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LOCALS TAKE DOWN FISHING RECORDS



Snake River yields two monster fish on the same day

Above: Jared Holt of Homedale holds the flathead catfish that he hauled out of the Snake River on July 9 to break his own Idaho Department of Fish and Game catch-and-release state record. **Right:** Also on July 9, Chase Stoddard shows off the rainbow koi that allowed him to break the world record catch, according to the Bowfishing Association of America. Find out more about the feats, **Page 12**



Marsing

Councilman's mayoral frustration dogs latest meeting

Clash and conflict visited the Marsing City Council meeting last Wednesday.

An analysis of city code showed that two animal control ordinances have conflicting language that the council will have to resolve.

The animal ordinance language review brought

forward by code enforcement officer Seth Wahl was initiated after Mayor Chad Sevy allowed dogs into Island Park during the Third of July celebration.

Sevy's willingness to allow dogs into the park during a large and loud event despite

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Homedale

City seeks wastewater rehab contractor bids

Council hears airport possibilities

The City of Homedale has taken the next major step in the wastewater system rehabilitation project.

Construction firms have a month to submit sealed bids for the project, which has been estimated to cost up to \$10.2 million.

Bids will be open after 2 p.m., on Aug. 17.

Great West Engineering representative Andrew Kimmel told the Homedale City Council last Wednesday that four firms had already sent inquiries about the project even before the invitation to bid was published.

"If you get four bids, that will be phenomenal right now," Kimmel said during

— See **Wastewater**, page 4

New HSD preschool ready for its close-up

Registration, screenings start soon

With a new school year around the corner, the Homedale School District is ready to show off its new preschool.

The old St. Hubert's Catholic Church rectory building at 115 E. Owyhee Ave., has been

converted into Trojan Tots Preschool.

Enrollment is under way for children who will turn 4 years old before Sept. 1.

An open house for registration and screening will be held from 4 p.m., to 7 p.m., on Thursday at the preschool. Contact Erica Dines at edines@homedaleschools.org for more information.

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✓ Preschool: All schools get ready for registration

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The first year of Trojan Tots Preschool will start on Aug. 22 and feature two sessions Monday through Thursday. The morning session will run from 8:30 a.m., to 11:30 a.m., and the afternoon session will go from 12:30 p.m., to 3:30 p.m.

According to an introductory flyer, the preschool will have curriculum focused on kindergarten readiness and will feature small class sizes, dual language and instruction from teachers with more than 40 years combined experience in early childhood education.

Nutritional snacks will be provided, too.

The district has instituted a sliding scale tuition for the preschool, and scholarships are available. Tuition is a maximum of \$150 per month. The scale is based on income qualification and free and reduced-price lunch criteria:

- **Free lunch-eligible** — \$50 monthly tuition
- **Reduced-price lunch eligible** — \$100 monthly

The preschool registration and open house marks the beginning of the end for children’s summer vacation.

Other registration days

are planned next month, including:

Homedale Elementary
Wednesday, Aug. 3 — Returning first- through fourth-graders, 9 a.m., to 7 p.m., Homedale Elementary School, 420 W. Washington Ave., (208) 337-4033

Thursday, Aug. 4 — Kindergarteners and first- through fourth-graders new to HES, 9 a.m., to 7 p.m.

Homedale Middle
Monday, Aug. 8 — Returning fifth- through eighth-graders, 2 p.m., to 7 p.m., Homedale Middle School, 3437 Johnstone Road, (208) 337-5780

Tuesday, Aug. 9 — Fifth- through eighth-graders new to HMS, 9 a.m., to noon.

Homedale High
Monday, Aug. 8 — Seniors, 10 a.m., to noon; juniors, 1 p.m., to 3 p.m., Homedale High School, 203 E. Idaho Ave., (208) 337-4613

Tuesday, Aug. 9 — Sophomores, 10 a.m., to noon; freshmen, 1 p.m., to 3 p.m., HHS

Wednesday, Aug. 10 — Freshmen through seniors new to the district, 10 a.m., to noon, HHS

Marsing Chamber assesses its value

Following through on his pledge to get the Marsing Chamber of Commerce more involved with the city council, new president Steve Derricott spoke before the government leaders last Wednesday.

