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He will love you and bless you and increase your numbers. He will bless the fruit of your womb, the crops of your land—your grain, new wine and olive oil—the calves of your herds and the lambs of your flocks in the land he swore to your ancestors to give you.

Deuteronomy 7:13

2022 Accomplishments

In February, the Silver Valley Fuller Center for Housing and Pinehurst-Kingston Lions Club joined forces to assist each other.



Volunteers help serve during a Pinehurst-Kingston Lions Club breakfast where all proceeds and donations went to SVFCH



The retreat dinner held at the Broken Wheel in March

In March, SVFCH invited special volunteers to join them at their annual retreat dinner, held at the Broken Wheel this year.

In April we met with Dawn Crane of Wallace in hopes of fixing her roofing problem - sorry to say, it is not finished yet. In addition, we met with Tom Richards at The Snake Pit to plan and organize our 25th Annual Ride the Wall - a family bike ride fundraiser held each year in June.

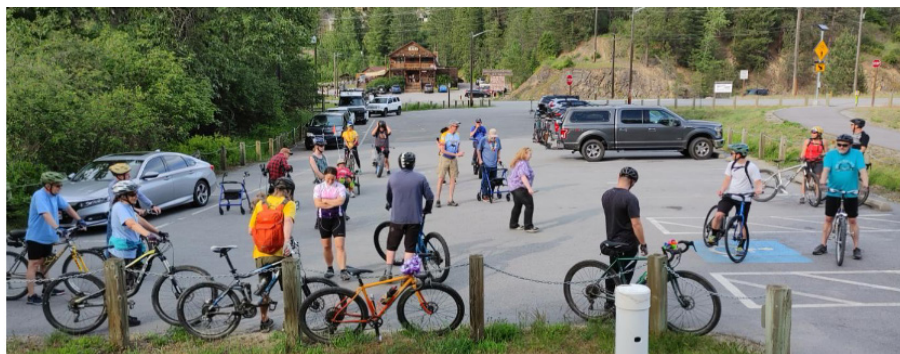
In May, with the help of Americorps volunteers from Shoshone Mountain Retreat, we started clearing out the repossessed house trailer located in Polaris in Osburn.

Significant helpers included: Tami Atkins, Gary Yergler, Clint Kunze (who organized the Americorp volunteers).

We truly appreciate Shoshone County Commissioner's help by waiving the fee for trash from our worksite at the Transfer Station.



Volunteers preparing to clear out the trailer in Osburn



Our 25th Annual Ride the Wall family Bike event was held as usual on June 21 (the longest day of the year). It starts at The Snake Pit and loops down to Cataldo, crosses the CDA River, goes up the CCC Road to the Wall Ridge, drops back to the Silver bridge at Enaville, and finishes back at the Snake Pit for a BBQ. About 50 participants enjoyed the event.

July saw the Board of Directors selecting Brian Canterbury as the homeowner-to-be for the trailer in Osburn.

Pinehurst Days is held the first weekend in August where we have organized a golf scramble. Sadly this year, the parking was too full for participants to approach the Pinehurst Golf Club, and only 3 teams entered the event. Next year, it will be held on a day in July to avoid the conflict with the Comancheros Car Show. They had a fantastic display.



The 1st Place 2022 Golf Scramble winning team: Eric Larson, Jim Scott & Burke Spensky



Bob Whitman and Ellie Arguimbau completed the 3 mile walk-a-thon

Our 25th Annual Walk-A-Thon fundraiser was held on the second Saturday in September. Although only 13 participants actually walked part or all of the 3 miles, their sponsors contributed enough for the event to generate over \$1,000 in proceeds. All of the participants received a prize we had received as gifts from our business community.

Members of the Ma'Or Foundation consisting of the Braunstein family, Cheryl, Jedidiah, Jeremiah, Joshua, Tamara, and Logan Pelafigue, arrived for their first work visit helping renovate the trailer in Polaris, Osburn. They removed and replaced the subflooring throughout; drained and removed the rusted hot water tank; removed sinks, cabinet, and toilet in bathroom; installed new vinyl plank flooring in the bathroom; removed rotted closets; primed walls in various locations; removed cabinet doors & stove in kitchen; and accomplished various other cleanup tasks.

Also in September, Siobhan Curet joined the Board of Directors and assumed the task of being Judy's assistant newsletter editor.



