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This Sunday!

Community Brunch: Pancakes, Etc.

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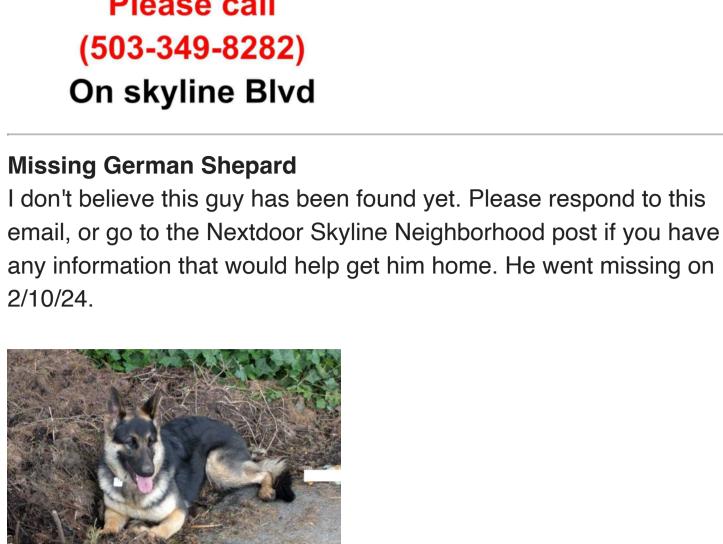
Skyline Rural Watch Newsline

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Mailbox: newsline@srnpdx.org Phone: (503) 621-3501 SRNPDX.ORG | FaceBook Group: Skyline Ridge Neighbors Date: February 16, 2024

Missing Kitty On Skyline Near Quarry and McNamee Missing cat Razor (He's 1 year old flame nose siamese)

Please call (503-349-8282)



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DONATIONS WANTED: Donate to Grange's March 1-2 Garage Sale

• Our Spring Garage Sale is Friday-Saturday, March 1-2, 2024.

resource.

This is the perfect time to clean out your sheds, attics, toys and equipment

children have been out grown and house ... and donate to a good community

• All proceeds go to our Capital Improvement Fundraising Campaign to

increase accessibility, safety, inclusivity, and functionality of our building. • Donations for capital improvements are not considered tax-deductible by the IRS. By donating, you do support improvements to a place where local residents can connect, become informed and engaged in activities and in the well-being of our community. items generally accepted and not accepted. • Fri., Feb. 16 (noon-1 p.m.) lighter, smaller donations only (no furniture,

DONATION DEADLINE: Sunday, February 25, 2024 at 2 p.m. ITEMS ACCEPTED: All donations must be clean & in working condition. In general, we accept donation from all sections of the household, tool shed, barn, furniture, pet/equine equipment, books, DVDs, vinyl records, toys, games, linen, kids' stuff. Clothing must be clean and in perfect condition. Did we say tools, yes tools, please. **ITEMS REJECTED**: Please

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February 13, 2024

For Immediate Release

No skis or helmets

comment during the public comment period, comments are limited to two minutes maximum per person. A Zoom access code will be required to access the meeting. Interested participants may request the ID by emailing info@wmswcd.org with the subject line "Request for Conference ID" or by calling 503-238-4775 and leaving a voicemail message at extension 100, no

easement for conservation purposes for the Sturgeon Lake restoration project. The board meeting will begin immediately after the public hearing and the board will vote on acquiring that easement, in resolution #2024-02-20A. This hearing and vote had been rescheduled from the January board meeting due to inclement weather. In addition, the board will appoint Budget Committee Members and discuss a possible change of accounting method. After, they are scheduled to vote on two more resolutions: #2024-02-20B, to adopt the revised employee handbook, and #2024-02-20C, to adopt revised public contracting rules. District Conservationists from National Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) will share work and partnership updates. Regular business to be covered at the board meeting includes approval of the prior month's board meeting minutes and review of the current financial reports. The agenda can be modified by the Board of Directors at any time during

The Board of Directors will begin with a <u>public hearing</u> regarding acquiring an

The February meeting of the West Multnomah Soil & Water Conservation

District (WMSWCD) Board of Directors will be held via Zoom on Tuesday,

comment. Any person may attend the meeting and request to make public

District board meetings, and the meeting agenda allows time for public

February 20, beginning at 6:00 p.m. We welcome the public to all

MULTNOMAH COUNTY LAND USE NEWS Multnomah County Land Use & Transportation Program 1600 SE 190TH Ave., Portland, OR 97233 Phone 503-988-3043. Fax 503-988-3389. http://web.multco.us/land-use-<u>planning</u> LAND USE DIVISION OPERATIONS Multnomah County Land Use offices are open by appointment only. Appointments are available on Tuesdays and Wednesdays, from 9am to 12pm and 1pm to 4pm. To make an appointment, call 503-988-3043 or visit land.use.planning@multco.us.