Derricott’s appearance during the public comment portion of the council’s July regular meeting preceded his first regular meeting as president for the Chamber of Commerce on Thursday inside the same room — the Sandbar Community Room at City Hall.

“We want to focus on and develop a clear message that we can extend to the businesses of Marsing and the surrounding community how the Chamber can be a benefit to them,” Derricott told the council members.

In the special meeting at which he was elected Chamber president, Derricott made clear that he wanted a relationship between the city and the Chamber. Assistant clerk Debbie Carter is the city’s Chamber liaison, and Derricott said a Chamber member will strive to attend each council meeting.

Eight Chamber members and community participants attended Thursday’s first regular Chamber of Commerce meeting over which Derricott presided.

The Chamber is still searching for someone to fill the position of secretary, according to the meeting minutes.

Members also discussed updating the organization’s bylaws and mission statement. It was decided that language, some of which dated from the Chamber’s inception in the 1950s, needed to change.

The last update of the bylaws apparently came in the 1990s when membership eligibility was reserved to businesses that were within the Marsing Fire District boundaries, and agriculture was a major theme

in those by-laws.

J u l i e Franklin will begin work on finding examples of bylaws.

She’s also planning to do more research on the list of licensed businesses that the city staff provided last month because some businesses within the fire district boundaries may be excluded.

The Chamber will work on a modern mission statement, too. The original bylaws apparently included a mission statement, but it was noted there is also a mission statement on the organization’s Facebook page:

“It is the mission of the Chamber of Commerce of Marsing City Idaho to promote the businesses which will then further the betterment of this fine community.”

It was not clear from the minutes of last week’s meeting whether the bylaws mission statement and the Facebook mission statement are the same.

The group will further investigate updating the mission statement at the next meeting, which will take place at 6 p.m., on Thursday, Aug. 11 inside the Sandbar Community Room.

Strategies to incentivize Chamber membership were also discussed, including providing trainings for local businesses for marketing and advertising. Derricott would like to see the training idea put on hold until membership — and thereby operational revenue — grows.

The Chamber membership agreed that investigating grants and other funding opportunities is crucial.

One idea was creating a “Business of the Month” feature.

Derricott wants to elaborate



Steve Derricott

on the city’s slogan as a “Gateway to the Owyhees” in the wake of conversations with city centennial attendees who commented that Marsing wasn’t much of a “gateway.”

According to the minutes: “ ‘Gateway to the Owyhees’ reflects pride, destination, and both a first and last stop on the way to recreation and travel.”

Outreach is a priority for the Chamber, and Derricott is re-vamping the membership form to add a feedback section.

Members discussed sending emails to all potential member businesses with the application as an attachment then following up with a phone call to businesses that don’t respond. The email would also serve as a poll of sorts to see what type of Chamber-sponsored training business owners would like to see.

Another element of the proposed email will be a discussion about changing the Chamber’s monthly meeting time and location to accommodate schedules.

The Chamber’s non-profit status remains unclear. The organization’s 501(c)6 status lapsed a decade ago, and the Chamber doesn’t qualify for 501(c)3 status because of potential political affiliations, according to meeting minutes.

The Chamber lost its \$600 application fee after waiting eight months to hear the status of its non-profit application process last year.

Franklin, who formed the Marsing Beautification Project after leaving her post as Chamber president, suggested that the two organizations join forces to encourage businesses to clean up. She noted weeds, trash, and dusty storefronts have been problematic.

The Marsing Beautification Project changed flower display sponsorship signs to colorful summer signs last week.

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Come and celebrate with the class of '72.



Homedale Senior Center cashier Jo Cantrell stands next to the prize in this year's Buckaroo Breakfast quilt raffle.

