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Update

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On Monday, the Yoncalla School District received a check for \$17,500 for the Holiday Food Assistance for Douglas County Public Schools grand on behalf of the Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Tribe of Indians. The grant is designed to offer food Assistance to public school districts that do not have planned meals, or food distribution, for students during the upcoming Thanksgiving and Christmas Breaks. This grant will help ensure that students and their families have access to food during the holiday periods when the school meal program is unavailable.

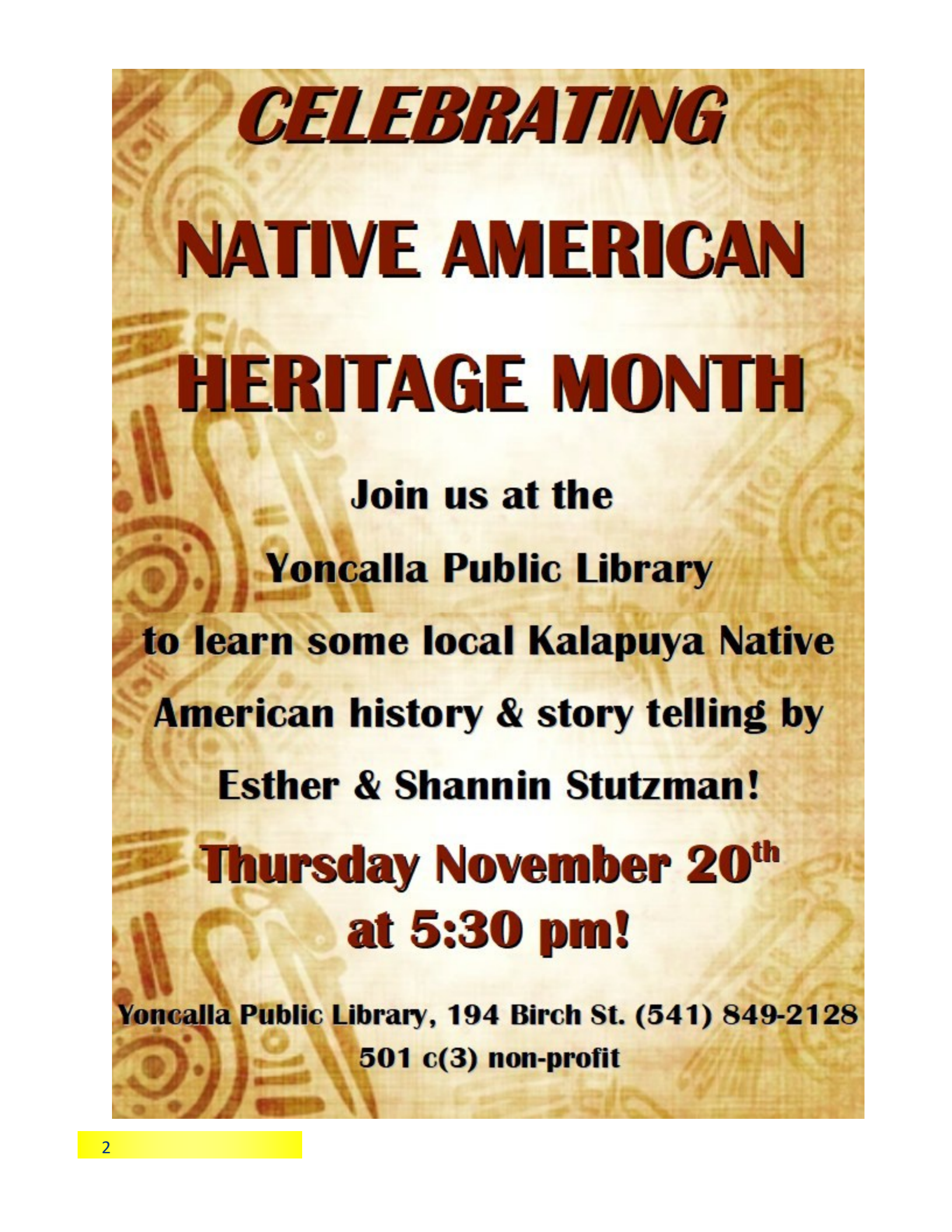
In a statement sent to the Cow Creek Bank of Umpqua Tribe of Indians, Superintendent Brian Berry said, "On behalf of the Yoncalla staff and students, thank you so much?? The Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Trive of Indians have supported the youth in Douglas County for a number of worthy casues, however, in my humble opinion, this one rises to the top! We will befin making plans for the upcoming holiday season.

Yoncalla High School principal, Chelsea Ross, accepted the check and is currently working with staff and students to come up with ideas for distribution. The Culinary Art classes at YHS have put together a holiday dinner menu, as well as two recipes that will be included in each box. Students will also be very involved in the distribution and packaging for the upcoming holiday season.



