



The Reign Continues: Mayor Proclaims "Wildcat Week"

On April 4, Wilsonville Mayor Julie Fitzgerald read a proclamation declaring April 4-8 "Wilsonville Wildcats Week" in recognition of the Wilsonville High School boys' basketball squad's 5A State Championship title. In March, the Wildcats completed a 27-2 season with a 34-30 win over Silverton, providing a story-

book ending to the Wildcats' sixth straight appearance — and fourth win — in the state championship. For the last two years, the State playoffs were canceled as a result of the pandemic. This year's team successfully defended the championship won by Wilsonville when the competition was last held, in 2019.

Wilsonville's Lifeline: Water Treatment Plant Turns 20

Bold Decision to Source Water from Willamette River Still Paying Dividends

In 1999, by a slim margin, Wilsonville voters approved a measure that has proven to be among the most significant in charting the City's course. By a vote of 1868-1615, voters approved \$25 million to start construction of the Willamette River Water Treatment Plant (WRWTP), a facility that is now celebrating 20 years in operation. "Had it gone the other way, I don't know what that course would have been," said Charlotte Lehan, who was the City's mayor when Wilsonville endured a late '90s water shortage. The problem got so dire that Wilsonville briefly put the brakes on any development until a new water source could be found. "We were turning down businesses, developers, and individuals who wanted to be here," Lehan remembers. "Without water we were dead in the water."

Eight groundwater wells that had served as the City's water source since 1969 could no longer keep up with the City's growth. As new demand critically stressed the local aquifer, the water table dropped several feet each year and surrounding agricultural wells were running dry. While studying alternatives, city leaders became

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intrigued by a novel idea to invest in a local water treatment plant that would tap the Willamette River to provide the six million gallons of water used each day. "It was controversial," remembers Lehan, though the City Council was united in its support of the plan. Quoted in a brochure supporting the plan, Lehan

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City, Republic Services to Host Bulky Waste Day on May 14

The City's popular Bulky Waste Day returns on Saturday, May 14, 9 am-1 pm, at Republic Services (10295 SW Ridder Rd.) in Wilsonville. The event is provided in partnership with Republic Services, the City's franchised recycling and waste hauler.

Bulky Waste Day allows Wilsonville residents to dispose of large or unusual items that cannot be picked up curbside. Proof of residence is required. In lieu of charging participants, organizers request that participating residents donate new or unused gift cards in small (\$5-\$20) denominations from local retailers — to help Wilsonville Community Sharing's Food Bank assist local families in need. Bulky Waste Day accepts dishwashers, televisions, refrigerators, computers, monitors, stoves, dryers, water heaters, couches, mattresses, scrap metal, tables



and chairs, and clean, untreated wood. The program does not accept tree debris, construction debris of any type, propane bottles or canisters, paint, batteries, solvents, thinners, household garbage or car tires. For more information contact Matt Baker, City Public Works Supervisor, at mbaker@ci.wilsonville.or.us, 503-570-1548.

Mayor's Message

Taking Time to Thank Those Who Protect Our Freedoms

With May comes Memorial Day, our annual reminder of the ultimate sacrifice made by few, in order that many may enjoy enduring freedom.

I am a military mom. My oldest son, Adam, is on active duty in the US Army. He deployed with his family to Korea two years ago.

My 13-year-old grandson, Aiden, has kept busy overseas by entering (and winning!) two military essay contests. This excerpt from one of his essays, written when he was 11, opens a window to the experience of being a kid who grows up in a military family:

"Being a military kid means developing perseverance and acceptance skills while also having a lot of cool opportunities. When my dad is gone, I have to be willing to persevere. It's hard to have a parent who goes away a lot because you don't spend as much time with them as you like. But over the years, he's been away so long and so many times that you kind of settle into the chaos. Being in quarantine has taught me about acceptance. Sometimes you just need to accept everything that's going on around you, follow the rules and, once again, settle into the chaos. Military kids are good at this because we experience a lot of change. Every military kid should know how 'new kid day' feels and because of that most of us are friendly to new kids we meet in school, in the neighborhood and all around."

Of course, the more we know about others, the better we can appreciate, understand and support them. So I encourage you to join me this month in finding a meaningful way to engage with an active service member, veteran or a military family.

A wonderful starting point is a visit to the Oregon Korean War Memorial in Town Center Park. It's a beautiful spot to visit and reflect. Typically, Memorial Day in Wilsonville includes a remembrance ceremony at the War Memorial that is worth attending for solemn reflection and a show of gratitude for those who served and sacrificed.

Recently, Wilsonville Town Center welcomed the Army National Guard's new recruiting office. That's another great place to gain perspective from those in service to our country. My youngest military friend is Araxi, a former Wilsonville High School soccer player who joined the Army National Guard. While in service, she's completing her degree at the University of Oregon, and has plans to attend law school. She's a true leader with an exciting future.

I consider myself fortunate to live near and among many military veterans, many of whom are friends. I appreciate hearing their stories, and learning about the selfless work many are doing to support other veterans in need.

As Memorial Day approaches, let us never take for granted the sacrifice so many individuals and families made so that we may live peacefully and free. This month, I encourage you join me in reflection, and in sharing your appreciation for those working to protect our freedoms.

Julie Fitzgerald, Mayor



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Retired Wilsonville Librarian Steven Engelfried Earns Distinguished Service Award



The Distinguished Service Award is presented annually to acknowledge the exceptional service of an Oregon librarian or library staff member who has been in the profession for at least 15 years (including 10 or more in Oregon libraries), and who is currently a member of OLA.

“I’m honored to receive this award,” said Engelfried. “When I think back about those 35 years, what I’m most proud of is just being part of the public library world. We do so much to make these little buildings such an important part of our communities.”

Engelfried spent 11 years at the Wilsonville Library, most recently as Library Services Manager, before retiring in February of this year. In numerous support letters, he was described by peers as an innovator, supportive of staff, an excellent performer, warm-hearted, and a “star.”

“Steven has always kept the needs of children and families at the center of his work,” wrote Elsa Loftis, OLA Honors and Awards Committee Chair, in a press release acknowledging his receipt of the award. “He encourages creativity, collaboration, and exploration from his staff, which positively impacts every program. His heart for service and passion for children’s services over the last 35 years have been outstanding.”

A master puppeteer and storyteller, and a respected authority on youth literature, Engelfried was a contributor to the Wilsonville Library’s innovative and well-loved Children’s programming, and an advocate for early-childhood education programs. His other career highlights include work in Multnomah County’s Early Childhood Resources Department as a Raising a Reader Coordinator, and service on the Caldecott and Newberry Award Committees.

The Oregon Library Association has awarded its 2022 Distinguished Service Award to recently-retired Wilsonville librarian Steven Engelfried, recognizing an exemplary library services career that spanned nearly 35 years.



First Annual #BestofWilsonville Photo Contest: A Grand Success

Frog Pond Church on Boeckman Rd. was the subject of Charlie Hyman’s photograph (left) that was chosen as the Grand Prize winner among the more than 400 photos submitted in the City’s first annual #BestofWilsonville Photo Contest.

Prizes were awarded in 10 contest categories after very difficult deliberation by the City’s panel of eight contest judges.