Community steps up for senior center's Buckaroo Breakfast

Volunteers needed for fair week fundraiser

The supplies and the money have been coming in for the Homedale Senior Center's Buckaroo Breakfast series. Now all coordinator Sandra Ledford needs are folks to cook the food and break down the tables and chairs after the last breakfast on Saturday, Aug. 13. This year's major senior center fundraiser, the first Buckaroo Breakfast staged since 2019, will be held from 7:30 a.m., to 11:30 a.m., daily between Wednesday, Aug. 10 and Saturday, Aug. 13. Breakfast is always held during Owyhee County Fair week in the senior center parking lot, 224 W. Idaho Ave. Ledford said the center has received money for the breakfast and the new HVAC system for the kitchen.

"The community has been very good because we sent out a letter about raising money for the cooling system," she said. The senior center received pancake mix, milk and eggs needed for the breakfast. "The only thing we didn't have was sausage," Ledford said. But a donor came through with money for the senior center to purchase sausage last week. Like everything else, the cost of the sausage has skyrocketed, Ledford said. Sausages cost more than \$1

each. The center ordered 13 cases for the breakfast at \$50 per box. Each case holds 48 sausage units. With enough food in stock, Ledford's focus has shifted. "The thing I'm working on is volunteers," she said. Volunteers are needed to serve food, cook and clean up. Anyone interested in helping out during the Buckaroo Breakfast run, which is one day shorter than usual, can call (208) 337-3020 from 9 a.m., to 1 p.m., on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Or leave a message on other days. Breakfast will cost \$7 this year or \$3 for children younger than 8. There is a community volunteer challenge under way, too. According to a posting on the center's Facebook page, the group — a family, a business, a community service organization or government entity — that has the most volunteers helping out at the breakfast will win four dozen

donuts from Lonny C's. The annual Buckaroo Breakfast quilt raffle is ongoing, too. The winning ticket will be drawn during the breakfast on Saturday, Aug. 13. Tickets are available at the senior center and cost \$1 each or \$5 for six. From Thursday to Saturday during the Buckaroo Breakfast, the senior center has secured the musical talents of Les & Nancy. Les and Nancy Brockus are Homedale residents who play a variety of music, including 1950s and 1960s rock and roll, classic oldies, country favorites, contemporary gospel and more, according to a flyer. The senior center is open each Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Congregate meals are served each day of operation. The Prime Time Swingers will provide music from 11 a.m., to 12:30 p.m., on Tuesday during lunch. — JPB

Senior menus

Homedale Senior Center
Salad bar: *Not Available due to the Coronavirus
Curbside pickup only between noon and 1 p.m.
Phone ahead (208) 337-3020 to order
Dessert is included in curbside lunch
Milk available each day
Roll available each day
July 20: Scalloped potatoes with ground beef, Brussels sprouts
July 21: BBQ Pork, baked potato, mixed vegetables
July 26: Chicken patty, mashed potatoes and gravy, broccoli
July 27: Baked fish, sautéed cabbage, fries
July 28: Beef stroganoff, California blend vegetables

Sandbar Community Room, Marsing
Noon to 12:30 p.m., inside Marsing City Hall
Milk available each day
Suggested donation: \$4 (60 and older), \$6 (59 and younger)
July 20: Honey mustard chicken, salad, pasta salad, mixed fruit, rye bread
July 22: Meatloaf with gravy, mashed potatoes, sunshine carrots, fresh fruit, whole wheat roll
July 25: Chicken Parmesan, buttered pasta Capri vegetables, juice, French bread
July 27: Tuna casserole, baby carrots, spiced apples, whole wheat bread
July 29: Swedish meatballs over brown rice, broccoli, peaches, whole wheat roll

Rimrock Senior Center
All meals are served with milk & fruit juice
Curbside pickup from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. or delivery only.
Call (208) 834-2922 beginning at 7 a.m. to place order
July 21: Sloppy Joe sandwich, whole grain roll, French fries, coleslaw, peaches, stuffed celery
July 26: Meatball sub sandwich, sandwich vegetables, Tater Tots, dill pickle, green salad, fruit cocktail, cottage cheese
July 28: Sweet and sour chicken, wild rice, Oriental vegetables, mandarin oranges, yogurt

