

NEWS RELEASE

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NATURE OF STORY: **INTERNET AND YOUR CHILD CLASS**

LOCATION: Lane Community College
Cottage Grove Campus
1275 S. River Road
Cottage Grove

INVOLVED: Lane County Sheriff's Office and
Lane Community College

DETAILS:

On Saturday February 10, 2007 from 9:00AM until 4:30PM the Lane County Sheriff's Office, in conjunction with Lane Community College will be conducting a safety internet education course for parents.

The class is open to any interested person 18 years of age or older. Prior computer experience is not necessary.

Course topics will include:

- Computer hardware and software basics
- Getting connected to the internet
- Newsgroups, Blogs, Myspace etc.
- Hacking

- Internet fraud
- Setting rules and expectations
- Internet chat (instructors will log on live as a child and let you see what your children may experience)
- Searching the internet for information on you and your family
- Windows basics and finding hidden files
- Internet addressing
- E-mail
- ID theft and protecting your privacy
- Copyright issues
- Sex crimes- including methods used by sexual predators to locate and manipulate their victims
- Filtering, blocking, and monitoring internet activity with software
- Parental controls
- Searching your computer to see what your children have been doing

Seating is limited and pre-registration is required. To register for the class call 1-541-942-4202 Course # CRN 33065

Tuition for the class is free. However, there is a class a fee of \$4.00

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