Photos were submitted by community members at “Let’s Talk, Wilsonville!” and on Instagram. The contest was promoted in the Boones Ferry Messenger and on social media.

The contest was conceived to help the City gather images to include in its upcoming Annual Report, 2022-23 Budget, and Annual Comprehensive Financial Report.

“When I was teaching photography and computer Science at Wilsonville High School, I would pass the church every day on my way to work in the early dawn, and the lights in the belfry always caught my attention,” Hyman said.

“One day, I happened to have my camera with me and captured this image of the church during a spectacular sunrise.”

To view a collection of more prize-winning photos and those receiving honorable mentions, visit letstalkwilsonville.com.



8200 SW Wilsonville Road
503-682-2744
WilsonvilleLibrary.org

First Friday Films return May 6

Watch the latest releases, from blockbusters to independent films, for free on our big screen. On the first Friday of the month, the Library screens a movie that is new, interesting, and difficult to stream online. Snacks are available with a donation, or viewers can bring their own.



Friday, May 6, 6-8 pm.
In-person in the Library’s Rose Room.
WilsonvilleLibrary.org/films

A Will Is Not Enough in Oregon

Local attorney Benjamin Rasche shares practical advice on how to safeguard your assets and ensure your health care wishes are considered. Learn about wills, living trusts, power of attorney, and more. Bring your questions!



Wednesday, May 4, 11 am-12:30 pm
Sign up to receive the Zoom meeting code.
WilsonvilleLibrary.org/classes

Check Out Our Board Games!

Looking for something fun to do that isn’t another movie binge? Go old school with a board game!



The library has a wide variety of popular American and European board games in our Library of Things collection that are available to check out. Classic and modern games include:

- Settlers of Catan
- Ticket to Ride
- Carcassonne
- Pictionary
- ...and many more!

Browse the games in-person, or place a hold online.

Learn more about the Library of Things:
WilsonvilleLibrary.org/LOT

Summer Reading Program Set to Return in June

This summer, “Read Beyond the Beaten Path” with the Summer Reading Program.

All ages are invited to participate! Read throughout the summer, try your hand at science explorations, and qualify for fantastic prize drawings. Don’t miss this!

WilsonvilleLibrary.org/SRP



Upcoming Classes and Events



Storytime at the Barn

In-person at the Stein-Boozier Barn in Memorial Park
Come dressed for the weather!
Masks strongly advised
Wednesday, May 4, at 10:30 am
WilsonvilleLibrary.org/storytime

Toddler & Baby Time

Interactive stories, songs, rhymes, and play.
Tuesdays at 10:30 am
Live on Zoom and YouTube
Through May 24
WilsonvilleLibrary.org/storytime

Teen Weekly Events

Drop in for games, snacks, prizes, and more!
Wednesdays, 3-6 pm
For students in grades 6-12
In person at the library
WilsonvilleLibrary.org/teens

Article Club

Live discussion with our reference librarians
Wednesday, May 11, 1-1:30 pm
On Zoom: 801-104-467
WilsonvilleLibrary.org/articleclub

Visit our website for more events:
WilsonvilleLibrary.org



Wilsonville's Water Plant Turns 20

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told voters "Don't be misled by unfounded fears. The more you know about the Willamette, the better it looks from every perspective."

Nevertheless, opponents were concerned about the safety of Willamette River water. They worried that agricultural runoff might include chemical and biological pollutants, favoring a more costly (and less cohesive) plan to seek water from the Bull Run Watershed.

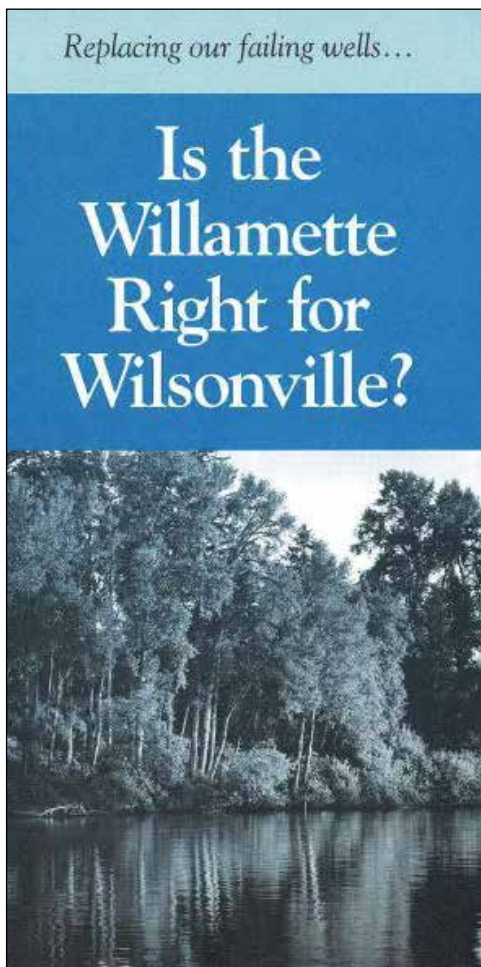
Though Corvallis was already drawing a small portion of its drinking water from the Willamette, Wilsonville became the first city to rely on the river as its primary water source when voters approved the plan to tap the Willamette.

In 2000, in collaboration with the Tualatin Valley Water District, construction began on the City's state-of-the-art Willamette River Water Treatment Plant.

The ground-breaking decision yielded immediate benefits. With the moratorium on development lifted, construction on Coffee Creek Correctional Facility resumed. Coca-Cola soon consolidated bottling operations in Wilsonville because the treated water is so consistent. Construction began to develop the Villebois neighborhood and Old Town Square.

"The tremendously bold and visionary decision to utilize water rights on the Willamette River has proven to be one of the most important decisions in the city's history," said Chris Neamtzu, the City's Community Development Director.

The project continues to pay dividends. The



This brochure circulated before the 1999 election encouraged voters to back a plan to draw water from the Willamette River.

WRWTP has remained such a reliable water source for Wilsonville and Sherwood that the cities of Hillsboro, Beaverton, Tigard and the Tualatin Valley Water District created the Willamette Water Supply Program (WWSP). A deal was negotiated with Wilsonville allowing them access the intake on the river.

The \$1.3 billion WWSP project is now underway to underground more than 30 miles of water pipeline to deliver water from the Willamette to these west-side communities. The program is funding seismic improvements at the plant and improvements to Arrowhead Creek Park.

When complete in 2026, the Willamette Water Supply will be one of Oregon's most seismically-resilient systems, providing large areas of Washington County with safe, clean, consistent, and reliable drinking water.

"Our elected officials had this great vision 20 years ago. They saw the future," said Delora Kerber, the City's Public Works Director. "Now everyone knows that using the Willamette was a good idea."

The Willamette River Water Treatment Plant is operated and maintained by Veolia North America, whose employees treat and finish the water, and are responsible for regular testing and compliance with state and federal regulations. The Plant was recently awarded Outstanding Performer Status from the Oregon Health Authority's Drinking Water division.

And those old groundwater wells? They're still maintained as a secondary water source in the event of emergency.

Lehan considers the construction of the WRWTP

among her greatest accomplishments during her 12-year tenure as the City's mayor.

