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AUCTION AND SPAGHETTI DINNER - GASTON

The Upper Tualatin Action Group and a large number of area citizens are interested in the possibility of having the Gaston Community Hall repaired as a possible future Multi-service Center for the area. The group has had 4 meetings with the Gaston City Council, who has shown interest in the possibility of obtaining funds from the Department of Housing and Urban Development through its Neighborhood Facility Grant Program. If the City Council should finally decide to apply for these funds, one third of the total cost will have to come as the local share.

To make an attempt to come up with this local share, Ralph Rasmussen, member of the Gaston City Council, suggested to the Upper Tualatin Action Group that an Auction might be the way to start. So next Sunday, June 9, 1968 at 1 PM in the Gaston Community Hall is the time and place for the Auction. Chris Christiansen has donated his time as the auctioneer. The items to be sold are all being donated. A wee calf and horse have already been donated. How about that!

Besides, a Spaghetti Dinner will also be served from 1 PM. So bring your family and have an afternoon of fun, and a hearty meal.

In the meantime, if you have some items you would like to donate call the CAP Office, Gaston 985-3851 or Ralph Rasmussen at 985-3341 or O.L. Williams at 357-2998.

MEDICAL SELF-HELP TRAINING COURSE - SHERWOOD

In cooperation with Oregon State Board of Health, the Sherwood Area Action Group has arranged for a series of classes on Medical Self-Help. The first meeting will be held on Monday, June 10th at 7:30 PM at the Sherwood Center, which is in the Grange Hall. The series consists of eleven topics and will touch on such areas as artificial Respiration, Bleeding and Bandaging, Burns, Shock, Infant and Child care, Emergency Childbirth, Fractures and Splinting, Etc. The lessons will be taught with filmstrips and motion pictures and will be followed by practice sessions. Mr. John Sellers of the State Board of Health will introduce the course and John has arranged that a student from the Oregon Medical School will complete

the training. It is planned that interested people from the other Center areas will participate in this program, and perhaps teach the course in their own Centers at a later date. The course is open to the public and a certificate will be given to those who complete it.

HEALTH SURVEY AND T.B. TEST CLINIC - TIMBER

For sometime the County Health Department has been conducting a 3-step Health Survey in the County. The first step was a Block Survey to determine selected environmental factors related to communicable disease control. These factors include land use; exterior housing quality; water supply; human waste disposal; refuse storage; rubble accumulations; etc. This has been completed by the Health Department Staff. The 2nd part is the Health Interview Survey. This survey will be made through-out the county from July 15-19 and will be a random sampling of families in 4 major areas of the county. However, the Health Department has selected the immediate Timber area for a complete door to door survey. Some 50-60 families will be interviewed this week. The immunization record and communicable disease history of each family member will be obtained. Then on Saturday, June 8 from 9:30 AM to 12 noon, the Health Dept. will hold a Tubercular Skin Test Clinic at the Timber Center. It is hoped that the entire Population of the Timber area will participate. At a future date it is planned to hold a TB Clinic and this time have the same people X-Rayed. This is a pilot program and future plans will be based on the outcome.

The 3rd part of the Health Survey will be ACTION. Efforts will be made to provide the health services that the survey will indicate as needed.

FAMILY PLANNING CLINIC

In recent months the attendance at the clinic has jumped. The Doctor and the Nurse have been kept very busy. The clinic is held at the Health Department at 3rd Ave. in Hillsboro the 3rd Tuesday of each month - June 11 - this month - beginning at 7:30 PM. If you need transportation call the Center in your area:

Sherwood - 625-6893
 Gaston - 985-8851
 Timber - 357-8206
 North Plains - 331-5515

KINDERGARTEN BEING ORGANIZED IN GASTON AREA

Because Head Start funds are not now available, and the need for one in the Gaston area was recognized, Mrs. Marie Hedin came up with a great idea. Together with a few more interested mothers, she surveyed the area to see how many families were interested and could afford to pay \$15.00/month/child. While plans are not yet final, they have a teacher tapped and a space donated by the First Congregational Church of Gaston. It is their hope that enough families will participate so as to make it possible to share the class with kids, who could not financially make it.

