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- The Editor



Renting the Christmas Valley Community Hall

Park and Rec

The Christmas Valley Community Hall, located at 87345 Holly Lane, in Christmas Valley, is available for rent.

A refundable cleaning/damage deposit of \$50 is required for the rental of the building. The deposit will be returned if the building is left in the same (or better) condition as you found it.

At the conclusion of your event, if the heater in the main area of the hall is not turned down to 52° (as the instructions posted state), you will be billed \$9.00/hr for fuel, until the setting is corrected.

Call for availability: 541-576-2216.

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IMPORTANT NUMBERS

INFORMATION NUMBERS

Air Link (Emergency Dispatch)
800-621-5433
Air Link (Business Office)
800-353-0497
A.A. (Central Oregon)
541-548-0440
C.V. Fire Dept541-576-2212
or541-480-3979
Emergencies911
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541-947-6027
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541-947-2267
Midstate Electric800-752-5935
NLC, EMS Business #541-576-2759
NL Health District 541-576-2165
NL Public Health 541-576-2115
New Beginnings (24hrs)
541-576-3051
or 1-800-850-4838
St. Charles Hospital541-382-4321
Women's Crisis Center
800-338-7590

LANDFILL SCHEDULE

Christmas Valley (on Rainbow Road): Thursday - Saturday, 8:30 am - 4:30 pm Fort Rock (1.5 miles west of town): Sunday 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Paisley:

Saturday 8:30 pm - 4:30 pm, Wednesday 12:00 pm - 4:30 pm **Silver Lake**:

Sunday 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

All transfer sites closed on: Easter, Thanksgiving & Christmas. Bring washers, dryers, stoves, etc., to the Christmas Valley Landfill ONLY for the North end.

541-417-1255

North Lake Health District

87520 Bay Road, Christmas Valley 541-576-2165

NLHD Office Manager: Kelly McCord

LA PINE COMMUNITY **HEALTH CENTER** 541-576-2343

Massage Therapy Services SHAWN LAVALLEE, LMT

By appointment: 576-2110 or 576-2043

Optometric Physician TIMOTHY ARBOW, O.D.

By appointment: 541-554-9888

Naturopath/Acupuncture Services NATASHA RUDD, N.D., LAC

By appointment: 541-385-6249

Chiropractic Physician HELMUT E. EICHNER, D.C.

By appointment: 541-633-6563

Mental Health TARA JONES, LCSW, CADC1

By appointment: 541-515-9233

Food Share:

3rd. Tues. of every month. 9am-2pm (closed 12-12:30) Located next door to Dorcas



Freedom of the Press

Christmas Valley Park and Rec

Freedom of the press gives Christmas Valley Park and Recreation exclusive control over what we choose to publish in Desert Whispers, including the right to refuse to print anything for any reason.

LOCAL RESOURCES

FREE

Food, clothing, shoes, household items and more!

Exchange items & donate.

Wednesday-Friday, 10 am-3 pm

Praise The Lord Fellowship

576-3079 • 35 NE Arrowhead CV Hwy to Snowflake, turn left on Arrowhead (come to NE corner)

DORCAS DEPOT THRIFT SHOP



All proceeds are used for needs in the community

On Aspen Lane next to Food Share

12 - 4 PM

Wednesdays and Saturdays!

Sponsored by Christmas Valley Community Church

Bag Day Sale January 29th

Lake County Public Transit Operated by Lake Co. Senior Citizens Association

Upcoming trips:

LaPine Shopping Shuttle 1/8 & 1/22 Bend (medical) 1/3, 1/9, 1/16, 1/21, 1/30 Lakeview (medical) 1/2, 1/15, 1/29 Summer Lake Lunch at the Lodge 1/14 and 1/28 Christmas Valley lunch at Lakeside Terrace 1/16

These scheduled trips are **FREE** to all riders- donations are accepted but not required.

For more information Transportation Coordinator @ 541-947-4966 ext. 106

Please be aware that schedule is subject to change If you have OHP, please call GOBHI RideShare at 877-875-4657 for non-emergency medical transport. Veteran Medical trips available

Non Emergency Medical are available to those who have Medicaid, a medical appointment and qualify.

Please call Ecolane @ 877-875-4657 to see if you qualify.