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The background of the entire page is a light tan or beige color, featuring a repeating pattern of stylized Native American motifs. These motifs include circular designs with concentric circles and dots, as well as elongated, curved shapes that resemble feathers or traditional patterns. The patterns are rendered in a slightly darker shade of the background color, creating a subtle, textured effect.

CELEBRATING

NATIVE AMERICAN

HERITAGE MONTH

Join us at the
Yoncalla Public Library
to learn some local Kalapuya Native
American history & story telling by
Esther & Shannin Stutzman!

Thursday November 20th
at 5:30 pm!

Yoncalla Public Library, 194 Birch St. (541) 849-2128
501 c(3) non-profit



Families Engaging and Thriving Together

FAMILY NETWORK

Is inviting you to attend our upcoming

PARENT AND CAREGIVER TRAINING

**November 21st 6:30pm
Yoncalla Elementary School**

Learn about sensory needs and how to
recognize and navigate those in your own
children or those you care for

**Dinner provided
Please RSVP to
Trinity
573-247-9657**

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Together (FEATT) supports
parents and caregivers raising
children with intellectual and
developmental disabilities in
Douglas County.

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JOIN US FOR A WINTERY

PRESCHOOL FAMILY NIGHT

DECEMBER 4TH 5:30-7:00PM
YONCALLA LIBRARY

194 Birch Street, Yoncalla

Yoncalla Preschool is partnering with Yoncalla Library to have a fun family night focused on early literacy. What you can expect at this event:

- Choose a special book
- Take a family photo
- Enjoy hot chocolate and cookies
- Maybe even some caroling (preschool style!)

PLEASE CONTACT
MEGAN BARBER @ 458-802-8365
FOR ANY QUESTIONS

YHS LEADERSHIP

This month, YHS leadership had an opportunity to travel to Seaside, OR for the annual leadership conference hosted by OASC (Oregon Association of Student Councils). Schools from all over the state are invited for a weekend of keynote speakers, networking, and educational opportunities to improve their personal and school leadership goals. For the first time ever, Yoncalla hosted and lead a breakout room centered around assemblies. Our class spent a week preparing a presentation to be delivered to a group of their peers. The young women who presented did a great job and every kid in attendance was able to bring something back to their school centered assembly games and This is a huge opportunity every year for our



Attendance Success!

The 4th grade class. They won the Attendance Award for September for having the highest percentage as a class for the month!



Our K-6 grade students took a trip to the symphony the week to watch a Carnival of Animals. They Enjoyed seeing the conductor in action and listening to the different pieces. Afterward, the classes had lunch outside and spent some time at the park before returning to school. It was a relaxed and fun day for everyone!





WINTER

COAT AND SHOE GIVE AWAY

Thanks to a donation by Columbia Sportswear and Soles4Souls, all Yoncalla families are invited to come snag a coat or shoes to stay warm this winter.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 21ST
4:00-8:00PM
YONCALLA HIGH SCHOOL GYM

Middle/High School Student of the Month— September

Yoncalla Middle School
Karlie McCoy
November 2025



Yoncalla High School
Matthew Slocum
November 2025



National Honor Society

For the first time in nine years, Yoncalla High School has an active chapter of the National Honor Society. Created in 1921, the National Honor Society was founded to create an organization that would recognize and encourage academic achievement while developing other characteristics essential to citizens in a democracy. The ideals of scholarship, character, service, and leadership remain as relevant today as they were in 1921. Through service activities, members maintain and extend the qualities that won them selection.

On Tuesday, November 18th, we had the pleasure of induction three members—seniors Liam Dougherty and Bella Sybrant, and sophomore Preston Carnahan.

Congratulations to our newest members. You are setting the tone for future applicants. We are proud of you and cannot wait to see what you accomplish together.



