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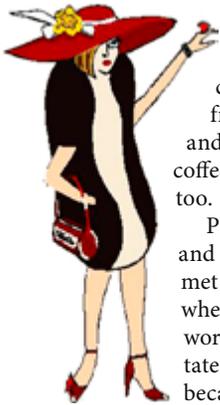
December 2008

Featured Business

Diva Dogs

By Virginia Bruce

Next time you're hungry for a great quick lunch, a snack or coffee break between errands, or a late breakfast, head over to Home Depot! Diva Dogs has been providing top quality sausage sandwiches and other delights from their classy stand in front of the home supply store since last summer, but they're still relatively unknown. And perhaps some people don't realize that it's a totally different business than



what was there before—high quality food, clean and friendly service and really great coffee and espresso, too.

Patti Santrizos and Linda Helwig met each other when they both worked in real estate. They quickly became good friends. Linda had

been nurturing an idea for several years of starting a hot dog stand that carried the great New York style Kosher dogs she grew up with. She invited Patti to become her partner and Diva Dogs was born.

They researched the idea and finally decided the time was right when the former stand in front of Home Depot went out of business.

Linda talked to Home Depot management and found out they were ready for a new kind of business there.

Linda had worked in food service before, starting out at a Lake Oswego deli and eventually managing



catering for the Heathman Hotel where she created weddings, dinners and business meetings, and even threw a surprise birthday bash for Robert Goulet when he was in town performing in Camelot. So she combined her love of food with the business knowledge she and Patti had and began looking for suppliers, learning about regulations, and corraling all the many details involved in running a food business. It took about a year before they were ready to open in June this year.

Through a referral they discovered a local meat supplier that makes many of its own sausage products with meat from Oregon's Carlton Farms with no MSG or nitrates. And while they were visiting with the supplier, Linda recalls, "We had chosen another brand of hot dogs to sell when they asked us if we knew anything about Sabrett

Hot Dogs from New York. I nearly fell out of my chair with excitement. Originally from New York, I was quite familiar with Sabrett and knew that they would go over really well with the public."

But their quest for quality didn't stop once they had found their

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Next Meeting

Cedar Mill Business Association

Tuesday, December 9, 11:45

Place: Leedy Grange

Holiday Social!

Great food from Tilly's and a chance to mingle and relax with your Cedar Mill Business neighbors and friends.

Renew your membership at this meeting and save \$15!

The Cedar Mill Business Association's meetings are free and open to anyone interested in business in Cedar Mill.

History in the News

Transportation in early Cedar Mill

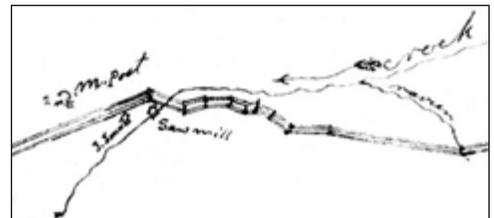
By Gertrude Walters Pearson Landauer

Excerpted from her memoir of early days in Cedar Mill. Her grandfather, Samuel Walters, was the first pioneer to settle in the area.

Far removed from the automobile and airplane age was the transportation of our forefathers in the Cedar Mill area. As my grandfather had come to Cedar Mill to settle after hardships of crossing the plains by wagon train, so came other settlers to the area. As the courageous and weary travelers came, they eked out wagon trails to suffice for necessary travel for many years to come. Roads such as Leahy and McDaniel were only wagon lanes with numerous gates dividing the lands of

and wagons would be put up for the night and the families would be given food and shelter. The following morning their trip would continue to Portland for provisions. By evening they would return for a second night at their haven of the previous night prior to continuing their homeward journey.

Barnes Road was in existence prior to Cornell Road. It was over



The 1868 survey for the "Road through Cornell Gap" includes this sketch of the mill vicinity

Sam Walters related witnessing as a small child a runaway team of oxen (oxen were used at the Cedar Mill for logging and hauling lumber) breaking down his father's gate before they were stopped. His father ordered him to stay at a safe distance while he attempted to shock the animals into stopping by hitting them full force across the faces with a long pole as they neared the gate. He succeeded in stopping them by this forceful act and quick thinking.