Tuesdays Soup CHRISTMAS VALLEY CV Community Hall Kitchen

at the C.V. Community Hall

For more information call: 541-576-2140 or 650-455-0052.

WEEKEND MARKET

at the Christmas Valley Community Hall • 9AM-5PM

Biscrits & Grayy
Chili Cheese Nachos
and Hot Dogs!

Friday - Saturday

JANUARY

Soup Kitchen Bake Sale

Fine Jewelry• Electronics • Hand Crafted Items and so much MORE!

Vendor Tables Available. \$5.00 per day. For information call Barbara at 541-576-2140 or 650-455-0052



KPAI Radio

Current Programming Schedule is at: www.paisleyschooldistrict.com when you get in there you click on KPAI radio 103.1 FM on the left side.

When you get there choose click here to listen.

The school has classes in radio so they are on the air at times through the day.

COME JOINUS! 1st and 3rd 1st and 3rd Wednesday of Wednesday on each month



SEWING & CRAFTS GROUP

at the "Hank's House"

9:30 am - 3:00 pm \$4.00 each Bring a sack lunch and join us for a fun day. We are sorry we can not allow children due to liability.

> Sandie: 541-815-5683 Kathie: 541-548-8816

Just a Reminder

Hey Folks, The roads are slick and having a 4 wheel drive does not mean you stop any faster. Please slow down for all

Narcotics Anonymous Meeting 7pm Wednesdays Christmas Valley Community Hall (Behind Chevron station on Holly st.)

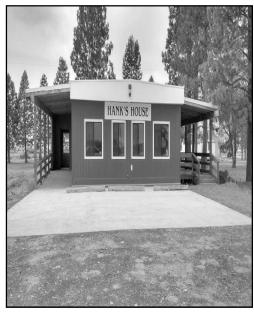


*Speaker meeting last Wednesday of the month

RV & Dry Camping

Christmas Valley Park and Recreation is now offering Dry Camp and RV Camping at the Rodeo Grounds. Due to the limited space available please call our office for pricing and availability.

541-576-2216



How To Rent Hanks House:

The Activity Center at the Outback Retirement Center, Inc. also called "Hanks House" in memory of our founder Mr. Hank Warkentin is now available to the public for private events. The fees are as follows:

- · Kitchen Only: \$50/day
- · Building w/Kitchen: \$100/day
- · Building Only: \$75/day
- · Long term use: To be determined by ORC Board as presented
- · Additional Set-up day: \$30/day
- · A \$100 refundable cleaning fee and proof of insurance will be required

To make reservations or to get additional information: Call 541-576-2225 or Email: outback-retirementcenter@gmail.com

To check out the online calendar to see if your date is open: https://www.outbackretirement-center.org/events-calendar

Renting Hanks House is one way of supporting our mission of providing affordable housing for the elderly. Thank you for your support.





SEASON GREETINGS

The NLHD would like to wish all of you the best in the new year. Blessing to you and your family and may the year 2020 bring you joy, prosperity, good food, good friends, quality time with family and the best of health. Seasons greetings and

Happy New Year!





A Very Happy New Year to all!! From Ann

87142 Christmas Valley Hwy. at the JackRabbit Jct. M-T: 9am - 5pm • TH-F 9am - 5pm

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CHRISTMAS VALLEY MINI STORAGE

PO Box 783, Christmas Valley, OR 97641



10 x 12 \$50/month 12 x 20 \$80/month 20 x 24 \$100/month





Friends of the Library In Need
The Hugger Hat Project
sponsored by the Christmas
Valley Branch Friends of the
Library has donated nearly 2
thousand hats from Madras to
Lakeview. We need more yarn
all weights, colors, types, full
skeins or small balls.
Please drop off donations at the

CV Library or call 541-576-2336 or 541-619-1880



We are Expanding Lake County Public Transit

INNER COURT NOW OFFERING:

- Expanded service through in the North Lake County
- After School Transportation for grades 9-12

PAISLEY: (541) 947-3551 North Lake: (541) 576-4689

SENIOR CENTER NOW OFFERING:

- Weekly trips from Lakeview to Alturas
- Free monthly shopping trips from Christmas Valley to La Pine the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month
- Free day of local transportation in Lakeview scheduled in the 1st Thursday of the Month

CALL (541) 947-4966

... Transit is available for everyone in Lake County. Check out the provider in your area to see what services are available.

