

Christmas Giving

The City of Echo & Echo Boosters would like to thank all those who donated labor, cash, presents for children for the annual Giving Tree which provides Christmas gifts for needy children in the community. The City was not involved in the Christmas Food Basket program or deliveries this year. The Kiwanis operated this by themselves through the Chester's Food Pantry.

As usual the community exhibited its generosity and giving spirit. As well as donating gifts and cash for the Giving Tree, several individuals anonymously donated \$900 toward



utility bills. .

Giving Tree Donations are people who took tags from the Giving Tree and bought presents for those children. Volunteers are those

who helped with wrapping presents and/or delivering Giving Tree Gifts .

Thanks to Bryon Zumwalt and Stanfield Police and Echo Volunteer Firemen for helping with deliveries.

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Sarah & Will Anderson	Coats
Anonymous	\$45
Kim & Jay Bales	Giving Tree
Karen & Doyle Beacham	\$28.
Diane Berry	\$100
John Cox Family 3	toys for Giving Tree
Todd & Mary Dinbat	Giving Tree
Anita Dorn	\$50
Echo Community Church	\$50
Echo School Staff	toys
Janie Enright	toys/volunteer
Gene & Jeanie Hampton	volunteers

Ron Hinkle	volunteer
Ed & Tara Longhorn	Giving Tree
Robert Lowrance	volunteer
Samantha Lowrance	volunteer
Cindy McAuslan	\$25
Buster McClinton	volunteer
Joe & Mary Middleton	coats & clothes
NW Oregon 4 Wheelers Club car load of toys	
Ryan Morris	\$10
Pacific Power & Light	\$500 Christmas &
	Booster Programs
Ron & Vicki Ranger	\$20
RDO/John Deere	toys
SS Equipment	toys
Janice Schulze	handmade quilts
Alfred & Janice Scott	Giving Tree
Emily & Casey Spike	Giving Trees
Melvin & Barbara Wagne	r - \$100
Richard & Sue Winter	\$100
Pat & Janet Wood	\$25
Larry & Bethany Woodall	Giving Tree
Chris & Jan Zita	Giving Tree
NE Oregon 4Wheelers	Car load of toys



Dog Licensed

Dog licenses for 2019 must be purchased by **Feb**. 28. Any license, except for those for new dogs obtained on March 1 or after will have a **\$10 per month penalty per dog** added for each month the li-

censing is past due.

The current license fees, less any penalties, are \$5 year for a spayed or neutered animal and \$15 per year for an unaltered animal. Proof of a current rabies shot is required. If you have added a dog or puppy, they need to be licensed within 2 weeks of turning 6 mos. or being acquired.

Rabies Clinic:

Country Animal Hospital is returning again this year with their annual Rabies Shot Clinic on Jan. 26 from 10 am to noon @ the Masonic Lodge, 20 S. Dupont. Shots Cost \$20. Make checks out to Country Animal Hospital for shots & City of Echo for License fees. NO CREDIT OR DEBIT CARDS.

Library News & Donations

Thank you: Linda & Jim Ball craft supplies, puzzles Linda Mills 79 books Marilyn Schiller 117 audio books

Don't forget we also have a clipboard where you can make recommendations for books and materials you would like to see in the library.

Also don't forget that your library card provides access to library materials through Inter Library Loan to the 77 public libraries, school libraries and university/colleges in 15 Eastern and Central Oregon Counties. There are over 1 million items available thru Sage and our own library has over 18,000 books. over 3,000 videos, cds and audio books. Annaul State Library Ready to Read Grant of \$1000 to help fund the Summer Reading Program has arrived. The theme is a Universe of Stories.

Dolly Parton Imagination Library

Thanks to Cecili Longhorn, Stanfield Library Director, for organizing a Christmas Bingo fund-raiser for both Echo and Stanfield Libraries to raise matching funds for the Dolly Parton Imagination Library . A total of \$769 was raised. Thanks to Walmart DC Walmart Super Store, Janie Enright & Emily Spike for donation of prizes.

December Donations:

Pat & Judy Wood \$25

Donations to this program can be dropped off at City Hall. For Every \$25 donated to the Imagination Library a child will receive 12 books per year for them to keep.

Council Election

Mayor Jeanie Hampton has been reelected to her 2nd term as mayor.

Chad Rav and Dick Yoder were elected to term their 1st term on the council and

Tammie Williams who was appointed last year to fill out a council vacancy was elected.

The mayor and new/re-elected council members will be sworn in at the January meeting.



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