Families from as far as Vernonia and Banks would travel to Portland over these trails habitually stopping at the home of my grandparents or their neighbors. Their horses

this that lumber from the Cedar Mill was hauled to markets. Again referring to Uncle Sam, he told of walking, as a young boy, to Mt. Calvary Cemetery to catch a streetcar to downtown Portland and many times walking the entire distance to and from Portland. He would then catch a trolley car to Council Crest which was for many years a favorite amusement park and picnic area.

The first survey for Cornell Road was made February 18, 1868 to provide a road through Cornell Gap. The survey started at Balch Creek near the Multnomah County line and proceeded west by a circuitous

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Cedar Mill Business Association Member News

Do you have news or events or know of something that you would like to see covered in the Cedar Mill News? Please write to Virginia Bruce at vrb@teamweb.com

Stress-Free For the Holidays

Cedar Mill Chiropractic Clinic will be running our "Stress-Free for the Holidays" massage special for the month of December. \$30 for a 30-minute massage, \$50 for one hour. Gift certificates are also available and make great stocking stuffers! Our massage schedule will fill up quickly with this special running, so please call 503-646-3393 well in advance to make an appointment.

Danielle Quast, licensed acupuncturist, is offering free consultations every Wednesday for anyone interested in learning more about acupuncture. Please call 503-646-3393 to schedule an appointment with Danielle. More information about the clinic is at cedarmillchiro.com

Gifts for Shriners' kids

During December World of Smiles, Pediatric Dentistry will be collecting items for Shriners' Hospital for Children. In the World of Smiles office there will be two large donation boxes. The items needed are those for any age child: newborn through teenage and include: school supplies, clothes, toys, blankets, bedding, shoes, etc.

At Shriners' Hospital they specialize in pediatric care for: orthopedic conditions, burns, spinal cord injuries, cleft lip and cleft palate. Shriners' Hospital gives care to families at no charge. Help World of Smiles, Pediatric Dentistry give these kids and their families the holiday they dream of by dropping off new or gently used unwrapped items to our office located at 11790 SW Barnes Rd., Suite 280. Please call 503-626-9700 if you have any questions. Thank you from our hearts to yours.

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directly to your destination. Skip the hassle of dragging luggage and holiday packages at the airport. Plus, we provide reliable UPS package tracking. See us before your next trip, and we'll take the "lug" out of luggage.

We're gearing up for the Toys for Tots Literacy Program donation drive in December. We encourage you to donate at least \$1 as part of the "Buck a Book" initiative. When you donate, we put your name(s) on one of our Teddy Bear cards and hang it on our wall of fame. This money goes towards purchasing books through our partners the USMC and Scholastic Publishing Company. Scholastic has agreed to sell children's books for \$1 each and then they're donated to children in our local communities.

Visit The UPS Store web site for Holiday Coupons at www.theupstore.com/3379.htm

Support the library, clear out that stuff!

Many people find this a good time to clear unwanted items from their homes in preparation for the New Year. Consider donating these items to the Second Edition Resale Shop.

Second Edition is the major ongoing fundraiser for the Cedar Mill Community Library Association, a tax-exempt corporation dedicated to providing free public library services. Sales of donated art, jewelry, antiques, and gently-used or like-new furniture, household items, and clothing netted over \$143,000 for the library in 2007. The funds raised are used for books and media, storytimes, helpful librarians to answer your questions, computer classes for seniors and much more!

Donation receipts are available for tax purposes. Your donation is tax-deductible to the full extent provided by the law.

Volunteers play a vital role at Second Edition by accepting, sorting, appraising, and selling donated merchandise. The shop runs on a skeleton crew on the weekends so they are unable to accept donations due to a lack of storage space. Therefore, please bring your donations on weekdays during open business hours. Also, please do not leave items outside, as these can become damp, damaged, or stolen.

Second Edition is powered by more than 80 volunteers, and is

always looking for more, especially during the holidays. These volunteers range from teenagers to octogenarians. They are dedicated to making the shop a success and are passionate about supporting the library.