If you are ready to QUIT, we are ready to help!



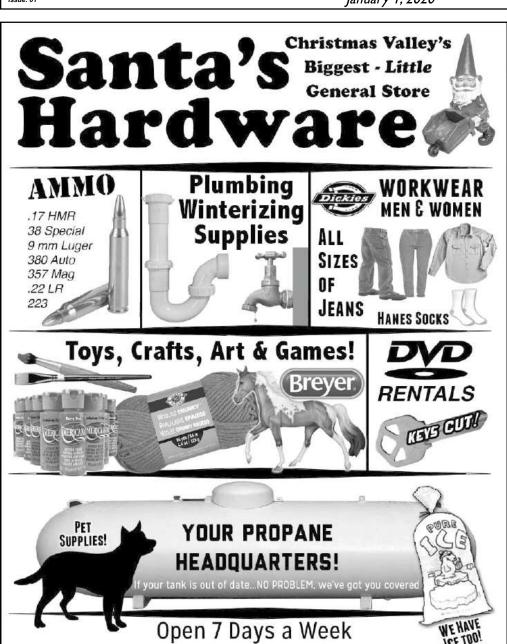
1-800-QUIT-NOW 1-800-784-8669

Christmas Valley Boosters

Invite you to our next meeting!



2nd Monday at 6pm at The Booster's Building (On Aspen, behind the Post Office) See you there!



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For Reservations & Info: **541-576-2309**

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HEATERS



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Your Christmas Valley Health Center!

La Pine Community Health Center 87520 Bay Rd

Christmas Valley, OR 97641

Monday-Thurs 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

Friday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

(Closed 12 pm - 1 pm for Lunch)

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541-460-1000

Places to Eat In Christmas Valley

Farmhouse Cafe
Lakeside Terrace
Coopers Chicken
Lodge
Gifts & More
The Hay Shed

541-576-4000
541-576-2210
541-576-2200
541-576-4452
541-576-3600
541-640-6712

Places to Eat In Fort Rock

Waterin Hole Tavern 541-961-6891 Fort Rock Pub 541-576-3988

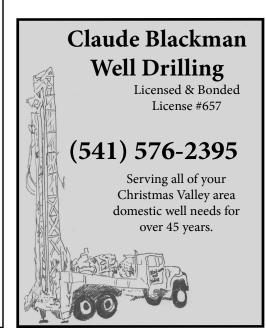
Places to Eat In Silver Lake

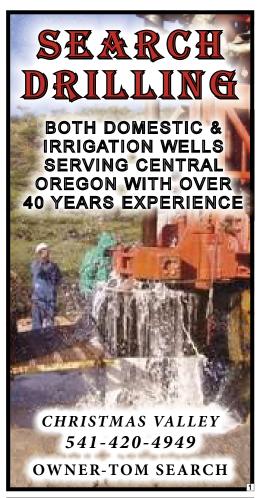
Silver Lake Cafe 541-576-2185 Cowboy Dinner Tree 541-576-2426

Help Fill a Local Need: Volunteer Your Time

Find something in your community that suits you. This community primarily functions through volunteers. We have many new community members and this community can benefit from a little bit of your time. The many new community members tax the already over stretched, long standing volunteers that oil the works of the under supported needs of the north end communities.

If you have questions of how you can help feel free to contact me, Glenna Wade, via Facebook [glennasonly] and I can help you find an activity that suits you. Local business owners live here & hire locally.







Lake County Sheriff's Office

Lake County Sheriff's Office Lake County Courthouse 513 Center Street Lakeview, OR 97630 (541) 947-6027 Michael Taylor. Sheriff

Media Release

Lake County Sheriff's Office K-9 Spyke

In the latter part of November, the Lake County Sheriff's Office purchased a K-9 to assist in the apprehension of suspects involved in felony and various misdemeanor crimes. Spyke is a four (4) year old German Shepperd who will be in training with his handler, Deputy Rachel Bonine, for the next six (6) weeks.

Deputy Bonine and Spyke will be involved in an aggressive training regiment specifically detailed to tracking suspects who flee crime scenes and apprehending those who are resistive and violent. The duo will also be applied in various schools to ensure drugs are not present in the facilities where our children are being educated, ensuring a safe and drug free environment. At the conclusion of the training Deputy Bonine and Spyke will be hitting the streets on February 20, 2020.

