

# The Mill City Messenger



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MILL CITY

## ANNUAL CITY WIDE YARD SALE EVENT—DOG DAZE: SATURDAY, AUGUST 17!

### FOR WATER AND SEWER EMERGENCIES CALL US **FIRST**

- Monday - Friday 8:00AM-5:00PM (503) 897-2302

### AFTER HOURS

- Public Works Supervisor  
Russ Foltz  
(503) 930-8256
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(503) 798-6507

Dog Daze is coming!

Start gathering your sale items now.

It's that time again! The annual city-wide yard sale event, "Dog Daze", is scheduled for Saturday, August 17, 2019.

This all-day yard sale brings out hundreds, if not thousands, of treasure seekers. Looking for a little extra cash this summer? Gather your friends and relatives and hold a multi-family sale.

**Sign up to have your sale placed on the Dog Daze map before Monday, August 12, 2019.**

Envelopes are available at City Hall; \$2.00 for individuals or \$5 for businesses and civic groups.

Not interested in holding a sale, no problem, the early bird gets the worm! Maps are available at local businesses and each sale the morning of the 17th.

Make sure to support the fundraising efforts of local civic groups that will be selling everything from household items to clothing to food and drink.

Need more information on Dog Daze? Call City Hall at (503) 897-2302.

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## CANYON CATALYST VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES OUTLINED

The Canyon Catalysts are once again looking to spruce up our little town! Anyone willing and able to volunteer is welcome.

The following opportunities are available:

**Wednesday, July 31, 2019 - 8:00 AM;**  
Meet at City Hall. The group will work on cleaning up bio-swales along Hwy 22 and the semi-circle across from Circle K. Please bring weed eaters, gloves, eye protection, big brooms or battery powered blowers if you have them. Safety vests are also encouraged!

**Tuesday, August 6, 2019 - 9:00 AM;**  
Painting party at Hammond and Memorial Parks! Paint and brushes will be supplied. Meet at Hammond Park.

**Thursday, August 8, 2019 - 6:30 PM;**  
Weeding Rhododendrons at Hammond Park. Bring gloves. Meet at Hammond Park.

**Saturday, August 10, 2019 - 9:00 AM;**  
Family Work Day! Meet at Kimmel Park for weeding, raking bark chips, washing play structures and painting benches and tables. Bring items for weeding and raking. All other supplies and SNACKS will be provided!

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## PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE – SUBDIVISION / RIGHT-OF-WAY VACATION

The City has received two applications from Rex Lucas and Scott Baughman, SBC Construction, requesting the City approve a 15-lot subdivision. The proposed Freeman Meadows Subdivision is located on a 4.12-acre tract of land that is located south of SE Hazel Street and between SE 5th Avenue and SE 6th Avenue rights-of-way. The applicant requests the City vacate a 25' x 130' long portion of the SE 5th Avenue right-of-way as part of the subdivision approval.

The proposed subdivision includes 15 new residential building lots, ranging in size from 8,900 square feet to 10,361 square feet. The proposed subdivision includes off-site street improvements to SE 5th Avenue, SE 6th Avenue and storm drainage improvements. The property is zoned R-2 Multi-family residential which permits the construction of either single-family homes

or duplexes on lots larger than 8,000 square feet in size.

A public hearing concerning the matter was held before the Planning Commission on Tuesday, July 16, 2019. The City Council will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, August 13, 2019, beginning at 6:30 p.m. at the City Hall, 444 1st Ave, Mill City. The City Council will review the recommendation of the Planning Commission and make a decision based on the criteria for a subdivision. The criteria are found in the Mill City Zoning Code, Title 17, Chapter 17.16 "R-2 Residential Zone" and the Mill City Subdivision Code, Chapter 16.16 "Subdivision Tentative Plat". The Searchable City Code can be viewed under "Documents" at the City of Mill City website: <http://www.ci.mill-city.or.us/>

The application, decision criteria and staff report will be available at City Hall seven days prior to the hearing.

The City Council may either approve, deny or approve the application with conditions or modifications. Any person wishing to provide testimony must address the decision criteria.

Failure to raise an issue precludes appeal and failure to specify to which criterion the comment is directed precludes appeal based on that criterion.