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"We were stuck with no plan B, let alone a plan C," Lehan said. "The vote not only saved the day, but it put us in the catbird seat. Having our own plant controlled our costs and has given us stability and a high-quality drinking water source."

SMART Earns Innovation Award for Bus-On-Shoulder Pilot Project



Each year, the Oregon Transit Association (OTA) recognizes individuals and agencies for significant contributions to public transportation in Oregon.

This year, for the second time in three years, Wilsonville's South Metro Area Regional Transit (SMART) received OTA's System Innovation Award. The honor recognizes SMART's collaboration with the Oregon Department of Transportation to launch "Bus-on-Shoulder," a pilot program that allows SMART buses to ride the highway shoulder on a portion of the I-5 corridor between the I-205 interchange and Elligsen Rd. The project is designed to yield more reliable travel during peak hours for riders traveling between Wilsonville and Tualatin.

Previously, in 2019, SMART was recognized for being the first small urban transit agency in Oregon to acquire and fully implement the operation of two battery-electric (EV) buses.

SMART

SOUTH METRO AREA REGIONAL TRANSIT

503-682-7790 RideSMART.com
28879 SW Boberg Road



Walk & Roll to School on May 4

SMART encourages Wilsonville Schools to promote walking and rolling throughout May.

National Bike to School Day is Wednesday, May 4. Get bikes (and scooters, too!) tuned up and ready to ride to school that day. SMART's Bike Fairies will be out placing fairy bags on bicycles. These bags include safety items, such as reflective shoe laces and helmet stickers.

Our Safe Routes to Schools team encourages students to 'walk and roll' for transportation and exercise. We're asking students (K-8) to illustrate why they walk and roll. Winners receive a Walk & Roll goodie bag. Submit artwork by June 15 to walkrolloreregon@gmail.com. Learn more at Oregonsaferoutes.org/art-contests

Driver Shortage Results in Temporary Suspension of Two Routes



Like many transit agencies across the country, SMART has been experiencing a severe driver shortage. Though we're successfully hiring new drivers, we want to ensure our drivers are the safest on the road, and training takes time.

Therefore, SMART is temporarily suspending the Medical Shuttle to Legacy Meridian Park Medical Center and Route 7 service, which serves Villebois during commute hours. SMART will supplement these suspended services with Dial-a-Ride until service is scheduled to resume on July 5.

For trips to Legacy Meridian Park Medical Center, please call at least one day in advance to schedule a free ride at 503-682-7790.

SMART is continuing to operate the Villebois Shopper Shuttle every hour each weekday from 9 am to 4 pm. On weekends, the shuttle operates every other hour. Outside of these times, Villebois residents may call to schedule Dial-a-Ride service while Route 7 is suspended.

Thank you for your patience and your patronage in riding SMART.

Suspensión Temporal de Rutas

SMART ha estado experimentando una grave escasez de conductores, similar a muchas agencias de tránsito en todo el país. La contratación de conductores ha tenido éxito recientemente, pero la capacitación lleva tiempo y queremos asegurarnos de que nuestros conductores sean los más seguros en la carretera. Por lo tanto, SMART suspenderá temporalmente el Servicio de Transporte Médico al Centro Médico Legacy Meridian Park y el servicio de la Ruta 7, que sirve a Villebois durante las horas de viaje. SMART complementará estos servicios suspendidos con Dial-a-Ride; consulte la información adicional a continuación. Esperamos reanudar el servicio para Medical Shuttle y la Ruta 7 el 5 de julio de 2022.

Para viajes al Centro Médico Legacy Meridian Park, llámenos y programe un viaje gratis al 503-682-7790. Llame al menos un día o hasta dos semanas antes para programar un viaje.

SMART sigue ofreciendo servicio a Villebois con el Villebois Shopper Shuttle que opera cada hora de lunes a viernes de 9:00 a. m. a 4:00 p. m. y cada dos horas los sábados de 9:00 a. m. a 4:00 p. m. Llame a nuestra oficina con anticipación para un viaje desde Villebois fuera de este horario para programar un Dial-a-Ride.

Gracias por su paciencia y su patrocinio en montar SMART.



Take Actions Now to Protect Against Wildfires

The 2020 wildfire season was one of the most devastating in Oregon's history, burning roughly 1.2 million acres and destroying more than 5,000 homes state-wide.

In Clackamas County, the Riverside Incident (138,054 acres, 139 structures lost and 4 injuries) and the Clackamas Fire Complex (11,210 acres) fires left a lasting impact close to home, and served to remind us of the importance of being prepared when wildfires threaten our region again.



One of most critical steps you can take is to create a defensible space around your home by reducing or removing flammable materials near your home. Remove pine needles, dry leaves and other highly-flammable materials. Trim branches that hang over your home, and remove any leaves, needles, and sticks from your roof and gutters. Also, keep wood piles and propane tanks at least 30 feet from homes.

Visit [PublicAlerts.org](https://www.wilsonville.gov/public-alerts) to sign up to receive emergency notifications, including evacuation warnings, by text or email. You can select geographic locations and the types of alerts you'd like to receive. If conditions warrant an evacuation, local law enforcement and fire districts will coordinate with Public Alerts to define the affected areas and send notice.

Oregon's "Ready, Set, Go" evacuation system defines three warning levels to help people prepare in the event evacuation becomes necessary:

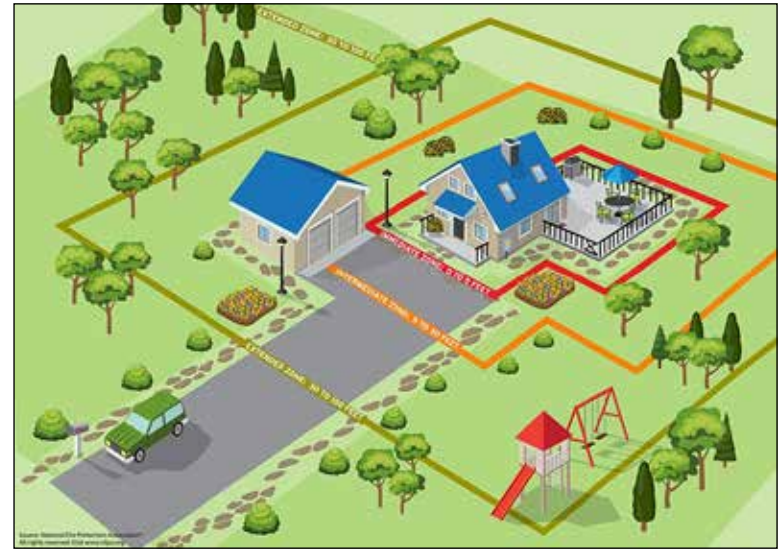
Level 1: GET READY. Evacuation may become necessary. Be aware of the danger and monitor emergency services websites and local media outlets. Consider precautionary evacuation of people with special needs, mobile property, pets or livestock.

Level 2: GET SET to evacuate. Evacuation may be required at a moment's notice; there is significant danger in your area. Consider voluntarily relocating to a shelter or with family and friends outside of the affected area. If choosing to remain, to be ready to leave

instantly. Gather necessary items at your own risk. If conditions rapidly deteriorate, you may not receive further notice.

