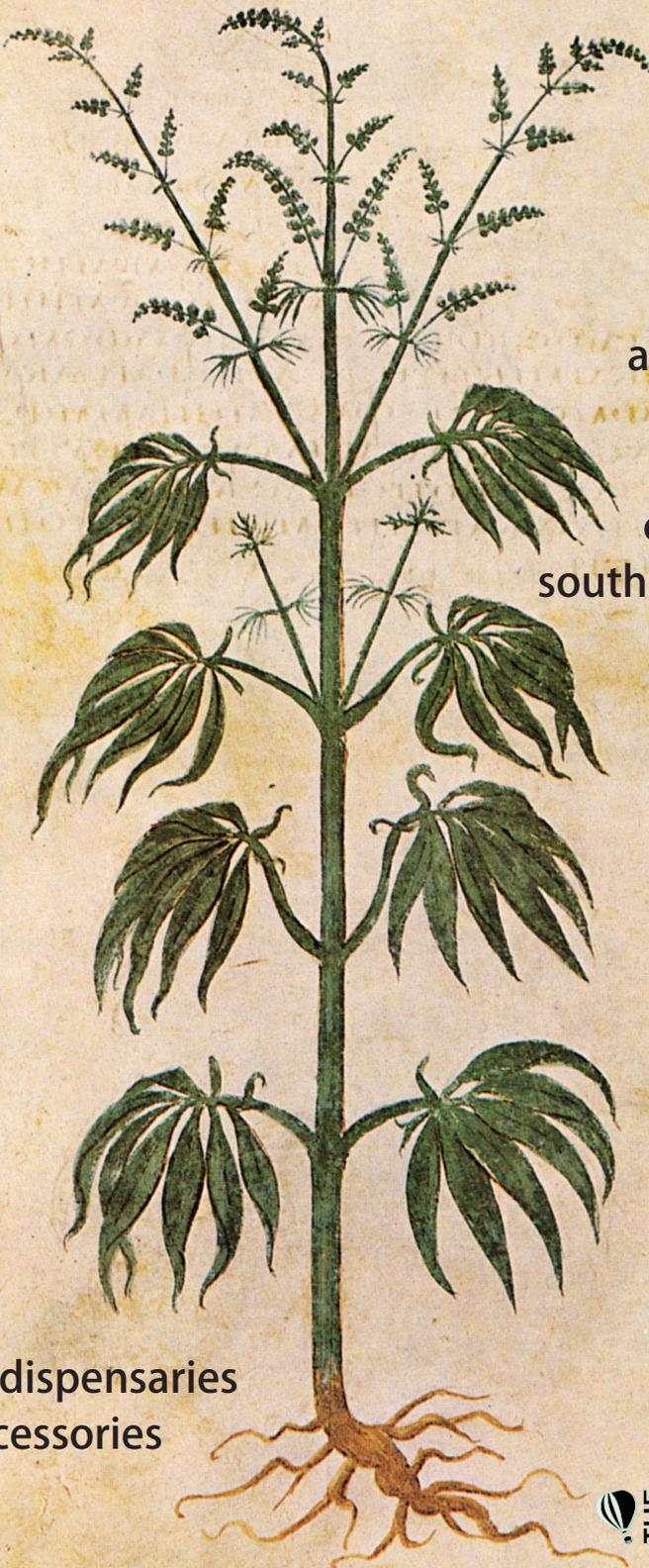


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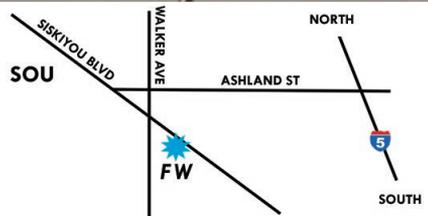
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**DON'T SMOKE
THE MESSENGER**

welcome to the new world

by Josh Gross - @TheJoshGross

After July 1, Oregon is in a brave new world. And there may be no greater sign of it than what you're currently holding in your hand: a business directory of where to get marijuana and anything else you need to go along with it. Only a few years ago, this publication would have been a to-arrest list for the Feds. That's some serious progress.

