



April - May

City News

City Manager News: City-County Dinner

The City of Willamina contracts with the Mid-Willamette Valley Council of Governments (MWCOG or COG) to provide a variety of services specific to land use, planning and grant administration. The COG is an intergovernmental agency that also assists Marion, Polk, and Yamhill Counties. Each quarter the COG invites a city to host networking opportunities bringing State Representatives, County Commissioners, Elected Officials, and other partnering agencies from their County. This quarter the City of Willamina will be the host city and has invited all of these local dignitaries to attend what is called the “City – County Dinner”. Recipients of the invitation are encouraged to reserve a seat for dinner and provide payment for their meal one week prior to the event.

This is an exciting opportunity to showcase our small and mighty Timber Town USA and we would love to impress them all. We are asking that City of Willamina Citizens help us accomplish that goal. “How”, you may ask?

Items to Raffle

- Typically, items are raffled that exhibit the best parts of the City and share the talents of individuals within the community. The City is looking to purchase some local handmade products to present as a raffle prize during our upcoming event in mid-May. Please email ideas and contact information to Administrative Assistant Michelle Long at mlong@ci.willamina.or.us.

Community Support Volunteers

- We are still seeking volunteers who are interested in working alongside our Code Enforcement/Community Support to help neighbors, within the City of Willamina, to build a sense of ownership and pride in maintaining a healthy community.

Would you be willing to help your neighbors allowing us the opportunity for our little City to look its best when the local officials visit? Please email Michelle at mlong@ci.willamina.or.us.

We are very excited to host this quarter’s “City-County Dinner” and show off our community!



CELEBRATE ARBOR DAY!

FRIDAY, APRIL 26TH
1:30 - 4:00 P.M.

@ GARDEN SPOT PARK

HELP US BEAUTIFY OUR CITY PARK!

- PLANT TREES & SHRUBS
- HELP LANDSCAPE



Local Districts with Measures on the May 21st ballot

West Valley Fire District

36-229 Levy for Fire & EMS operations

Willamina School District

36-230 Bond for renovations, improvements & adding classrooms



A ballot drop box is located next to City Hall on C Street

For more information on these measures and more, be on the lookout for your voters pamphlet or find election information at:

Yamhill County Elections: (503) 434-7518
<https://hhs.co.yamhill.or.us/975/May-21-2024-Primary-Election>

Polk County Elections: (503) 623-9217
<https://www.co.polk.or.us/clerk/may-21-2024-presidential-primary-election-information>

City Council

Regular City Council Meetings are scheduled the second Tuesday 6:00 PM:

May 14, 2024

June 11, 2024

Public Input: Presentations not scheduled on the Agenda are limited to three (3) minutes. Longer presentations should be submitted to the City Recorder prior to the meeting.

Meetings are held hybrid:

In person at the West Valley Fire Station, 825 NE Main Street, Willamina

via Zoom: a link is posted to the website prior to the Meeting at <https://www.willaminaoregon.gov/departments/public-meetings/>

Hours:
Monday through Thursday
11 AM - 5 PM

Library Director:
Sarah Frost,
frosts@ci.willamina.or.us



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May 1-28: Museum of Natural & Cultural History: Native Innovation exhibit

May 1, 6:30 PM: Author Visit: David Lewis, PHD, Tribal Histories of the Willamette Valley

May 4, 12-4PM: Free Comic Book Day
Comic Workshops: Youth (12-1:30) and Teens (1:25-4)

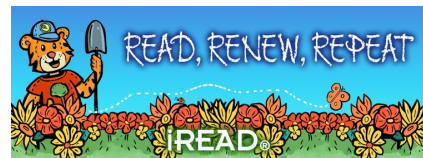
May 13, 2-5 PM: West Valley Fiber Enthusiasts

May 13, 4:30 PM: Book Club for Adults:
The Personal Librarian by Marie Benedict

May 18, 12-3 PM: Saturday Programs
6 PM: Astronomy Club meeting and Stargazing

May 21, 6 PM: Library Board Meeting

May 27, 6 PM: Library Closed - holiday



Summer Reading Program starts June 18

Ask us about: Wi-Fi Printing, T-Mobile Hotspots, Technology Assistance
Coming in June for the summer: Friday Hours

contact: Sarah Frost, frosts@ci.willamina.or.us

CALENDAR:

Check our website regularly for meeting changes and important notices

- May 14 6pm City Council Regular Meeting
- May 21 6pm Willamina Library Board Meeting
- May 28 6pm Planning Commission Meeting

- Wednesdays 8am Chamber of Commerce Meetings
- Wednesdays 4pm Civic Club Food Pantry Distribution
- Saturdays 1pm Willamina's Museum of History open



South Yamhill River Astronomy Club
Next Meeting: Saturday, May 18, 6:00 PM
@ Birdie's Observatory, Willamina

Weather permitting, join us for smores-n-stars. For location information contact Sarah Frost at frosts@ci.willamina.or.us
Scan the NEW/UPDATED QR code to sign up for our Newsletter



a Willamina Public Library club
FREE FOR EVERYONE



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board meetings:
1st Tuesdays 6:30 PM
lolwillamina.org

LOL is a 501c3 organization established to support the Willamina Public Library. Through advocacy, engagement and support, we assist the Willamina Public Library in its role of strengthening the quality of life for the people in our community.