



PENDLETON

Working every day to be the premier city in Eastern Oregon

JUNE 2017

A MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR



Airbus Arrival Signals Growth at Pendleton's Test Range



On June 10th, Senator Ron Wyden and A³ by Airbus executive

Herve Hilaire cut a ceremonial ribbon to open a new hangar at the Eastern Oregon Regional Airport. The result is a strong new relationship between the world's second-largest commercial aircraft manufacturer and the airport's Unmanned Aerial Systems (UAS) Range. This means an expansion of range operations that could last for years and comes with significant new revenues to help strengthen our local economy.

In spite of this, my conversations with several well-informed citizens lead me to believe that many of them don't yet understand the positive benefits of the transformation that has been taking place at Pendleton's airport for more than a year.

Pendleton is becoming well known among the manufacturers and testers of UAS (drones) as a place that is easy to work with, knowledgeable about flight operations, flexible in scheduling, and safety conscious. Consider the growth in revenues over just the past couple of years. In fiscal year 2015-2016 the UAS test range only generated a few thousand dollars. We have contracts for the coming fiscal year of 2017-2018 for nearly a half-million dollars and the actual amount of revenue will probably exceed that. This does not include the benefits from having flight test teams from around the world coming to Pendleton year round, staying for weeks and often months, dining, shopping, and staying in our hotels.

Because of this new source of income, our airport is finally operating with a profit, after years of running in the red. We will soon be at a point where the test range revenues will allow us to start modernizing our airport's infrastructure and begin paying back its debt to the City. For example, using State grant dollars, we are in the process of transforming a recently purchased empty building into a state-of-the-art mission control and innovation center with office spaces for UAS test teams to use. All of the airport hangars are rented and Boutique Airlines is booking hundreds of enplanements every month. Boutique even brought back the rental car business.

Keep an eye on our airport and its UAS test range. It is going to be fun to watch operations and the corresponding dollars grow in the coming years.



John Turner

COUNCIL MEETINGS

July 4
NO MEETING

July 11
Pendleton Development Commission 6 pm
City Council 7pm
Council Chambers

July 18
City Council 7pm
Council Chambers

FOR A FULL LIST OF MEETINGS VISIT

<http://www.pendleton.or.us/>

CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS

John Turner	Mayor	541-922-8605
John Brenne	Ward 1	541-276-2778
Neil Brown	Ward 3	541-276-3407
Jake Cambier	At Large	541-969-2252
Paul Chalmers	At Large	541-276-7111
Becky Marks	Ward 1	541-276-9147
McKennon McDonald	Ward 2	541-969-3345
Scott Fairley	Ward 2	541-240-1825
Dale Primmer	Ward 3	541-240-1117

CITY OF PENDLETON

Administration	541-966-0201
Airport	541-276-7754
Attorney	541-966-0206
Convention Center	541-276-6569
Community Dev.	541-966-0203
Facilities	541-966-0201
Finance	541-966-0207
Fire	541-276-1442
Library	541-966-0380
Municipal Court	541-966-0209
Parks/Rec/Cemetery	541-276-8100
Police	541-276-4411
Public Works	541-276-3078

500 SW Dorion Ave. Pendleton, OR

visit our website at

<http://www.pendleton.or.us>



PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

The Leadership Pendleton Class of 2017 and City of Pendleton Public Works Department partnered with one another recently to plant trees in the planter strip at the SE 1st St and SE Dorion Avenue parking lot (Old City Hall).



The Public Works Department helped by using the Vac Truck to suck out the holes to plant the trees.



Thank you to Leadership Pendleton for the hard work and wonderful addition to the parking lot area. And thank you to Public Works for their assistance.

PENDLETON CONVENTION CENTER

July 7
Line Backers Annual Hall of Fame Banquet*



July 15
Pendleton Whiskey Music Festival Concert Road Crew



July 19 – 23
Pendleton Bike Week

July 28
East/West Shrine Football Team Banquet



PENDLETON FIRE



Congratulations to Lt. Steve Brost who was recently appointed to the state of Oregon Medical Board, EMS Committee.



