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# City News

## *Farmer's Market moves to cool new spot*

**By Ephraim Payne**

With the start of construction on the Veneta Park & Ride on the corner of West Broadway Ave. and Territorial Rd. in downtown Veneta, the Downtown Farmer's Market has moved to a new home.

Instead of heading south on Territorial to the parking lot of Veneta Elementary School as originally planned, the market

has moved north to the Northeast corner of Territorial and Luther Lane.

The market will take place at the new location every Friday through Sept. 24.

The day after the Downtown Farmer's Market officially closes for the year, Sept. 25, many of its vendors will be offering their produce at the Veneta Harvest Festival.

Pickett says market

shoppers should be on the lookout for a Farmer's Market coupon published in recent editions of the new Fern Ridge Review, the Fern Ridge Shopper and the City News.

The coupon for 20 percent off of produce purchases is good through the market's last day.

Read more about the market in the City News online edition at <http://www.ci.veneta.or.us/citynews.cfm>

## *City unveils new website*

**By Ephraim Payne**

If you have not stopped by Veneta's home on the internet recently, maybe it's time to surf on by and take a look.

Last month the City of Veneta rolled out a new website with an esthetically pleasing design and new features. The site can be found at the City's long-time web address, <http://www.ci.veneta.or.us/>

"It's a lot more user friendly," says Veneta's Associate Planner Zac Moody of the new site, adding that the new design is a lot cleaner and more visually compelling, and its use of birding images ties the website to Veneta's identity as the center of Fern Ridge, a major birding hotspot.

To learn more, visit the website and read the expanded version of the City News online.

## **Kids Are Back To School! Please Be Aware of School Zones**

**By Sergeant Doug Osborne, Lane County Sheriff's Office, Veneta Contract**

With the start of the school year, Veneta's youth will once again be taking the bus to school and frequenting school zones. Motorists should remember important traffic laws to ensure children's safety. Basic rules to follow are listed below.

Vehicles must stop when the school bus's external red warning lights are flashing and the stop signal arms are extended. Vehicles may not pass until the flashing red lights and signals are turned off.

Never pass on the right side of the bus, where children enter or exit. This is illegal and can have tragic results. Violation of these laws can result in a citation

and fine. School bus drivers can report passing vehicles to local police authorities.

School zones are clearly marked with 20 mph signs and flashing lights. School zone speed is strictly enforced.

Additional safety reminders for parents and their children are in the online edition of the City News.

**Learn about the new Territorial Highway construction project in the online edition of the City News, at <http://www.ci.veneta.or.us/citynews.cfm>**