



SBA Weekly News

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Howdy folks! We had a nice evening at the Jackson Co Fair. Great to be with the family and watch the young'uns have a wonderful time getting sick. Ha Ha. Well not so bad.

[Thank you to Glendale Baptist Church](#)

By the time the Summer is over your generous gift to SBA will have been used 3 more times. Already there have been 2-3 salvations and more to come with 2 more churches to use the items sent for VBS. We appreciate your help as many of our churches are in the struggle mode financially.

[SBA 5th Sunday Singspiration July 29th](#)

- At College Heights under the big top (well a tent). BBQ on the grounds starts at **5:30PM**. Please bring side dishes/desserts to share! Hot Dogs and Hamburger, all the trimmings are provided. Water and coffee will be provided, if you would like soda or other drinks bring your own please.
- **6:30 PM** (ish) the sing will start. Pews are in the tent. Bring a chair just in case. Please bring no more than 2 selections per church.

(PS - the SBA has an opportunity to buy this tent so come and check it out!)

[Men and Boys \(9years and up\) Camp Out Retreat - August 16-18 \(Thursday - Saturday\)](#)

- **Lake Selmac** **Campsite at [MALLARD LOOP](#)**
- **Fishing, Frisbee Golf, Horseshoes, Fellowship, Devotions, Bike trails & Food.**
- **Includes 2 breakfasts, 2 suppers and campsite to pitch tent. If you are bringing a camper, motor home, etc. please contact us to reserve one of the 8 sites that are reserved**
- **Cost: \$25 per person non-refundable**
- **\$5.00 per extra vehicle**
- **[Reservation confirmation due by August 5th.](#)**
- **E-mail to crchap@gmail.com**
- **Or call 541-787-5086 This event is sponsored by your SBA Fellowship Team**
- In order to help encourage churches or offset expenses, we (Fellowship Team) are offering \$25 to each church participating to help with either a scholarship, fuel expenses, extra parking or snack/drink expenses.

• **Prayer Needs and Praises:**

- **Let me know if your church has a prayer concern it will be posted here.**
- **Updates are a great thing.**

- **For upcoming events, that they would encourage and edify the Body of Christ here in So. Oregon. That He will be glorified in all that happens, that many would come to know Jesus as Lord and Savior.**
- **Good news from Margaret Fry. She is doing well and the Surgical Dr has released her as of last week. Doing other tests just to make sure all is well.**
- **Good news from John Powell. What an event in his life. He is home and doing well. All are amazed at his recovery from the 13 hour surgery on his back. He thanks you all for the prayers and asks that you continue as he heals.**
- **Trinity Baptist Church had 2 or 3 children come to salvation last week at VBS.**
- **Prospects VBS is August 1st - 3rd.**
- **Dayspring is showing the movie "Courageous" this Friday, 6:30 PM. Community is invited so are you.**
- **For So. Oregon New Work** that we will seek to see where God is leading and follow Him to reach many for Jesus.
- **Children and Youth Team** - PTL for changed lives.
- **Fires in all areas** - Please continue to pray for the firefighters and all the supporting personnel as they rest up for the next fire event.
- **Jamie Batte:** He is facing serious life changes and needs total clarification from God that he is doing what God wants him to do.
- **Bruce Pearson:** Continued prayer as he heals.
- **College Heights** - Pastor Search Committee as they discern God's direction in regards to a new pastor. They are taking resume's for their pastoral position. Pray that they will find the man God is leading to their church. Continue to pray for the reconstruction and all of what goes into that (looks to be starting soon). Tent is up, looks very nice. 5th Sunday is here. See above for further information
- **Pastor Ron Lloyd, FBC Tule Lake, CA.** For FBC Tule Lake and their pastor search committee.
- **From Pastor Richard Williams, Petra, Central Point** - Pray for Petra as they seek God's direction and will for their place of worship.
- **Pray for these Pastors and their wives:**
 - Sixth St, Gold Beach: John and Carolyn Dawson,
 - Dave and Nita Kanton,
 - William and Peggy Burns, (they have officially moved to Vancouver, WA)
- **Pray for all of our Pastor's and wives, Region 4 Team, Missionaries (IMB and NAMB) and NWBC staff** that they (we) would see as He sees and empower them (us) to love the unlovely, the rejected, and the outcasts as Jesus did. 1 Sam 16:7b
- **Be in prayer for Bill Crews, he has tendered his resignation as Executive Director/Treasurer for our convention. Continue to pray for his health and his family.**
- **Be in prayer for Sara Wisdom, Retired Women's Strategist/WMU Director of the NWBC. For her health.**
- **Building projects around our association: College Heights, Prospect and Grace. Lampman needs one!**
- **For ministries throughout our SBA area that are reaching out to their greater community.**
- **For our churches that are struggling with both much and lack of growth and financial issues.**
- **NWBC: Search Committee:** Clint Ashley, Barry Campbell, Ben Davis, Jamie Sims, Leslie Toll and Steve Schenewerk.