14-DAY OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT: 12403 NW SKYLINE BLVD.

OVERLAYS: Significant Environmental Concern for wildlife habitat

PROPOSAL: Request for a Property Line Adjustment to do an equal area

improvements and years are located on the correct parcels. In addition, a Lot

of Record Verification will be completed on each parcel to verify that they were

exchange between the 2 parcels to reconfigure the properties so that all

LOCATION: 12403 NW Skyline Blvd.

BASE ZONE: Exclusive Farm Use (EFU)

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August 3 2024 - Annual SRN Neighborhood Summer Gathering at the

Plumper Pumpkin. Again, there will be plenty of activities, food, and a fun time

purchase at our auction). If you are interested in helping with the event, please

getting together with your neighbors (not to mention lots of donated items for

Skyline Ridge Neighbors Board Meetings: 2nd Thursdays; Contact

contact Brad Graff, bradgraff@gmail.com or Tracey Larvenz

Mar. 20, 7pm: Pollinators Mar. 22 - June 15: Garlic Mustard Drop-off site. Info: https://www.srnpdx.org/garlic-mustard.html **Apr. 5-6:** Tree& Native Plant Sale

Grange Meetings: 2nd Mondays; Contact SkylineGrange894@msn.com to

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Please pay for your ad in advance by mailing a check payable to Skyline Ridge Neighbors, Inc. to our Treasurer, Rachael

Skyline Ridge Neighbors, Inc Website https://www.srnpdx.org/

Brake, 14109 NW Rock Creek Rd., Portland 97231. Be sure to indicate which Newsline ad you are paying for.

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the middle of the month of publication (April, July, October, January) Deadlines for all ad submissions are the 15th of March, June, September and December. Calendar **Skyline Ridge Neighbor, Inc Regular Board Meeting:** The SRN board meetings are routinely held the 2nd Thursday of the month at 6:30 pm by Zoom. All are welcome to attend. For Zoom login information please reply to this email. Find the community calendar here: http://www.srnpdx.org/calendar.html

Skyline Grange: https://skylinegrange894.org/ Forest Park Conservancy: http://www.forestparkconservancy.org/ Linnton Community Center: http://www.linntoncommunitycenter.org/ Linnton Neighborhood Association: http://linntonna.org/ West Multnomah County Soil and Water Conservation District: http://wmswcd.org/ Skyline School: http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/skyline/ Skyline School PTA: https://skylineschoolpta.org/



Lincoln High School: http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/lincoln/