Deputy Bonine and Spyke will be assigned to North Lake County, however, will also be utilized as needed throughout Lake County.

Please feel free to come meet Deputy Bonine and Spyke by making an appointment with Deputy Bonine.

Michael Taylor

Michael Taylor Sheriff, Lake County



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Policy: Animals on Park and Rec Properties

Christmas Valley Park and Rec

Christmas Valley Park and Recreation District has adopted a policy concerning pets/animals on Park and Rec properties. This policy is an attempt to keep our facilities an enjoyable place for all users.

When on Christmas Valley Park and Recreation property (including the Rodeo rounds, Golf Course, Play Area, etc.) all domestic animals, whether pets, livestock, or other, must be leashed and/or under the direct control and supervision of their owner/handler.

Horses are not allowed on the Golf Course at any time-EVER!



Any defecation (poop) from the animal must be cleaned up immediately by the owner/ handler. Individuals failing to comply with this policy will be asked to leave Park and Rec property. Animals freely roaming, with no apparent owner/handler in the area may be treated as strays. The proper authorities will then be contacted.

And PLEASE, keep off the Golf Course while the ground is frozen... Especially the greens.



North Lake School District No. 14

57566 Fort Rock Road, Silver Lake, OR 97638 + 541-576-2121 + FAX 541-576-2705

December 16, 2010

At the November 12, 2019 School Board meeting I notified the Board of my decision to retire effective June 30, 2020. After 43 years as a licensed teacher and administrator, it just feels like time.

It has been a pleasure to serve this District for the last seven plus years. I am proud of what we have accomplished together during this time. I am proud of our staff who does so much for a deserving student body.

This is a different district than the one I encountered in April, 2013. Among our many accomplishments have been:

- · Immediately addressing declining financial status
- · Certified staff evaluations procedures and handbook
- · School safety and security measures
- · P-3 Grant and the establishment of our Pre-School
- Professional Learning Communities and Teams (PLC's and PLT's).
 Restructuring the school calendar to allow for these (late start Monday's)
- Re-structuring our Deputy Clerk and Business Management position by contracting with the Lake County ESD (typical for small districts statewide)
- Replacement of gym bleachers
- Restructuring First Student contracts and insurance clarification
- · Bus replacement cycle
- · Continued CTE emphasis
- · Track installation and football facility renovation
- Creating an Alternative Education program
- · May 2019 Bond election and pending construction

It has been my honor to serve and to be a part of the North Lake School District. I feel truly blessed to have been a part of the North Lake family.

Respectfully,

David Kerr, Superintendent
North Lake School District

Did you get that perfect photo that you would just love to share?

send it in to us at

Desertwhispers@yahoo.com.

We will help you share it.

OBITUARY

Timothy "Tim" Lee Warkentin of Christmas Valley, Oregon.

December 20, 1948 - December 22, 2019

A Memorial Service will be held January 3, 2020 at 1:00 p.m. at the Christmas Valley Community Church.

Autumn Funerals Bend handled the arrangements. 541-318-0842. To share condolences and treasured memories go to autumnfunerals.net.

YOUR Neighborhood MARKET

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Christmas Valley

Band of Brothers Breakfasts

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Secretary: Glenna Wade
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Affordable Access To Technology For Seniors Cheap Internet or Computers for Senior and Disabled Persons in Need

Fortunately, there are some companies offering internet and computers at a reduced price for those who cannot otherwise afford them. Of course, many seniors might not need an actual computer, as their phone might be able to handle most everything they would want to do on the internet. Most cell phone plans now have the potential to access the internet. For those who don't currently have internet service or who need a computer, here are some affordable options.

Internet Service

AT&T's cheap internet program called "Access from AT&T" offers high-speed broadband internet service for just \$5 a month. To qualify for this program, at least one person in the home must receive food stamps (SNAP), live within AT&T's 21-state service area, and not have outstanding debt for AT&T's fixed internet service within the last six months. To enroll in Access from AT&T, call 1-855-220-5211 or go online at http://accessatt.solixcs.com/#/home.

