

AUGUST 2022

SWEET HOME CHAMBER NEWSLETTER

Dear Members and Community Partners,

I hope everyone's summer is going well and you are managing the heat we are finally getting! I see lots of people getting ready for the next season that is quickly approaching. The Chamber of Commerce is no different. With so much change going on, our Board of Directors and volunteers are busier than ever!

We are seeking a new Executive Director and that job posting is going out today! If you know a well-organized, outgoing person who is willing to learn and loves Sweet Home, please send them our way!

Volunteers are highly coveted, and we are always on the lookout for social individuals who know and love Sweet Home and the surrounding area to man the Visitor's Center and get involved in various events throughout the year.

Fall cleaning, landscaping, and painting are well underway! Our President, Christy Duncan, is leading the charge on getting everything organized, tidied up, and clutter wrangled! Freshly painted porches provide a welcoming environment for anyone coming through our door!

Coffee with Colleagues was hosted at Houck Everts this morning! The donuts and fruit were delicious, and we had a great group of regulars and new attendees! Business After Hours will be hosted by Sieg's Valley View Ranch later this month at their beautiful location with a stunning view! Both are great opportunities to meet businesses and organizations in the area and learn a little more about all the fascinating things that make our amazing community so unique!

We can't wait to see you all at an event or just visit with you in our office! Thank you all for your continued support!

Shelly Larson
Vice President



2022 Premier Partner

*It's always Buck's
season!*

- Special Events
 - Weddings
 - Construction & Agriculture
 - Restroom Trailers
 - Shower Trailers
- bucks-sanitary.com



Sweet Home Community Health Fair

Ever wonder what health resources are here in Sweet Home? Find out at the Sweet Home Community Health Fair!

The fair is free to attend with:

- Health screenings
- Kids back to school back packs!
- Housing services
- Services for seniors
- Physical and Mental Health Resources
- Covid Vaccinations
- 30+ tables of available resources



Saturday, Aug. 20, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Sweet Home High School,
In front of the LBCC Center -An outside event!



New Member Sweet Home Feed & Supply



Groundbreaking for Wiley Creek's new Memory Care Community



COFFEE WITH COLLEAGUES

HOSTED BY

TUESDAY, AUGUST 9TH
8:30AM AT HOUCKS
EVARTS. IN SWEET
HOME.
BRING YOUR BUSINESS
CARDS AND A RAFFLE
PRIZE!

BUSINESS AFTER HOURS

HOSTED BY SIEG'S
VALLEY VIEW RANCH
AUGUST 25TH 5:30-7PM
24955 CRESCENT HILL RD.



Sweet Home Senior Center



AUGUST



Menu

3: Caribbean Pirates!

Aye matey, the Pirates of the Caribbean have arrived!
Jamaican jerk chicken (we'll make it mild), calypso rice & beans,
Caribbean coleslaw, dessert

If you want, come dressed like a pirate just for fun!
but watch out - Blackbeard might steal the prize you could
win from the pirate's treasure chest!

10: BBQ Meatballs

Seasoned meatballs in a tangy & savory BBQ gravy
served over mashed potatoes, with salad, veg, dessert

17: Lasagne

Traditional lasagne noodles layered with
seasoned beef, cheeses, & red sauce, served with
salad, garlic bread, dessert

(Dessert provided by Wiley Creek Community)

24: Smothered Chicken

Baked chicken breast smothered in a creamy bacon
gravy, served with roasted potatoes, salad, veg, dessert
(Dessert provided by Brookdale Senior Living Albany)

31: Pizza! Pizza!

Individual pizza loaded with gooey cheese,
meat & veg toppings, served with salad, dessert

\$5

Served 11:30 ~ 12:30 every Wednesday

Dine-in or take-out (please come in to pay & pick up)

Please call at least a day ahead if you're picking up take-out for
3 or more lunches to ensure we have enough to serve everyone.

Thank you 541-367-4775





EAT.SLEEP.SHOP.PLAY.LEARN.LIVE. LOCAL



Tuesdays 2pm-6pm
June through September
sweethomefarmersmarket.org

Sweet Home Elks Lodge
BPOE 1972
440 Osage St. in Sweet Home
541-367-3559



New Flo Plumbing
100 Main St. in Sweet Home
541-367-5655

Spoletto's Italian Restaurant
4804 HWY 20 in Sweet Home
541-367-4001



[Click here to view an extensive list
of Sweet Home goods and
services.](#)

SWEET HOME CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

OUR PILLARS

Member Benefits

Providing opportunities for business growth and education to help the community be more productive and profitable.

Business Advocacy

Standing up for our local business community and championing "shop local."

Talent Development

Strengthening the upward potential of local businesses by improving the quantity and quality of talent within the region.

Tourism

Supporting tourism as an economic development driver.

[RENEW MEMBERSHIP
OR JOIN THE CHAMBER
HERE.](#)



VOLUNTEER

At the Sweet Home Visitors Center!

Do you love Sweet Home??

Do you love meeting new people??

Do you want to make a difference in your community??

Our Visitors Center is seeking vibrant Sweet Home residents to help greet visitors this summer. As the first face visitors will see when they get to town, you'll be able to share all the fun events coming up and great recreation options in the area.

To sign up, call 541-367-6186 or email sweethomecoc@gmail.com.



ENTREPRENEURS

Volunteer at the Sweet Home Visitors Center and get your annual Entrepreneur Chamber membership free!

Wifi, desk space, and meeting space to help grow your business.

