/ TOI Update)

Centennial Park Updates - When was the last time you stopped in Centennial Park to appreciate this little oasis in the middle of town? If it was recently, you would have noticed that the gazebo needs new decking and the mural is in need of some repair. Oroville Streetscape would like to replace the decking and have the mural in Centennial Park taken down and replaced with corrugated steel panels. While we have the funds for the new panels, we don't have the labor. If you know of anyone that is willing and capable of doing these jobs, Streetscape has funds to make the repairs. Please contact

Lynn Chapman at 509-560-3174, or leechap46@gmail.com. With summer winding down, we are already thinking about our fall cleanup projects. At the end of September we will be cleaning the flowers out of all the street pots, hanging baskets, and flower beds. Volunteers are needed.



Survey Says! - The Oroville Initiative is continuing its work with the City of Oroville to assist with updating the City's parks plan. We are helping to engage the community on ideas for improvements and future infrastructure for all of Oroville parks. Please take the time to provide your input! https://survey.alchemer.com/s3/7448732/oroville-pros-plan-survey The TOI has also completed the Kernan Street picnic shelters, kiosk and parking improvements and the Whistler Canyon camping areas are complete. Both areas are waiting on completion of the picnic tables from Curlew job corps and signage from the PNWT association. The TOI has also applied for county LTAC funds for some exciting new 2024 projects.

What's Happening in Oroville in September?

City Wide Yard Sale - The Oroville WA Chamber of Commerce is organizing the Oroville City Wide Yard Sale coming up on Saturday Sept 16th. To be added to the map/list contact Shelly Roberts/Umpqua Bank at orovillewa98844@orovillewachamber.com or 509-560-3509. Deadline to get your address in the paper is Friday, September 8, 2023.



New Chamber Members Wanted - The Oroville WA Chamber of Commerce is accepting new memberships for Businesses and Individuals for the rest of 2023! Forms can be downloaded from the Chamber's Facebook page, or picked up at either the Umpqua Bank(Shelly Roberts) or the Gazette Tribune (Angela Larson). You can also sign up to be a member by attending a meeting in person. Meetings are on the 2nd Tuesday of the month in the Umpqua Bank meeting room at 6:00PM. The Chamber of Commerce organizes community events like the City Wide Fall Yard Sale in September, the Business Trick or Treat and the annual Christmas Tree Lighting.

Boosting Youth Activity - The Oroville Booster Club is hosting its annual auction on Saturday, September 30 at 6:00PM at the American Legion. The auction supports Oroville youth and in the last year funds have been used to purchase a Dr. Dish Shooting Machine, send Oroville youth to basketball camp, fund the "Athlete of the Week" initiative which rewards students who are dedicated to their sport and provide a new HUDL program to analyze stats and video footage for the football program. The next Booster Club meeting is on Monday, September 11th at 6:00PM in the high school commons.



Clean Canines - With two local pet grooming businesses (Dirty Paws and Down to Earth) in this small community, Oroville might just have some of the cleanest canines! Dirty Paws is now increasing the options for our furry friends. Dirty Paws soon will soon be opening a new do it yourself dog wash station. The new wash station, located beside Dirty Paws at 2002 Main Street, is heated and air conditioned, has a nice tub, blow dryer and a few different choices of shampoos. Thanks Kindra and Dirty Paws for pampering our pets!



Helping Hands at the Oroville Golf Course - While the Oroville Golf Course fairways and greens had minimal damage from last month's Eagle Bluff fire, the course's sprinkler system was not as lucky. The severe heat from the nearby flames destroyed the sprinkler system

pipes. With a tremendous effort from many, many community members, it took only two days to rebuild nearly a mile of pipeline and get the sprinkler system back up and running! Check out their website to see the project! Activities are back on and the course is hosting the 3 Club Scramble on Sept 23rd.

SEPTEMBER @ OROVILLE LIBRARY

WEDNESDAYS AT 1:00pm CRAFTERNOON

THURSDAYS AT 10:30am PRESCHOOL STORY TIME SEPTEMBER 5 10-NOON RURAL RESOURCES

SEPTEMBER 15-16 **"FRIENDS" BOOK SALE** **A New Salon on Main** - A new hair salon opened on August 28th on Main Street! Located beside Brickhouse (in the former Subway location), the new owners are still working on a formal name for the salon but have coined it "The Salon" or "Eva B & Tasha G's" in the meantime. The salon is open for business from Monday through Thursday and Saturdays. Currently, they welcome walk-ins and appointments are typically on Wednesday and Thursday. Schedules are evolving as they get set up so stick your head in and say hi next time you are at the Brickhouse. Welcome to the 'hood, ladies!

Music, Dancing & Tacos! - What could be better? The Oroville Grange is hosting "Let's Dance Oroville!" The organizers have a fun evening planned on Sept. 9th with live music by

PH Factor, a Taco Bar and wine and beer available. Doors open at 6:00PM for you to dance the night away. \$10 admission and \$8 for Grange members. Tacos are \$4 ea or 3 for \$10. Be sure to come by 622 Fir Street to join the fun.



Friday Night Lights - This season the OHS football team has moved to an eight-man format, a format that is often adopted by schools with smaller enrollments. While there may be less players on the field, the

excitement is the same so be sure to come out and enjoy at least one of the three home games this season. The first home game of the season will be Friday Septembert 1st! Check out the schedule to find more games. https://orovilleathletics.com

Fall Sports - The OHS Girls Soccer team will attend their first Jamboree on September 1 at Omak High School. Cross country practices are underway and the volleyball program had a huge turnout this season with players ranging from 7th grade to seniors. Keep up with all the sports at https://orovilleathletics.com

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