How about a Date?

- Apr. 1 April Fools' Day
- Apr. 4 John & Rita Donato's anniversary Nick Danforth's birthday
- Apr. 5 Carol Creswell's birthday Bob & Ruth Fuch's anniversary Palm Sunday
- Apr. 6 John Wilson's birthday
- Apr. 8 Cyndi Tompkins' birthday
- Apr. 10 Jack & Jean Metler's anniversary Good Friday
- Apr. 11 Harley Hiatt's birthday
- Apr. 12 Easter Sunday
- Apr. 14 Frank Wryn's birthday
 Pete & Marcy Cartwright's anniversary
 RP Fire/EMS Board meeting, 7PM, Aspen
 Room
- Apr. 15 Dwight & Mary Tracy's anniversary
- Apr. 17 Evan Ferns' birthday
- Apr. 18 Margaret Parr's birthday
 Jacques DeKalb's birthday
 Liz Parrish's birthday
 Cinder Cartwright's birthday
- Apr. 22 Earth Day
- Apr. 23 Fred Hill's birthday
- Apr. 24 Jerry & Pat Higgins' anniversary Arbor Day
- Apr. 25 Jenny Hill's birthday Wayne & Toni Wiedeman's anniversary
- $Apr.\ 28-Greg\ Metler's\ birthday$
- Apr. 29 Pati White's birthday
- Apr. 30 Mike & Diana Newdall's anniversary

More Dates

July 18 – Rocky Point Fire/EMS BBQ, auction, flea market, bake sale fund raiser

Every Tuesday, Friday, & Saturday

8:30 – 4:00 PM – Dump open

Every Tuesday

9:00 - Quilt, Library open, Aspen Room

BUSINESS NEWS

Lake of the Woods Resort –Opening May 1st. Call now for specials on early spring lodging and camping. (1-866-201-4194).

Crystalwood Lodge – Closed for the season. **Rocky Point Resort** – Closed for the season.

Fish Lake Resort – Open with winter hours: Friday, 12 – 6; Saturday, 9 – 8; Sunday, 9 – 5:30. Of course they're willing to remain open a bit later if loyal customers from Rocky Point call ahead.

Solar Café – Open Friday evenings for pizza night, Saturday for breakfast and lunch. Longer hours coming in the spring.

Odessa Store – Now open, with groceries and quick-stop supplies, gas & diesel.

Ever get a pet from the Humane Society or a shelter?

If so, Julie wants to talk to you.

Call her at

356-2550

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ROCKY POINT FIRE/EMS BOARD NEWS

Three Board members, Fire Chief, and a guest attended the February meeting. Minutes and money matters preceded the Chief's report.

In the previous month, volunteers responded to 3 medical aid calls, 4 motor vehicle accident, 1 mutual aid fire, and 1 mutual aid fire inspection. Equipment received the biannual servicing. Training for regular drill totaled 36 hours, plus 1 special drill for 40 hours, and 1 burn learning drill for 70 hours. That means our volunteers invested 140 hours in one month. Quilt used the Aspen Room 5 days.

Update on OSHA status confirmed there were 5 citations. No word yet on the grant proposal submitted to replace fuel storage. Loren will continue to get estimates on the project, which Quilt will help fund.

A visit from 911 Executive Director was postponed, due to weather.

Board reviewed and passed an agreement with Klamath County Road Department for them to park a county road maintenance vehicle on Fire Department property at no charge.

Loren reminded everyone that there are 3 Board positions up for election this year. Anybody interested in serving should contact him ASAP.

Loren requested replacing vehicle 2101, the pick up, with a diesel model. The Board asked that he set up a 5-year equipment plan before they make a decision in that matter. Volunteers may help with the cost of a replacement truck.

Meeting adjourned. As always, you're invited to attend any of these meetings, held on the 2nd Tuesday of each month, to learn more about our community's only public agency. Complete & official minutes available at Fire Hall, 356-2205. This Institution is an equal opportunity provider.

THE BBQ IS COMING

Remember to keep those treasures for the flea market, get planning for the bake sale, and decide how you can help at the July fund raiser. **Greg Sullivan** is the grand poo bear of the event this year, so give him a call to find out more and offer up your name for helping however needed. (356-0920)

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NEED HELP?

Klamath Basin Senior Center Council is offering financial assistance to low-income households needing help with heating costs. Their staff will be available on **April 8th**, **10 AM to 4 PM** at the Rocky Point Fire Station to help those who qualify with requests.

Please come prepared with the following:

- Proof of income for the month of March
- Social Security cards for all residents of the household
- Utility bills
- Rent receipt for March, if you are a renter.