But as with all change, there are resisters. Those scared that everything they hold dear will somehow cease to exist in a cloud of smoke.

I'm here to try to assuage those fears.

First and foremost, the sky will not fall. The dire predictions from pundits, TV, Facebook, and morning breakfast table alike, will not come to pass.

I know because I went through this once already when I moved to Colorado in December of 2013, only two weeks before recreational pot became legal and the hysteria was in full bloom, everything from the standard issue paranoia about poison candy turning into fears of pot candy, to a state program that put actors dressed at rats in cages near high schools to encourage students not to be part of a pot experiment, to insistence the level of D.U.I.s was about to skyrocket.

None of it happened.

Repeated spot checks by the Colorado Department of Revenue found no sales to minors, and no pot candy appeared in Halloween bags. There was a spike in the number of tests for Driving Under the Influence—mostly because of increased monitoring—but alcohol remained the primary issue. That fear became even more baseless when the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration published data that after adjusted for age, gender, race and alcohol use, showed that drivers who tested positive for marijuana were no more likely to crash than who had not used any drugs or alcohol prior to driving.

What did happen was state revenue spiked, tourism went up, and crime dropped. Pot brought about \$30 million into the state coffers, with approximately 40 percent of purchases made by non-Colorado residents. As for the economy overall? According to *The Denver Post*, more than 700 pot shops statewide employ upwards of 20,000

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people in retail, and countless more in support industries like construction and security. Oregon's population is about two thirds that of Colorado's, but even cutting 30 percent out of those employment numbers, it's still a lot of jobs for people that need them.

The biggest adjustment we will all face is what is revealed when the veil of secrecy and shame is lifted. Prepare to find out which cops, city officials, co-workers and members of your grandparent's card game smoke pot, and prepare to be flabbergasted.

That's not to say that legalization is without peril.

Public resources will be wasted as regressionists endlessly try to undermine the legalization. Some cities or counties will shoot themselves in the foot by going dry and become a travel nuisance by cracking down on people passing through.

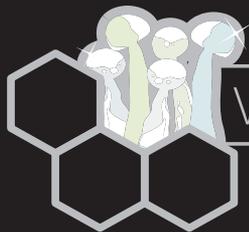
Strong and slow-acting legal pot edibles will create an added challenge for bartenders in assessing whether patrons should be served, a serious concern for public safety. That may result in a ham-fisted police crackdown on bars.

There are environmental concerns with all agriculture, and pot can do a lot of damage if resources are not managed well. A single plant can suck up to 15 gallons of water a day from drought-plagued forests. Indoor grow operations can radically jack up energy consumption.

And then there's the billboards already starting to line freeways advertising strains the way billboards currently advertise light beer. Taaaaacky.

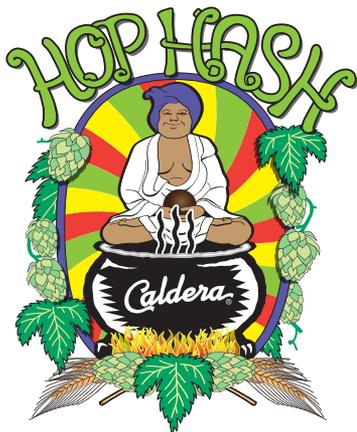
But those are manageable concerns, so long as the issue is met head-on, rather than by trying to ostrich away the facts.

The bottom line, Southern Oregon, is that legal pot is here and you have very little to actually worry about. 🌿



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background: know your weed



The wide variety of choices at Green Valley Wellness in Talent.

While there are endless crossbreeds, regional strains and varieties of marijuana, each with their own unique differences, for consumer's purposes, they generally fall into three groups: sativas, indicas, and medical strains.

sativas: Sativa plants can grow up to 20 feet tall, making them better suited to outdoor growing. Their effects are more uplifting and energetic, with cerebral or spacey effect better suited for daytime use.

indicas: Shorter and more densely-branched with wider leaves, indicas are better-suited to growing indoors, and their effects are more calming and relaxing than Sativas. These strains are better for night-time use and provide a stronger body-buzz.

medical strains: Medical strains can come from both the indica and sativa families, but are distinct for consumers because they are deliberately bred for effects that are less intoxicating. Some offer strict pain relief or help with sleeping with little to no buzz whatsoever.

strains: eight essential strains



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Named for its pungent odor, this strain acts fast, delivering an energizing, dreamy effect that is excellent for dealing with pain, stress and depression. This is high-powered medicine.