Level 3: GO! Evacuate now! Leave immediately! Danger is imminent, and emergency services may not be available to assist you further. DO NOT delay leaving to gather any belongings or make efforts to protect your home.

Our partners at Clackamas County Disaster Management maintain an interactive web map that allows residents to track fire locations and current evacuation status in real time. Bookmark the map and find more useful wildfire information at clackamas.us/wildfires



May's 'Go Bag' Challenge

Wilsonville Ready is covering the basics of building a go bag. Later this year, we'll give away Wilsonville Ready phone chargers to up to 100 residents who successfully complete their own bag.

This month's challenge: Take a video of your home

and property that shows the exterior, interiors and potential valuables. This can be used as documentation for insurance claims that may arise after a fire. After you have documented your property, transfer the file to an encrypted thumb drive and place it in your Go Bag. Update the video each year.

Camps Provide Women a Chance to Explore Firefighting Careers

Portland Metro Fire Camps provide an all-encompassing introduction to a rewarding career for young women 16 to 22.



Fire Camp is designed to instill confidence while building leadership and team skills.

Participants learn what it takes to be a firefighter while completing hands-on training in hose and ladder skills, vehicle extrication, search and rescue, ropes and knots, live-fire operations, aerial ladder climbs, forcible entry, emergency medical skills, and other firefighting tasks.

They also receive instruction from professional female firefighters from multiple agencies on how to

prepare for interviews and gain insight on what it's like to have a career in the fire service as well as the importance of good nutrition and physical fitness.

This free fire camp is offered twice this summer:

- July 8-10 at the Portland Fire & Rescue Training Center in Portland.
- July 15-17 at Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue's Training Center in Sherwood.



Applications are now being accepted. The deadline to apply for either camp is May 30 at midnight. Space is limited. Notification is being mailed to those selected to participate during the week of June 1.

Applications and more information are available at portlandmetrofirecamp.com.



Parks & Rec Administration
29600 SW Park Pl.
503-783-7529

Community Center
7965 SW Wilsonville Rd.
503-682-3727

In-Person Lunch Returns to Community Center

The Community Center Nutrition Program is pleased to announce the return of in-person congregate lunch.

Beginning on May 18, meals are being served at the Center on Wednesdays and Fridays at noon.

Donations (\$3.50 for those 60 and over; \$4.25 for others) are encouraged, but not required. Additional days are to be added as demand dictates and volunteer involvement allows.



Join A New Alzheimer's Support Group

This new group meets the second Tuesday of each month to provide support, education, and community for those who are caring for a person diagnosed with some form of dementia, such as Alzheimer's disease.

Participants are encouraged to share their journey, knowledge, and questions.

Meetings take place 1- 2:30 pm at the Charbonneau Activity Center (32000 SW Charbonneau Drive) in the Kalapuya Room.

Contact Sadie Wallenberg at 503-570-1526 for more information.

Summer Registration is Now Available!

Summer registration is now underway! Many programs fill to capacity, so early registration is encouraged!

This year's youth summer camps include Skyhawk's outdoor sport camps, Anthony Newman Sports Camps, YMCA Camps, Mad Science Camps, Chess Wizards, Coyle Outdoors Adventure Camps, and Soccer Shots camps.

Browse and register for programs online at WilsonvilleParksandRec.com (look for the blue 'Register Online' button!)

Virtual Reality Fitness: Beat Saber

Looking for a fun workout, and interested in trying something a little different? Try a new electronic-based workout using the Oculus Virtual Reality system.

The Beat Saber game allows class members to enjoy a workout as easy or as challenging as they can handle. The game can be played seated or standing, and provides a fun upper-body or full-body workout.

The class meets 1-2 pm each Tuesday, from May 10 to June 28, at the Community Center. The cost is \$25 for eight sessions; pre-registration is required.

Wilsonville Family Fairy Dance: June 3-4

Tickets are now available for the Wilsonville Family Fairy Dance, to be held June 3-4 at the Stein-Boozier Barn in Murase Plaza.

Each night features a live DJ, dancing, a photo booth, prize giveaways, and more!

Tickets can be purchased for \$20 online at WilsonvilleParksandRec.com using course #10328 (Friday) or course #10329 (Saturday).

Don your finest flower crown, toadstool beret, and fairy wings and join Wilsonville Parks and Recreation for an evening of fairy magic!



Upcoming Classes and Events

Dance Fitness

Ages 13+
Tuesdays, May 10-June 28
6-7 pm
Community Center
\$75

Gentle Flow Yoga

Ages 13+
Tuesdays, May 10-June 28
7:15-8:15 pm
Community Center
\$77

Restorative Yoga

Ages 13+
Thursdays, May 12-June 30
5:30-6:30 pm
Community Center
\$77

Oil Painting: Crimson Tide

Ages 12+
Saturday, May 14
10 am-2 pm
Parks and Rec Admin
\$50

Learn to Skate Day

All ages
Saturday, May 21
10 am-1 pm
Memorial Park Skate Park
No Charge

Visit our website for more events:

WilsonvilleParksandRec.com

POLICE CHIEF'S CORNER

Make Sure Your Teen Driver is Ready: a Few Tips and Guidelines

My daughter just turned 16 and got her driver's license. Whenever she drives off, I admit I'm concerned about her driving ability.

Driving is dangerous. According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Association (NHTSA) someone dies in a traffic crash every 15 minutes.

As I work through concerns about my own teen driving, there's no better time to pass on some tips to other parents living through the same experience.

It is unlawful to operate a motor vehicle while operating a mobile device.

This continues to rank as a top problem. We love our cell phones, but using one while driving makes you four times more likely to be in a collision — even higher for teens. For teens under 18, even using a hands-free device is a violation.

New drivers under the age of 20 may take no passengers for the first six months unless they are an immediate family member.

No driving between midnight and 5 am is permitted unless:

- Driving between home and work
- Driving between home and school event for which no other transport is available
- Driving for employment purposes
- Driving accompanied by a licensed driver at least 25 years of age.



Police Chief Rob Wurpes

After 6 months, a new driver may have no more than 3 passengers under 20. Passenger and night restrictions end after one year or at age 18, whichever comes first.

Violating these rules can result in fines, increased insurance rates, or suspension. I believe it's important to remind kids that driving is a privilege, not a right.

Other tips:

- Your training shouldn't stop once your teen has a license. Keep engaging them with various scenarios and driving conditions.
- Engage teens with tips on important basic maintenance, such checking tire pressure, oil, wiper fluid, wipers and other safety-related checks.
- Set a good example. As a parent you are a powerful role model. Watch your speed, come to complete stops, use your signal and seat belt. Don't use your phone or yell at other drivers.
- Explore technology options related to speed, location, and other driving habit information monitoring.
- Set family agreements about drug/alcohol impaired driving, seat belt use and distracted driving.

It's my hope that all parents see their children that make it through their teenage years without a major crash. You can help by discussing these guidelines and discouraging your kids from ever driving while distracted or impaired.

Chief Robert Wurpes

Participate in Planning Wilsonville's Next Great Neighborhoods at Frog Pond

The Frog Pond East and South Master Plan sets the stage for Wilsonville's next great neighborhoods.



