



# Malheur National Forest

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## **JOIN US FOR A CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION OPEN-HOUSE!**

John Day, OR – The public is invited to an open house to celebrate the Centennial of the Forest Service, announced Roger Williams, Forest Supervisor.

“This is a day where we can all celebrate and reflect on something we care deeply about and that is our forests,” said Williams. “It is also a time to recognize the contributions that have been made by employees, as well as many others, in the management and protection of our forests.”

The open house will be on Tuesday, May 3 from 1:00 pm – 4:00 with the following events scheduled at the Federal Building in John Day.

- 1: 00 pm - An art contest that showcases the artwork of local 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grades depicting what they want the forest to look like will be judged.
- 1:30 – 3:30 – A showing of *The Greatest Good* video – a 2-hour documentary that tells the epic story of the struggle to manage a nation’s resources amid global change. The video is shown in 4 parts - please feel free to stop by to see the entire video or any portion which is of interest to you.
  - Part 1 - The Fight For Conservation 1:30 - 2:00 pm
  - Part 2 - Building the System 2:00 - 2:30 pm
  - Part 3 - Boom! 2:30 - 3:00 pm
  - Part 4 - The Greatest Good? 3:00 - 3:30 pm

A quilt, designed and made by Malheur National Forest employees portraying the diversity of the forest will be on display. Other exhibits representing the history of the Malheur National Forest will also be on display.

To close the day, at 4:00 pm - A “moment of remembrance” for past employees will be held in the City Park at the John Shoberg memorial.

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