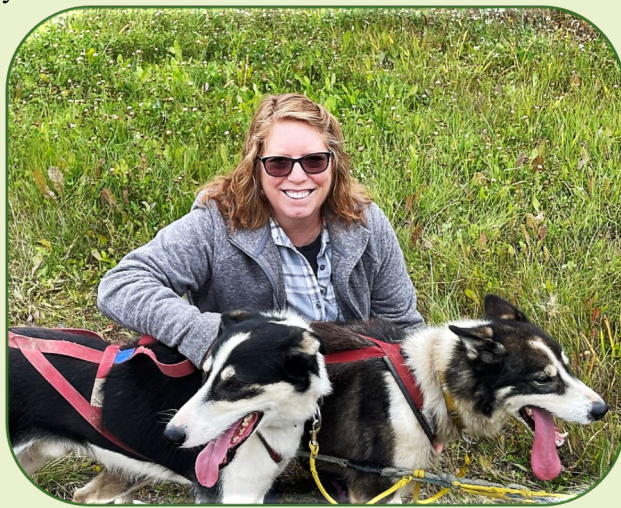


Mayor's Message

Sutherlin is sizzling this August! And your participation has made it better than ever! Music Off Central is a huge success with our new, yet to be named, stage and cover (I am favoring "Half Dome!") Fords Pond continues to flourish with \$2,000,000 in grants confirmed for enhancements including completing the paved trail, restrooms, children's natural play area, and picnic area. The fire department recently swore in about a dozen new volunteers and the department received a grant for enhanced coverage during wildfire season. This included adding 4 wild-land firefighters for the fire season. What a great asset for our city! Another exciting program our fire department offers is *Community Connect*. This program has been implemented to aid in disaster preparedness and response. Check out further information on the City's website and sign up. Other activities/opportunities available for your family to enjoy include twice weekly bingo at the Senior Center, the Thursday Farmers' Market, the annual Blackberry Festival, August 19-21st, the Annual Senior Center Pancake Breakfast on August 20th, and the Police Department's Back-to-School Ice Cream Social on August 25th. Thank you for your support and I wish you a fun and safe summer!



Interested in receiving our monthly bulletin electronically?

Contact Melanie Masterfield,
Community Engagement Manager
Phone: 541.459.2857 ext. 208
Email: admin@ci.sutherlin.or.us



Back to School/ Ice Cream Social!



THURSDAY AUGUST 25TH, 2022

1 PM – 3 PM

This year's ice cream social will be held in Central Park next to the Community Center. The Sutherlin Police Department is grateful for the community support, and this is our way of giving back to our generous community. This event is open to children of all ages and we look forward to seeing you there!

For more information, contact Sutherlin Police Office Supervisor Ashlyn Lewis at 541-459-2211.



Dunk An Officer!

FREE
Ice Cream
Bars &
Popsicles!



Back to school goodies!

The Annual 'Back to School, Ice Cream Social', sponsored by the Sutherlin Police Department will be held on Thursday, August 25, 2022. The festivities will begin at 1:00 p.m. to 3:00p.m., in Central Park, the gathering place for summer in Sutherlin. It is open to children of all ages, with free ice cream, back to school goodies and the opportunity to 'Dunk an Officer.' "The officers we have here at the Sutherlin Police Department are one of a kind and the Ice Cream Social is a fun way to get to know them. This year, 100% of the donations will go towards the counseling departments of the Sutherlin School District. Each department will receive one Visa and one Amazon gift card, which can be used for purchases throughout the year. We are fortunate to have a community and police department that work together in supporting our youth." Ashlyn Lewis, Police Office Supervisor

"This event allows children in our community to socialize with a police officer in a safe and fun environment while allowing the police department to give back to the schools and community by

Ice Cream Cont...

using donated funds where there is a need. The event is also very important for the Sutherlin Police Department to interact with the kids in our community to show them we are just people too. They see us in a caring and approachable way. We want to build rapport with the kids so they know they can call on us anytime and we will be there for them. These fun interactions between the police and community help build great relationships that last for years with the common goal of keeping the children safe.” Police Chief, Troy Mills

Show and Shine
August 20

34th Annual SUTHERLIN BLACKBERRY Festival

Dedicated to the Memory of All Veterans

August 19, 20 & 21 2022

34th Annual Blackberry Festival

The 34th Annual Sutherlin Blackberry Festival will begin on August 19th through the 21st. This community event will be held in Central Park and various other locations around town. In following with tradition, throughout the third weekend of August, Sutherlin celebrates each day with an array of festivities, from car shows to cook offs and culminating in a raffle with first place prize being a 1947 Ford Coupe. A full schedule of events can be found on the website www.blackberry-festival.com, or please call 541.680.1341 for more information.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

August 4	Music Off Central - <i>Flashbak</i>
August 8	City Council Meeting - <i>Civic Auditorium 7 p.m.</i>
August 11	Music Off Central - <i>Jessie Leigh</i>
August 10-13	Douglas County Fair
August 16	Planning Commission Meeting - <i>Civic Auditorium 7 p.m.</i>
August 19	23 rd Annual Rotary Golf Tournament - <i>Oak Hills Golf Club</i>
August 19-21	Blackberry Festival - <i>Central Park</i>
August 25	Back to School Ice Cream Social - <i>Central Park 1-3 p.m.</i>

Community Connect is a program that SFD uses to engage our citizens into providing pre-incident information for their home or business. This allows us to have the information that they are willing to share while in route to an emergency at their address.

This data can be any amount citizens feel safe providing. This information is not shared with any other entities.

Here is the link to our landing page: www.communityconnect.io/info/or-sutherlin. There is a short video attached that will provide more information.

Information provided can include but is not limited to: who lives at the location, gate or door codes, utility locations, access or functional needs, pets, where bedrooms are located, hazardous materials, owner contact information, family emergency meeting place, etc.

Contact Division Chief, Brandan McGarr to sign up or for further information.

SUTHERLIN COMMUNITY CONNECT
Together, Building a Safer Community Through Prevention, Preparedness & Response

CREATE YOUR PROFILE

communityconnect.io/info/or-sutherlin

- 1 Create account**
Sign in for free and get started doing your part. It just takes your email, phone number and address.
- 2 Enter the info that matters most**
Enter valuable information that can help us assist more effectively during an emergency.
- 3 Help your Fire Department when seconds count**
That's it. Just keep us updated when things change overtime so we can always be prepared.

WHAT KINDS OF INFORMATION CAN I PROVIDE?

For Households
Any information you provide through Community Connect is completely voluntary and based on what you are comfortable sharing. We have made it easy for you to know what may be important by organizing your secure portal into buckets of information you can enter.

For Businesses
Enable your business, school, age-care facility or other public location First Responders with critical information, valuable emergency plans and more - available at a moment's notice in the event of an incident. Stay aware with notifications from First Responders through text messages in the event they are ever dispatched to your property.

HOW SECURE IS MY DATA AND HOW IS IT USED?
Data that you provide Community Connect is secure and is used only for the purpose of better serving you during emergency situations. Your information is never used for any other purpose. All logins are password protected with bank level encryption and security. If you're comfortable logging in to your online bank you'll be comfortable logging in to Community Connect.

Community Connect is **Safe & Secure**

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