

# Cascades East AHEC News

## October-November 2008



CENTRAL OREGON  
community college

### COCC Seeks Building Bond Measure To Expand Health Care Workforce Training Opportunities

Central Oregon Community College is seeking approval for a bond measure to build a new health careers and science building, construct regional student outreach education centers in Madras and Prineville, renovate existing space to accommodate record enrollment and upgrade college buildings to improve access for students with disabilities. The measure will be on the November ballot. The new health careers and science building will create additional lab and student learning space for programs in nursing, dental assisting and medical assisting, and expand capacity for the science programs and courses such as Anatomy and Physiology, Microbiology and Chemistry. The facility would also include easily accessible space for the Volunteers in Medicine Dental Clinic and the Community Massage Clinic which serve the community and provide students with practical experience.

The bond measure is for \$43.75 million; cost to homeowners would be approximately 12 cents per \$1,000 of assessed value. The only COCC bond currently being assessed is for the Library and that bond will be paid off this November. Therefore, if the measure passes, the tax rate is estimated to increase less than 3 cents per \$1,000 of assessed value, or about \$5.50 a year on a house assessed at \$200,000. For more information, call 383-7596.



Dove Family

### The Bend Ronald McDonald House Provides A "Home Away from Home" and So Much More



Brooks Family

Since opening its doors Oct. 1, 1997, the Bend Ronald McDonald House (RMH) has provided more than 2,300 Central and Eastern Oregon families with lodging and services while their children, ages 0-21, received medical treatment in Bend. While many people are familiar with Ronald McDonald House Charities, most do not have a clear understanding of the RMH mission and the important role it plays in family-centered healthcare. Quite simply, RMH enables families to stay together during a stressful time so they can support their child's healing and be more actively involved in treatment. Studies in the Journal of Pediatric Health Care have shown many benefits to such a family-centered care model including a significant decrease in the length of pediatric hospital stays when families are able to remain close to their child and accessible to key medical personnel.

The Bend RMH provides families with a private suite that sleeps six, food, laundry facilities and a warm, peaceful environment just steps from St. Charles Medical Center in Bend. All families must be referred by medical professionals. Although a fee of \$15 per night is suggested, no family is ever turned away for inability to pay. This same compassionate philosophy is shared by more than 280 Ronald McDonald Houses around the world who embody the same universal message of hope, love, family and home. To learn more about the Bend Ronald McDonald House call (541) 318-4950, or visit [www.rmhcocentraloregon.org](http://www.rmhcocentraloregon.org). Don't hesitate to call to find out how to link families you serve to the services at Ronald McDonald House in Bend!



Brewer Family

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## October 2008

### This Month Is:

- National American Pharmacy Month  
www.aphanet.org
- National Breast Cancer Awareness Month  
www.nbcam.org
- Domestic Violence Awareness Month  
www.ncadv.org
- National Physical Therapy Month  
www.apta.org



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### Health Careers To Honor:

- 5-11 National Nurse-Midwifery Week  
www.midwife.org
- 6-12 National Healthcare Food Service Week  
www.ashfsa.org
- 6-12 National Physician Assistants Week  
www.aapa.org
- 9-15 National Pediatric Nursing Week  
www.pednurses.org

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## Program Information

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For more information on programs offered by Sky Lakes Medical Center in Klamath Falls, please contact the CME Coordinator at (541) 274-4161.

<u>Dates</u>	<u>Name and Information</u>	<u>Time and Location</u>
October 1	Sky Lakes Medical Center Tumor Board	Learning Resources Classroom 7:00-8:00 a.m. ●
October 1	Sky Lakes Medical Center Grand Rounds Telecast from Providence Portland	Blue Canyon Conference Room 8:00-9:00 a.m. ●
October 2-4	Advanced Trauma Life Support (ATLS) Provider (2 day course) Refresher (1/2 day course)	SCMC Bend; East Dining Room 10/2 & 10/3: 7:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m.; 10/4: 2:00 p.m.-6:30 p.m. For information: 541-706-5845
October 2-4	"4th Biennial Mental Health and Primary Care Conference" Practical Knowledge for Everyday Practice (NO SCMC Grand Rounds October 3)	SCMC-Bend; Registration: 541-706- 2617; <a href="http://www.casecadehealthcare.org/classes_events">www.casecadehealthcare.org/ classes_events</a>
October 4-5	Pre-hospital Trauma Life Support (PHTLS) Initial (2 day course)	SCMC-Bend 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. For information: 541-706-5845
October 6	CPR for Healthcare Providers (HCP) Renewal (4 hour course)	SCMC-Redmond 8:00 a.m.-Noon For information: 541-706-5845
October 7	Sky Lakes Medical Center Grand Rounds	Pavilion; 7:00-8:00 a.m. ●
October 8	Sky Lakes Medical Center Grand Rounds Telecast from Providence Portland	Blue Canyon Conference Room 8:00-9:00 a.m. ●
October 8	CPR for Healthcare Providers (HCP) Completion (6 hour course)	SCMC-Redmond: 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. For information: 541-706-5845
October 8, 10, 20 & 23	CPR for Healthcare Providers (HCP) Renewal (4 hour course)	SCMC-Bend: Oct. 8: 6:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m.; Oct. 10: 1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. Oct. 20 & 23: 8:00 a.m.-Noon For information: 541-706-5845



