



Fairview Point

City of Fairview
1300 NE Village Street
Fairview, Oregon

November 2016

OUT AND ABOUT WITH RAY HANSEN

Park Cleone: Origin of our City's Names

In 1853, the Methodist Church and Sunday school adopted the name "Fairview" as a tribute to the lovely vistas of the nearby Columbia River, meadows and mountains. When the Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company line terminal local depot was completed in 1882, the depot and post office followed suit, naming both "Fairview".

In a synchronistic event on Oregon's Coast, a Coos County post office was also christened "Fairview" on May 7, 1873. After much mail delivery confusion occurred, local Postmaster Milton Hoseford met with personnel in Coos County concerning their use of the name "Fairview".

Postmaster Hoseford learned that Cleo was the name for a station located on the Southern Pacific Railroad in Coos County, which originated by using the name of the local lumber company Oregon Export Lumber Company (OELC) spelled backwards. To settle the issue, Milton Hoseford created the name "Cleone" from "Cleo" for the Fairview Post Office, and after approval by postal authorities, "Cleone" Post Office was officially established on March 27, 1883.



Photo date: circa 1882: courtesy of the East County Historical Organization.

The Coos County "Fairview" Post Office was in operation until August 15, 1913. After it closed, authorities in Fairview changed the name to the original "Fairview" on January 14, 1914, and "Cleone" became our City Park.

November CITY MEETINGS & EVENTS

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| <i>City Council Work Session & Meeting</i> | <i>November 2</i> |
| <i>Public Safety Advisory Committee</i> | <i>November 7</i> |
| <i>Election Day</i> | <i>November 8</i> |
| <i>Arts & Community Events Advisory Committee</i> | <i>November 9</i> |
| <i>Economic Development Advisory Committee</i> | <i>November 10</i> |
| <i>City Hall Closed Observance - Veterans Day</i> | <i>November 11</i> |
| <i>Veterans Day Dinner & Program</i> | <i>November 11</i> |
| <i>City Council Work Session & Meeting</i> | <i>November 16</i> |
| <i>Mayor's Business Roundtable</i> | <i>November 17</i> |
| <i>Planning Commission</i> | <i>November 22</i> |
| <i>City Hall Closed Observance - Thanksgiving</i> | <i>November 24 & 25</i> |
| <i>Coffee with the Police Chief & Mayor</i> | <i>November 28</i> |

VETERANS DAY CELEBRATION

Friday, November 11
5:30 - 8:30 PM
Fairview City Hall
1300 NE Village St.

Dinner 5:30 - 8:30 PM
Free to all Veterans
Guests \$5 donation

Program begins at 6:00 PM



FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT
Devree Leymaster at 503.674.6224 or email
leymasterd@ci.fairview.or.us

Fill-A-Bag

SnowCap Community Charities is launching their Fill-A-Bag campaign on November 4. This campaign raises food and money to help keep the pantry open. For more information visit: www.snowcap.org/fill-a-bag.



Local volunteer group, Friends of Fairview, is supporting the cause by gathering donations on November 19 and December 17. Contact Darren Riordan at 503-708-6707 or darren_riordan@yahoo.com with your address and volunteers will pickup your donations starting at 10 AM on those two days. Visit www.friendsoffairvieworegon.com for more information.

The City of Fairview joins Greenlight A Vet

America's veterans are some of our nation's bravest, hardest-working men and women. However, it's hard to show them the appreciation they deserve when, back home and out of uniform, they're more camouflaged than ever. [Greenlight A Vet](#) is a campaign to establish visible national support for our veterans by changing one light to green.

All meetings are
subject to
cancellation.



Mayor's Thoughts... A couple of items for this month. The November 8th Presidential Election is almost here. Voting is a privilege so please make sure you engage in the federal and local elections no matter where you stand on the issues and which candidates you support.

Please join your city council at our Veterans Day Celebration Dinner on Friday, November 11, 2016 from 5:30 PM to 8:30 PM at Fairview City Hall. We will have a program beginning at 6:00 PM with patriotic music and speakers. The dinner will be catered from Di Pompello's Restaurant from Troutdale, Oregon and is free to all veterans. Guests are asked to contribute \$5.00. In addition, you can contribute to the Veteran Clothing Drive. You can bring coats, gloves, and socks to the dinner and we will forward them to the U.S. Dept. of Veterans Affairs where they will be distributed.

Fairview and Wood Village have been working together to create a Recreation Plan with a focus on children K-8. A citizen survey has been created to help us make important decisions and your response and opinions are important to us. The survey is available online, and will be mailed out. Youth focus groups and open houses will be held soon and the survey results will be published online. *Mayor Ted Tosterud*

WOOD VILLAGE AND FAIRVIEW: RECREATION PLAN SURVEY

The Cities of Fairview and Wood Village are currently assessing the viability of a Two Cities Recreational Plan. The goal of the plan is to expand affordable recreational opportunities for children kindergarten through 8th grade. We aim to reduce health inequities, provide opportunities for fostering leadership and community engagement, and ultimately improve the health of individuals and the community as a whole.

We are taking a collaborative approach to this endeavor, engaging the Reynolds School District, SUN Program Coordinators, local non-profits, community leaders, and principals in the business and faith-based communities to meet this urgent need. Both cities have pledged resources and support to this effort.

As part of our community engagement strategy, we are doing needs assessment through online surveys, mail surveys, youth focus groups, and open house events in the community. We hope you will take a few moments to share your opinions and help us with this important project.

Please follow this link to the online survey -

English version: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/WGYFZ2H>

Spanish version: <https://es.surveymonkey.com/r/JNJJ8S6>

Russian version: <https://ru.surveymonkey.com/r/W9DLTJX>



For additional information on the Recreation Plan survey please contact Katherine Ashford at ashfordk@ci.fairview.or.us or by calling 503-674-6202.



SAVE THE DATE

10th Annual Tree Lighting Event

Saturday, December 3, 2016

4 PM to 6 PM

Fairview seeks the Public's help keeping storm drains clear...

The fall season is well underway and with that comes rain and falling leaves. Fairview residents are asked to help keep tree leaves picked up and out of the street to prevent our catch basins from becoming plugged during these rainy days.



City of Fairview Department Contact Information:

Admin/Finance: 503-665-7929

City Recorder: 503-674-6224

Police Office: 503-674-6200

Utility Billing: 503-674-6215

Public Works: 503-665-9320

Non Emergency: 503-823-3333

Fairview Municipal Court: 503-674-6210

Public Works Planning: 503-674-6206

Emergency: 9-1-1