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Sour Diesel - Sativa

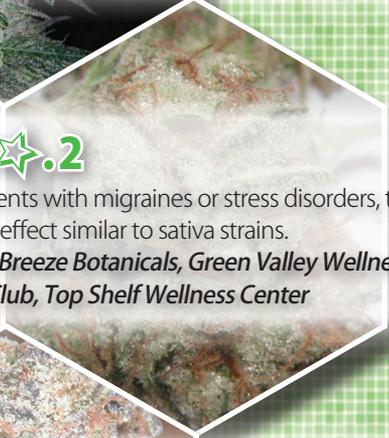


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Sweet as it should be, she takes you to the top of euphoria for ultimate relaxation where time will bend. With a few different phenotypes, such as Thin Mint or Platinum Cookies, the Cookies helps with sever pain, nausea and appetite loss.

Available at: Green Valley Wellness, House of Leaves, Pharm to Table, Talent Health Club, Top Shelf Wellness Center

Girl Scout Cookies - Hybrid

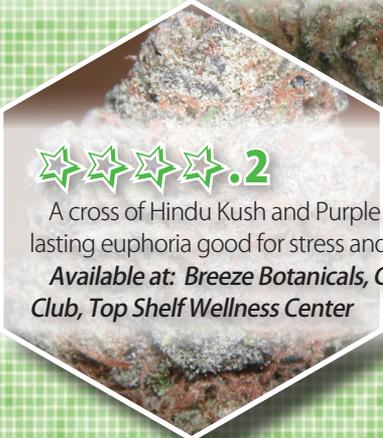


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Good for patients with migraines or stress disorders, this stain offers an earthy pine scene and a euphoric effect similar to sativa strains.

Available at: Breeze Botanicals, Green Valley Wellness, House of Leaves, Pharm to Table, Talent Health Club, Top Shelf Wellness Center

OG Kush - Hybrid



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A cross of Hindu Kush and Purple Afghani that delivers earthy, sweet aromas and a long lasting euphoria good for stress and sleeplessness.

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Purple Kush - Indica

Blue Dream - Sativa Hybrid

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A blend of a Blueberry Indica and a Sativa Haze, Blue Dream is an excellent string for body relaxation with mild heady euphoria. The lack of heavy sedative effect makes it especially good as a daytime medicine.

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Pineapple Express - Hybrid

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A bright, fresh fruit scene and an energetic high that lasts for hours. Not really its name- The Pineapple Kush got this name after the movie brought it back to popularity.

Available at: Breeze Botanicals, Green Valley Wellness, House of Leaves, Talent Health Club, Breeze Botanicals, House of Leaves, Green Valley Wellness

Willy's Wonder- Indica

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A legendary strain with local roots, names after its local of origination: Williams. A fruity flavor that flowers in a variety of hues of greens, yellows and reds, with high levels of potency.

Available at: House of Leaves, Patients Helping Patients

Harlequin - Sativa

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A CBD dominant strain, it provides clear-headed pain relief. The working together the CBD counteracts the paranoia that is often a side effect of the pain relieving THC- this strain relieved without sedations and relive without intoxicating.

Available at: House of Leaves, Talent Health Club, Top Shelf Wellness

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accessories

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www.42degreesmokeshop.com

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Fire and Water (see ad on page 4)

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1658 Siskiyou Blvd, Ashland (541) 488-0870

Monday- Saturday 11am- 7pm, Sundays 11am- 5 pm

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880 Biddle Rd, Medford 541-776-5818

www.magicmanshop.com

Monday- Saturday 9 am- 9 pm, Sunday 10am-6pm

1448 Williams Hwy.Grants Pass 541-956-4420

Monday - Saturday 10 am - 8pm, Sunday 10am - 6 pm

216 SW G St, Grants Pass 541-5071485

Monday- Saturday 10 am - 6pm

Puffs

A wide selection of smoking accessories, including from local glass artists, for both tobacco and cannabis smoking. Gifts and books related to the topic can also be found.