Melba Valley Senior Center
Meals served at noon
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July 21: Tuna lunch
July 26: Beef lunch
July 28: Ham lunch

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Marsing City Park – 11:15 a.m. to noon
All meals **MUST** be eaten on site. Milk included.
Parent may purchase a meal for \$4.50
July 20: Nachos, carrot sticks, grapes
July 21: Pizza, orange wedges, celery sticks
July 25: Italian pull-a-part, celery sticks, strawberry cup
July 26: Corn dog, wedges, applesauce
July 27: Hamburger, carrot sticks, grapes
July 28: Chicken sandwich, wedges, orange slices



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✓ Wastewater: Great West engineer gives update on municipal airport master plan

the council’s regular meeting. “Some projects in the area have seen zero bids.”

Kimmel said the requirement that a contractor must be able to bond for up to \$8 million will take many smaller firms out of the running.

The city received judicial confirmation to issue bonds of up to \$10.2 million for the project last year. That means voters won’t get a say in the property tax question.

The city is under an Idaho Department of Environmental Quality deadline to rebuild its treatment lagoons to ensure discharge compliance. The project also includes replacement of transmission lines installed more than 50 years ago.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture Rural Development will provide part of the funding, but the city must come up with interim financing in order to move forward with the bid process, Kimmel said.

The wastewater project isn’t the only facet of the city’s infrastructure tied to federal funding.

Kimmel also provided the council with an updated draft of the municipal airport master plan during last Wednesday’s meeting.

There is a tie between the airport and the wastewater lagoon reconstruction beyond the coincidence that work at both locations will rely on federal money.

Kimmel told city leaders

that he is working with the Idaho Department of Lands because a permit is needed to remove material from the airport and move it to the treatment plant on River Road for use in building the new lagoons and berms.

The draft master plan Great West Engineering has developed has five alternatives regarding what the area could look like in the future.

The Federal Aviation Administration provides funding to help government entities improve their airports, but master plans are required. Additionally, the FAA also makes demands on features the airports must possess.

The city will have to build security fence, in part to keep motorists who are trying to get to the Snake River from driving on the runway.

The fence would probably cost hundreds of thousands of dollars, Kimmel said. Money would be available from the FAA as well as through the state’s Division of Aeronautics. Rebuilding the runway could

cost millions.

The different alternatives presented in the draft plan have suggestions for the future of the airport, including:

- Changing the facility’s footprint to give the airport more usable runaway (known as the runway threshold)
- The length of the runway threshold is critical to determining the size of airplanes that will be able to use the airport, Kimmel said.
- Removing two of the older hangars on the west end of the airport to improve the object-free area around the runway
- Creating retail space on the airport property, which was rejected by the Harold Wilson mayoral administration before more hangars were built
- Airport expansion by purchasing adjacent private property to build more hangars

Kimmel stressed that the airport master plan is still in the early stages, but he brought the information to the council as an update and to get council members “thinking about the future of the airport.” — JPB

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Little green thumbs: Make gardening fun for kids, not a chore

This year at our Harvest Heroes Veteran’s Garden project in Nampa, we have several military families with young children coming out regularly. We have an intern this year who is studying to be a teacher at the University of Idaho, and



Ariel Agenbroad she has been working with the kids when they are in the garden. Spending time in a garden can be a wonderful and enriching experience for children, and research shows that kids who are encouraged to develop green thumbs early on are more enthusiastic about learning, have an increased interest in science, and are more likely to try new fruits and vegetables.

But how many of us remember our early gardening experiences as a chore? It certainly doesn’t have to be that way. If you love gardening, there are many ways to share that love with the children in your life and help them to realize the lifelong benefits as well.