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View more member benefits at sweethomechamber.com/member-benefits



AMERICAN PICKERS to Film in Oregon

The American Pickers are excited to return to Oregon! They plan to film episodes of The History Channel hit television series throughout your area in October 2022.

A central image showing a red pickup truck parked on a dirt road next to a large, weathered sign that says 'AMERICAN PICKERS'. In the background, there is a red barn and a field under a sunset sky. The History Channel logo is in the bottom right corner of the image.

ALL SIGNS POINT TO ANOTHER GREAT SEASON

AMERICAN PICKERS

AMERICAN PICKERS ARE LOOKING FOR LARGE, RARE COLLECTIONS & THINGS THEY'VE NEVER SEEN BEFORE. TELL US THE INTERESTING STORY BEHIND YOUR STUFF!

TO BE CONSIDERED, PLEASE CONTACT US AT:
AMERICANPICKERS@CINEFLIX.COM
or leave a voicemail at (646) 493-2184
or on facebook: @GotAPick

PLEASE LET US KNOW:

- YOUR NAME, TOWN & STATE
- PHONE NUMBER
- WHERE YOUR COLLECTION IS LOCATED
- A DESCRIPTION OF YOUR ITEMS

The History Channel logo, featuring a large, stylized 'H' with a red and yellow gradient, and the word 'HISTORY' in black below it.The Cineflix logo, featuring a stylized 'C' icon followed by the word 'cineflix' in a lowercase, sans-serif font.

RAIN

MONEYmaker Accelerator 2022



MONEYmaker

A free 10-week virtual program designed to **strengthen your business** finances and position you for growth and funding

July 27th - Oct 5th

Deadline to Apply: July 13th

Weekly on Wednesdays from 9:00 to 10:30am

WEDNESDAYS, 9 - 10:30AM

Our 10-week Curriculum:

Each week includes main session PLUS "Mentor Hour" with speaker

July 27	Psychology of Money + Proof of Feasibility
August 3	Budgeting for Fun & Profit
August 10	Intro to Bookkeeping
August 17	What your Statements are Telling You
August 24	Managing Cash Flow
August 31	Pricing & Margins
Sept 7	**OFF FOR LABOR DAY**
Sept 14	Which Funding Source is Right for You?
Sept 21	To Raise or Not to Raise?
Sept 28	Plans & Pitches: Putting Your Best Foot Forward
Oct 5	Equity Crowdfunding: A How To

HARVEST • *festival* •

Sponsorship Opportunities

We are pleased to announce that the 16th Annual Sweet Home Harvest Festival will be held at Sankey Park on Saturday, October 1st from 11:00 AM to 5:00 PM.

There will be craft, food and alcohol vendors, live music (TBD), a covered seating area, a pie baking contest, a chili cookoff, and Sankey Park Phase II Project Donor Recognition.

Please consider making a cash or in-kind donation to facilitate the success of this unforgettable local event. On the following page you will find a list of sponsorship opportunities and benefits. Please send your donation to the City of Sweet Home by 5:00 PM, Friday, August 26th, 2022.

Thank you for all that you do to add to the continued growth and success of our town.

We look forward to seeing you at the Harvest Festival!

City of Sweet Home Community and Economic Development Department



(Potential) Sponsor Benefits

Title Sponsor:

- Listed as the title sponsor on all advertisements created / distributed by The City of Sweet Home online and in print at or leading up to the event.

Kid Zone Sponsor:

- Listed as a sponsor on all advertisements created / distributed by The City of Sweet Home online and in print at or leading up to the event.

Banner Sponsor:

- Listed as a sponsor on all advertisements created / distributed by The City of Sweet Home online and in print at or leading up to the event.

Baking Contest/Awards Sponsor:

- Your Banner on the awards table.
- Listed as a sponsor on all advertisements created / distributed by The City of Sweet Home online and in print at or leading up to the event.

Media Sponsor:

- Your logo on all printed media to include flyers, yard signs, online flyers and yard banners,

Entertainment Sponsor (includes band, stage & tents):

- Listed as a sponsor on all advertisements created / distributed by The City of Sweet Home online and in print at or leading up to the event.
- Your Banner on or near the stage area.

Available Sponsorship Opportunities 2022 Harvest Festival

Opportunity	Sponsorship Amount	Sponsor
Title Sponsor (funds will go toward the rental of the seating area tents, restrooms, advertising, media electrical connections, misc. supplies needed)	\$10,000 (based on 2021 expenses)	
Entertainment (stage, sound, and bands)	\$5,000 (based on 2021 expenses)	
Kid Zone (face painter, pumpkins, hayride, prizes, etc.)	\$3,500 (based on 2021 expenses)	Wendi Melcher \$375 (pumpkin painting)
Chili Cookoff (awards, supplies, etc.)	\$1,000 (based on 2021 expenses)	
Pie Bakeoff (supplies, awards, extra pies for serving, etc.)	\$500 (based on 2021 expenses)	Travis Luttmner \$500

VOLUNTEER

opportunity



Lebanon Area
Habitat
for Humanity®

VOLUNTEER POSITION FOR BOARD TREASURER

Visit Careers | Lebanon Area Habitat for
Humanity (lebanonoregonhabitat.com)
to learn more

Send your resume to:

info@lebanonhabitat.com

Accounting Skill Set Required www.lebanonoregonhabitat.com 541.405.5213

Members:

Want your event flyer in next month's newsletter? Email it in a .jpg format to sweethomecoc@gmail.com.