October 10	SCMC Grand Rounds; "Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis: Update on Current Treatment and Research"; Kimberly Goslin, MD, PhD, Medical Director, Providence ALS Center	SCMC-Bend, Conf. Room C&D 7:00-8:00 a.m.
October 10	"ED + MED conference 2008: Partnering for Children's Growth" www.edmedconference.org	SCMC-Bend; For information: 541-312-1961
October 11	Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) Renewal (1 day course)	SCMC-Bend; 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. For information: 541-706-5845
October 12	Heartsaver First Aid for Adult with CPR/AED (4.5 hour course)	SCMC-Bend; 12:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m. For information: 541-706-5845
October 14	STABLE: Sugar, Temperature, Airway, Blood Pressure, Lab work, Emotional Support—(Renewal Course)	SCMC-Redmond; 8:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m. For information: 541-706-7799
October 14	Sky Lakes Medical Center Grand Rounds	Pavilion; 7:00-8:00 a.m. ●
October 15	Sky Lakes Medical Center Grand Rounds Telecast from Providence Portland	Blue Canyon Conference Room 8:00-9:00 a.m. ●
October 15 & 28	CPR for Healthcare Providers (HCP) Completion (6 hour course)	SCMC-Bend: Oct. 15: 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Oct. 28: 8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
October 17	SCMC Grand Rounds: "Medical and surgical Update on Obesity" Jonathan Q. Purnell, MD, Associate Professor, Medicine/Endocrinology, Diabetes and Clinical Nutrition: Associate Scientist Center for the Study of Weight Reduction and Associated Disorders	SCMC-Bend, Conf. Room C&D 7:00-8:00 a.m.
October 18	Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) Renewal (1 day course)	SCMC-Bend; 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. For information: 541-706-5845
October 18-19	Emergency Nursing Pediatric Course (E.N.P.C.) (2 day course)	Mid Columbia Medical Center—The Dalles; 8:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m. For information: 425-868-4235
October 20-21	Emergency Nurse Pediatric Course (E.N.P.C.) (2 day course)	SCMC-Bend; 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. For information: 541-706-7799
October 21	STABLE: Sugar, Temperature, Airway, Blood Pressure, Lab work, Emotional Support—(Completion Course)	SCMC-Bend; Conf. Room C; 8:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m. For information: 541-706-7799
October 21	Sky Lakes Medical Center Grand Rounds	Pavilion; 7:00-8:00 a.m. ●
October 22	Sky Lakes Medical Center Grand Rounds Telecast from Providence Portland	Blue Canyon Conference Room 8:00-9:00 a.m. ●
October 23	"Bariatric Surgery Conference of the Cascades: Metabolic Mechanisms and Consequences of Bariatric Surgery" (NO SCMC Grand Rounds October 24)	The Riverhouse Conference Center-Bend; For information: Tonya, 541-706-4767
October 23	Advanced Electronic Fetal Heart Monitoring (AWHONN) 1 day course	SCMC-Bend; 8:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m. For information: 541-706-5845
October 24	Pain Management in Health Care	COCC; 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m. For information: 541-706-4767
October 25-26	Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) Initial Provider (2 day course)	SCMC-Bend; Oct. 25: 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.; Oct. 26: 8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. For information: 541-706-5845
October 27	Heartcode™ ACLS Anywhere	SCMC-Bend; 6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.
October 28	Sky Lakes Medical Center RMT Rounds	Pavilion; 7:00-8:00 a.m. ●
October 29	Sky Lakes Medical Center Grand Rounds Telecast from Providence Portland	Blue Canyon Conference Room
October 31	NO SCMC Grand Rounds—Quarterly Medical Staff Meeting	
October 31	Infectious Disease Seminar 1 day course	Sky Lakes Medical Center; For information: 541-274-4161



## November 2008

### This Month Is:

Diabetic Eye Disease Month  
[www.preventblindness.org](http://www.preventblindness.org)  
 National Epilepsy Awareness Month  
[www.epilepsyfoundation.org](http://www.epilepsyfoundation.org)  
 National Family Caregivers Month  
[www.thefamilycaregiver.org](http://www.thefamilycaregiver.org)  
 National Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month  
[www.pancan.org](http://www.pancan.org)



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### Health Careers To Honor:

- 1-7 Medical-Surgical Nurses Week  
[www.medsurgnurse.org](http://www.medsurgnurse.org)
- 1-7 National Urology Nurses Week  
[www.suna.org](http://www.suna.org)
- 2-8 National Allied Health Professionals Week  
[www.asahp.org](http://www.asahp.org)
- 9-15 Perioperative Nurse Week  
[www.aorn.org](http://www.aorn.org)