1796 Siskiyou Blvd, Ashland (541) 482-9253

Monday- Saturday 10am - 6pm

Red Eye Hut Smoke Shop (see ad on page 22)

Locally blown glass pipes, oil rigs, torches, e-cigs, dresses and t-shirts.

780 SW 6th St, Grants Pass (541) 956-1245

Daily 10am- 6:30pm



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Sky High

Bart Simpson, hanging out on the street, beckons you into one of Southern Oregon's favorite smoke and accessory shops. A broad selection of glass and other pipes and smoking supplies. They also carry a butane selection, trim machines, and other supplies.

828 S Central Ave, Medford (541) 622-8181

Monday- Thursday 10am- 9pm, Friday and Saturday 10am- 10pm, Sunday 12pm-8pm

Smokin Deals Custom Glass

A huge selection of custom glass, plus all the accessories one could possibly need for cannabis or tobacco smoking.

1246 S. Riverside Ave., Medford (541) 767-8636

www.smokin-deals.com

Stop N Shop

Convenience market in downtown Ashland with a selection of glassware and other smoking accessories- this is the only place in walking distance of all of Ashland's downtown haunts.

110 Lithia Way, Ashland (541) 488-9550

Sunday - Wednesday 8am - 12am, Thursday- Saturday 8am- 2am

Victoria's Station

Hit this variety store up on the way to raft the Rogue River. They are a smoke shop, clothing and accessories, as well as an adult room.

120 Galice Rd, Merlin (541) 471-1396

thestationllc.com

Monday- Saturday 11am-7pm, Sunday 1pm-7pm

the guide: dispensaries

Breeze Botanicals (see ad on page 31)

Both Ashland and Gold Hill locations offer an experience that is closer to boutique than a pot-shop. An herbal dispensary, offering more than just weed. They specialize in individualized blends of herbs, cannabis included, customized to an individual's symptoms.

315 2nd Ave, Gold Hill • (541) 855-8797

1526 Siskiyou Blvd, Ashland • (541) 708-6446

www.breezebotanicals.com

Monday- Saturday 10am-6pm, closed on Sundays

Green Valley Wellness (see ad on page 24)

Founded by growers who saw the need for and so created a top-notch, professional and clean, dispensary experience. One-on-one individualized care for each patient that comes through the door, all with bright smiles.

103 N Pacific Hwy, Unit B, Talent (541) 535-3022

www.greenvalleywellness.com

10:00 am to 6:00 pm Mon-Sat

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House of Leaves

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2390 W Main St, Medford (541) 840-0818

11 am- 6pm daily

Pharm To Table (see ad on backcover)

From the old barn-wood exterior, to the gallery presentation inside, they aim to dispel any negative perceptions that may exist about medical marijuana. Rather, their goal provide safe clean medicine, at affordable rates, while supporting their community through economic and charitable contributions.

3528 S Pacific Hwy, Medford • (541) 897-0531

<http://pharmtotableor.com>

11:00 am to 7:00 pm Mon-Fri

11:00 am to 6:00 pm Sat-Sun

Siskiyou Medical Supply (see ad on page 2)

Ashland's first dispensary, bravely opening before it was quite legal to do so. And then moving to be in compliance- it was a challenge at first, but now their doors are open, serving patients with a friendly smile.

1796 Ashland St, Ashland • (541) 488-7621

Monday- Saturday 10am- 7pm

Talent Health Club (see ad on page 16)

Offering a selection of premium products including flowers, extracts, oils, and edibles. They focus on small, sustainable farms, and promoting a positive marijuana culture.

1007 S Pacific Hwy, Talent • (541) 897-4111

www.talenthealthclub.com

10:00 am to 6:00 pm Every day

Top Shelf Wellness (see ad on page 3)

Their mission is to advocate and support a proactive approach to patient wellness and health management. To achieve this they provide the best medical marijuana, concentrates, edibles, topicals, and other alternative health resources to offer our patients in a safe and professional environment.