Congratulations to Reserve Firefighter/EMT Tanner Carey for graduating BMCC June 15th with his AA degree.

The city of Pendleton is seeking a local resident who would like to serve on the new fire station design committee. The committee, which will be made up of firefighters and city officials, will be working with the architects to modify the preliminary design of the fire station to design the actual layout of the new voter approved station. It is anticipated that the committee will begin its work in August and the work will last several months. If you would like to volunteer for this committee, please send an e-mail by July 7th to Chief Ciraulo at: mike.ciraulo@ci.pendleton.or.us

V O L N T E E R
all that's missing is U!

Is it Really a Stroke?

If someone has one or more of these stroke symptoms, call 911 immediately:

B

Balance – Is there a sudden loss of balance or coordination?

E

Eyes – Is there sudden double or blurred vision and/or sudden trouble seeing that persists?

F

Face – Ask the person to smile. Is one or both sides of the face drooping?

A

Arms – Ask the person to raise both arms. Does one side drift downward? What about weakness or numbness on one side?

S

Speech – Does the person have slurred or garbled speech? Can he/she repeat a simple phrase?

T

Time – Call 911, get medical help immediately. Also, take note of when symptoms began.

RECREATION AT GRECIAN PARK

The City of Pendleton has an area designated for the Pendleton Props Club to fly their model planes and drones at Grecian Park.

Recently the club implemented a recreation program at the park supporting the subject of model planes, UAS, construction and safety.



If you are interested in learning more about the Pendleton Props Club or activities which are run through the parks department follow this link;

www.pendletonprops.com

www.pendletonparksandrec.com



**Join City Staff
at Hamley's Café on
Monday, July 3**

This time is for the City Manager to meet with community members who have concerns, questions or simply want to engage in conversation regarding happenings in our community. City Manager Robb Corbett invites you to join him for coffee and conversation.

PENDLETON REGIONAL AIRPORT

The City of Pendleton held a ribbon cutting ceremony with SOAR Oregon, a statewide nonprofit based in Bend and A3 by Airbus, for the new 9,600-foot hanger constructed by a grant given to the City by the State of Oregon.

In November of 2016, Modern Technology Solutions, Inc. (MTSI) partnered with SOAR Oregon on the flight test project for Vahana, an electric, self-piloted vehicle being developed by A³, the advanced projects and partnerships outpost of Airbus in Silicon Valley. As a result of this partnership, Vahana will be the first occupant of the new hangar located at the Eastern Oregon Regional Airport.

“From nearly a dozen sites across the western United States that we evaluated, the Pendleton UAS Test Range quickly stood out as a premier test location for our unique test program,” said Jeff Mabry, MTSI Flight Test Lead, Vahana. “We look forward to continued support from PUR and SOAR Oregon as we move toward a successful demonstration.”

U.S. Senator Ron Wyden, who is a strong supporter of Oregon’s drone industry, attended the June 10 event.

“As our project matures to the stage of full-scale test flights, it’s essential that we have trusted and committed partners in place to ensure Vahana’s safety and reliability are tested and proven,” said Zach Lovering, Project Executive for Vahana. “Through our work with MTSI, we’ve been fortunate enough to benefit from the commitment of SOAR Oregon, as well as the teams that made this new hangar such an appropriate test range for our work.”

Oregon’s ranges operate under the Pan-Pacific UAS Test Range Complex (PPUTRC), which is administered by the University of Alaska, Fairbanks (UAF). UAF, in partnership with Oregon and Hawaii, was awarded one of the original six FAA-approved test sites.