Spectrum's "Internet Assist" is an unlimited internet plan for \$14.99 per month that is available in 38 states. This program is aimed at two important groups: seniors 65 and older on SSI and families with students in the National School Lunch Program. To enroll in Spectrum Internet Assist, call 844-525-1574 or go online at charter.com/browse/content/spectrum-internet-assist.

Comcast offers a low-cost internet program called "Internet Essentials" for \$9.95 a month. To qualify, the applicant must fulfill these requirements:

have at least one child in the household that receives reduced or free lunch under the National School Lunch Program not have been a Comcast internet subscriber in the last 90 days not have a Comcast bill over 12 months past due not have any unreturned equipment.

CenturyLink's "Internet Basics" is an affordable internet program at \$9.95 a month for the first year and \$14.95 a month thereafter. Applicants most likely qualify for the Internet Basics program if a) they participate in other governmental assistance programs such as food stamps (SNAP), public housing assistance, Medicaid, Section 8 housing, Supplemental Security Income, various Home Energy Assistance Programs, and National School Lunch; or b) their household income is at or below 135% to 150% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines.



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CHRISTMAS LIGHT SHOW

Photo By: Gari Merrifield





12 floats participated

Winners Commercial:

Point S Tires Individual:

Warkentin's

Farm/Semi:

Robbins Equipment

Non-profit : New Life Fellowship











Calendar For January 2020

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CVFire:	Christmas Va	ılley Fire Hall	certainly other events this	HAPPY NEW YEAR	Нарру	Нарру	
FtRkCC:		mmunity Church	month in the		Birthday	Birthday	
FtRkHM: FtRkGH:	Fort Rock Ho	mestead Museum ange Hall	North Lake		Linda Tsatskowski	Luke Sanders	
LdgSumL:	The Lodge at	: Summer Lake	Area. How-				
NLHD: NLSch:	North Lake H North Lake S	lealth Dist. Complex	ever, these are the ones we				
PnR:		ark & Recreation Office	are aware of at				
SLFire:	Silver Lake F		press-time.	6pm @ CVCHall - NA Mtg.	6pm @ LdgSumL		
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		5:00pm @ NLHD -NLHD Board Mtg.	11:30am @ CVCHall	9am @ NLHD -YOGA		9am @ CVCHall -Weekend Market	9am @ CVCHall -Weekend Market
			-Soup Kitchen	1pm @ CVCHall			
				-CV Water Bd. Mtg			
			5:30pm @ NLHD -YOGA	6pm @ CVCHall -	5:30pm @ CVCHall		
				NA Mtg.	-BINGO		
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			9:30am @ FtRkHM -FRVHS Board Mtg				
		5:30pm @ NLSch Lib -NL School Bd. Mtg.	11:30am @ CVCHall -Soup Kitchen				
		6pm @ Boosters Bldg -Boosters Mtg.	5:30pm @ NLHD				
		7pm @ SL Fire Hall	-YOGA	6pm @ CVCHall - NA Mtg.			
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	26	27	28	29	30	31	
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			5:30pm @ NLHD				subject to
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				6pm @ CVCHall - NA Mtg.			cancellation.
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PUBLIC MEETINGS

Christmas Valley Boosters:

2nd Monday @ 6:00 pm Booster's Building

Christmas Valley / North Lake Chamber of Commerce:

TBD ...

Christmas Valley Fire Board:

3rd Monday @ 7:00 pm CV Fire Hall

Christmas Valley Water Board:

2nd Wednesday @ 1:00 pm CV Community Hall

EMS: 2nd Thursday @ 7:00 pm EMS Building

Fort Rock Grange:

2nd Wednesday @ 6:30 pm Fort Rock Grange Hall, Potluck TBA. 541-576-2335

Fort Rock Historical Society:

2nd Tuesday @ 9:30 am Homestead Museum

FR/SL SWCD: 541-947-5855

Lake Co. Commissioners:

1st & 3rd Wednesday @ 10 am Lake County Courthouse

Lake Co. Hay & Forage Association:

1st Thursday @ 6:00 pm Lodge at Summer Lake

North Lake Health District:

1st Monday @ 5:00 pm NL Health District Conf. Room

Christmas Valley Park & Rec Board:

2nd Tuesday @ 9:00 am Park & Rec. office 541-576-2216

North Lake School Board:

2nd Monday @ 5:30 pm North Lake School Library

Silver Lake Lioness:

2nd Wednesday @ 10:00 am Silver Lake Fire Hall

Silver Lake Rural Fire District:

2nd Monday @ 7:00 pm Silver Lake Fire Hall

If you know of corrections, changes, or additions to this list, please call Park and Rec. at 541-576-2216. or email desertwhispers@yahoo.com

All events, dates, times and locations are subject to change and/or cancellation.