Having combined the best of Southern Oregon under one roof with excellent products and a dedicated staff to help with all Medical Marijuana needs and accessories.

The largest selection of flower in the valley and specials that change from day to day.

First Time patients receive a 10 percent discount and a free gift. Found on Leafly and Facebook, with easy access right off of I-5 in Phoenix at The Shoppes at exit 24.

205 Fern Valley Rd. Suite C, Phoenix (541) 897-0716

10:00 am to 8 pm Mon-Sat

12:00 pm to 6:00 pm Sun

the guide: growing supplies

Aqua Serene

They are dedicated to helping people live a healthier lifestyle by teaching how to grow better fruits and vegetables, easier. With a wide selection of supplies, they carry what is needed for any successful indoor horticulture.

465 Applegate Way, Ashland

(541) 482-7600

www.aquaserene.com

Monday-Saturday 10am-6pm,

Sundays 12pm-5pm

Biologic Crop Solutions

Offers products, services, information and lab testing for agricultural operations looking to go the biologic super-organic route.

4543 S Pacific Hwy, Phoenix

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biologiccropsolutions.com

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1010 Fisher Ave, Medford (541) 622-8097

www.shop.thegreenwayhydro.com

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In and Out Gardens

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1574 Sky Park Dr, Medford (541) 858-3333

www.inandoutgardens.com

9am-6pm daily

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205 Fern Valley Road Suite X, Phoenix, OR

ladybugindoorgardens.com

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Mon-Fri 9am-4pm

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Paradise Supply (see ad on p. 26)

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1409 Hwy-99 N, Ashland

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paradisepupplyashland.com

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560 NE F St, Grants Pass, OR 97526

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paradisepupply.com

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roguefarmers.com
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2833 North Pacific Highway, Medford
(800) 888-6317
Mon-Fri 8am-5pm

225 S. Front Street, Central Point
(541) 664-6691
Monday-Saturday: 8am-7pm
Sunday: 9am-5pm

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the guide: products

There was a time when there were joints, and hash, brownies, and . . . Not much else.

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Cowabunga Medibles

Tinctures, butter, baked goods and caramels, all organic grown medicine and organic ingredients.

Available at: House of Leaves

Lean Back Sizurp (see ad on page 15)

Created by Dirty Arm Farm to liven up the evening. Or mellow it out. Which ever direction, the grape flavored syrup, mixed up with a little lemon-lime soda makes for a truly psychedelic cocktail, no alcohol needed.

Available at: Pharm to Table, Talent Health Club

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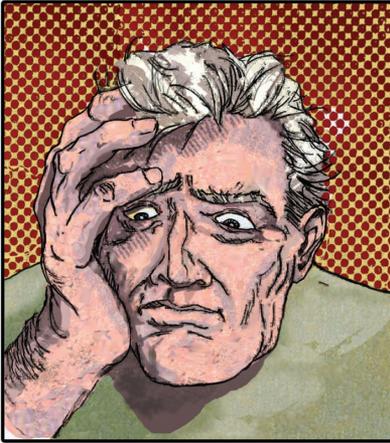
Available at: Pharm to Table, Talent Health Club

Zuli's Medibles

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www.rfsbookkeeping.com

Cramer and Associates (see ad p. 30)
Certified Public Accountants
(541) 779-6600
www.cramer-cpa.com

Cab Companies

5 Star
(541) 245-5555
www.5startaxi.org

Yell Oh Taxi
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www.yellohtaxi.com

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www.myvalleycab.com

AAA Eco Cab
(541) 621-2100

Design

www.alookdesign.com

www.VaporDave.com
(see ad on page 6)

Michael Northam (The Leaflet & RVM designer)
orogenetics@gmail.com

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Paul Lonely
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180 Clear Creek Dr, Ashland
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www.ashlandalthhealth.com

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1257 N. Riverside, Suite 12, Medford
(541) 499-5431
www.patientschoiceclinics.com

Rogue River Herbal
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510 E Main St, Rogue River
(541) 299-0090
www.rrherbalcenter.com
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Southern Oregon Alternative Medicine
836 E. Main St. Ste #3, Medford
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culture: glassblowers you need to know

by Josh Gross

The pipe you smoke out of can have as much to do with the experience as the weed that goes in it. And the smoothest, cleanest experiences short of a vaporizer, come from glass pipes, which come in a wide variety of shapes, sizes and prices, that are oftentimes as much art pieces as they are tools.

