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“STRIKES BACK” DURING STAR WARS DAY

Movie characters, book giveaways and a food drive on Saturday, June 19

What: “We would be honored if you would join us.” As part of the City’s continuing 125th Anniversary Celebration, Star Wars Day is coming to the Springfield Library. Join us for photos with movie quality Star Wars Characters, Star Wars book giveaways, sponsored by the Springfield Police Association and be part of our food drive by bringing canned or unopened food for FOOD for Lane County.

When: Saturday, June 19. 1-2 p.m. meet your favorites Star Wars characters in City Hall, 2-4, bring a blanket and relax for a showing of The Empire Strikes Back in our Library Meeting Room. The movie screening is limited to 100 people, due to the size of our meeting room.

Where: The Springfield Library, 225 Fifth Street, Springfield Oregon.

Donations: This event is free, however we will be accepting donations of food for this event to benefit FOOD for Lane County.

Sponsors: This program is sponsored by the Springfield Police Association

Photos: Photos of actual characters participating in the event are attached.

Media: Members of the media will have full access to the characters for photos and city staff for interviews.

Background:

About the Springfield Library: Every week more than 3,500 Springfield citizens visit their Library. Thirteen thousand two hundred and eighty-six people attended a Library storytime or program last year.

About the Cloud City Garrison: The 501st (Cloud City Garrison) is dedicated to the movie-quality costumes of the "villains" of the Star Wars universe. They offer support at charity events, fund raisers, and social functions by appearing as film-authentic Star Wars characters.