BACK IN THYME

by Linda McCoslin

As we are coming to the close of yet another year, It makes me wonder where time went! It seems as tho the older we get, the faster time flies and I wonder why! Do we just not pay any attention when we are younger? I remember being told as a youngster to enjoy it while you are young because it won't last, now I see what they meant as I find myself wondering where the last few years went and convincing myself to go out and enjoy more of nature and life's experiences while I still can because all the crazy things I did in my youth have returned to tell me I should have been more careful with my physical being than I was. An 89 year old lady told me once - The hardest thing about growing old is your body says you have to slow down while your mind says - but I still feel mentally like I'm 18!! I now understand what she meant.

I hope everyone had a great Thanksgiving and now we have to look forward to Christmas with all it's festivities, family gatherings and the excitement of the young ones.

With God's blessing we should all have a great time. We are having bingo on New Years Eve, with a pot luck which is usually quite fun.

The Light Parade had some really pretty floats this year with a very good turn out. Some of the younger crowd even braved the cold to stand out along the road and cheer them on. I loved the tire Santa from Point S Tires. He was quite amazing, so was the very tall Christmas Tree, all the exhibits were quite well done.

I hope everyone has a Happy New Year and don't make to many resolutions that we can't keep! That seems to happen almost every year. It's hard to believe it's already 2020.

Hopefully it will be a Prosperous, Productive, Healthy and Happy New Year.

God be with you all!!

Linda

Computers

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Those who qualify for AT&T's "Access for AT&T," Comcast's "Internet Essentials," and CenturyLink's "Internet Basics" can purchase a personal computer for \$150. Additionally, CenturyLink's "Internet Basics" program offers free introductory computer education classes to qualified recipients. If the previously mentioned plans are not applicable to your situation, there are still options available to obtain a computer at little to no cost.

Community Centers: Senior community centers provide many support services for seniors. It is a good starting place to see if there are any local resources that offer free computers. Find your local senior center through your State Unit on Aging (SUA) or Area Agency on Aging (AAA). Local Government or Nonprofit Sources: Search online or in your phone book for other government or nonprofit agencies and charitable groups in your town that may offer free computers for seniors. Ask at your library, city hall or civic groups (such as Rotary) for help in locating local, county, and state agencies that may be involved in computer recycling and donation programs. For example, Goodwill has partnered will Dell Computers to recycle donated computers. Call your local Goodwill store or visit in person to find out how to access a refurbished computer.

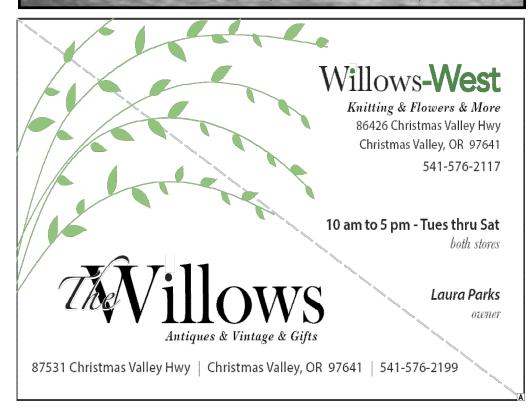
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A New Year's resolution is something that goes in one Year and out the other. - Anonymous.

New Year's Day is every man's birthday. - Charles Lamb .

This bright new year is given me To live each day with zest To daily grow and try to be My highest and my best. -William Arthur Ward.

May the New Year bring new beginnings and happy
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Happy New Year from
Christmas Valley Park and
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North Lake County Church Directory

Christmas Valley Community Church

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Youth Leader: Fred Chugg

www.christmasvalleycommunitychurch.com

Sunday School 9:45am Morning Worship 10:45am

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Sunrise Circle, Christmas VIy 541-977-5296

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Wednesday night 6:00pm

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