To help the funds situation, Evelyn Crook, Center Coordinator contributed some \$30 that came in from the Bake Sale at her annual Art Show at the Cherry Grove Gym on May 11-13. The girls also made a contribution from the proceeds made by selling food at the Firemans' Dance in Gaston on May 25. So you have to agree that things are stirring out Gaston way.

WELL-BABY CLINICS

This month Well-Baby Clinics will be at Gaston on June 13, and North Plains on June 27. The attendance is still excellent and the work of Dr. Julia Grach and the Health Nurses is much appreciated.

CLOTHES CLOSET-NORTH PLAINS

A clothing center is being sponsored by the ladies of the North Plains Christian Church. If you are in need of clothing for work or school, go to the Community Center for a referral slip and they're yours. Donations of clothing would be appreciated and may be taken to the Community Center or the Church. Thank You.

CUB SCOUTS - NORTH PLAINS

A wienee roast was held last Wednesday after school at the home of Betty Wold for the two Cub Scout dens of North Plains. Three Den Mothers, Betty Wold, Adel Banke, and Linda Clark combined their efforts or this last meeting, and I do mean Last.

At the pack meeting on Thursday night it was ascertained that although North Plains has thirty small boys who would very much like to continue in the Cub Scout program, there are just not enough parents who are willing to give one hour a week to this good cause. HOW BUSY CAN YOU BE!!!

NORTH PLAINS BULLETIN

This is the tittle of the one-page "Paper" that Mrs. Marcile Holmes and Mrs. Linda Clark of the North Plains Area Council have started for the city of North Plains. It has received a good response from the community. Such items as Local Notices of upcoming events, jokes, human interest items, want and for sale advertisements etc. fill the page. The gals rounded up their own mimeograph machine and turn out the paper every week. Well done Gals, your is the kind of adverturous spirit that we all admire.

NORTH PLAINS CENTER

Have you seen the Center recently? Gee whiz, you would hardly recognise it. It has received a complete new "face" job. The outside was painted a light green last week by Jerry Hook, one of our NYC enrolees and two of the rooms inside were painted by a group of volunteers headed by Ken Lukens. Lovely new Bamboo Curtains for the front room were donated by Marcile Holmes. All in all it has turned out to be a pretty fancy job.

TIMBER CENTER

By the same token have you visited the Timber Center recently? Shirley England just recently painted the official title of "Timber Neighborhood Center" in bold red letters across the side of the school building. You just can't miss it as you drive into town. Well done, Shirley. It seems like the painting bug has really caught on recently!!

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CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES 16 June - 13 July

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
16	17 Boy Scouts - Timber Art Class - Upper Tualatin Youth Group - North plains	18 Center Staff Meeting	19 WCCAO BOARD MEETING	20 Steering Cmte meeting Youth Group - Timber	21 State CAP Assn. Meeting Pendleton	22 Sewing Class Timber
23	24 Boy Scouts - Timber Youth Group - North Plains Art Class - Upper Tualatin	25 Upper Tualatin Council Meeting Center Staff Meeting Bible Study - Timber Sherwood Council Meeting	26	27 Well Child Clinic-N.Plains Youth Group- Timber Seminar - Hillsboro	28	29 Sewing Class Timber
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30	1 Boy Scouts - Timber Youth Group - North Plains Art Class - Upper Tualatin	2 Center Staff Meeting	3	4 Holliday	5	6 Sewing Class Timber
7	8 Boy Scouts - Timber Youth Group - North Plains Art Class - Upper Tualatin	9 Upper Tualatin Council Mtg. Bible Study - Timber Timber Council Meeting	10	11 Seminar - Hillsboro Youth Group - Timber Executive Cmte Meeting	12 Immunization Clinic - Timber	13 Sewing Class Timber