



November 2014



The Purpose of This Fellowship is to...

- further freedom of religious experience and toleration of religious ideas
- promote personal choice based on reason and conscience
- celebrate the worth and dignity of each human being
- accept the motive force of love
- advocate the never-ending search for truth
- proclaim the importance of a religious community

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*We know
what we are,
but know not
what we may be.*


~ Shakespeare ~

The Headless Way

On October 26 our fellowship hosted a very special event for the community; a day-long workshop titled **The Headless Way**. The program was presented by Richard Lang at the South Coast Hospice Community Education Center. Twenty-seven people attended; many but not all are SCUUF members.

Sequoia Star led the effort to bring Mr. Lang to Coos Bay – including arranging an alternate flight for him from San Francisco to Eugene after his original arrangements into North Bend were cancelled. That meant he also got the scenic tour of the backside of Coos Bay thanks to the McCullough closure. His next stop was Philadelphia.

Participant Jim Casey said “it was challenging, invigorating, and enlightening even for seasoned humanists like us UUs.”

People can learn more about Richard Lang and **The Headless Way**, at www.headless.org where it describes itself as “a powerful tool for seeing who you truly are.” 




Shavings from the Board

A committee is beginning a serious search for a new home for SCUUF. If you would like to be part of this team, please let Charles Smith know. We discussed using Martin Annex on an interim basis but there are numerous barriers involved: limited parking, lack of visibility & difficulty in finding the site for newcomers, configuration of the space. While tempting, and generous on the part of the Martins, there are significant drawbacks.



The annual update and new pledge letter will be going out soon. Watch for it!

Sharing of the collection once each month (for example) was introduced. Many other congregations do this and it does not impact their collections for their own fellowships. And it would help satisfy the need expressed at our services last January to be giving back to our local community.

Marian Crumley presented a mock-up of a brochure we could use to inform the larger community of our presence. Jean will attempt to put this into concrete form, and then pass it on to Mark for his magic touch. 

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

The ANNUAL MEETING of the
UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST ASSOCIATION

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SCUUF membership is open to all who agree with our purpose and are willing to make a commitment of time, talent, or treasure.



Oregon South Coast Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

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Unless otherwise noted, programs are from 10:00 to 11:30am at the Dolphin Players Theater (see map online).

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
9 Walking Tao through Space and Time Jim Casey concludes his series of presentations on Taoism.	10	11 Veterans Day	12	13	14	15
16 Erasmus, in Praise of Folly Robert Mahaffey introduces the famous Dutch Renaissance humanist, Catholic priest, social critic, teacher, and theologian and his philosophy.	17			20	21	22
23 Solar Energy on the South Coast Jamie Fereday of Solcoast will bring us up to date on solar energy on the South Coast and its potential to impact your electricity costs.				27 Thanks-giving	28 December SCUUP Deadline	29
30 Thanksgiving potluck at Martin Annex Doors open at 11:30am. Serving starts at noon. SCUUF will provide the turkey. Please bring a side dish or dessert. 				4	5	6

Help Decorate Our Tree!
 November 9 after program
 Shore Acres Gardens



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