Reminders of upcoming Current Calendar Information:

541-659-7261 or E-mail office@siskiyoubaptist.org

The rest of this year's calendar for SBA is listed here. Please make note and attend as much as possible.

July Birthdays and Anniversaries: Please remember to pray for these on their special days.

William Burns - 1st; Richard and Patricia Williams-Anni, 8th; Sawyer Badley (4), 9th; Zach Merritt, 17th; Ken and Pat Barrington-Anni, 18th; Carolyn Dawson, 21st; Rhonda Smith, 24th; Bob and Betty Batte-Anni, 25th; Teri Franell, 28th; Stan Smith, 29th

VBS 2012 Lozier Lane Baptist

July 29-August 4 Call 541-773-4778 for more information. I'm pretty sure this is an evening one.

August Birthdays and Anniversaries: Please remember to pray for these on their special days.

Sterling Badley (2) - 4th; Tammy Johnson - 18th; Lenny Brewer - 18th; Nancy Goss - 26th; John and Carolyn Dawson-Anni, 30th

VBS 2012 Prospect Baptist Church

August 1-3 Call 541-560-3750 or Pastor Bob 541-621-3289 for more information.

Men and Boys (9years and up) Camp Out Retreat - August 16-18 (Thursday - Saturday)

See above for the information, contacts and RSVP Dates.

VBS 2012 College Heights Baptist

August 20th-24th - 9AM -12PM Call 541-479-6943 for more info.

September 1, Annual Church Profile - Churches should receive the Annual Church Profile from the NWBC. A lot of this can be done before the deadline of October 1. Please plan ahead. If all you need is the instructions to get to the site and print your packet please let me know.

September 7, SBA Admin Team Meeting - 11:30 AM at the Black Bear restaurant in Medford.

Week of Prayer for NW Missions/Sylvia Wilson Mission Offering September 9th to 16th

E-Board Meeting September 24th - 7:00 PM - Lampman Road, Gold Hill - 541-956-7588 SBA office

SBA 5th Sunday Singspiration September 30th -- Grace Baptist ?? May need a back up place
Sherry Brewer 541-582-1617 lennynsherry@msn.com

Annual Church Profiles Due - October 1 - Annual Church Profiles are due. Thank you!!!!

Pastor & Wife Appreciation Dinner - October 12 - Watch for details in Aug/Sept

SBA Annual Meeting - October 22nd -- SBA Annual Meeting - College Heights ?, Grants Pass
6:15 Potluck 7:15 meeting. Zach Merritt - preacher - 541-956-7588 SBA office

Have a Great Wednesday and week!

Nancy

Plant your garden 2012

" Life is too short for drama, laugh insanely, love truly and forgive quickly"

How To Plant Your Garden

First, you Come to the garden alone,
while the dew is still on the roses.

FOR THE GARDEN OF YOUR DAILY LIVING ,

PLANT THREE ROWS OF PEAS :

1. Peace of mind
2. Peace of heart
3. Peace of soul

PLANT FOUR ROWS OF SQUASH:

1. Squash gossip
2. Squash indifference
3. Squash grumbling
4. Squash selfishness

PLANT FOUR ROWS OF LETTUCE:

1. Lettuce be faithful
2. Lettuce be kind
3. Lettuce be patient
4. Lettuce really love one another

NO GARDEN IS WITHOUT TURNIPS:

1. Turnip for meetings
2. Turnip for service
3. Turnip to help one another

TO CONCLUDE OUR GARDEN WE MUST HAVE THYME:

1. Thyme for each other
2. Thyme for family
3. Thyme for friends

WATER FREELY WITH PATIENCE AND CULTIVATE WITH LOVE.
THERE IS MUCH FRUIT IN YOUR GARDEN BECAUSE YOU REAP WHAT YOU SOW.
NOT BAD, HUH?!