Here are a few tips for gardening with kids that we have observed over the years and that our intern has been sharing with us and the parents in our program:

- Let them get their hands dirty. Yes, you may have to set some ground rules or do a little explaining, but try to avoid lecturing. The real fun is in planting, tasting, exploring and discovering.
- Keep sessions short and sweet. Little attention spans are limited — even for fun stuff. Focus on one topic or activity at a time, and then move on to the next experience. The only exception seems to be digging in soil or compost. Just try tearing them away!
- Give them their own space to grow. While they may love helping out, they will develop a special affinity for an area that is all theirs. Offer children the opportunity to plant their own very tiny plot or container, and keep it manageable. A low raised bed is perfect for this. And let them experiment and make mistakes that they can learn from.
- Focus on safety where it is

important. There are inherent risks with any outdoor activity for kids, but you can reduce these risks by having age-appropriate tools for kids and being prepared with first aid for falls, cuts, scrapes, bites or stings. Encourage good habits for sun protection early.

- Be realistic in your goals when gardening with kids. Realize that you might not get your planned garden tasks done when you have little helpers. Sometimes one “why?” question can lead you in a whole different direction for the day’s activities. Remember that this can be entertaining and encourages creative inquiry and critical thinking.
- Eat what you grow. Teach kids what plant parts are edible, and when and how to harvest the crops they might be growing. Surprisingly, kids are often much more willing to try a new vegetable while standing in the garden than at the dinner table.

A few last tips that we think make the experience even more magical for kids:

- Plant mammoth sunflowers, bean teepees, cucumber tunnels or edible flower patches.
- Incorporate garden art, storytelling and journaling, especially on days when you can’t be outside.
- Try to engage kids continually throughout the entire spectrum of changing seasons. Even in winter, there are plenty of activities and experiments that can be done in the house with sprouting seeds, carrot and pineapple tops, avocado pits, herb cuttings in water, and more.

For more great tips, ideas and stories, visit the Junior Master Gardeners website at www.jmgkids.us or stop by the University of Idaho Extension Office and browse our 4-H curriculum for more ideas!

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Calendar

Today

- Ladies coffee group**
9 a.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020
- Food distribution**
9 a.m. to 1 p.m., The HUB food pantry, 205 8th Ave. W., Marsing. (208) 649-5411
- Prime Time Swingers perform**
11 a.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

Thursday

- Fit and Fall Proof exercise class**
10 a.m., to 11 a.m., free, old Marsing High School gymnasium, 800 Main St., Marsing. (208) 296-0847
- Fit and Fall exercise**
10:30 a.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020
- Homedale Community Market**
4:30 p.m., to 7:30 p.m., Bette Uda City Park, 200 E. Idaho Ave., Homedale. markettophat@gmail.com, markettophat.com
- Trojan Tots Preschool open house**
4 p.m., to 7 p.m., registration and screening, preschool building, 115 E. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. edines@homedaleschools.org

- Yoga class**
4 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St., Homedale
- Community movie night**
7 p.m., free, Phipps-Watson Marsing American Legion Post 128 Community Center, 126 W. 2nd St. N., Marsing.
- Alcoholics Anonymous**
7 p.m., open to alcoholics, their families and those contemplating recovery, Homedale Friends Community Church, 17434 Hwy. 95, Wilder.

Friday

- Idaho Foodbank drop-off**
9 a.m., First Presbyterian Church of Homedale, 320 N. 6th St. W, Homedale. (208) 473-9331
- Alcoholics Anonymous**
7 p.m., Sandbar Community Room, City Hall, 18 Sandbar Ave., Marsing. (208) 860-9674

Saturday

- Snake River Country Market**
11 a.m., to 3 p.m., City Park, 1st Avenue West, Marsing. (208) 880-4580
- Free lunch**
11:30 a.m., First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St. W., Homedale. (208) 337-5419

Sunday

- Catholic mass**
1 p.m., Our Lady of Tears Catholic Church, Silver City. (208) 466-7031

Monday

- Board of County Commissioners meeting**
9 a.m., Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy. 78, Murphy. (208) 495-2421
- Opal Nash Story Time**
10:15 a.m., Gypsy Jackson Memorial Library, 121 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale.
- U and I Together series**
2 p.m., to 3 p.m., ages 5-13, Gypsy Jackson Memorial Library, 121 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 896-4104

Tuesday

- Fit and Fall Proof exercise class**
10 a.m., to 11 a.m., free, old Marsing High School gymnasium, 800 Main St., Marsing. (208) 296-0847