The City's master planning process identifies the types and locations of the homes, parks, open spaces, streets, trails and neighborhood amenities to be built over the next 10-20 years. The extensive process also identifies water, sewer, stormwater, and transportation infrastructure needs and funding sources.

This long-term plan is informed by analysis of area housing trends and existing inventory in order to ensure the development of residences that meet the community's future needs and provide opportunities for a broad cross-section of people who wish to live in Wilsonville.

Planners are providing several opportunities for community stakeholders to give input on the project in the coming months before the Frog Pond East and South Master Plan is to be finalized for the City Council's consideration in December.

This month, the community can participate in one

or more of the following ways:

Community workshop: Join planners at a virtual community workshop on Thursday, May 12, at 6 pm. Visit [LetsTalkWilsonville.com](https://www.letstalkwilsonville.com) for a direct link and additional details.

Online survey: Visit [LetsTalkWilsonville.com](https://www.letstalkwilsonville.com) by May 15 to complete a brief survey that queries stakeholders about the preferred locations of several housing types.

Individual and small group meetings: Do you have a unique perspective about housing the City needs to hear? Planners are seeking individuals and small groups with diverse backgrounds to share their experience with Wilsonville housing and their hopes for future housing. The format is flexible, and could include one-on-one or small group sessions. Contact Daniel Pauly or Georgia McAlister (contact info below) to arrange a meeting.

Visit [LetsTalkWilsonville.com](https://www.letstalkwilsonville.com) to remain up to date on the Frog Pond East and South Master Plan or contact Daniel Pauly, 503-570-1536, pauly@ci.wilsonville.or.us; or Georgia McAlister, 503-570-1573, gmcaster@ci.wilsonville.or.us.

Frog Pond Master Planning Workshop (Virtual)
Thu, May 12, 6 pm
[LetsTalkWilsonville.com](https://www.letstalkwilsonville.com)

New Peace Pole Unveiled at City Hall

City staff, elected officials and representatives of the Wilsonville Rotary attended a ceremonial unveiling of a Peace Pole in March at Wilsonville City Hall.

Peace Poles carrying the message "May Peace Prevail On Earth" have been planted in every region and continent on Earth to encourage and support peace around the world.

The message is printed in English, Spanish, Mandarin, Arabic, Russian, Japanese, Korean, and Hindi. The message is also communicated in braille.

Near right: Mayor Julie Fitzgerald, Council President Kristin Akervall and Wilsonville Rotary President Curt Kipp. Far Right: Mandi Lee and Lilly Boehr of the Wilsonville Rotary's Interact Club.



Community Voices

What is Ramadan? DEI Chair Provides His Own Perspective

By Imran Haider

Throughout my life, I've been asked many questions about Ramadan, the 30-day fast observed each spring by Muslims worldwide.

During Ramadan, from dawn until dusk, participants abstain from eating, drinking (including water), smoking, or other behavior that would compromise a positive mental focus. Fasting is not recommended for those on medication, with existing health conditions, pregnant, or "of young age" (i.e. not yet able to understand why fasting occurs).



I have participated in fasting month for more than 25 years and I still have anxiety around this simple question: *will I be able to do it this year for these long days?*

The routine changes slightly each day, as sunrise comes earlier and sunset later. Typically, I'll wake up to eat sehri (pre-fast meal) before 5 am, and maybe go back to sleep for an hour. Nearly 16 hours later, the day revolves around preparing dinner and iftar, the traditional breaking of fast.

In between, the day goes where it goes. Teaching, working from home, watching/participating in sports, or hanging with friends and family. Ramadan has never adversely affected my work performance or kept me from playing basketball, volleyball, tennis, or golf (which has always perplexed and amazed me!)

Participants worldwide may have different motivations for participating and very individual thoughts about why Ramadan exists. In my eyes, it is about discipline and hitting the metaphorical reset button once per year. Mental discipline is important to me, and my sacrifice helps me to appreciate the magnificent resources we have at our fingertips each day, and to consider what I may be taking for granted.

How many people in the world do not have access to food and water today? How often do we throw food and beverage away and not think twice? Am I treating everyone with the level of respect they deserve?

My intention in writing this is not to persuade anyone to fast or to shame those who don't, but rather to help people understand what the month is about, and to share how my life benefits from this annual opportunity to reset.

I would also hope that sharing this helps business leaders and managers thoughtfully consider their employees who observe Ramadan. For example, for several years I taught at a university that hosted its annual picnic during Ramadan. For eight years, my choice was to attend and not eat or to not attend and look like a disconnected employee of a school I loved. It was challenging.

My participation gives me gratitude. I am thankful for a hot shower, and for the coffee I enjoy 11 months a year! I am grateful for close friends, family, and the many other relationships I value. My sacrifice puts my life in perspective. Even without all the money, fine jewelry, vacations, or nice clothes we want, we can always be thankful for clean running water, homes, beds, food on our plates, electricity, and — most importantly — the people who care about us. These are what matters, and there are many people in the world who don't have half the things on this short list.

Wilsonville resident Imran Haider is a college professor and chair of the City's Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee. This year, observance of Ramadan began on April 2 and concludes on May 2.

Learn more about the work of the DEI Committee at [letstalkwilsonville.com/dei](https://www.letstalkwilsonville.com/dei) or contact staff liaison Zoe Mombert at 503-570-1503.

Two City Council Seats to be Contested in Fall Election



Two seats on the five-member Wilsonville City Council are to be contested during the fall general election on Tuesday, Nov. 8. The current four-year terms of Councilor Charlotte Lehan and Councilor Ben West expire on Dec. 31, 2022.

Wilsonville City Council seats are non-partisan, four-year terms. Candidates are elected at-large, meaning the two candidates receiving the most votes among all candidates win.

Candidates may file with Wilsonville’s City Recorder, Kimberly Veliz, between June 1 and Aug. 23. Interested applicants are strongly encouraged to contact Veliz for details on the process. Materials outlining the election process are available at ci.wilsonville.or.us/elections

To qualify, candidates must be registered voters living within Wilsonville city limits for at least 12 months prior to Election Day. Guidelines require each prospective candidate to submit a pre-approved

petition including at least 20 signatures from registered voters who reside within city limits. Signatures must be verified by the City Recorder.

Candidates are encouraged to obtain more signatures than required to ensure a sufficient number are valid. Signatures are invalid if a person is not a registered voter, has recently moved to the community and did not re-register, or lives outside the City limits. Additionally, candidates may need to submit a contribution and expenditure report to the Secretary of State.

The City’s Aug. 23 deadline ensures that the City Recorder has sufficient time to verify signatures and provide candidates an opportunity to correct or obtain additional signatures before the State of Oregon’s filing deadline.

For additional information, please contact Kimberly Veliz, City Recorder, 503-570-1506, cityrecorder@ci.wilsonville.or.us.



The current four-term Councilors for Ben West and Charlotte Lehan conclude in Dec. 2022.

Are You Satisfied in Wilsonville? Take the Biennial Community Survey

A biennial survey to gauge residents’ satisfaction and attitudes about their quality of life in Wilsonville is underway.