Volunteers from the Ma'Or Foundation suit up for demolition work at the trailer in Osburn



Ken Morris and Jedidiah Braunstein install flooring in the Osburn trailer

The Braunstein family returned in October, bringing Ken Morris and Bryan Weed with their other skills. Ken worked with young Jedidiah Braunstein to finish installing the vinyl-plank flooring throughout the trailer. They installed new kitchen cabinets and a microwave that they brought with them. Since many of them were professional electricians, they also checked the wiring. Others helping were Brian Canterbury, Ken Fairchild, John Boy Delaney, and Don Mathews.

Kathy McPeak has been in charge of all our raffles including: two in Osburn - The Arts and Craft Fair and Meals on Wheels fundraiser; one in Kellogg sponsored by the Silver Valley Chamber of Commerce; and the Pinehurst Christmas Festival sponsored by the Pinehurst-Kingston Lions Club. Bob Whitman and Norm Holtz set up a raffle table during the Huckleberry Festival in Wallace.



Kathy McPeak at the Osburn Arts and Craft Fair with the raffle items



Plumber Jordun Seaton (right) and helper Jordan Nestor

Thanks to an anonymous donor (a former Care-A-Vanner who helped here in the 1990s) the plumbing costs are covered for Brian's trailer. We are fortunate that Covenant Construction & Plumbing are able to squeeze us into their tight schedule. Work is on hold until it warms up so broken pipes can be replaced.


With Jeff Crawford's assistance, we are helping a lady in Mullan get her furnace fixed with our Greater Blessing Program.

Kevin Hutchings helped with three Greater Blessings Projects: with Barry & Sue Johnson in Wallace, Melinda Majors in Silverton, and Erica Weaver in Kellogg.

We thank these businesses for supporting our newsletter.

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*In Memory of Lynne Cummings, George
White, Bob Masters and Marge Robinson*

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In memory of Kent Larsen



Upcoming Events

January 1st — New Year's Day

January 10th — Board and Committee meetings,
5:30 PM, Pinehurst Lions Hall, Pinehurst
Board Elections

Thank You, December Donors



Your gifts remind us of our responsibilities and commitment to effectively use these resources in helping others.

Amazon Smile, Tami & Tom Atkins,
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- Here is my pledge for \$ _____ per month for one year.
- Here is my gift of \$ _____.
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- I can provide construction materials either discounted or at no cost.
- I would like to help with construction and/or committee work. Please call me to help or send a volunteer form.

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Wish List



We are down to a skeleton crew and implore you to help.



We desperately need a board secretary—meetings are only once a month on the 2nd Tuesday beginning at 5:30 PM and usually last about 1½ hours or less.

Construction Supervisors—need not do the labor.

Construction volunteers to work with the Supervisor.

PR and Fund Raising Chairs

Volunteer Coordinator

And others—Call Judy-208-682-3240 & leave a message.

In 2022, we received help from 86 volunteers and two groups. These volunteers included:

Art Aamodt, Linda Amonson, Ellie Arguimbau, Tami Atkins, Verne Blalack, Maggie Beeler, Judy Blalack, Helen Blalack, Cheryl Braunstein, Jedidiah Braunstein, Jeremiah Braunstein, Joshua Braunstein, Tamara Braunstein, Barbara Canterbury, Brian Canterbury, Ezra Christopher, Jeff Crawford, Siobhan Curet, Sean Curran, John Boy Delaney, Janice DeVoe, Kereen Dose, Casey Duncan, Denise Durham, Ken Fairchild, Duane Farkas, Will Farkas, Ray Guthmiller, Clara Hall, Eric Hall, Norm Holtz, John Hopper, Patti Houchin, Kevin Hutchings, Steve Knox, Clint Kunze, Janet Lake, Sara and Dave Leeds, Scott Lewis, Duane Little, Don Mathews, Jim McFeeley, Kathy McFeeley, Bev McKinnie, Kathy McPeak, Dan Michael, Penny Michael, Gordon Milholland, Don Miller, Maxine Milot, Ken Morris, Nancy Parrett, Logan Pelafigue, Luke & Caroline Prince, David Renner, Tom Richards, Gail Rowe, Jo Ann Schonewald, Danny Scott, Sam Scott, Rick Shaffer, Tabatha Weaser, Bryan Weed, Jerry White, Ashleigh Whitman, Bob Whitman, Elena Whitman, Justin Whitman, John Wilson, Diane Witherspoon, Mike Witherspoon, Gary Yergler, Carol Young.

The Americorps group staying at the Shoshone Mountain Retreat and the Redeemer Lutheran Church Youth group also provided their assistance in 2022.

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