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“STRIKES BACK” DURING STAR WARS DAY

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

What: As part of the City’s continuing 125th Anniversary Celebration, Star Wars Day is coming to the Springfield Library. Join us as we celebrate another anniversary, 30 years of the Empire Strikes Back, with; movie quality Star Wars Characters from the local Cloud City Garrison, Star Wars book giveaways, sponsored by the Springfield Police Association and for the price of a can or unopened package of food, catch a screening of the Empire Strikes Back in our Library Meeting Room.

When: Saturday, June 19. 1-2 p.m. meet your favorites Star Wars characters, 2-4, bring a blanket and relax for a showing of The Empire Strikes Back in the air conditioned comfort of our Library Meeting Room. The entire community is invited to attend.

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

Donations: Donation of food for this event will benefit Food for Lane County

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.