

# Boys & Girls Club

Of Western Lane County

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Our mission is to inspire and enable all youth, especially those who need us most, to realize their full potential as productive, responsible, and caring citizens by providing stimulating and challenging programs through interaction with dedicated, caring people.

Every child matters. They all deserve opportunity. We are here to elevate them and let them know that they are capable, worthy, and important. That's why we make this promise: to prove to the world – and every individual child – that they have what it takes to achieve a great future.

## **IMPORTANT DATES!**

- May 19-** Teen Center Closed for Rhody Days, Elementary Program Open
- May 26-** Last Day to Register for Golf Classic
- May 29-** Memorial Day, Office and Clubs Closed
- June 1-2-** Clubs Closed for Fundraiser Prep
- June 3-** Fore Kids! Golf Classic at Florence Links
- June 15-** Teen Center Closed for Summer Prep, Elementary Program Open
- June 16-** Teen Center & Elementary Program Closed for Summer Prep
- June 19-** First Day of Summer Program!

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## Community Recognition

We want to say thank you to our Florence community for continuing to support our mission and partnering with us year after year. Thank you for recognizing the hard work that goes into making our programs great. We look forward to continue serving Florence the best programs for years to come!



**2022 Best Youth Serving Organization**



**2021 Best Youth Serving Organization**



**2020 Best Nonprofit & Early Child Learning Organization**



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## Elementary Program Highlights

This spring we are looking forward to some nicer weather! We have spent a lot of time indoors playing games in the gym to keep our kiddos moving, and we look forward to getting them outside more regularly.



A STEM activity that we challenged the kids with was to make gumdrop bridges using toothpicks, popsicle sticks and gumdrops. The bridge had to be strong enough for Candy Land figurines to stand on. In the end, and after much trial and error, all teams were successful!



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Another fun activity we did was on National Oreo Cookie Day. We learned fun facts about Oreo Cookies, like if all the Oreos ever manufactured were stacked, they could reach the moon and back more than five times! Then we charted our favorite way to eat the cookies, and then we ate them.



Thanks to community donations and a grant, we were very excited to offer supper again to the kids! Earlier this school year, we were only able to offer a small snack due to a change in Federal funding guidelines.





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## Elementary Program Highlights

We are gearing up for summer! We have so many fun activities planned for summer including STEM activities, culinary, arts and crafts, life skills, field trips and safety lessons from community organizations as well as structured free play, gym/outside time, staff lead reading time, movie/calm time, breakfast, lunch and snack.

## **ELEMENTARY SUMMER DAY CAMP**

**DATES:** June 19th - August 11th

**LOCATION:** Siuslaw Elementary School Cafeteria

**TIMES:** 7:45am - 5:30pm (Check-in 7:45am - 8:45am)

**GRADES:** Kindergarten - 4th Grade (Completed School Year 2022-2023)

**PRICE:** \$25 Annual Membership Fee/ \$100 a Week Per Child

**(Potential Price Reduction Pending Grant Funding)**

Please feel free to contact Sam (541-999-8079) if you have any questions about the Elementary Summer Day Camp. You can sign-up online through our website [www.bgcwlc.org](http://www.bgcwlc.org) (Parent Portal)

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## Teen Center Program Highlights

Our teens have been very busy lately participating in some pretty awesome activities!

One of the favorite parts of their week are the days that we go out into the community and give back. We are currently partnering with Habitat for Humanity Restore and the Humane Society. While the teens enjoy helping at Habitat, they LOVE playing with kittens!



Through a partnership with Lane County Arts 6 of our teens had the opportunity to learn how to play the Ukulele. They learned the parts of the Ukulele, several chords, and several songs!





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Through a collaboration with RC Nuts, Horizon Hobby Shop, and several donors in our community, 8 of our teens were able to explore the world of RC cars! Each teen received their own car and learned how to change out the 2 wheel drive components for a 4 wheel drive system. After all functional modifications were made they were able to paint their car bodies. This collaboration was such a success that we'll be offering a second session soon!



Chef Joe has continued to share his skills with the teens every week. He is teaching them basic skills like how to use a knife safely and how to use the stove safely. He is also focusing on introducing them to more vegetables and healthy options.



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Teen Center Program Highlights



## Teen Center Summer Program

JUNE 19-AUGUST 11

9:00AM-5:30PM

5TH GRADE THROUGH 12TH GRADE

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP FEE \$25

MONTHLY PROGRAM FEE \$75



Join us for a summer of fun! Activities will include art, STEM, culinary, field trips, service learning, and lots of time outside! Breakfast and lunch are provided daily.



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*Come Soar With Us!*

### 2023 FLORENCE AIR ACADEMY

**JULY 31-AUGUST 11**

Join the Boys & Girls Club of Western Lane County and Aero Legends Biplane Rides for our 6th Annual Florence Air Academy. Florence Air Academy is led by COL (Retired) Terry Tomeny of Aero Legends Biplane Rides. The Academy includes a combination of classroom study, hands on activities, and flight operation.

The Academy is a two week course that covers principals of aviation and introduces youth to careers in the aviation industry. Participants will tour a Coast Guard Helicopter, fly remote controlled planes, pilot drones, and have the opportunity to fly in a plane one-on-one with an instructor pilot!

### PROGRAM DETAILS

- Youth ages 12-18 may apply
- No additional program fee for currently attending Boys & Girls Club Members
- For non-Boys & Girls Club Members, an annual Club membership fee of \$25 and a program fee of \$75 is required
- Youth must be able to attend every session in order to enroll

Limited positions available, deadline for signing up is July 14. For more information or to register your youth contact the Boys & Girls Club at 541-902-0304 or [admin@bgcwl.org](mailto:admin@bgcwl.org)



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**Thank you for a wonderful 2023 basketball season!**

We couldn't have done it without our volunteer coaches/referees and our amazing sponsor,  
**Grocery Outlet!!**





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**The Boys & Girls Club of Western Lane County**

**26<sup>th</sup> Annual Fore! Kids Golf Tournament**

**Saturday June 3<sup>rd</sup> At Florence Golf Links**

**8:00am Check-In • 10:00am Shotgun Start**

JOIN US FOR A DAY OF FUN AND FRIENDLY COMPETITION INCLUDING A MILLION-DOLLAR SHOOT-OUT, HIO COMPETITION, TEAM & INDIVIDUAL AWARDS, BBQ, GAMES, AND MUCH MORE!

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS MAY 26<sup>TH</sup>, REGISTER NOW!**

TEAMS OF 4, \$99 ENTRY FEE PER PERSON

**HELICOPTER GOLF BALL DROP, LIMITED TICKETS AVAILABLE!**

BALLS WILL DROP ON 18<sup>TH</sup> FAIRWAY AT 3:00PM (WEATHER PERMITTING)

**1<sup>ST</sup> GRAND PRIZE-\$1000**

BALL CLOSEST TO THE HOLE

**2<sup>ND</sup> GRAND PRIZE-\$500**

BALL FARTHEST FROM THE HOLE

FOR REGISTRATION OR TO PURCHASE TICKETS, CALL 541-902-0304, EMAIL US AT [ADMIN@BGCWLC.ORG](mailto:ADMIN@BGCWLC.ORG), OR STOP BY THE BOYS & GIRLS CLUB AT 1501 AIRPORT RD.

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