City Hall is accessible to persons with disabilities. Please call City Hall (503.897.2302) by noon the day before the meeting if you need an interpreter for the hearing impaired or any other special accommodation or if you have any questions related to the application.

### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES CONT'D FROM PAGE 1

**Saturday, August 24, 2019 - 9:00 AM;** Weeding at Hammond Park and City Hall. Bring weeding supplies. Meet at City Hall.

**Monday, August 26, 2019 - 8:00 AM;** Meet at NE Wall Street. Pressure washing public works building to prepare for Railroad Bridge Centennial Celebration display area. Bring stiff bristled broom and rags.

**Thursday, August 29, 2019 - 8:00 AM;** Continuation of work from August 26th clean up.

**Wednesday, September 4, 2019 - 8:00 AM;** Meet at Hammond Park. Bridge trash clean up, weeding on NE Wall St and around 1st Avenue side of bridge.

**Thursday, September 12, 2019 - 8:00 AM;** Meet at NE Wall Street. Volunteers will complete any unfinished work in preparation for the Railroad Bridge Centennial Celebration.

The Canyon Catalysts thank you in advance for volunteering!

Any questions? Contact Dawn Plotts or Anita Leach.



## PARENTS:

Do you live in the Santiam Canyon School District and have a 4 or 5 year old child who is ready to take the next step from preschool, but not old enough for kindergarten?

(Children must be born between 9/1/14 & 8/31/15.)

The Santiam Canyon School District, in partnership with Strengthening Rural Families, is excited to offer

# Santiam Canyon Preschool

This preschool is FREE and for students not yet eligible for Kindergarten who will be attending school in the Santiam Canyon School District in 2020-21.

YOU MUST LIVE IN THE SANTIAM CANYON SCHOOL DISTRICT

MONDAY - THURSDAY (on the school calendar)

Morning session: 8:10am-11:10am

OR

Afternoon session: 12:10pm-3:10pm

*(Times subject to change later this spring)*

Held in the Santiam Canyon Early Childhood Center

@ 233 SW 3<sup>rd</sup> St. Mill City, OR 97360

Please pre-register. To sign up or if you have questions, contact Santiam Canyon School District at (503) 897-2321 or 150 SW Evergreen St., Mill City



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**OFFICE HOURS: M-F 8AM TO 5PM**

**COUNCIL MEETINGS, SECOND AND FOURTH  
TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH, 6:30PM**

**PLANNING MEETINGS, THIRD FRIDAY OF  
EACH MONTH, 9:00AM—HEARINGS; THIRD  
TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH, 6:30PM**

### Contacts

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### Mayor & Council

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### Enter your photo in the Mill City Historic Railroad Bridge Photo Contest!

In celebration of the 100th Anniversary of the Mill City Historic Railroad Bridge, amateur and professional photographers are invited to enter their best image(s) of the bridge in the Mill City Historic Railroad Bridge Photo Contest.

Photos of the bridge must be submitted by August 14, 2019, and contestants may submit up to two photos for each category: Natural Setting, Architectural Features, Community Life, and Seasonal. Only digital photos will be accepted.

One grand prize winner will receive a \$500 cash prize and the four category winners will each receive \$125 cash prizes.

For a full list of contest rules and to submit your photo(s), go to [www.millcitybridge.com](http://www.millcitybridge.com).

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[WWW.MILLCITYBRIDGE.COM](http://WWW.MILLCITYBRIDGE.COM)**

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**RED  
CROSS  
BLOOD  
DRIVE  
AUGUST  
15, 2019**

Are you a regular blood donor?  
Haven't donated but always thought  
about doing so? Here is YOUR opportunity  
to help save lives!  
American Red Cross Blood Drive  
DATE: Thursday, August 15, 2019

TIME: 10:00 AM to 3:30 PM  
WHERE: City Hall; 444 S 1st Avenue, Mill City  
HOW: Walk in's welcome but appointments preferred.  
Visit: [Www.redcrossblood.org](http://Www.redcrossblood.org)  
Go to: Donate Blood, Find a Blood Drive and put in  
our zip code; 97360 OR Call: 1-800-RED-CROSS