CHRIS HURLEY

After 19 years in the industry, Medford glass blower Chris Hurley can churn out the average pipe in about 20 minutes. But he says if you really want to get fancy, they can take up to three days.

"Every detail is taken to the next level," he says.

Colors. Patterns. Shapes. Hurley says it's technical, spontaneous and thrilling.

"You have to navigate what you get and try to outsmart the glass," he says. "It's very exciting."

Every glassblower has their own signature designs and styles. While a great deal of influence in glass-blowing comes from the toy industry and its sense of character, Hurley says he draws much of his inspiration from the Venetian style of glass blowing.



culture:

glassblowers you need to know

"Venetian work is from a time in Italy when they were trying to have the fanciest wine glasses for the cheapest," he says. "So they were made very thin with a lot of different attachments. The style spawned a lot of highly decorative shapings."

You can see that play out in pieces he has made of vines snaking out of cupped hands, of long thin flutes and pipes as twisting and complex as a hamster maze.

Most of Hurley's work is made by commission, with people talking through their interests with him and finding a design together. But he says if you're looking for a piece off the shelf, the most important thing aside from the aesthetics appealing to you, are that it should appear to be one solid piece of glass, without obvious welds.

"That way you know it's strong," he says.

You can find Hurley's work online at [instagram.com/hurleyglass](https://www.instagram.com/hurleyglass), or in select local stores.

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JAY HARROWER

Jay Harrower of Bird Dogg Art is as clear as his chosen medium.

"I'm in galleries, I've been in art shows that I'm proud of," he says.

But I'm a pipe maker."

It's a profession he came to 15 years ago in his final two terms studying spanish and english at Southern Oregon University.

"I was either going to be a teacher or a translator, and neither of those appealed to me," he says.

So on suggestion of a friend, he started blowing glass and never looked back.

And the deeper he got into it, the more Harrower liked to buck convention in blowing techniques.

"Most of the traditional techniques involve making a design on the surface and then putting another piece of glass over that," he says. "I prefer to do it all on the outside. I think it creates a unique look and texture."

Harrower says that many glass blowers shy away from those techniques because of technical difficulties they create.

"I welcome those technical difficulties because it's unique," he says.

And uniquely difficult is a great descriptor for much of his work. A recent piece was of an airplane that had an internally spinning propellor and more than 400 drawn on checkers. It took Harrower more than a month to finish and sold for \$3,200 wholesale.

Another fairly elaborate creation is his glass Nintendo Entertainment System.

"That was a shell made out of glass," he says. "We took the components out of my Nintendo made in 1989, and it's a pipe. So we have this Nintendo that you can play and smoke."



Splooosh.

Harrower says there is enough demand that he could piece that elaborate for most of the year, but that it can be a draining process. He prefers to space things out a bit, and let the glass lead him where it will.

Harrower's work can be seen at [instagram.com/birddoggart](https://www.instagram.com/birddoggart), and is available for purchase at Sky High, 42 Degrees, Smoke on the Rogue and Fire and Water. 🌿



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real estate: shopping for grow sites

ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE FOR THE MARIJUANA REAL ESTATE MARKET

Looking to start a business to take part in the new green economy? Then you'll need a place of business, and marijuana brings unique challenges to property shopping.

The Messenger spoke with local real estate agents to get the inside scoop on what you need to know and watch out for with pot properties.

Location: Even with the new legal status, there are zoning issues regarding where marijuana businesses can be. Make sure your property is in a legal spot before purchase. Most cities have maps of legal locations.

