

DONALD MONTHLY RECORD

DONALD'S CITY-WIDE



Fri. Sat. Sun.
 Aug. Aug. Aug.
 2nd 3rd 4th

— SALES START DAILY AT 9AM —

Register your garage sale by July 31st
 to be included on map

Official garage sale maps will be available
 August 1st

visit www.DonaldOregon.gov for more info.

Support Donald's Little Libraries

Summer is here and it is a critical time to provide reading opportunities to our youth. The Donald Little Libraries outside of City Hall are operated on the "take a book, give a book" concept. Books for ages 0-10 are **very low** and sometimes completely out. If you have extra books, please consider donating them. Or if you are able, consider buying a few used books at a garage sale or thrift store and donate them. Here are some facts and stats from the "Reading is Fundamental" nonprofit regarding summer reading for students:

- During the summer months, all children are at risk of losing some of the learning obtained during the school year.
- This is especially true for children from low-income families.
- More than 80% of the children from economically disadvantaged communities lose reading skills over the summer because they lack access to books, learning resources, and such enrichment opportunities as trips to the library, bookstore or museum.
- Students who lose reading ability over the summer rarely catch up.
- Over time, the students learning regression can add up to the equivalent of three years of reading loss by the end of fifth grade.

City Council: Name	Term
Brad Oxenford, Mayor	2020
Councilors:	
Gloria Nicholson, President	2020
Sheryl Glenn	2020
Katie Gonzalez	2022
Troy Hellickson	2022
Rod Scott	2020
Gerry Waller	2022



Councilor's Corner- Crafting with Councilor Waller

Hey Kids! Join the Summer Craft Fun: Come join Councilor Gerry Waller and her sister Carol Lively for kids Craft Day! This year the classes are on July 3rd, July 17th, August 7th and August 21st from 12:30 – 2pm at the Donald Community Center. Please bring \$2 to cover cost of supplies. Sign up on website: DonaldOregon.gov. Let Gerry know if you need help with the \$2 because this year we have scholarships available. Contact: CouncilorWaller@DonaldOregon.gov.

There is a Craft Time for Adults too! Councilor Gerry Waller and Carol Lively host a sewing group on the second Wednesday of the month at the Donald Community Center from 10am to 3pm. Email Gerry at CouncilorWaller@DonaldOregon.gov to learn more about the groups, to teach a class or find out about upcoming classes/sessions.



Court System for Nuisances

Donald is setting up a municipal court system, which will allow the City to issue citations and bring people to court for violations of the municipal code. This includes violations of nuisances like unkept properties or piles of garbage that create sanitation issues. The Council will select the date for Donald's 3rd annual City Clean Up Day but, in the meantime, if you have put property clean up on the back-burner it is a good time to clean up!

Marion County News

The Marion County Board of Commissioners selected Commander Joe Kast of the Marion County Sheriff's Office to fill the vacancy for Sheriff. Sheriff Jason Myers announced his retirement effective June 30, 2019. When a vacancy occurs in a county elected office, the Marion County Board of Commissioners appoints a replacement who will hold office until a new sheriff is chosen in the next general election.

City Council Update from June 2019 Meeting

The Council met at a Work Session on June 6th and heard a presentation from City Engineer Curt McLeod regarding the updates to the City's Public Works Design and Construction Standards that apply to all new construction projects. Later at the June 11th regular City Council Meeting, Mayor Oxenford completed the first reading of the ordinance to approve the standards. At the July 9th Council Meeting the ordinance will be read a second time and voted on. There is a 30-day appeal process for any ordinance. You can find the ordinance with the Public Works Standards on the City's website.

