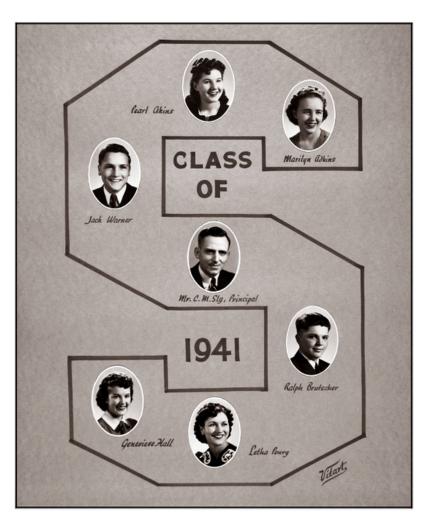
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We Have a Podcast

The Weston Public Library has a podcast now! We interview residents of Weston, 20 gentle questions that help us get to know each other! We hope to one day have a complete record of the residents of Weston, Oregon in the early 21st century. Do you want to be on the podcast? Let us know! Call us up at (541)566-2378.



Weston High School Graduating Class of 1941 Hold That Tiger



What's Happening?

April 2025 Calendar:

4/11 Special Story Time!

10:30am

4/15 Friends Of Weston Library Annual Meeting

Featuring Dr. Andrea K Dobson, Whitman College Chair of Astronomy 6pm

4/17 Novel Readers

The Osage Orange Tree by William Stafford 2:30pm

Weekly Programs

Tuesdays at 4:00 pm Come In For a Yarn Fridays at 10:30 AM Preschool Storytime

New Civics Books at the Library

George Washington's Rules of Civility
Benjamin Franklin's Book of Virtues
Quotations of Benjamin Franklin
The Articles of Confederation
The Poems of Abraham Lincoln
The Bill of Rights
The Constitution of the United States of
America



What's a Podcast?

Well, it's like a radio show you can listen to any time you want. It's not broadcast by a radio station, you have to go to the internet, find it, and play it. Podcasts are available from an almost endless number of people, agencies, and performance groups. They are on an almost endless number of topics. There are poetry podcasts, there are history podcasts, there are astronomy podcasts. Many podcasts are fiction, either in the one-episode short form, or in the several-episode long story arc form. There are podcasts about soap operas, podcasts about water treatment, podcasts about old radio shows. Any interest you have, there is a podcast for you.

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