



October - November

City News

October Visioning Workshop Results

On October 1st we hosted a visioning workshop at Swan Hall in partnership with Rural Development Initiatives (RDI). We had a great turnout with adults and kids participating in the activities and enjoying an Oktoberfest meal.

During the event, participants shared their vision for downtown Willamina. RDI sent us a summary of the themes discussed, listed below:

TRANSPORTATION & HOUSING

- Housing (apartments)
- Safe street crossing
- Lessen big log trucks
- Attract cars from highway
- ADA Accessible town

RECREATION

- More parks
- Splash pad
- Riverfront Access
- Nature trails connect to large trail system
- Activities for youth
- Bike trails
- Fenced in dog park
- Family activities
- Disc golf course
- Pump track

BUSINESS

- Grocery co-op
- No empty storefronts
- Business Incubator
- Expand the natural resource economy
- Businesses serve local needs
- Childcare
- Bowling Alley

CULTURE & COMMUNITY

- Theater & Performing Arts Club
- Beautification - trees & native plants
- Caring Culture, communication, sharing
- Welcome packet for new residents
- Collaboration with Sheridan
- Museum & Native people story
- Multi-Purpose space
- Bigger Library with more hours
- Amphitheater
- Community Garden

Our next visioning workshop is scheduled for **November 7th 5:30 - 8:00 p.m.** at Swan Hall. Pizza provided. We hope to see you there!



Willamina
4th of July

Celebrate the 4th of July in Willamina! Our amazing event is made possible by dedicated volunteers and generous donations. Stay in the loop for all the latest updates, event details, and more by following us on social media! Let's make this a celebration to remember! 🇺🇸🌟 #Willamina4thOfJuly


 SCAN ME

Consider volunteering with the 4th of July Committee. Volunteers are what will keep this festival and traditions going for future generations


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TRUNK OR TREAT

OCTOBER 31, 2024 | 5:30 - 7:00 PM

411 NE C ST, WILLAMINA

Come to City Hall for FREE a trunk-or-treat event. Community members, businesses, and organizations will be there to pass out candy and provide a safe night of fun for the whole family!



City Council

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

November 12, 2024
December 10, 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/>

New Hours:
Monday 11a-3p
Tuesday 12p-5p
Thursday 12p-5p
Friday 12p-5p
Saturday 11a-3p



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NEW HOURS BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 30:
MONDAY: 11A-3P
TUESDAY: 12P-5P
WEDNESDAY: CLOSED
THURSDAY: 12P-5P
FRIDAY: 12P-5P
SATURDAY: 11A-3P
SUNDAY: CLOSED
HOLIDAYS: CLOSED

West Valley Fiber Enthusiasts

Starting in October will meet the

4th Saturday, 12p-3p @Willamina Library

An open-format gathering that welcomes anyone interested in the fiber arts, spinning, knitting, crochet, weaving, sewing, embroidery, felting, and more! Youth are welcome too.



Join us Saturday, October 19, 12-3 for a Pumpkin Art Class!
Recommended for ages 8+ to use scissors and yarn needle. Younger patrons welcome with an adult to assist.

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

CALENDAR:

Check our website regularly for meeting changes and important notices

- October 8 6pm City Council Regular Meeting
- October 15 6pm Willamina Library Board Meeting
- October 22 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
Club meetings - All are welcome!
3rd Saturday, 6:00 PM
We will also be planning additional stargazing events for Fall and Winter.

Sarah Frost at frosts@ci.willamina.or.us or 503-857-3048



www.lolwillamina.org
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Fundraising Committee:
Are you interested in helping us plan a Murder Mystery 21+ fundraising event?
Our next Quarterly Fundraising meeting:
Sunday, October 13 at 2:00 PM



Vehicle Donations:
You can donate a vehicle to support the library by visiting:
careasy.org/nonprofit/love-our-library
Donating is easy and the pick-up is free.



BOTTLE DROP
You can donate cans & bottles to support the library.
Pick up a blue bag at the library and drop it at a collection location.