Property Damage: Water damage, mold and electrical issues are somewhat common with houses that were used as indoor grow operations. Be sure to have a housing inspector pay close attention to those issues. Conversely, if you're buying a house or building for an indoor grow operation, prepare to take steps to deal with those issues to keep it in good repair.

Environmental: All agriculture can do damage. And because it was historically done outside the law, marijuana cultivation even more so. If buying a property that was previously used to grow pot, you'll need to do an environmental analysis above and beyond the normal inspections to be sure the soil and water are not contaminated. If buying property for a new pot grow, then you'll need to do the same to be sure the soil and water are good for grows, and then take steps to keep them in good health.

Disclosure: Opposed to legalization, some property owners are declining to sell or rent to marijuana businesses, some going so far as to leave rental spots in strip malls open rather than rent to dispensaries. There's not much to do about the rental situation, but know that there is no legal obligation to disclose what you want the property for when buying, so long as you're in compliance with land-use laws. For both renting and buying, agents surveyed said the name of the business is a major factor in building credibility with current owners.

Legal: The biggest issue to be aware of when shopping for pot properties is that things are changing rapidly, and that marijuana remains illegal at the federal level. Currently, the Cole Memorandum says that the feds will not crack down on those businesses that are adhering to state law, but that could change, as could the state regulations. It's up to you to stay on top of those developments.



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weed talk

Alcohol Extraction—Using alcohol as a solvent to strip cannabis of its trichomes and essential oils and create golden hash oil. See Shatter, Budder, Oil.



Blunt—A hollowed out cigar filled with weed.

Blunt wrap—rolling paper made of tobacco to mimic a blunt.

Bogart—hogging the weed while smoking in a group.

Bongwater—the water in a water pipe. Don't drink it. Just don't.

Bowl—the part of the pipe where the weed goes. Also a unit of measurement.

Bubbler—halfway between a pipe and a bong.

Budder—the opaque congealed form of hash oil.

Buds—dried flower of the cannabis plant.

Budtender—Staff at dispensary that is like a bartender or a pharmacist for weed.

Butane hash oil—Process of dissolving cannabis in butane solvent for a more potent concentrate. Also known as honey oil.

Cannabinoid—The active chemical compounds found within the cannabis plant, each with different properties, some psychoactive (like THC) and some non-psychoactive.

Clone—A clipping from a cannabis plant, which can then be rooted and grown.

CO2 extraction—Common method of making hash oil that uses liquid CO2 as a solvent to extract essential oils.

Concentrate—Any product made from refining cannabis into something more clean and potent.



Crystals—Coloquialism for cannabis plant's trichomes, which contain the majority of the plant's cannabinoids, and are what is removed to create concentrates such as hash, hash oil, and kief.

Cannabis—Pot. Weed. Mary Jane. Reefer. Etc.

CBD—Abbreviation for cannabidiol, a cannabinoid in high use as a medical treatment for pain, inflammation, and anxiety without the psychoactive effects (the "high" or "stoned" feeling) associated with THC.

Cross—The result when two different plant strains are bred together.

Dab—The act of "dabbing" concentrates onto a hot surface, producing a vapor.

Dank—Very strong-smelling, high-quality weed.

Diesel—particulate family tree of cannabis strains, known for pungent and distinctive smells, which includes elements of skunk, burning tires, lemon-pine floor cleaner, and notably, fresh diesel fuel.

Diffuser—high level bong that provides smoother inhalation.

Dispensary—a pot store.

Doobie—What your baby boomer parents call a joint.

Dry sieve hash—A mechanical process using screens and agitation to separate the trichomes from the plant material. Traditionally known as "kief."

Dugout—A two-chambered wooden box that fits conveniently in your pocket. One half holds pot, while the other has a little pipe.



Edibles—Any cannabis product that is consumed orally and digested is considered an edible. See brownies, candies, etc.

Eighth — 1/8th of an ounce of cannabis, weighed out to 3.5 grams.

Extract — See concentrate.

Feminized—Plants come from seeds that have been selectively bred to produce only female plants, thereby making it so growers do not have to separate the male and female plants.

Ganja—What your friends that listen to reggae call pot.

