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Skyline Rural Watch Newsline

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Date: March 25, 2023

SRN Get to Know Your Neighborhood Spring Meeting - and pizza too!

When: April 20, 2023
Time: 6:30 - 8:30
Where: Skyline Grange 11275 NW Skyline Blvd

Come to the Skyline Grange for "Get to Know Your Neighborhood" night. Feel free to drop by anytime. There will be a quick business meeting where Suzanne Perra will share some business updates, including voting on board members, community updates and the annual treasurer's report. Also, as part of the "Get to Know Your Neighborhood" theme, you will have a chance to learn more about our local folks, services (including internet) and vendors in our neighborhood in this casual evening as you enjoy pizza and mingle with neighbors.

How to be an even bigger part of what makes this neighborhood such a great place to live.

Have you noticed that this is a pretty good neighborhood to live in? Are you finding these email newsletters and the Ridge Runner interesting and pertinent to our neighborhood? Would you like to be a part of the this? Well, you already are just by being a neighbor! Or if you'd like to do more and do some local volunteer work you, should consider joining the SRN Board. Our meetings are routinely the 2nd Thursday of the month in a board member's home. We encourage neighbors to join us at any meeting to see if you'd be interested in joining or just if you have topics you'd like to see addressed. Reply to this email for details of location of the next meeting
Thanks Neighbor!

SKYLINE GRANGE #894

<https://skylinegrange894.org/>

"SKYLINE ELK: GET TO KNOW THESE NEIGHBORS" PRESENTATION
This presentation is part of Skyline Grange's Skyline Living Series organized by its Education Committee.

WHEN: Wednesday, March 29, 2023
TIME: 7 p.m.
WHERE: Skyline Grange, 11275 NW Skyline Blvd.
DETAILS:

- It's FREE.
- Ben Cate is the speakers. He is Wildlife Biologist, Oregon Dept of Fish & Wildlife, Sauvie Island Unit.
- Come learn about our local elk and information, their lives, habits, habitat, territory, reproduction, social community, hoof disease, hunting regulations in our area, and elk/deer proof fences/deterrents.

DEADLINE FOR NATIVE PRE-ORDERS EXTENDED TO 3/31

It may not feel like spring yet, but the leafing Indian Plums bring hope that warmer weather is coming and we can start gardening in earnest. And Skyline Grange's 19th annual Tree & Native Plant Sale is just around the corner to provide you with 125 native species and a good selection of bareroot fruit-bearing, shade & ornamental trees and shrubs to purchase. The deadline to pre-order from the Native Section has been extended to Friday, March 31, 2023 by 5 p.m. Throw off the winter blues and think soil, sunshine, and planting. Download the Updated Native Plant Pre-Order Form at [NativePre-Order Updated_Grange_TNPS2023-4-1 \(1\).pdf](#) and the Plant Descriptions at https://skylinegrange894.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/02/NativePlantDescriptions_Grange_TNPS_2023.pdf.

TREE & NATIVE PLANT SALE @ Skyline Grange

DATES: Friday-Saturday, April 7 & 8, 2023
TIME: 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

It has 2 Sections:

THE NATIVE PLANT SECTION

- 125 species available by on sale days or by pre-order.
- We encourage pre-ordering to best assure you to receive those special species you desire. Orders are filled on a first come, first served basis.
- DEADLINE TO PRE-ORDER NATIVE PLANTS IS FRI., MAR. 31 by 5 PM. You can get a "Native Pre-Order Form" & "Native Plant Descriptions" by:

Downloading from our Website at [Plant Sales – Skyline Grange #894 \(skylinegrange894.org\)](#)
Or requesting at skylinegrange894@msn.com
Or picking copy up at Plainview Grocery
Or picking copy up in Skyline Grange's plastic box on right of front entry

THE BARE ROOT SECTION

- This Includes shrubs and fruit-bearing, shade, and ornamental trees. Most of these bare root trees and shrubs are not true PNW "natives", but they have been selected for their compatibility to thrive in our area but will not out-compete plants in our local native habitat.
- These are not available by pre-order as we will not know the specific varieties we can obtain until just days before the sale.
- No caneberry bushes this year.

