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# Skyline Rural Watch Newsline

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Date: September 8, 2023

## Ridge Runner Submission Deadline: September 15

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 [ridgerunner@srnpdx.org](mailto:ridgerunner@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.

## SKYLINE GRANGE #894

<https://skylinegrange894.org/>

## YOGA at SKYLINE GRANGE

Yoga classes will restart in person on September 15. Classes will be most Monday, Wednesday and Fridays from 9-10 a.m. Registration will begin again soon at [www.yogainalignment.com](http://www.yogainalignment.com). It's conveniently close by, open to all, and good for the body.

## DONATIONS WANTED: Donate to Grange's Garage Sale

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 resource.

- Our Fall Garage Sale is Friday-Saturday, October 6-7, 2023.
- 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.
- All donations must be clean & in working condition. See list below of items generally accepted and not accepted.
- QUESTIONS, email [skylinegrange894@msn.com](mailto:skylinegrange894@msn.com).

## DROP-OFF DATES FOR LIGHTER ITEMS

NOTE: Heavier/ bigger items cannot be accepted on these dates. Only items that can easily be carried downstairs for storage.

- Mon., Sept. 11 (5-6 p.m.)

## UPDATED DROP-OFF DATES FOR BOTH LIGHTER & BULKIER ITEMS

- Mon., Sept. 25 (10:15-11:15 a.m.)
- Wed., Sept. 27 (10:15-11:15 a.m.)
- Fri., Sept. 29 (10 a.m. – 2 p.m.)
- Sat., Sept. 30 (10 a.m. – 2 p.m.)
- Sun., Oct. 1 (10 a.m. – 2 p.m.)

## DONATION DEADLINE: Sunday, October 1, 2023 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

- No televisions
- No computers, printers, or accessories
- No large exercise equipment
- No audiotapes or VHS tapes
- No child car seats, cribs, potties
- No skis or helmets
- No artificial flowers, Christmas trees or plants
- No dirty, broken, or uncomplete items.



## 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](mailto:land.use.planning@multco.us).

## PRE-APPLICATION MEETING NOTICE: 15036 NW OLD GERMANTOWN RD.

CASE #: PA-2023-16983  
 LOCATION: 5036 NW Old Germantown Rd.  
 BASE ZONE: Exclusive Farm Use (EFU)  
 OVERLAYS: Significant Environmental Concern for wildlife habitat (SEC-h) & Geologic Hazard (GH)  
 PROPOSAL: A Pre-Application meeting is to discuss the applicable Multnomah County Land Use Code, Comprehensive Plan Policies, and application requirements for a Variance to the front yard and Property Line Adjustment.  
 MEETING INFO: The meeting is scheduled for Thursday, September 28, 2023 at 10:30 a.m. This is an Informational Meeting and is not a Public Hearing. The meeting will be held virtually via the Google Meet platform. This meeting will be open to the public. Interested parties may contact the Land Use office to register for this event. Provide your name, phone number and email address either by phone (503.988.3043) or by email ([lip-hearings@multco.us](mailto:lip-hearings@multco.us) no later than noon on Wednesday, September 27, 2023.  
 DETAILS: [PA-2023-16983 PA Notice 09082023.pdf](https://www.multco.us/PA-2023-16983_PA_Notice_09082023.pdf) ([multco-web7-psh-files-usw2-s3-us-west-2-amazonaws.com](https://www.multco.us/web7-psh-files-usw2-s3-us-west-2-amazonaws.com))

## Seeking Home on Acreage

Hello! I enthusiastically want to live/settle here in the Tualatin Mountains. I have a large collection of fruit/nut trees, berries, and vines ready to plant. Willing to rent-to-own from someone wishing to transfer stewardship. I'm an avid botanist; farm-raised; very responsible; credit score +800; sincerely want to join this community. Thank you. -Caleb  
Phone: 503-812-3913  
Email: [Enjoy\\_Existence@yahoo.com](mailto:Enjoy_Existence@yahoo.com)

**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](mailto: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 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.multco.us/our/districts/mnp.htm>) 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](mailto:newsline@srnpdx.org), or leaving a message at (503) 621-3501. You can subscribe to the Newsline at SRNPDX.org [Get 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](http://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.  
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**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](mailto:SkylineRidgeNET@gmail.com)  
 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://wmawcd.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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