Also at the June 11th City Council meeting, there were two public hearings, one for the City to receive its share of revenues from the State (for things like liquor, marijuana, gas or cigarette taxes) and the other on the fiscal year 2019-2020 budget. The Council adopted all the resolutions regarding the City of Donald's budget including a fee schedule. The budget is on the City's website (along with audits). There were several speakers regarding the Council's question if the public wanted to add either chlorine or fluoride to the water system. The Council decided not to add either. They approved for the police and fire logs to be added to the City's website for you to view. They approved the appointment of Jim Peters to the Planning Commission. The Council adopted the new Council Rules of Procedures, which govern their meetings. The City officially approved accepting \$195K in grant money from the State of Oregon to pay for engineering regarding any new utility designs to serve the new Urban Growth Boundary (UGB) area. (The City was awarded the grant last year.) The Council will hold a Work Session on Monday, July 1 at 6:30pm at City Hall and hear a presentation from the City Engineer regarding the Water and Wastewater Master Plans for serving the new UGB area. No public comments are taken at Work Sessions, but you are invited to attend and hear the presentations. Regular Council Meetings are on the second Tuesday of the month; the next one is July 9th at 6:45pm at City Hall. Feedback forms are read into the record and public comments are taken at this meeting.

What can you do on the City's website?

www.DonaldOregon.gov

Pop Quiz! True or False (answer key next to calendar)

1. You can sign up to be on the City-Wide Garage Sale map?
2. You can submit a City Feedback Form that will be read by the Mayor and the Council at the next regular meeting?
3. You can read the last 20 signed ordinances and resolutions?

The City's website is a great source for gaining knowledge of City events, meetings, documents and rules. It allows City staff to communicate important information on a variety of different topics. Are you moving and need to get the water/sewer account closed? Fill out and submit a Request for Disconnection Form on the *Water & Sewer* page. Want to book the Community Center for an upcoming event? See if it's available by checking the calendar on the *Donald Community Center* page. The overall goal of the City's website is to provide user-friendly, consistent and valuable content to the residents of Donald. Thank you for checking it out.

ODOT Is Paving! Project Number 19831

More than 12 miles of road will be paved, including six bridges on I-5 between Woodburn and Salem. This paving will occur Sunday through Friday mornings through October. Travelers should plan for up to 30-minute delays on I-5 between these two cities. Lane closures will begin as early as 7pm and continue as late as 9am. Be in the know with TripCheck.com or visit www.oregon.gov/ODOT/Projects and type project number in the search field in the Project List section.

Support Your Free, Local Community Library By the North Marion Community Library Association

WHAT: The North Marion Community Library Association is holding its annual **BOOK SALE**, with hundreds of books for all ages, both fiction and non-fiction. **WHEN:** August 9, 10, 11, 2019 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. **WHERE:** New location this year is the triangular vacant lot between Main Street and Highway 99, across from the Legion Hall. Look for the tents full of books! **WHY:** All sales benefit your **free, local community library**, serving the communities of North Marion County and currently housed in the basement of Aurora Presbyterian Church, 21553 Liberty Street NE. If you have books to donate, we'd appreciate it if those can be brought directly to the site on Thursday afternoon, August 8, when we'll start setting up. For more information or to volunteer at the book sale, contact Andrea Heid, NMCLA president, at 503-776-9075 (leave a message), or e-mail Nmarionlibrary@gmail.com.



Being Water Wise A Reminder from Public Works

As summer approaches, the water usage spikes. In Donald, the water consumption can go up to 2 to 2.5 times higher than the winter demand. So, the challenge is using water efficiently. The City of Bend offers outdoor water wise resources on their website. If you are looking for ways to be more water efficient in your landscaping and irrigation it might be fun to check it out.

www.bendoregon.gov/government/departments/utilities/conservation/waterwise-guides.



City Calendar for July 2019

- Mon 1: City Council Work Session 6:30pm
- Wed. 3: Mayor Oxenford's Business Leaders Meeting 11am - 12pm
- Wed. 3: Summer Craft Fun at the DCC 12:30 - 2pm
- Thurs 4: Happy 4th of July! City Offices Closed
- Tue 9: City Council Meeting 6:45pm
- Mon 15: Water & Sewer Bills Due
- Mon 15: Storytime at the DCC 10:30am
- Tue 16: Red Tags delivered 10am
- Wed 17: Summer Craft Fun at the DCC 12:30 - 2pm
- Thurs 18: Water Shut Offs for Delinquent Accounts 10am
- Mon 22: \$5 Late Fees Applied 8am
- Mon 22: DBG Meeting 6:30pm
- Thurs 25: Planning Commission Meeting 6:45pm



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Answers: 1. True 2. True 3. False