Please call 503-644-6395 or visit www.cedarmill.org/library for Second Edition donation guidelines, volunteer positions available, and information on sales and events. And if you have not been in the shop, stop by today and see the attractive displays, and the quality merchandise available. Thank you for supporting your community library!

Second Edition Resale is located at 12505 NW Cornell Rd. (on the hill above and behind Walgreens. Enter through the driveway on Saltzman. The shop is at the east end of the library.) Open Monday 12-6, Tuesday 10-7:30; Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 10-6; Saturday 10-4:30, Sunday 12-4:30.

Village Gallery News

Our December group show with featured artist Leila Ball opens December 9th through January 3rd, 2009. Leila Ball received her Bachelor of Art degree from Western



Washington University. She has worked as a successful studio artist in media that includes painting, fused glass, polymer clay, fiber sculpture and enameling.

Our holiday bazaar continues through Dec. 24th. Find original artwork, jewelry and other treasures for your loved ones and support local artists.

The Village Gallery of Arts is a non-profit community gallery in operation over 40 years located next to Cedar Mill Community Library. Please call the Gallery at (503) 644-8001 or visit our website villagegalleryarts.org for more information regarding the gallery, membership, classes, and special events.

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CMBA Meeting Notes

At our November meeting, Alan Levine, Certified Public Accountant, shared valuable information about preparing for 2008 taxes and planning for 2009, including information about flexible spending accounts and health savings accounts for this year. He distributed a hand-out with many specific actions you can take now to decrease your taxes and increase legal deductions.

Michael McIntyre, Small Business Specialist at US Bank, was our "Ten Minutes of Fame" presenter, and he explained how he can work with businesses to help them get the financial support they need in these times of tight credit. January's "Ten Minutes" presenter will be Beth Giles of NW Organizing Solutions. What a good topic to start off the new year!

For our December meetings, we traditionally take a break from our regular business-oriented programs, and just relax and have a good time networking and eating. This year we have a special treat with a lunch catered by our own Tilly's Gelato & More. They'll be providing their popular Tomato

Gorgonzola soup, chili, turkey and ham sandwiches, potato salad and dessert and it's all free for members and guests.

A representative from the Domestic Violence Resource Center will be joining us to accept donations to this unique and essential program (see article page 4). She'll have receipts that will make it easy for you to top up your allowable donations for 2008 in anticipation of tax season!

Dues for 2009 are going up from \$70/year to \$85, but if you renew your membership before or at the December 9 Holiday Social meeting, you can still get the old rate. Bring a check to the meeting, or you can renew with your credit card online via PayPal at cedarmill.org/CMBA. [Note: there's a \$2.40 surcharge to cover the PayPal cost.] If you need an invoice for your membership dues, contact CMBA Administrator Virginia Bruce, 503-629-5799 or vrb@teamweb.com

So plan to join us on Tuesday, December 9 from 11:45-1 pm, and don't forget your checkbook!

Senator Bonamici constituent coffees

Our State Senator Suzanne Bonamici will hold two constituent coffees on Sunday, December 7.

The first will be at World Cup Coffee in northwest Portland, 1740 NW Glisan Street from 1-2:30 pm.

The second coffee will be at World Cup Coffee in the Cedar Hills Crossing inside Powell's Books in Beaverton from 3-4:30 pm.

These constituent coffees offer an opportunity for constituents and community members to discuss issues in an informal setting.

Santa Party—a new tradition at the Grange Hall

Kids and their parents and grandparents are invited to the Leedy Grange in Cedar Mill on December 6, 2008 from 1-4 pm for a Santa Party. Kick off the holiday season with children's craft activities including making wrapping paper and greeting cards and decorating cookies to take home.

Visit with Santa and help decorate our Giving Tree by making a small donation that will help Beaverton School District's homeless students have a happy holiday. Santa's Tall Elf will help kids place an ornament for each donation, no matter how small. Yes, Santa takes pennies! Parents are encouraged to bring along their own camera for a photo, if desired.