Glass—a pipe made from blown glass.

Grinder—a handheld marijuana thresher used to break up large chunks.

Half—a half ounce.

Hash—Any collection of the resin glands (trichomes) of the cannabis plant.

Haze—a family of cannabis plants prized for its almost electric, creative buzz which makes it a favorite of sativa smokers everywhere.

Hookah—a large multi-person water pipe in which you smoke through a hose.

Hybrid—Most often refers to the in-between option which lies between the energetic, uppy sativa and the relaxing, sedative indica sides of the cannabis spectrum.

Hydro—A soil-less grow medium that delivers nutrients through water as opposed to dirt.

Heirloom—Cannabis strain that taken from its native homeland and propagated in another region.

Hemp—fibrous product used for manufacturing made from the male cannabis plant, which has no value as a drug, yet is still illegal.

Indica—Family of cannabis plants that are shorter plants and mature more quickly.

Known for providing a relaxing, sedative effect and most often used for relieving pain, muscle tension, insomnia, anxiety, lack of appetite, as well as easing spasms and reducing inflammation.

Jelly hash — A potent mixture of water hash and hash oil.

Kief—Middle eastern style hash.

Kush—family of cannabis plants that originated in the middle east and are known for a combination of earthy and citrusy flavors.

Medical—dispensaries and programs utilizing cannabis for medical, not recreational purposes.



Nug—a chunk of marijuana.

One-Hitter—the pipe equivalent of a shot glass.

OZ—an ounce of pot.

Phenotype—Term that is used to refer to the height, color, branching, leaf configuration of a plant, even down to cell structure, to judge its healthiness.

Pre-Roll—a pre-rolled joint sold from a dispensary.

QP—a quarter-pound of pot.

Quarter—a quarter ounce of pot.

Resin—the goop that accumulates over time on the inside of a pipe.

Recreational shop—a dispensary that you do not need a medical card to shop at.

Reefer—what old white people called pot to make it sound scary.

Roach—the tiny little butt end of a joint.

Roach clip—a holder used to smoke a roach.

Sativa—cannabis strains known for more cerebral effects as opposed to physical and sedative ones.

Shatter—term for BHO.

Strain—a variety of marijuana.

Schwag—low quality pot.

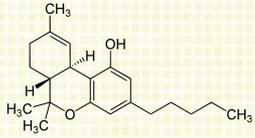
Skunk—stinky weed.

Smurfing—Jumping from dispensary to dispensary, buying as much legal cannabis as possible in order to re-sell it on the black market.

Spliff — A combination of tobacco and marijuana rolled together.

Terpene — The aromatic and flavor compounds found within cannabis responsible for the subtle differences in smell and flavor.

THC — Tetrahydrocannabinol (THC) is the main cannabinoid found in the cannabis plant and is responsible for the majority of the plant's psychoactive properties.



Tincture — A liquid extraction of cannabis, often made with alcohol or glycerin

Topicals—Cannabis lotions, creams, balms — pretty much anything you can rub on your skin.



Trichome—Trichomes are the resin production glands of the cannabis plant.

Trim/Trimming—Trimming refers to the act of removing the leaves during harvest, while trim refers to the leftover leaves, which can be used for extractions.

Vaporizer—Device used to consume marijuana without smoking it.

Vape pen — A small, portable vaporizer that uses either pre-filled concentrate cartridges or has a chamber to load your own concentrates or flower.

Water Hash — popular method for making hash at home.

Wax — The opaque, crumbly texture seen in hash oil

Zip — Slang term for an ounce, derived from the fact that it should fill up a Ziploc bag.

Last words:

We hope you have enjoyed *The Leaflet*. It will be an annual publication from *The Rogue Valley Messenger*, updated each year with new developments in the local marijuana culture and industry.

If you can't wait that long for more news, don't worry. *The Messenger* will keep its ears to the ground and cover all things marijuana in our regular column, *Don't Smoke the Messenger*. Look there for regular news and perspectives. And if for some reason your marijuana business was not included in our directory, please contact **info@roguevalleymessenger.com** and we will be sure to add it our database for future inclusion.

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