Flyers for the session will be posted at the fire hall kiosk and any place else available in Rocky Point. If you have questions, contact Nicky Fuller, 883-7171, ext. 13.

WE'RE PROUD

Roger Hart is more than willing to provide details on his 14-year-old great granddaughter's recent running of the Junior Iditarod. Not only did she enter, she finished. On top of that, she was awarded a scholarship and the humanitarian award.

RUNNIN' AROUND

Sharon Sligar's latest adventure consisted of cruising and snorkeling all over the Caribbean. To get the details and join her on a virtual tour, log on to her website-www.Smohotravels.blogspot.com.

Mexico seemed to be the hot spot for several folks who just HAD to get to warmer digs. **Dillenbergers** joined up with friends in that country to the south, as did **McIntoshes**, as well as **Gary & Dee West. Tony & Rosie**

Roberts were also in that southern neighborhood, on a cruise ship. The

McIntoshes report that Cabo is a very safe place to visit, despite stories of hostility in Mexico.

Still others found warm spots, like **Mike & Julie Black** who gathered up Julie's father and headed to Florida to hang out with long-lost relatives.

Zemans wandered several parts of the southwest, eventually ending up in Lake Havasu, where **Dearings** are wintering. To confuse that issue, **Griebs** rendezvoused at Havasu also. They gathered the Dearings and all headed for Ajo to visit the **Oswalds**. As if that wasn't enough fun, the Oswalds ventured up to Havasu a couple of weeks later to check out that scene at the Dearing squatting grounds.

A bit closer to home, but still delightful outings, consisted of the Feliciello's trip to Sacramento, as well as the Ross pair to Shady Cove to celebrate Glenn's birthday. Sullivans motored back to California to get in some quality granddaughter-spoiling time, and Florence Nelson got out of town for the first time since well before Christmas to help son Bill celebrate his birthday in Redmond. Thank goodness, because she was suffering from severe cabin fever!

Swansons and Wicklunds hooked on to their metal vacation homes, complete with dogs and firewood, for a coast trip that included marine viewing and quilt shop visiting, as well as a visit to Remote. Mirandas and Rusts hit Reno, where they met up with both Miranda children for a weekend of lessons on why the Rocky Point generation has no business trying to keep up with 20-something kids.

Richard & Mary Kay King headed north to visit their son Matthew in Bremerton, WA.

OUT AND ABOUT

Little by little, more special events are coming out for spring. Take a break from clean up and attend something like the following

Apr. 4 – Free Klamath Union High School Flute Concert, 4 PM, Running Y, Lodge Great Room.

Aprl. 5 – Red Hot & Blue performance, RRT, 2 PM.

Apr. 11 – Third Annual Spring Breakfast, Chiloquin Community Center, 8 AM – noon. Great food & Easter Basket Raffle, bulbs, flowers, and vegetable plant. Proceeds to go to Community Center and its programs. Adults \$5, children \$3.

Apr. 15 – PEO Scholarship fund raiser and vintage wedding ensemble style show. Come and help a young woman go to college, and see Mary Kay King's mother's wedding dress modeled. 2 PM, First Presbyterian Church in K Falls.

Apr. 18 – Trophy trout fishing derby, Moore Park.

Apr. 25 – Xiayin Want in Concert, RRT, 7:30 PM.

GENERAL HOSPITAL

Rita Donato's mother Jane and Clarence Young both had emergency hospital stays. Apparently they're both on the mend, with Clarence back home, and Jane is scheduled for return very soon.

Bob Lemas underwent knee-repair surgery. After he *finally* decided to listen to recovery instructions from the medical community, he too began the road to healing.

CONDOLENCES

Unfortunately, we have information to share under this heading. Part timers **Greg Hornecker and Mike Uhtoff** both passed away. We lost long-time resident **Joe Perez.** Sympathy goes to the friends and family of all these people, who were part of Rocky Point life in some degree or another.

On the pet front, **Dick Cartwright** had to give up long-time chocolate lab buddy, Bummer. **Dave and Carol Brown** sadly lost their 22-year-old cat.

FROM THE WRITERS

Spring thaw reveals the ugly side of winter's leftovers, mostly in the form of roadside debris. Kudos to all the walkers who take the time to bend down to collect litter and properly dispose of it. Boo Hiss to the ones who think their car window is a waste basket opening.

BETCHA DIDN'T KNOW

The Market at Running Y is now open for business. Stop in if you don't want to run all the way into town, or you forgot something on your way out.

ARE YOU ONE OF THESE AMERICANS LIVING DANGEROUSLY?

73% use cotton swabs to clean the inside of their ears.

39% eat raw cookie dough.

24% sometimes do not fasten their seat belts.

48% do not have a carbon-monoxide detector at home.

32% eat undercooked hamburgers.