INFORMATIONAL DISPLAYS

During the Sale, we will have resources, information, and handouts, including lists of native plants benefiting pollinating Insects, bees, hummingbirds/birds, erosion control, sunny locations, shady locations. There will be Handouts on care of bareroot trees and proper planting techniques. In addition, there will be a display of noxious weeds and other weeds of concern.



roads: <https://multco.us/roads/>; landuse: <https://multco.us/landuse>

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-planning>

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: NW PLAINVIEW RD.

CASE #: T2-2022-16286
LOCATION: NW Plainview Rd. Tax Lot #1N1W06BB-01400
BASE ZONE: Rural Residential (RR)
OVERLAYS: Significant Environmental Concern for wildlife habitat (SEC-h) & Geologic Hazard (GH)
PROPOSAL: Applicant requests a Lot of Record Verification. A Lot of Verification determines that a property was lawfully established in compliance with zoning and land division laws at the time of its creation or reconfiguration.
COMMENT PERIOD: Written comments regarding this application will be accepted, if received by 4 p.m. on Monday, April 3, 2023. Comments should be directed toward approval criteria applicable to the request. Note, failure to raise an issue before the close of the public record in sufficient detail to afford the County and all parties an opportunity to respond may preclude appeal on the that issue to the Land Use Board of Appeals.
DETAILS: [T2-2022-16286_OTC_03202023.pdf \(multco-web7-psh-files-usw2_s3-us-west-2.amazonaws.com\)](#)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING: PROPERTY NORTH OF 13220 NW NEWBERRY RD

CASE #: T2-2022-16204
LOCATION: Property North of 13220 NW Newberry Rd. Tax lot # 2N1W33A-00600
SUBJECT: Appeal of a decision by the Planning Director finding that the subject property identified is not a Lot of Record in its current configuration.
HEARING: Scheduled for Friday, March 31, 2023 at 10:30 a.m. via virtual hearing. Virtual Hearing Instructions may be found at www.multco.us/landuse/public-notices. Interested parties may contact Land Use office to register for this event no later than noon on Thurs, Mar. 30.
DETAILS: [T2-2022-16204_Hearing_Notice_03.09.2023.pdf \(multco-web7-psh-files-usw2_s3-us-west-2.amazonaws.com\)](#)

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Mar. 29, 7:00 pm: "Skyline Elk." Presentation by Ben Cate, ODFW Biologist, at the Skyline Grange.
Apr. 7-8: 18th annual Tree & Native Plant Sale at the Grange. All plants are from licensed local nurseries. Expect both quality and quantity at good prices.
Apr. 20, 6:30 pm: "Getting to Know Your Neighborhood." SRN Spring Meeting at the Skyline Grange.
Apr 22, 8:30 - Noon: SOLVE - Skyline Ridge Neighbors Earth Day Clean Up. Details [here](#)
Apr 29, 10am – 4pm: Skyline School Pop up at the Skyline Grange <https://www.skylineschoolpta.org/pop-up-shops>

Advertisement

Advertise in the Newsline
We welcome classified ads from individuals, families, and home-based businesses within the SRN boundaries. Ads are limited to 50 words, and be sure to include your contact information. Send them to newsline@srnpdx.org and indicate how many times you want your ad to run.
Prices for Newsline ads are as follows:
Families & individuals: First issue is free, then \$5 for each additional repeat of the same ad.
Home-based businesses: \$7.50 per Newsline issue
Commercial businesses: \$10/issue.
Please pay for your ad in advance by mailing a check payable to Skyline Ridge Neighbors, Inc. to our Treasurer: Rachael Brake, 14109 NW Rock Creek Rd., Portland OR 97231. Be sure to indicate which Newsline ad you are paying for.

Skyline Ridge Neighbors, Inc Website

<https://www.srnpdx.org/>

About Skyline Ridge Neighbors
SRN is a neighborhood association serving much of unincorporated northwest Multnomah County and some adjacent areas within the city of Portland (<https://www.srnpdx.org/boundary-map.html>) SRN is registered as a neighborhood association within Multnomah County, registered as a non-profit public benefit corporation with the State of Oregon and approved as a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization under the IRS Code. SRN is operated by volunteers and with donated funds entirely.
If you would like to donate to SRN in support of its activities, such as this free Newsline service and the publication 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.