The City of Wilsonville is once again partnering with Polco to administrate the National Community Survey. This process has been undertaken every two years since 2012 to gauge community satisfaction. Participants are asked to evaluate the quality of many City services and amenities, and to assess their quality of life in Wilsonville.

Biennial Community Survey
May 18-June 1
polco.us/wilsonvilleor22open

“The National Community Survey is instrumental in helping us identify where City services are hitting the mark and where improvement may be needed,” City Manager Bryan Cosgrove said. “By offering residents the opportunity to participate every two years, our City Council is better equipped to respond quickly as opinions change over time.”

A random sample of Wilsonville residents has already been invited to participate in the survey. Polco’s methodology produces a consistent, statistically significant set of data that City staff and elected officials can evaluate to measure satisfaction, observe trends over time, and identify where improvements may be needed.

Additionally, residents are invited to opt-in to an online version of the survey that allows the City to gather additional feedback from a larger cross-section of residents. Results are to be analyzed and provided to the City Council this summer.

To participate, visit polco.us/wilsonvilleor22open between May 18 and June 1, when the survey will be open to all residents.

For more information, contact Zoe Mombert, Assistant to the City Manager, at 503-570-1503.

Budget Committee Set to Approve 2022-23 Budget This Month

The City of Wilsonville’s Budget Committee is meeting this month to finalize a Fiscal Year (FY) 2022-23 budget for Council adoption.

Wednesday, May 18, 6-10 pm, City Hall: The Budget Committee convenes for the initial review of the City’s Proposed Budget for FY 2022-23. The Committee inspects aspects of the budget, hears public testimony and completes initial deliberation.

Thursday, May 19, 6-10 pm, City Hall: Deliberation continues and the City’s Urban Renewal Agency budget is considered. The public may address the Committee regarding either budget. At the end of this meeting, the Budget Committee may approve and recommend the budget for City Council adoption or

convene a third meeting.

Tuesday, May 24, 6-10 pm, City Hall: Held in the event the committee needs additional time to review and approve the FY 2022-23 budget.

Once approved by the Budget Committee, the City’s annual budget is forwarded to the City Council for deliberation and potential adoption at a public hearing on Monday, June 6, 7 pm at City Hall.

The Budget Committee consists of Wilsonville’s five City Councilors and five appointed citizens at large (Katie Hamm, Shawn O’Neil, Sam Scull, Alicia Moulton, TBD).

For more information about the City’s budget and fiscal planning, see ci.wilsonville.or.us/Budget

Notable Actions: City Boards and Commissions

City Council	Action	What it Means
April 4	The Council approved a \$605,000 construction agreement with Northstar Electrical Contractors, Inc. to complete the first residential phase of the LED Fixture Conversion project.	This city-wide project is replacing about 750 high-pressure sodium (HPS) streetlights throughout Wilsonville with energy-efficient Light Emitting Diode (LED) lighting.
April 4	To fund the purchase and installation of playground equipment, shelters and unitary surfacing in Villebois Regional Parks 7 and 8, the Council approved a \$450,000 contract with Northwest Playgrounds.	This new equipment and other amenities are expected to be installed, and the parks substantially complete, before the end of fall.
April 4	The Council adopted two amendments that annex and rezone 12.8 acres in the Frog Pond West neighborhood.	These actions accommodate the development of the 38-lot Frog Pond Vista residential sub-division, consistent with the Frog Pond West Master Plan.
April 4	The Council authorized a \$200,000 contract with Jarrett Walker and Associates, LLC, to develop an updated Transit Master Plan for SMART Transit and the City of Wilsonville.	The Transit Master Plan update is to address new technologies, grant funding opportunities, and recommendations for additional projects to advance SMART’s mission.
Mar. 21	The Council adopted a resolution that approves a \$305,000 contract with Cummings Construction Management Group.	The company is providing owner representative and construction management Services for the Public Works Complex Project.
Mar. 21	The Council adopted the selection of public accounting firm Grove, Mueller, & Swank P.C. to perform auditing services.	The contract is to provide auditing services for the City and the Wilsonville Urban Renewal Agency for three years.
Mar. 21, April 4	The Council voted to appoint Amanda Guile-Hinman as Wilsonville’s new City Attorney (3/21) and approved her employment agreement (4/4)	Formerly Wilsonville’s Assistant City Attorney (2016-2020), Guile-Hinman is to succeed retired City Attorney Barbara Jacobson.

New System in Place for Business License Renewals

Wilsonville’s Business License renewal period occurs each June, as all local business licenses expire on June 30 each year.

This year, the City of Wilsonville has implemented a new, more convenient permitting system to support the collection of annual business license fees and other transactions. This improvement replaces an antiquated system installed in 2005.

The new system allows the City to process license renewal fees and accept new applications online, via an intuitive, mobile-friendly website.

To expedite payment of renewal fees, an online account must be established. The system requires a valid e-mail address connected to each business.

The City is mailing renewal application forms to all currently licensed businesses starting the first week of June that will provide additional details.

You can access the new portal at ci.wilsonville.or.us/online-portal to set up an online account that connects your business. The new system generates an invoice and a receipt any time a transaction occurs on the account.

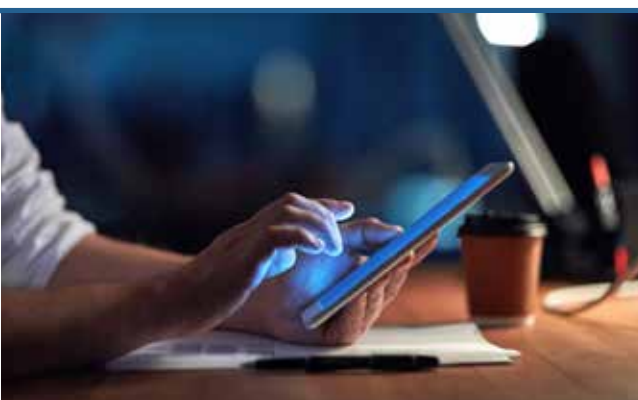
If your business has an e-mail address preferable to the one we have on file, include it when establishing your account, list it on your tax filing form, or e-mail licenses@ci.wilsonville.or.us.

The City’s new portal may also be used to schedule permitting and inspections with our Community Development staff.

If we can answer any questions about these changes, please call 503-570-1518 or reach us via e-mail at licenses@ci.wilsonville.or.us.

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Online: ci.wilsonville.or.us/WilsonvilleTV
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Zipty Fiber: Channel 32



Vaccine Update

For the up-to-date vaccine news and availability in Clackamas County, visit clackamas.us/coronavirus/vaccine

Oregon Tech’s IdeaFest 2022 Showcases Innovation

A student at Oregon Tech’s Wilsonville campus has found an innovative solution for anyone who wants to enjoy driving a classic car without worrying about the motor stalling or the cost of driving the gas-guzzling machine around the block.

Renewable Energy Engineering senior Scott Morris is working on a conversion kit to turn his 1979 Datsun 620 pickup into an electric vehicle. With his senior capstone project, he’s creating a kit others can use to convert their own vehicles.

“My goal is to outline this task as simple as possible for other Datsun conversions,” Morris said. “Converting a vehicle to electric can be done quickly and would prolong the use of a classic car.”