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| Nov. 1-2  | Emergency Nursing Pediatric Course (E.N.P.C.)<br>(2 day course)   | Valley Medical Center—Renton, WA<br>8:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m.<br>For information: 425-868-4235                                |
| Nov. 3 -4 | Trauma Nurse Core Course (TNCC)<br>2 day course   | SCMC-Bend; 11/3-Conf. Room H;<br>11/4 Lab Classroom;<br>Both days: 7:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m.<br>For information: 541-706-7799 |
| Nov. 4    | Sky Lakes Medical Center Grand Rounds   | Pavilion<br>7:00-8:00 a.m. ●  |
| Nov. 5    | Sky Lakes Medical Center Tumor Board  | Learning Resources Classroom<br>7:00-8:00 a.m. ●  |
| Nov. 5    | Sky Lakes Medical Center Grand Rounds Telecast from Providence Portland   | Blue Canyon Conference Room<br>8:00-9:00 a.m. ●   |
| Nov. 5    | Neonatal Resuscitation Program (NRP)<br>Completion (1 day course)   | SCMC-Bend: 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.<br>For information: 541-706-5845   |
| Nov. 5    | Therapeutic Touch<br>Refresher Course   | SCMC-Bend; Conf. Room B<br>1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.<br>For information: 541-706-7799   |
| Nov. 7    | SCMC Grand Rounds: "Autism Spectrum Disorder"<br>Sudge Budden, MD, Associate Professor, Pediatrics, Director,<br>Neurodevelopmental Program, OHSU | SCMC-Bend, Conf. Room C&D<br>7:00-8:00 a.m.   |
| Nov. 7    | Organ & Tissue Donation<br>Update   | SCMC-Bend<br>12:30-2:30 p.m.<br>For information: 541-706-7799   |
| Nov. 8    | Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS)<br>Renewal (1 day course)  | SCMC-Bend; 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.<br>For information: 541-706-5845   |
| Nov. 9    | Heartsaver First Aid for Adult with CPR/AED<br>(4.5 hour course)  | SCMC-Bend:<br>12:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.<br>For information: 541-706-5845   |
| Nov. 10   | CPR for Healthcare Providers (HCP)<br>Renewal (4 hour course)   | SCMC-Redmond:<br>8:00 a.m.-Noon<br>For information: 541-706-5845  |



Nov. 11 Sky Lakes Medical Center Grand Rounds

Nov. 12 CPR for Healthcare Providers (HCP) Completion (6 hour course)

Nov. 12 Sky Lakes Medical Center Grand Rounds Telecast from Providence Portland

Nov. 14 SCMC Grand Rounds: "Palliative Care in the ICU" Molly Osborne, MD, PhD, Professor of Medicine, Associate Dean Student Affairs, OHSU

Nov. 12, 14 & 17 CPR for Healthcare Providers (HCP) Renewal (4 hour course)

Nov. 18 Sky Lakes Medical Center Grand Rounds

Nov. 19 Sky Lakes Medical Center Grand Rounds Telecast from Providence Portland

Nov. 19 & 25 CPR for Healthcare Providers (HCP) Completion (6 hour course)

Nov. 21 SCMC Grand Rounds

Nov. 22-23 Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) Completion (2 day course)

Nov. 24 Heartcode™ ACLS Anywhere Skills Verification (Independent Study for DVD)

Nov. 25 Sky Lakes Medical Center RMT Rounds

Nov. 26 No Sky Lakes Medical Center Grand Rounds Telecast from Providence Portland—Thanksgiving Weekend

Nov. 28 NO SCMC Grand Rounds Thanksgiving Weekend



Pavilion  
7:00-8:00 a.m. ●

SCMC-Redmond:  
9:00 a.m. -3:00 p.m.  
For information: 541-706-5845

Blue Canyon Conference Room  
8:00-9:00 a.m. ●

SCMC-Bend, Conf. Room C&D  
7:00-8:00 a.m.

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Nov. 14: 1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.  
Nov. 17: 8:00 a.m.-Noon  
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Nov. 25: 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.  
For information: 541-706-5845

SCMC-Bend, Conf. Room C&D  
7:00-8:00 a.m.

SCMC-Bend: Nov. 22: 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.; Nov. 23: 8:00 a.m.-Noon  
For information: 541-706-5845

SCMC-Bend  
6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.  
For information: 541-706-5845

Pavilion  
7:00-8:00 a.m. ●

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For additional information regarding events listed here, including information about continuing education credit availability, contact the CEAHEC office at (541) 617-2617. CME and CE credits are available for many of the offerings listed here.

● For more information on CME or CE programs and credits offered by Sky Lakes Medical Center in Klamath Falls, please contact Ameer Hartwell, Sky Lakes Medical Center CME Coordinator at (541) 274-4161. Please contact Ameer for more information about Grand Rounds, RMT Rounds, Sisters of Providence Video Conference Sessions, and ER.

# Mark Your Calendars!

## Upcoming Classes REGISTER NOW!

- \* December 10—Redmond  
CPR for Healthcare Providers (HCP)  
Completion (6 hour course)  
For information: 541-706-5845
- \* December 14—Bend  
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(4.5 hour course)  
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- \* December 17 & 23—Bend  
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- \* December 29—Bend  
Heartcode™ ACLS Anywhere  
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Part II: Skills Verification  
(40 minute session)  
For information: 541-706-5845



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