



City of Tangent

Your Community Newsletter

April 2014

Did You Know. . .



The barn, pictured at left in its original location at Bass Estates (City Hall), was becoming a liability to the City. Costs approaching \$20,000 to dismantle or \$80,000 to repair were being discussed. Luckily, a new resident in Tangent came up with a solution; move it over to her house. The City was careful to negotiate so that they would not be liable for any costs incurred in the move and the resident had the barn moved to her property! An icon of the city was saved thanks to the resident and the council reaching an equitable solution for all. Pictured at right is the barn on its way across fields, Tangent Loop, and Tangent Drive to its new home.



Tangent Fire District Recognizes Its Volunteers

Saturday, March 8th, Tangent Fire District held its annual Awards Banquet at the Central Electric Training Facility. The event was catered by Forks & Corks Catering while background music was provided by the West Albany High School Jazz Ensemble.

In addition to all the members being recognized for their years of service, several volunteers were presented with awards for excellence: Jim Burke and the Benton County Shops were given a special appreciation award for consistently providing excellent customer service maintaining and repairing our vehicles. Dennis Weis was recognized for responding to the most calls, as well as having the highest percentage of drill attendance. The “Chief’s Award” went to Brice Walters, one of our newer volunteers, for his enthusiasm and initiative. The “Chief’s Company” award was given to the five members who, because of their technical competence, dependability, availability, professionalism, enthusiasm, or a combination of these traits, make up the ‘dream team’ engine company. Those members were Lt. Steve Sonne, Loel Trulove, Eric Henderson, Jacob Mowery, and Kaleb Koos. Jacob Mowery also received the “Training Award” for his willingness to help other volunteers work on their skills and certifications. Our EMS Responder of the year was Jeff Myers, one of our resident interns, for his excellent care and compassion on medical calls. Dave Neal, our longest serving volunteer at over 26 years, was recognized as the TFD Firefighter of the Year. As one of the nominations read, “his service over the years sets him apart from others, but his knowledge and leadership abilities on scene are an asset to all those present.”

As Chief, I want to congratulate all these members, and express my appreciation to the entire organization for all that they do for the community. The total combined years of service to Tangent Fire District represented that night was over 164 years, a value of over \$9.87 million, so if you know a volunteer or happen to encounter one, please thank them for their service.

Community Events Tangent Elementary School

- 4/2 Early Release—2:40 pm
4/4 No School-Grading & Staff Development
4/8 PTC Meeting-3:45 pm, Library
Talented & Gifted Information Night,
District Office 7:00 pm
4/9 Early Release—2:40 pm
Science Fair Judging
4/10 & 4/11 No School-Conferences, Times TBA
4/15 Pastries with Parents-8:00 am
4/16 Early Release—2:40 pm
4/17 Spring Picture Day
Birthday Lunch with Tangent Firefighters
4/18 Cookies for Sale-3 Cookies for \$1.25
4/21-4/25 Bike Safety-4th & 5th Grade
4/23 Early Release—2:40 pm
4/24 Volunteer Appreciation Dessert-2:30 pm
4/25 Popcorn for Sale-3 bags for \$1.00
4/30 Early Release—2:40 pm

Tangent Community Church

32114 Tangent Drive 541-926-3803

Ladies Fellowship Saturday, April 5, 11:00

We'll enjoy something delicious and be refreshed by God's Word. Please join us!

Men's Breakfast

Saturday, April 26, 8:00-9:15 am

Come enjoy breakfast, fellowship, and time in the Word.

June 23-27, 2014:

We will be conducting 5-Day Clubs for our Vacation Bible School this summer with plans for two clubs in Tangent during the week of June 23rd-27th. One will meet at our church property from 1:00-2:30 pm followed by another at Pioneer Park on N. Lake Creek Drive from 3:30-5:00 pm Monday through Friday, with a barbecue and rally to be held at our church on Friday, June 27th at 5:30 pm. These clubs will be for children ages 5-12. Stay tuned for more information to come

Calendar and Meetings



PLEASE JOIN US at any and all the following listed meetings. All meetings are public and held at the City Hall—Bass Estate, *unless noted otherwise*. All times are subject to change. Meeting agendas are available at: www.cityoftangent.org. If you would like to receive agendas by e-mail or regular mail, please contact City Hall. **City Council Packets are available on line at: www.cityoftangent.org**

ONGOING CITY MEETINGS:

Planning Commission meets on 1st & 3rd THURSDAY each month, as needed. Starts at 7 p.m.

City Council Meeting meets on 2nd MONDAY each month. Work session starts at 6:30 p.m. Regular meeting starts at 7 p.m.

For more information about the city go to our Web Site: www.cityoftangent.org You will find more about:

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Newsletters, Utility Invoices, and Agendas are now available electronically. If you would like to help save the City some money please let Bev Manfredo know via email at bev@cityoftangent.org. She would love to add you to the growing list of citizens who have chosen this option. Thank you.