Entertainment will include a performance by The Harmony School of their "Nuts & Crackers" holiday show, and later a singalong of holiday songs with piano accompaniment by local musician Mary Connors.

Hot chocolate and spiced cider will be "on tap" and there will also be a Holiday Bazaar table of gifts and decorations for sale to benefit the Grange.

Bring along a packaged food donation to put into the Food Bank barrel, or just donate cash.

Each craft activity will have a suggested donation for a local charity, but nobody will be turned away.

The event is sponsored by Cedar Mill's Leedy Grange #339 as part of their ongoing effort to bring fun and community back into the hall. Thanks to Bales Thriftway for cookies and decorations, and to the Sunset High Key Club for helping with kids activities.

The Grange Hall is located at 835 NW Saltzman, next to the Saltzman Road entrance to Bales Thriftway shopping center. Plenty of free parking is available. Contact Virginia Bruce, 503-629-5799 or vrb@teamweb.com for more information, or visit the website at leedygrange.org.



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Monika's House Wish List

Since 1975, The Domestic Violence Resource Center (DVRC) has been the only nonprofit agency in Washington County specifically serving survivors of domestic violence. Their free and bilingual services focus on prevention (community outreach, trainings, education, library), intervention (Monika's House Shelter, legal advocacy, counseling, group support, art/play/filial therapy), and empowerment (Survivor Empowerment Fund, advocacy, resources, referrals, safety planning).

Monika's House Shelter is Washington County's only domestic violence shelter, providing emergency accommodation and other services for adults and children escaping imminent physical danger in family violence situations. It is a 27-bed facility (five family units, two singles rooms) in a safe, confidential location, built with the help of Community Development Block Grant funds in 1999. Named after Monika Voits who was murdered by her husband in 1999, it is the last resort of more than 230 victims of all ages on the run.

The shelter, which is located in the general vicinity of Cedar Mill, is always in need of financial donations, but they also have a Wish List of items that you may have around the house or could provide through

your business or organization. The updated Wish List is posted on their website at www.dvrc-or.org.

Items marked with an asterisk* have special restrictions/specifications. Please call 503.640.5352 for more information.

- Van: Our old van for Monika's House Shelter has finally succumbed to various ailments and the Shelter needs a safe, functioning vehicle.*
- 25 gently used laptop computers to replace our outdated IT infrastructure.*
- Curtains for Monika's House Shelter windows-- to provide greater privacy & insulation.*
- Twin size sheet sets for Monika's House Shelter beds.
- Specialized art supplies for our children's program.*
- Spanish translation services.
- Childcare support services.
- A large freezer for Monika's House Shelter.
- Disposable cameras for our stalking kits.
- Lawn mower for Monika's House Shelter.
- Sewing machine for our children's program and Monika's House Shelter.
- New twin beds for Monika's House Shelter.*
- Blankets for Monika's House Shelter beds.
- New towels for Monika's House Shelter clients.
- DVD movies for the shelter in nice condition.

- Do you work at or own a grocery store or bakery? Monika's House Shelter needs weekly bread donations. Can you pledge to donate bread weekly for a month? For two months?
- Gift certificates for pizza—for Movie Night weekly for our clients at Monika's House Shelter!
- Tools for Monika's House Shelter.*
- Video game console for older children/young adults at Monika's House Shelter. Most of our board

games, books and toys are for younger children, currently. A video game console with appropriate video games would be a great addition to the Shelter, which can house children up to the age of 17.

For more information about DVRC visit their website www.dvrc-or.org where you can make a secure online donation, or call Sarah Keefe, Community Outreach/Education/Development Coordinator, at 503.640.5352, ext. 308.

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Library News and Events

Celtic Muse Opens Winter Reading & Arts Festival on December 19

By Dawn Anderson

The library is happy to present the second annual Winter Reading & Arts Festival, with events scheduled from December 19 to March 21, 2009. The Festival will combine literature and reading enjoyment with programs by local artists and performers who reflect the multicultural dimensions of Cedar Mill and Bethany. The "Reading" portion of this year's Festival will center on Lauren Kessler's *The Stubborn Twig*, selected for the statewide 2009 Oregon Reads project.