PUBLIC WORKS

The following is a brief list of the Public Works Summer Projects

Street Paving

NW 6th
NW Despain Pl
SW 1st St
SW 24th St.
SW Kirk Ave
SE 15th St.
SE Goodwin Ave

NW 9th
NW King Ave
SW 20th St
SW 32nd St
SE 5th St
SE 19th
SE Isaac

Water Lines

NW 6th St.
SW Kirk
SE Goodwin
NW Despain
NW King
SW 20th



CITY VOLUNTEER

TRACKING VOLUNTEERS City of Pendleton Parks & Recreation sponsored the first All-Comers Track Meet on May 20th, a “just for fun” event for toddlers through age 12 to compete in various track and field events. Over 200 kids and their families from the community participated during the day of competition at Sunridge Middle School. Thirty City volunteers assisted at the start and finish lines, softball throw, long jump pit, and during the family relay. *Special thanks go to* Paula Hancock, Lizzie Evans, Jose Rodriguez, and the many volunteers from City Club and Mid Columbia Bus Company in helping make the day a success.

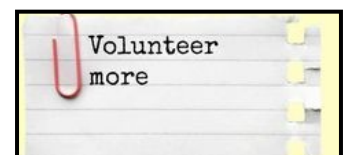


UPCOMING VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

- August 1** **NATIONAL NIGHT OUT**
Distribute flyers, promotion, and event assistance (Police Department)
- Ongoing** **DOCUMENT SCANNER:** Digital file archiving (Library, City Hall Administration)
EVENT FLYER DISTRIBUTION: Post flyers for events at various community locations
HOME DELIVERY: Deliver library books to disabled and senior patrons (Library)

WELCOME TO OUR NEW VOLUNTEERS

New Roads-Columbia Care Services Carolyn Rovier Veenah Schultz
Mindyn Struntz Trendsitions Jared Webb



VOLUNTEERS

Interested in volunteering but not sure where? We can help find a good match for you. Call 541-966-0244 and speak to our Volunteer Coordinator Tiffany Hegarty. City of Pendleton volunteer applications are available at the library, City Hall administrative offices, or can be downloaded [HERE](#).



ANNOUNCEMENT OF POSITION OPENINGS

The City of Pendleton is an Equal Opportunity Employer and does not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, gender, age, disability, national origin, or any other category protected by law.

The following job opportunities are available with the City of Pendleton

- **Seasonal Public Works Department**
- **Seasonal Parks /Cemetery Laborer**
- **Parks Aids and Life Guards**
- **Summer Pool and Recreation**

You may apply online at www.pendleton.or.us/employment
Or by picking up an application in the Administrative office located on the second floor of City Hall,



ALERTSENSE

City of Pendleton is using a comprehensive emergency alert and notification system powered by [AlertSense](#).

AlertSense enables us to issue emergency alerts to warn citizens of events such as severe weather, fire, flooding, hazardous materials, need for immediate evacuation, civil danger, local area emergencies, and missing persons.

Anyone in City of Pendleton and surrounding areas can [register to receive these messages](#).

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COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS

The City of Pendleton appreciates citizens who volunteer their time and energy to make our City a great place to live, work, play and visit.

If you are interested in volunteering on a *committee or commission*, please fill out a "Commission Application Form" on the A-Z Index on our website. www.pendleton.or.us



FAMILY AQUATIC CENTER

NOW OPEN



HOURS:
Noon-8:00pm daily

FEES: Ages over 18 \$6
Ages 3-17 \$4
Age 2 & under FREE

3 pools! Multiple Slides!
Covered family pic nic area with gas grills!!



PARKS & RECREATION

Summer Parks Adventure Camp It is time to sign up for the Summer Parks Adventure Camp. The camp goes for six weeks, and participants can sign up for one week, six weeks, or anything in between. The cost is \$19 per week, and that covers Monday-Thursday from 9am to 3pm. Lunch and a snack are provided and included in the cost. Choose between Pioneer Park and Community Park. Campers also go to the aquatic center, recreation center, and library every week. For more details and to register, please visit the following link: <https://apm.activecommunities.com/pendletonparksandrec/Activity Search>

Friday Trips are a nice compliment to the Summer Parks Adventure Camp or on their own. This summer there will be five including the newly added Harris Park trip. The schedule and weekly fees are below.