Fit and Fall exercise

10:30 a.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

Teddy Bear Workshop

Noon, ages 3-8, \$5, pre-registration required, Gypsy Jackson Memorial Library, 121 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228

Region III assistance assessments

Noon to 3 p.m., appointments necessary, Lizard Butte Library, 111 3rd Ave. W., Marsing. (208) 495-5688

Yoga class

4 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St., Homedale

Sports physicals

5 p.m., to 7 p.m., \$20 with proceeds back to schools, RehabAuthority, 134 E. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3254

Alcoholics Anonymous

7 p.m., open to alcoholics, their families and those contemplating recovery, Homedale Friends Community Church, 17434 Hwy. 95, Wilder.

Wednesday

Ladies coffee group

9 a.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

Food distribution

9 a.m. to 1 p.m., The HUB food pantry, 205 8th Ave. W., Marsing. (208) 649-5411

Thursday, July 28

Fit and Fall Proof exercise class

10 a.m., to 11 a.m., free, old Marsing High School gymnasium, 800 Main St., Marsing. (208) 296-0847

Fit and Fall exercise

10:30 a.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

Food bank drop off

1 p.m., to 3 p.m., (weather permitting; holidays could change date), Jordan Valley Lions Hall, 902 Bassett St. (U.S. Hwy. 95), Jordan Valley. (541) 889-9206 or (541) 586-2562

Homedale Community Market

3 p.m., to 7 p.m., Bette Uda City Park, 200 E. Idaho Ave., Homedale. markettophat@gmail.com, markettophat.com

Yoga class

4 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St., Homedale

ION Heritage Museum board meeting

6 p.m., Jordan Valley Elementary School library, 604 Oregon Ave., Jordan Valley. (541) 586-2100

Alcoholics Anonymous

7 p.m., open to alcoholics, their families and those contemplating recovery, Homedale Friends Community Church, 17434 Hwy. 95, Wilder.

Friday, July 29

Alcoholics Anonymous

7 p.m., Sandbar Community Room, City Hall, 18 Sandbar Ave., Marsing. (208) 860-9674

Saturday, July 30

OCA summer meeting

9 a.m., Silver City schoolhouse, Silver City.

Snake River Country Market

11 a.m., to 3 p.m., City Park, 1st Avenue West, Marsing. (208) 880-4580

Free lunch

11:30 a.m., First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St. W., Homedale. (208) 337-5419

OCA summer dance

9 p.m., \$7 single, \$12 couple, Silver City schoolhouse, Silver City.

Obituary

Tony C. Malmberg

Tony C. Malmberg, 57, passed away peacefully at his home on Saturday, July 9, 2022 after a long and hard-fought battle with cancer. He was surrounded by his children, Jennifer (Alex), Shannon (Dylan), Tyler, and wife, Angie Malmberg of 29 years.

In 1964, Tony was born to Robert and Judy Malmberg in Nampa, Idaho. He was the second child of three (brother Robert and sister Linda). The family resided in Marsing, Idaho where Tony was raised and graduated from Marsing High School. His favorite childhood memories occurred at his grandparent's Ella and Forney Malmberg's farm. He spent many summers getting in trouble with Cousin Phil when he was visiting from Washington.

However, soon after his high school graduation he sought a bigger and wider world, and he joined the US Army in 1982. During his service he lived in Missouri, Texas and Germany. Tony served in the Gulf War 1990 to 1991, striving to protect the freedoms of the country he loved so much. Many Army brothers to this day rave about

Tony's ability to lead, mentor, fight, care and put a smile on their faces.

While stationed in Germany he pursued one of his many passions, competing in the European Rodeo Cowboy Association (ERCA). He set the bar high in many events, such as bull riding, saddle bronc riding and team roping. He won the champion title(s) in more than one season, plus successfully became All Around Cowboy. Yet, Tony was more than a competitor, he also held many offices such as President, Vice President, Stock Representative and Event Director.