Scott’s outline of the process could help Datsun lovers bring renewed life back to these classic vehicles while increasing safety and performance. “My project will utilize 3D scanning technology and computer-aided design (CAD) software to develop a methodology where designing and production of the EV conversion kit can be applied to other classic vehicles in the future,” Morris said.

Morris’ project is just one of many being showcased at OIT’s IdeaFest. The event takes place on Wednesday,



OIT senior Scott Morris has installed an electric engine to power his 1979 Datsun 620 pickup, which will be on display at IdeaFest on May 18.

May 18, 5 to 6:30 pm, at Oregon Tech Portland-Metro (27500 SW Parkway Ave., Wilsonville).

IdeaFest 2022 is a free event that highlights Oregon Tech’s many programs under one roof and demonstrates real-world, applied innovations achieved by OIT students. The program provides a sneak peek at the impact OIT students will make as they enter the regional workforce.

A visit to IdeaFest at the Oregon Tech Portland-Metro campus is recommended for parents looking to inspire their children, students searching for new ideas, community members eager to discover nearby wonders, and employers looking for new talent with fresh ideas.

To learn more, visit oit.edu/ideafest.

OIT IdeaFest 2022
Wed, May 18, 5 pm
 Oregon Tech-Metro Campus
 27500 SW Parkway Ave.

Study: OIT Offers Oregon’s Best ROI Among Four-Year Schools

New rankings from the Georgetown University Center on Education and the Workforce (CEW) once again rate Oregon Technological Institute (OIT) as having the best return-on-investment among four-year Oregon universities.

The ranking analyzes 4,500 colleges and universities — public and private — and lists them by net present value (the economic gains graduates realize after paying off college debt) at 10, 15, 20, 30 and 40 years post-graduation.

The study rates Oregon Tech in the top 3% of U.S. Schools for 30-year value. Additionally, OIT is the top bachelor-granting university in Oregon at 10-

year, 15-year, 20-year and 30-year returns.

“We attribute the high return on investment to our university’s industry-relevant undergraduate and graduate degree programs and the applied learning model we emphasize, making sure our graduates are ready for their careers on day one,” said President Nagi Naganathan.

A complete list of the ranking above can be found at cew.georgetown.edu/cew-reports/roi2022/.

For more information about Oregon Tech’s accolades and rankings, visit oit.edu/news/university-accolades-rankings



Briefs

Canby Ferry Closed for Painting, Maintenance Until the End of May

The Canby Ferry is expected to be closed until May 27 to replace the overhead power transmission line, paint the boat and complete a Coast Guard inspection. The ferry will reopen after maintenance is complete.

The Canby Ferry crosses the Willamette River between Canby and Wilsonville. The ferry runs 9 am-6 pm daily, except on major holidays, when water level rises to 70 feet or higher, or during inclement weather.

Check in for regular updates at bit.ly/canbyferry or by calling the Canby Ferry Information Line at 503-650-3030.

Oregon Legislature Earmarks \$94.5 million for New Clackamas County Courthouse

At the end of its 2022 session, the Oregon Legislature provided Clackamas County with \$94.5 million for the construction of a new courthouse.



Built in 1936 to serve less than 50,000 residents, the current courthouse can no longer handle the demands of a population of nearly 420,000 that continues to grow. The current courthouse also faces seismic risks, safety concerns and security issues.

The new courthouse is currently estimated to cost \$189 million, with the state’s contribution covering half of the cost. The new courthouse will be located on the county’s Red Soils campus and, upon completion in 2025, will meet projected judicial needs for the next 50 years.

For more information on the new building and finance plan, visit clackamas.us/courthouse

CCC Offering Free Summer Camps

Students attending high school this fall can get a jump-start on college through Clackamas Community College’s tuition-free summer camp programs. CCC is offering Career Technical Education camps and a Dental Professions Camp, Aug. 15-19.

Camps operate 9 am-3 pm. Lunch is provided, and transportation assistance is available from the student’s school to CCC’s Oregon City campus. The deadline to register is June 10.

Topics include kitchen herbs, gardening and farming, medical assistant, invention, music and film, website design, welding.

To learn more about summer programs and how to register, visit clackamas.edu/summer-programs.

Rotary Honors 2021’s First Citizen

Lisa Krecklow has been selected as the recipient of the Wilsonville Rotary’s First Citizen award, awarded annually to an individual or couple who lives, works and/or volunteers in Wilsonville.

The First Citizen was announced at April’s Heart of Gold Dinner and Auction at Langdon Farms Golf Club. Krecklow, Jan Rippey and Pat Wolfram were selected as finalists from among those nominated by fellow community members.

As assistant scoutmaster of Scouts BSA’s all-girls Troop 5194, Krecklow planned a COVID-safe summer camp. With husband Mike, she led a Wilsonville High School Booster Club effort to restore, retrofit and restock Randall Stadium concessions. She also volunteered for Sunshine Division, delivering food to those experiencing food insecurity.

For more information about the Heart of Gold Dinner and Auction and a list of previous winners, visit wilsonvillerotary.com

City News

Annual Backflow Assembly Tests Required Before June 30

Water customers who own backflow assemblies must have an annual required test completed before June 30.

Residents are sent a reminder notice that details how to schedule a test and explains the importance of administering the program, which protects the water quality for Wilsonville residential and commercial customers in accordance with State law and the City Code (Chapter 3.1).

A yellow box on the notice highlights the testing deadline and other important details.

The City’s online system allows certified assembly testers to enter inspection results into the City’s backflow database using a unique TRAC # located on the notice. The TRAC # gives testers information about the assembly(ies) at your location, such as make, model, and serial number, but does not identify individuals or provide contact information at the associated address.

A link to certified testers is included on the annual reminder notice. When scheduling a test, provide your TRAC # (unchanged from last year) and advise your tester that the City only accepts electronic test reports through the EcosConnect system. Paper reports are not accepted.

After results are submitted, customers are provided a copy of results from tester.

Backflow prevention assemblies are installed to prevent backflow of contaminants into drinking water through cross-connections, including irrigation systems, wells, fire sprinklers, boilers, pools and hot tubs. Administering this program ensures high-quality drinking water for our community. To learn more, visit ci.wilsonville.or.us/backflow.

City Budget Receives Distinguished Presentation Award for 24th Year Running

For the 24th consecutive year, the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) has recognized the City of Wilsonville Finance Department with the “Distinguished Budget Presentation Award” for the fiscal year 2021-22 budget document.



The recognition reflects the commitment of the City Finance staff to meet the highest principles of governmental budgeting standards. To qualify, a budget document must be rated proficient as a policy document, a financial plan, an operations guide and a communications device; additionally, it must satisfy 14 mandatory criteria within those four categories.

“This award demonstrates the hard work put in by the City’s Finance department to effectively present the City’s budget to the community year after year,” City Manager Bryan Cosgrove said.



Arts Festivals Return with Dual Exhibitions in Frog Pond, Charbonneau

After a two-year hiatus, the Wilsonville Arts & Culture Council (WACC) is bringing back its Wilsonville Festival of Arts, June 2-4 in Wilsonville. The event is being hosted at Frog Pond Church, 6750 SW Boeckman Rd.