The Festival starts on Friday, December 19 with a concert by local harpists Jennifer Pratt-Walter and Valerie Blessley, performing together as "Celtic Muse." Jennifer and Valerie delight in offering the beauty and mystical power of the Celtic harp to audiences of all ages. Both artists studied with Marion Fouse, renowned classical Portland harpist and have been together since 1995. Jennifer and Valerie both teach harp, and enjoy composing and arranging. They hope to spread a message of joy, peace, and hope with their music and

instruments. The concert is free, open to the public, and will begin at 7 pm in the library's upstairs meeting room. No reservation required.

Visit the library's website at www.cedarmill.org/library for the rest of the scheduled events, or call 503 644-0043 ext 114. Read about the Oregon Reads project at www.oregonreads2009.org.

Boy Scout Troop 198 Tree Recycling

There are two easy ways to recycle your tree at our two locations, West Tualatin View School, 8800 SW Leahy Rd and Forest Heights Village Center, on the corner of NW Miller Rd. & Mill Ridge Rd. on Saturday Jan. 3rd, 9 am-4 pm.

A door hanger will be delivered to all homes in both neighborhoods to let you choose from either easy home pick-up (\$10 donation) or tree drop-off (\$7 donation).

This annual recycling event helps fund the many educational and service activities of your local Boy Scout Troop 198. Phone 503-799-3120 for more info.

Sunset's Key Club teaches community service

By Rebecca Carney, M.S.,
Prevention/Intervention Specialist & Key Club Advisor, Sunset High

Key Club International, sponsored by Kiwanis International, is the oldest and largest service program for high school students. It is so successful because it's a student-led organization that teaches leadership and inclusiveness through serving others.

Key Club represents Sunset High School's philosophic value of the need to give back to the community that supports it. Research shows that students who are connected to their school and community are more likely to be successful and community involvement increases the chances that young people will have positive attitudes and behaviors.

On December 13th, Sunset Key Club will celebrate 10 years of providing youth with the opportunity to be actively involved in their communities and school in a positive and productive way. Last year our membership grew from 60+ registered members the previous year, to over 120. This year we continue to experience an incredible growth in membership. At last count, we

have registered over 139 members. The goal of our Board of Directors, which includes student Officers, Faculty and Kiwanis Advisors, now will be to give each and every member a rewarding experience with community service.

Amina Rahman, a junior at Sunset High School, says, "From a student's perspective, Key Club is really an opportunity for high schoolers to find their passion in community service, become reliable leaders, and to meet others who believe in those same ideals. Key Club encourages us to look beyond ourselves. Going through high school is a stressful, long, and scary process: Key Club is one of the lights that makes high school become something to look forward to. I remember in 8th grade talking to my parents about what type of high school I wanted to go to, given all the new option schools that were opening that fall. I chose Sunset precisely for this reason: I knew that an experienced school would have many doors for me to choose from. In the end, I discovered Key Club, and I am a better person today because of it."

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sausages. They buy their buns fresh locally—over 90% of the products they sell are locally sourced. There are fresh onions browning on the grill, and a crock of sauerkraut stays hot and ready. Toppings for personal application include yellow or brown spicy mustard, freshly chopped raw onions for those who prefer them that way, jalapeño and pepperoncini, several kinds of hot sauce, relish, and of course catsup. And there's never an extra charge for any of the toppings that make their special dogs even more so.

Their commitment to quality and local suppliers led them to Longbottom Coffee & Tea Co., which is headquartered



in Hillsboro. Patti says, "We knew Longbottom was excellent and wanted to support local business. They did our training at their roasting company and continue to be very hands-on with us as we grow. We purchased our Semonelli Espresso machine from them and it digitally tells us if we pour a perfect shot. We rely on this wonderful machine to do justice to Longbottom's superb coffee. People tell us they can tell the difference in our coffee so we know we have made the right choice."

