



Draft Chamber Board of Directors Minutes

The Board of Directors met on Thursday, June 23 at 7 a.m. at Hank Rademacher's office.

The minutes from the May board meeting were approved. Hank gave a financial report, which was also approved.

From Jan. 1-June 22 Income was as follows:

Dues	\$5,475
Fund raisers	\$2,435
Promotional fees	\$411
Donations	\$198.32
Newsletter income	\$930
Total	\$9,449.32

Expenses totaled-	\$6,328.49
Net income	\$3,120.83

It was confirmed that Tish will do the web work that Sandi Erskine has been doing.

The Chamber still lacks a membership chairman.

Kathy Sell suggested each committee head put together a detailed description of what the job entails and that all this be put in a notebook. Once that is done, the information can be given to those interested in a position before accepting a job.

Another suggestion was made that perhaps we look at doing one event a quarter. Bob Pinnell reported only \$159 was made from the garage sale. The board agreed they did not wish to do another garage sale. The lack of volunteer support was one of the prime reasons. Bob Russell gave the Chamber \$112 for their portion of the Peddler's Fair booth rentals.

Richard Gyuro reported the SWOT analysis committee had nearly completed their analysis and will be pre-

pared to present to the city when the city wants to hear from them.

Jonathan Bilden gave a legislative update.

Jonathan said he would be appointing a committee of three as a nomination committee to do their work in September. Those offices up for election will be: President elect, vice president and treasurer. Hank said he will be unable to continue as treasurer because of business and family commitments.

The Chamber board voted to give \$150 to the Eagle Point Fireworks to honor the Eagle Point sister city delegation from Showa. They asked that fireworks be the first one as a special salute.

The next Chamber Board of Directors meeting should be July 21. Anyone wanting something placed on the agenda should contact Jonathan at 541-301-4012.

By Nancy Leonard,
Secretary



L. to r. Melonie Jorgensen, health coach, Trish Martinson, C.A., Julie Bogden, FNP-BC, Sarah Gordon, C.A. Message Therapist, Thaddeus Gala, D.C., Megan Jones, Office Manager and RuthAnne Alexander, Counselor, at the official ribbon cutting ceremony for Complete Care Chiropractic and Massage, June 24. The event was organized by the Eagle Point-Upper Rogue Chamber of Commerce. On July 30th from 11-3pm there will be an open house at Creekside Center to welcome Dr. Gala and staff.

It's fair time in So. Oregon

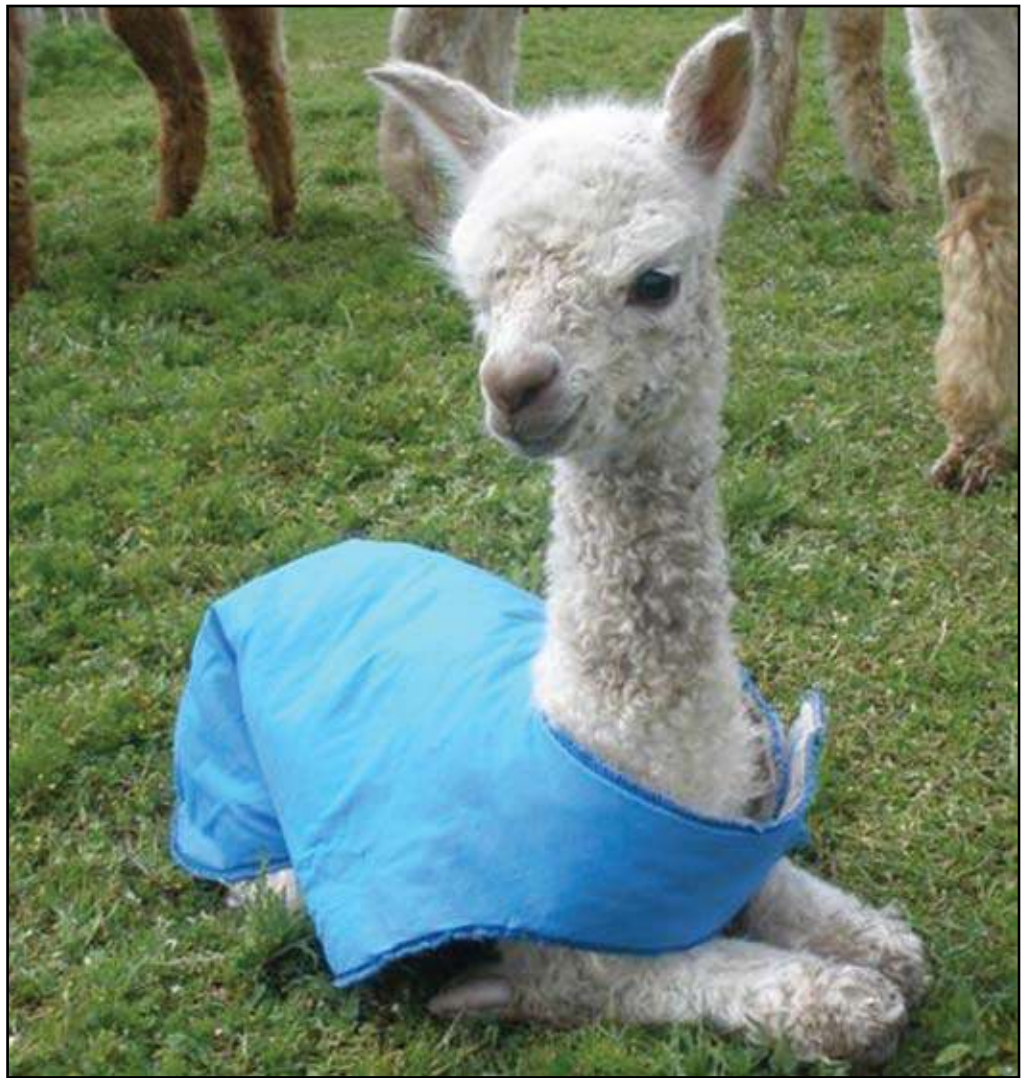
After July 4th, the next big event that involves many Upper Rogue families, students and businesses is the Jackson County Fair.