June 30, Pendleton Skate City and Movie, \$20 (bring money for lunch, snacks, and games)

July 7, Trampoline Park (Get Air Tri-Cities), \$23 (A signed WAIVER is required)

July 14, Chuck E. Cheese and Carousel of Dreams, \$21 (soda, 2 slices of pizza, and 30 game tokens are included in the price of registration)

July 21, Jubilee Lake, #12 (Bring good shoes for walking and a life jacket with your name on it, if you have one)

July 28, Harris Park Hike and Field Day, \$12 (Bring extra money for a stop at Dairy Queen on the way home)



JUNE @ THE LIBRARY

ENGINEER IT!! EXPLORING ANCIENT TECHNOLOGIES

Wednesday, June 21st 6:00pm to 7:00pm

ALL AGES including ADULTS TOO! No registration required

**COME BUILD A SHELTER, DESIGN A BOAT,
WEAVE A SHOE, OR INVENT A FISHING TOOL!**

Try out your own engineering skills while discovering technologies designed by Oregon's first engineers.

Pendleton Public Library
502 SW Dorion Avenue
Pendleton, Oregon 97801

HOURS:

Monday-Thursday 10am to 8pm
Friday & Saturday 10am to 5pm

1st Wednesdays, TEEN & ADULT COLOR CLUB at 5:30pm work sheet & color pencils available

DIY @ the Library

Tuesday June 27 at
6:00pm

SIMPLE BUILDING PROJECT

We will work on the
Summer Reading theme
with a fun, simple project.



Attendance
is limited to 10
Call 541-966-0380
to register

BIG TRUCK DAYS

Wednesday, June 28
1:00-3:00

Join us in the parking lot behind
the Library for big rigs and fun
construction-related activities.
Public Works will be there to
show how vehicles are used
to build our city!



All Ages Summer Reading!

Monday, June 19 thru Saturday August 12

Kids, teens and adults!!

Registration packets for all programs
available at the Library starting June 1st.

Summer activities and reading program theme
is BUILD A BETTER WORLD.

Together we will build a
great summer!!



TEENS!! Messy Art On The Lawn Thursday, June 22nd at 5:00pm

Teens join us on the lawn as we fill water balloons with paint, toss them at the canvas and create a group installment for the library!

After the painting is finished, we will cool off and
clean up with a water balloon fight!!





PENDLETON FIRE DEPARTMENT INCIDENTS BY INCIDENT TYPE MAY 2017

911	911 Hangup/Abandoned/Accidental	1
AIRCR	Aircraft Incident	1
ASLT	Assault	1
ASSIST	Agency Assist	1
CIT ASST	Citizen Assist	2
CSEN	Confined Space Entry	5
DEATHINV	Death Investigation	1
DIST	Disturbance	1
DOMESTIC	Domestic Disturbance	2
DOWN	Subject Down	8
DRUNK	Drunk Driver	1
EAMA	Ambulance Mutual Aid	2
EMS	EMS	162
ETSP	EMS Transport	33
FAFA	Automatic Fire Alarm	3
FIGHT	Fight	1
FILL	Illegal Burn	1
FIRE	Fire Call	7
FPUB	Fire Public Assist	1
FSMK	Smoke Check	2
FSTR	Structure Fire	2
FVEH	Vehicle Fire	1
HARS	Harassment	1
INFO	Information	1
MENTAL	Mental Subject	2
MVA	Motor Vehicle Accident	5
PROWLER	Prowler	1
PUB WRKS	Public Works	1
SHOTS	Shots Fired	1
SUICIDAL	Suicidal Subject	2
SUSP	Suspicious Activity	2
T911	Transferred 911 Calls	2
TRESPASS	Trespass	2
WCHK	Welfare Check	2
Total Incidents		261



INCIDENT TYPE
MAY 2017

