Southern Washington Edition

Free Clinic gets Fred Meyer Foundation grant to help pay for children's prescriptions

The Free Clinic of SW Washington has been awarded a \$2,700 grant from the Fred Meyer Foundation to be used to purchase medications and fill prescriptions for children 18 and under, reports the clinic's executive director **Donald Davies**.

The Free Clinic is the only free, walk-in clinic available to children and adults who are low-income and uninsured. All medical services offered by the Free Clinic are provided by health care professionals who volunteer their time.

Cathlapotle workshop volunteers asked to bring large yew limbs and elk antlers

Volunteers joining the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's Cathlapotle plankhouse project are asked to bring three-inch or larger yew limbs, elk antlers, hand saws and hatchets—if they have any of them—to the plankhouse workshop at 1 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 9, at the Ridgefield Community Center, 210 N Main Street.

Cost of the workshop is \$5. Volunteers at hands-on workshop will learn how to make wedges from antlers and yew, and to make mauls used in splitting large cedar planks.

The U.S. Department of the Interior agency will be recreating a Chinook Indian plankhouse similar to those visited by Lewis and Clark in 1805 near Ridgefield this summer. For further information, call **Anan Raymond**, **625-4377**.

Ten-week Sheriff's Citizens' Academy signups underway

Letters of interest are being accepted by the Clark County Sheriff's office for the 2003 ten-week Sheriff's Citizens' Academy, which begins Thursday, Feb. 20.

Limited to 25 participants, the annual academy provides an overview of the major functions and responsibilities of the sheriff's office.

The academy is free, but it is hoped that graduates will apply their knowledge as volunteers at precinct offices, according to spokesperson **Kari Schulz.**

For further information, call Schulz at **397-2211**, extension **4954**.

Groundhog Day is Sunday, college scholarship workshop is Tuesday

The Clark College scholarship workshop for students and parents is at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 4, in Gaiser Hall. Groundhog Day is Sunday, Feb. 2.

Last year, about 500 college and college-bound students and parents attended the workshop to learn how to compete for nearly \$340,000 in scholarships.

There is no such day as Tuesday, Feb. 2, this year, as the *Daily Insider* erroneously reported.

Messing up Groundhog Day dates may doom us to six more weeks of winter typos.

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Port's \$24 million terminal 2 renovation completed, terminal 3 project to begin

A \$24 million renovation project completed at the Port of Vancouver this month provides three main docks, a low dock, an oil dock, an export bulk loader and grain elevator facilities along 1,400 feet of new wharf space at terminal 2, reports port director of facilities **Todd Coleman**.

The renovated terminal space includes 40 acres of back-up cargo space. The original terminal was built in 1930

Work on expansion of terminal 3 begins this year with a \$7.3 million redevelopment of 70 acres of storage yards, according to Coleman.

People

Lindsey Isaacs has been promoted to branch manager of Columbia Credit Union's Heights Branch, reports credit union president **David Doss**. Isaacs joined the credit union in 2000 and was an operations manager. She is a Magna Cum Laude graduate of Western Washington University.

Milford Westin, five-term member of the Port of Kalama board of commissioners, has been elected president of the commission for 2003. He succeeds Fred Swanstrom, who becomes secretary of the board. Jim Lucas was elected vice president.

News brief

The role of open space in urban settings will be discussed by the Vancouver Planning Commission at its First Tuesday forum at 4 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 4.

Wednesday electronic events Bravo! Vancouver: Mostly Mozart—4 p.m. CVTV Portland Trail Blazers at Utah Jazz (live)—6 p.m. KGW, KXL Tri-City at Portland Winter Hawks (live)—7 p.m. KUPL Telecommunications Commission—7 p.m. CVTV Vancouver Planning Commission 1/28)—9 p.m. CVTV

Stocks of northwest interest at 4 p.m. EST, Wednesday, Jan 29, 2002							
Alaska Air Group	19.95	14	Microsoft	49.91	+1.09		
Alcoa	20.34	+.08	Nautilus	13.41	+1.53		
Amazon.com	22.08		Nike	45.67	+1.06		
Bank of America	69.59		Nordstrom	18.21	16		
Bemis	44.58	+.52	PepsiCo	40.51	02		
Boeing	30.61		Precision Cast	24.90	+.02		
Boise Cascade	24.75		RLRN	16.51	+.61		
CenturyTel	28.62	+.07		22.83	+.14		
Costco	29.31	+.10	TSM	7.20	+.05		
Expeditors Intl.	31.19		Tektronix	16.87	+.42		
Georgia Pacific	16.02		UPS	60.55	48		
HPQ	19.29		US Bancorp	20.86	03		
Intel	16.66	+.51		34.10	15		
Kyocera	56.78	82	W. Coast Bancorp	15.70	18		
Linear Technology	27.37	+.77	Weyerhaeuser	48.99	+.06		
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