Rumble On The River Community Forum #13–Webinar Thursday, February 22nd: 7:00-8:30 PM Register HERE for this ZOOM webinar. Risky Reality of Our Toxic Mix – PSU/Multnomah County Report Review "Over 1000 hazardous storage containers at local industries in Multnomah County are in danger of leaking in an earthquake because they were not built to seismic design standards. Those holding hazardous gasses may release toxic plumes into the air that can be life-threatening. These plumes will be carried by the wind to other locations. Other hazmats may spill onto soil and water with dire environmental impacts." — <u>Tank The Tanks</u> The panel of experts will present on toxic plume releases following an earthquake or other accident, including Review of the Report • Emergency Management of a Toxic Scenario Public Safety Education Resources • Community Resilience and Preparedness Strategies Risk Bonding • Calls To Action. **Panelists** Luke Hanst: Writer, Project Director, Institute of Sustainable Solutions, PSU Chris Voss: Director, Emergency Management, Multnomah County Alice Busch: Emergency Management, Multnomah County; EMT, former Firefighter and Portland NET Melanie Plaut: Retired OB-GYN with Oregon Physicians for Social Responsibility **LINK HERE** to see "Risk of Earthquake-Induced Hazardous Materials Releases in Multnomah County. Oregon: Two Scenarios Examined". Oct 2023 Rumble On The River are free community forums throughout Portland neighborhoods. The prevailing Rumble focus has been on the Critical Energy Infrastructure (CEI) Hub. **GRANGE ACTIVITIES** SKYLINE GRANGE Skyline Grange is located at 11275 NW Skyline Blvd. skylinegrange894@msn.com. **Community Brunch: Pancakes, Etc.** WHEN: Sunday, February 18, 2024 serving 9:30-11:30 a.m. WHERE: Skyline Grange, 11275 NW Skyline Blvd. **DETAILS**: • We cook; you enjoy. Pancakes, quiches, breakfast meats & breads, fresh fruit. A winter tradition at Skyline Grange with the community sharing a satisfying brunch together. • Suggested donation of \$10 for ages 14 & older; \$5 for ages 5-13; free for under age 5. • Proceeds go to our Capital Improvement Fund. Skyline Ridge Reads: "Nature's Best Hope: A New Approach to **Conservation That Starts in Your Yard**" WHEN: Wednesday, February 21, 2024 TIME: 7 p.m. for a discussion of the book **DETAILS**: • Burt Lazar and Judy Flynn will lead a discussion of this book by Douglas W. Tallamy. Hopefully you will find the ideas inspiring enough to join us in a lively book discussion that will present a hopeful & positive outlook on accommodating more biodiversity on our landscapes. • We welcome kids to join into the discussion. There is an empowering Young Reader's Edition that drives home the positive point that kids are truly nature's best hope. • Haven't read the book yet or don't have time to or want extra credit? Listen to the following YouTube link with the author and his positive, logical approach that we all can make a difference. The slides our great, especially those of the insects. url=https%3A%2F%2Fyoutu.be%2FWY4aV5hqkxY%3Ffeature%3Dshare d&data=05%7C02%7C%7C81afc641300443c6e67208dc2cfd5111%7C84

> • All donations must be clean & in working condition. See list below of • QUESIONS, email skylinegrange894@msn.com. **DROP-OFF DATES** • Sun., Feb. 18 (noon-1 p.m.) lighter, smaller donations only (no furniture, • Fri., Feb. 23 (10 a.m. – 2 p.m.) both lighter and heavy, bulkier donations • Sat., Feb. 24 (10 a.m. – 2 p.m.) both lighter and heavy, bulkier donations

• Sun., Feb. 25 (10 a.m. – 2 p.m.) both lighter and heavy, bulkier donations accepted

 No televisions No computers, printers, or accessories

Contact: Eleanor Greene info@wmswcd.org

No large exercise equipment

• No audiotapes or VHS tapes

No child car seats, cribs, potties

• No artificial flowers, Christmas trees or plants

No dirty, broken, or uncomplete items.

later than 5:00 p.m. the day of the meeting.

the meeting.

The Board of Directors typically meets on the third Tuesday of the month at

available for inspection on the <u>District's webpage</u> the morning of the meeting.

calling West Multnomah Soil & Water Conservation District at (503) 238-4775

the meeting. Visit <u>wmswcd.org</u> for more information about the West Multnomah

Special accommodations for attending may be arranged with advance notice by

6:00 p.m. unless specified otherwise. The agenda for this meeting will be

emailing info@wmswcd.org no later than 5:00 p.m. the Friday prior to

and leaving a voicemail message at extension 100 or by

Soil & Water Conservation District.

CASE #: T2-2023-17046

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

tlarvenz@gmail.com.

confirm

About Skyline Ridge Neighbors

About the Newsline

srn@srnpdx.org for location

Events at Skyline Grange 894

Feb. 18, 9:30 - 11:30: Pancakes, etc. Brunch

Multnomah County

COMMENT PERIOD: Written comments should be directed toward the approval criteria. Comments must be received by 4 p.m. on Tuesday, February 27, 2024. DETAILS: For more information, go to <u>T2-2023-17046 OTC</u>

lawfully established in compliance with the laws at the time.

Conservation That Starts in Your Yard. Mar. 1-2: Spring Garage Sale

https://skylinegrange894.org/calendar/ Email: skylinegrange894@msn.com

Feb. 21, 7 pm: Skyline Ridge Reads: Nature's Best Hope: A New Approach to

NET Meetings: Contact <u>SkylineRidgeNET@gmail.com</u>

of its quarterly Skyline Ridge Runner, send your donation to "Skyline Ridge Neighbors", c/o Rachael Brake, 14109 NW Rock Creek Rd, Portland OR 97231. Contributions are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.

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