Many don't realize that some events actually begin before the middle of July for 4H and FFA students. For instance, judging of the 4H fashion show is July 9, the rifle contest is at the shooting range at the county sports park on July 10 and dog obedience is July 16. Horse judging is Sunday, July 17.

Animals weigh in on July 18 and horse events begin. The swine and poultry auction is July 20 at 7 p.m. and the beef and goat auction is Saturday, July 24 at 7:30 p.m.

Headline entertainment begins Tuesday, July 19 and runs through Saturday evening.

The fair includes amateur and professional displays, 4-H and FFA events, a lot of entertainment events, a carnival, booths and so.



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Chamber doing SWOT analysis for Eagle Point

Four of your Chamber board members have been meeting to do a SWOT analysis of Eagle Point from the viewpoint of the Chamber of Commerce, i.e. a business viewpoint. They have held four -one hour meetings and are prepared to meet with the city to share their input.

The city will be doing a similar exercise.

The SWOT deals with Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Threats. In some cases an item can appear in more than one category.

The committee working on the project has been Chairman Richard Gyuro, Bob Russell, Kathy Sell and Nancy Leonard. There may be a report ready for the July 11 meeting.

Upcoming events

July 4th- Eagle Point 7a.m.-11 a.m. Breakfast, EP Grange,
8 a.m. Fun Walk-Run
9 a.m. & after parade- Children's activities-

Campus Life

9-4 p.m. Vendor booths
10:45 -11 a.m. USAF Jet Flyover
11 a.m. Parade
6 p.m. EPHS stadium opens-Concession
7 p.m. Pre-Fireworks Show and Karaoke
Dusk- Fireworks Spectacular
Fireworks intermission-Skydiver lottery

July 9- Tentative-Congressman Greg Walden at Butte Creek Mill

July 11- Chamber meeting at Alpaca's

July 13- 6:30-8:30 ODOT Hwy 62, White City-Medford

July 15-17- 2nd annual Union Creek Music Festival -15 different musical groups.

July 20- Lake Creek Historical Golf Tournament at Stone Ridge, call 541-826-1513.

July 25- ODOT Hwy 140 corridor plan meeting, 5-7 p.m. County auditorium, White City.

July 30- Open House 11-3 p.m. Creekside Center welcoming Dr. Gala and his new business

Aug. 13&14- 7th annual RiverArt, Edgewater Inn & Rogue River RV Park

Aug. 21- 61st Prospect Jamboree & Timber Carnival, Liz- 541-560-3793

Aug. 28- Rubber Duck Race, on River in SC, 541-878-2702

Sept. 10-11- D9 Foundation Dinner, Auction, Golf at Arthur's

Sept. 23-25- Music in Mountain, Prospect Hotel

Visitors from Showa, Japan

Chamber members are urged to attend two special events as the Japanese delegation comes to town.

They are due to arrive on Sunday, July 3 at 3 p.m. at the Medford Airport. We would like to invite chamber members and their families and friends to show the delegation a grand welcome. We understand the Eagle Point Women's Club will also have a nice delegation on hand to welcome them.

The second event is Tuesday, July 5 at 9:30 a.m. at the Eagle Point City Hall. At that time the group from Showa wants to learn more about Oregon, the Rogue Valley and our area, in particular, especially with regard to the economy and perhaps information on taxation, various levels of government and other items pertaining to business.

The Upper Rogue Independent is including the 2011 Destination Magazine and a copy of the Centennial Newspaper publication in their welcoming bag. If you have something you believe would be of general interest, you might call Bunny at city hall, 541-944-2446 and ask if it would be something she could include in the package of items being given to them. We understand there will be two interpreters with the delegation. Showa representatives include the superintendent of schools, the president of their city council, their section assistant and their mayor.

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