Upcoming College and Career Events

Nov 19 - Financial Aid Night YHS 5:45pm

Dec 11 - Healthcare & Public Safety at UCC, 9-2

Jan 29 - Explore UCC at UCC 4:30-6:30

April 30 - College and Career Expo at UCC, 9-2

Yoncalla School

District Priorities

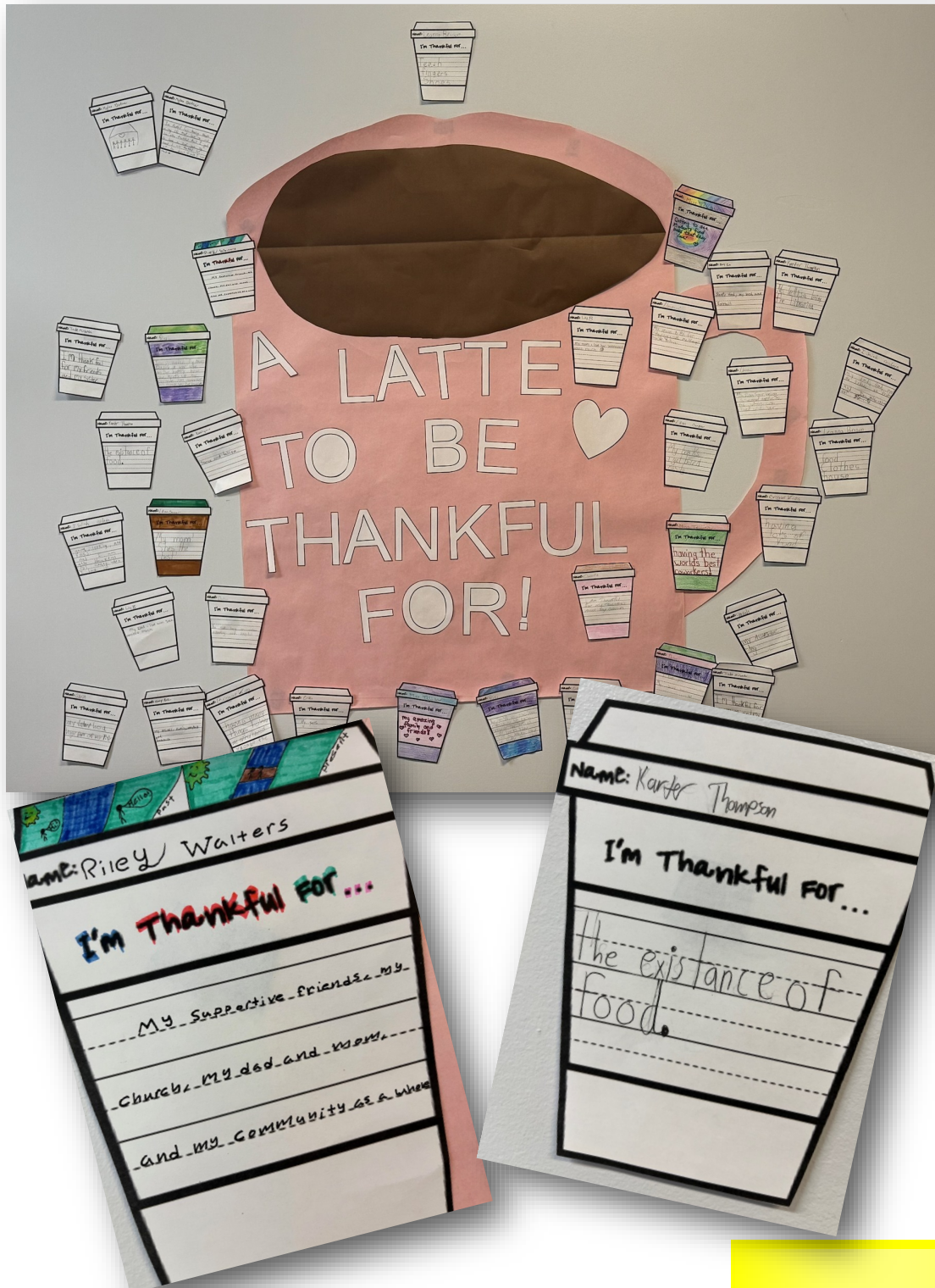
1. Each student will enjoy positive, engaging learning environments.
2. Each child will possess the knowledge and skills necessary to be successful in post secondary education and careers, and the self-reliance to be a productive citizen.
3. A strong sense of community is recognized and nurtured among all stakeholders
4. Facilities and finances are managed effectively and efficiently for the benefit of each child.

FNRL & Natural Resource Events

11/21	(Fri) LaPine CDE 7:00am leave
12/13	(Sat) Sweet Home 7:30 leave
2/20	Future Forestry Workers (OLC)
2/27	Yoncalla CDE
2/27	Neah-Kah-Nie CDE TBA
3/6	Siuslaw CDE TBA
3/9	Southern Oregon Envirothon
3/14	Waldport CDE
4/1-3	Fire School
4/10	Scio CDE TBA
4/17-18	State Convention



Outside the YHS library hangs a giant coffee cup that's brewing up some thankfulness. Students and staff are hanging up their cups to espresso their robust feelings of appreciation. Some of the little cups of thankfulness are dripping with sweetness and unfiltered goodness while a few are less frothy in their wording. All in all, it seems we have a latte to be thankful for.



Tillamook

CDE

Our first of
the year





Families Engaging and Thriving Together

FAMILY NETWORK

Let's make
Ornaments!

Join us for some holiday cheer!

December 22nd 4-6pm

Yoncalla Community Library

Supplies and snacks provided

Please RSVP to Trinity

573-247-9657

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supports parents and caregivers raising children
with intellectual and developmental disabilities in
Douglas County.**



Dec. 2025



FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

**TACO
DINNER
PROVIDED!!**

Bring your favorite stuffy to snuggle
and cozy blanket to enjoy a movie
together with other FEATT families!

**JANUARY
16TH
6:00PM**

**Yoncalla
Elementary
School**

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