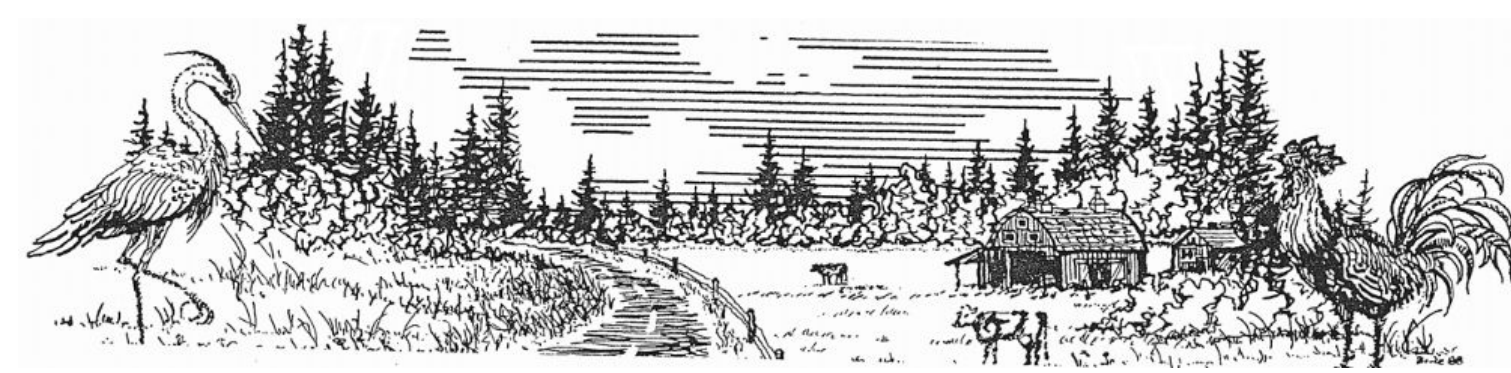
About the Newsline
Skyline Rural Watch Newsline is a part of Skyline Ridge Neighbors (SRN) and has been produced since June 1994 as a means to communicate neighborhood information. The Newsline is produced by Laurel Erhardt (editor). The Newsline depends on you as a source of accurate information about local crimes, upcoming events, and other news pertinent to the area. If you have information you would like considered for the Newsline, you may do so by e-mailing the information to newsline@srnpdx.org, or leaving a message at (503) 621-3501. You can subscribe to the Newsline at SRNPDX.org (on the Newsline tab).

About the Ridge Runner
The Skyline Ridge Runner is a free quarterly publication mailed to approximately 1400 households in rural northwestern Multnomah County, Oregon. A color version is also distributed via email subscription and is posted on website srnpdx.org website. It is published by Skyline Ridge Neighbors (SRN), an all-volunteer nonprofit neighborhood association, as a public service to provide news and information to residents.
If you have any ads, calendar listings, news items, stories, letters, photos, etc. that you would like to submit for publication, please email them to ridge.runner@srnpdx.org. Or call Miles at (503-621-9867) to let him know you're going to send something for the Ridge Runner. Please note that the Ridge Runner may not reach mailboxes until 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>

Resource Directory
As a service to neighbors, SRN publishes a listing of local government agencies and businesses in the [Skyline Resource Directory](#). Follow the links in this section to view its contents and learn how to add a business or agency listing. Listing of organizations and businesses herein does not imply any endorsement of SRN nor does it imply a lack of endorsement for similar organizations or businesses not included.

Community Links
Skyline Ridge Neighborhood Emergency Team (NET): SkylineRidgeNET@gmail.com
Skyline Grange: <https://skylinegrange894.org/>
Forest Park Conservancy: <http://www.forestparkconservancy.org/>
Linton Community Center: <http://www.lintoncommunitycenter.org/>
Linton Neighborhood Association: <http://lintonla.org/>
West Multnomah County Soil and Water Conservation District: <http://wmsacd.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/>



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