This year's theme is "This Moment on Earth" and includes the following events:

June 2, 5:30 - 8:30 pm: "First Look" at the 2022 Art Gallery, with food and wine

June 3-4, 10 am-5 pm: Juried art exhibition, live music, interactive sculpture. Admission: FREE

June 4, 7:30-9:30 pm: The Wilsonville Summer Performance Series kicks off with "Songwriters & Poets," featuring songwriters Stephen Cohen, Joaquin Lopez, Stephanie Strange, and Michele Van Kleef, and poets Alberto Moreno, V. Falcón Vásquez, and Merridawn Duckler.

Art Festivals Return to Frog Pond, Charbonneau
Frog Pond: June 2-4
Charbonneau: June 3-5

Admission: \$10 suggested donation

To learn more about the Wilsonville Festival of Arts and the Wilsonville Summer Performance Series, visit wilsonvillearts.org. Those interested in sponsoring the event or volunteering should e-mail info@wilsonvillearts.org.

As WACC seeks to reinvigorate local programs, connect artists with neighbors, and support arts in education, it is pleased to present this fun-filled weekend in partnership with Charbonneau Arts Association, which hosts its annual "Art with Flair" festival that same weekend to give community members the opportunity to enjoy a festival weekend on both sides of the river.

June 3-5: Charbonneau Festival of the Arts

The 38th annual Charbonneau Festival of the Arts, "Art with Flair," kicks off with an Opening Night Celebration on Friday, June 3, from 6-9 pm. The evening includes champagne, appetizers, music, a fine art gallery, a silent auction, artisan vendors and a student gallery.



Charbonneau Arts Association's fund-raising goal is to support arts education for students in Wilsonville and Canby.

Visitors can enjoy live jazz in the outdoor pavilion, bid in a silent auction (until Sunday at noon), browse the gallery and see contributions from students at Canby and Wilsonville High Schools. A schedule of events is available at charbonneauarts.org.



Water Features to Open June 1

Wednesday, June 1, is when the City's two water features are scheduled to open at Murase Plaza and Town Center Park.

These popular attractions are scheduled to operate daily, 10 am-8 pm, all summer long through Sunday, Sept. 11.

To ensure that the features are operational, please call the Water Feature Hotline at 503-685-6356.

Enjoy Dinner, Live Acoustic Music at Aurora's Historic Butteville Store

The historic Butteville Store, 10767 Butte St. in nearby Aurora, is once again hosting dinner and live acoustic music shows on selected Saturday nights.



Seating begins at 6 pm for the Chef's Choice menu. Music starts at 7.

May performances are scheduled to include the following artists:

- May 7: Kevin Karrick
- May 14: Phoenix Duo
- May 21: Castletown Duo
- May 25: Pipedance

The Butteville Store now features hand-crafted Half Pint Brothers ice cream, made on site in a variety of mouth-watering flavors. They also feature delicious soft serve and soft serve sundaes.

Learn more at butteville.org/butteville_store.html

City's Second Annual Juneteenth Celebration Set for June 18

The City of Wilsonville's Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee is hosting the City's second annual Juneteenth Celebration on Saturday, June 18.

This year's event takes place at Town Center Park (29600 SW Park Pl.) from 10 am to noon.

A generous Community Opportunity Grant provided by the Parks & Recreation Board is allowing the DEI Committee to plan a more robust celebration that is expected to include remarks, live music, food and educational materials.

Wilsonville's Juneteenth Celebration is a free event designed to bring people of all races, nationalities and religions together to acknowledge history that continues to influence society today, and to celebrate our shared humanity.

Marked by community celebrations nationwide, Juneteenth is believed to be the oldest nationally-celebrated commemoration of the ending of slavery in the United States.

Second Annual Juneteenth Celebration
Saturday, June 18, 10 am
Town Center Park
29600 SW Park Pl.

In 1866, Texans celebrated the first anniversary of the day word arrived in Galveston on June 19, 1865 — more than two years after President Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation — that slavery had been abolished.

For more information the City's Juneteenth Celebration, contact Zoe Mombert, Assistant to the City Manager, mombert@ci.wilsonville.or.us, or visit ci.wilsonville.or.us/calendar.

City Calendar

For the most up-to-date information, visit ci.wilsonville.or.us/calendar

MAY	
2 Mon	• City Council Meeting, City Hall 5 pm-Work Session, 7 pm-Meeting
3 Tue	• Municipal/Traffic Court 5 pm, City Hall
9 Mon	• DRB Panel A 6:30 pm, virtual
10 Tue	• Diversity, Equity, Inclusion Committee Mtg. 6 pm, virtual • Kitakata Sister City Advisory Board Mtg. 6 pm, virtual
11 Wed	• Planning Commission 6 pm, virtual
12 Thu	• Parks & Rec. Advisory Board Meeting 4 pm, Parks & Rec. Bldg
14 Sat	• Bulky Waste Day 9 am-2 pm, Republic Services
16 Mon	• City Council Meeting, City Hall 5 pm-Work Session, 7 pm-Meeting
17 Tue	• Municipal/Traffic Court 5 pm, City Hall
18 Wed	• Budget Committee Meeting #1 6 pm, City Hall
19 Thu	• Budget Committee Meeting #2 6 pm, City Hall
23 Mon	• DRB Panel B 6:30 pm, virtual
24 Tue	• Budget Committee Meeting #3 6 pm, City Hall (if needed)
25 Wed	• Library Board Meeting 6:30 pm, virtual
30 Mon	• Memorial Day City Hall, Library closed
JUNE	
1 Wed	• SMART Walk @ Lunch is back! noon, Wilsonville Transit Center
2 Thu	Wilsonville Festival of Arts "First Look" 5:30, Frog Pond Church
3 Fri	Charbonneau Festival of the Arts Opening Celebration 6-9 pm, Charbonneau Country Clu
6 Mon	• City Council Meeting, City Hall 5 pm-Work Session, 7 pm-Meeting
7 Tue	• Municipal/Traffic Court 5 pm, City Hall • Tourism Promotion Committee Meeting 6 pm, virtual
8 Wed	• Planning Commission 6 pm
13 Mon	• DRB Panel A 6:30 pm
14 Tue	• Diversity, Equity, Inclusion Committee Mtg. 6 pm
18 Sat	• Juneteenth Celebration 10 am, Town Center Park
20 Mon	• City Council Meeting, City Hall 5 pm-Work Session, 7 pm-Meeting
21 Tue	• Municipal/Traffic Court 5 pm, City Hall
22 Wed	• Library Board Meeting 6:30 pm, Wilsonville Library or virtual
27 Mon	• DRB Panel B 6:30 pm, virtual
28 Tue	• Red Cross Blood Drive 10 am-4:30 pm, Wilsonville Library

All dates and times are tentative; check the City's online calendar for schedule changes at ci.wilsonville.or.us/calendar

Wilsonville City Council

The City Council usually convenes on the first and third Monday of the month at City Hall, with work session generally starting at 5 pm and meeting at 7 pm. Meetings are broadcast live on Xfinity Ch. 30 and Ziplly Ch. 32 and are replayed periodically. Meetings are also available to stream live or on demand at ci.wilsonville.or.us/WilsonvilleTV. Public comment is welcome at City Council meetings.



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