She continues, "We use top of the line Monin syrups in our coffee and Italian sodas. It does make a difference once you taste it. We have a large selection of regular and sugar-free flavors. If we don't have what you want let us know and we will do our best to get it for you." Italian sodas and smoothies along with regular sodas and brewed coffee round out their beverage offerings.

Now that they've been around for a while, they're getting customers who don't actually need any home improvement prod-

ucts! They're becoming a popular destination for the employees of the Science Park companies and beyond. Unlike most hot dog stands, they have a phone and are happy to take phone orders and they can take credit cards. They're eventually planning to do some catering once they've become better known.

The stand is very attractively done up in their signature colors of red and tan, featuring the Diva herself, a creation that was a collaboration between the partners and the professionals at Impact Signs, who turned their sketch into a finished design.

There's plenty of seating out front if you want to eat there and watch the contractors come and go.

Or they'll package your selection so it stays warm and fresh until you get where you're going. Attention to detail is obvious in everything they do, from the quality and flavor of the food and drinks to the packaging and design.

Patti and Linda love working together, even after all the pressure involved in starting a business, and their skills are complementary. Linda says, "We each have different skills that seem to work together. I have a great love of food and have always wanted to own my own business. I love cooking and I like having everything look as good as it can. Patti is really good in organization. She can fit an elephant into a jar and it looks great. We both enjoy working with the public and have been very fortunate to meet some really great people."

One of their biggest challenges has just been to anticipate what

customers will want. Patti explains, "Our Clam Chowder is a big hit and we now serve it on a daily basis due to the many requests for it. The Coney Dog is another popular choice. We have a Jalapeño Cheddar which couldn't get any better and does sell out before the end of the day at times. Our most popular hot dog is probably the All American, 1/4 lb. skinless pure beef kosher, no nitrates nor MSG like all of our hot dogs." They say that the milder bratwurst "Queen of Brats" sandwich is more popular in the morning as a breakfast sandwich.

They joined the Cedar Mill Business Association and started advertising in the News to get the word out about their great food. Linda says, "We just need to get people over to try one of our hot dogs. Those who have tried one say they have never had a more delicious hot dog in their lives. After four and a half months, we still have one everyday! They are really hard to stay away from, being so full of flavor and being Kosher means no funny stuff just pure beef, how great is that?!"

Linda lives nearby in Bauer Woods, but Patti commutes from her home in Dundee. She loves the Cedar Mill area, but her family lives in wine country, and she and her husband of 39 years designed and

built their home together.

Diva Dogs is open every day from 10 am to 4 pm (winter hours) and is located right in front of Home Depot on Science Park Drive. Call them at 503-643-3482 to order your lunch or find out more about their offerings.

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A second survey in 1892 was instigated by Young's mill to bring more timber to the mill and to provide better access for lumber products to Portland markets. Final survey, prior to building the road, was made in 1901 to avoid so much damage to property owners.

Cornell Road first became a corduroy road. It was common as

wagons traveled to cut trees to fill ruts. Later a concentrated effort was made by homeowners to haul rails to build a corduroy road.

[From Wikipedia: A Corduroy road or log road is a type of road made by placing sand-covered logs perpendicular to the direction of the road over a low or swampy area. The result is an improvement over impassable mud or dirt roads, yet is a bumpy ride in the best of conditions and a hazard to horses due to loose logs that can roll and shift.]

Legislative town hall on identity theft

**December 8, 5:30-7:30 pm
Cedar Mill Library**

Every year, thousands of Oregonians are victims of identity theft. In 2007, the Oregon Legislature passed the Oregon Consumer Identity Theft Protection Act, which gives consumers more protections and rights and requires businesses to take certain steps to protect personal information.

On Monday December 8, 2008, State Senator Suzanne Bonamici will hold a town hall meeting about identity theft with experts from the Department of Consumer and Business Services.

Part 1, from 5:30-6:30, will focus on tools for businesses and will include information about document security and data breach notification requirements.

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Part 2, from 6:30-7:30, will focus on tools for consumers, including how to keep your credit secure and how to put a freeze on your credit report.

Please feel free to attend either or both sessions. Bring a friend and your questions!

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