His most valuable prize, however, may have been earning the love of Angie whom he met at a Rodeo organized by the ERCA in 1991. Their love prospered quickly, and they wed in 1993. Angie brought one daughter, Jennifer, into the marriage who couldn't have been happier to have gained Tony as her dad. The same year, their daughter Shannon was born and in 1996 their son Tyler was born. In 1992, Tony was honorably discharged from the US Military to live



in Germany with his wife and children before they moved to Marsing, Idaho in 1999.

Life back in Idaho meant pursuing his other passions in life, such as golfing, fishing, skiing, coaching, hunting and camping at Deadwood Reservoir. As if all of that didn't keep him busy enough, he contributed tremendously to his community by volunteering for the Marsing Fire Department, Marsing Ambulance and the Owyhee County Sheriff's Posse. He protected many lives, leaving a legacy that will make his family proud for many years to come.

In addition to the above-mentioned family members, Tony is survived by three grandchildren (Zoie, Xavier, and Kennedy) and two great-grandchildren (Zophia and Brynnlee). He loved his family dearly and they loved him endlessly back knowing exactly what an extraordinary person he was. Who else would adopt a hormone-raging 12-year-old (Jennifer) and coach basketball, football, softball, and baseball for two young children (Shannon and Tyler)? He was a hero that had the wit of a standup comedian, the mouth of a sailor and the heart of an angel.

If you haven't guessed yet, Tony was also a devoted employee and one of the hardest-working people anybody would ever meet. After his military service he was a crane foreman in Germany, dangling off of high structures and learning German (more precisely Swabian) fluently. In Idaho, he worked for Custom Glass, Inc. from 1999 until 2017. His final employment was with St. Luke's where he was the Building Services Supervisor, a job he found great pride in.

St. Luke's created a very caring environment for Tony, especially after his brain cancer diagnosis, and the family would like to extend special thanks to Chad Baart, Steve Jackson and all of his work associates who provided endless support. We would also like to thank St. Luke's hospice for their astonishing care that provided Tony with a gracious end of life. Similarly, the care Tony received from the Oncologist Team at the Boise VA has been nothing short of miraculous. The family would like to extend special thanks to Dr. Montgomery, Becca Bishop, Anthony Martinelli and Nancy Mann of the Boise VA.

Memorial contributions can be made to the US Department of Veterans Affairs: https://www.cdceportal.va.gov/donate_online/

Tony's funeral service will be held at the Idaho State Veterans Cemetery (10100 N Horseshoe Bend Rd, Boise, ID 83714) on Monday, July 25, 2022 at 11:00 a.m. Followed by a luncheon at Quail Hollow Golf Course (4720 N 36th St, Boise, ID 83703).

Marsing school registration set

Marsing School District student registration begins early next month.

Beginning Aug. 1, the elementary school office will be open from 7:50 a.m., to 4 p.m., Monday through Thursday.

Registration will be held from 7:30 a.m., to 3:30 p.m., on the following days:

Tuesday, Aug. 2 — New students and kindergarteners

Wednesday, Aug. 3 — Returning students whose last names begin with A through L.

Thursday, Aug. 4 — Returning

students whose last names begin with M through Z.

An open house is planned from 4 p.m., to 6 p.m., on Tuesday, Aug. 16. School starts on Wednesday, Aug. 17.

Jump Start, summer school for first- through fifth-graders, will be held from Aug. 1 to Aug. 11.

Registration at the junior/senior high school for sixth-through 12th-graders will take place Aug. 2 through Aug. 4, too, according to the school year calendar posted on www.marsingschools.org.

Betty Adams gospel band plays Sunday

Homedale native Betty Adams and her country gospel band will be in concert at 11 a.m., on Sunday at the Marsing Church of the Nazarene.

Joining Adams (vocals and guitar) are Lorinda Norton, also on vocals; Donna Huntley, piano; Bill Cates, banjo; and Jim Nimmo, bass.

A freewill offering will be accepted.

Death notice

AMANDA LYNN SIMPSON (STEWART), 35, a former Marsing High School basketball standout who went on to a championship career at Boise State University, died on Monday, July 22, 2022. Viewings were held on Monday, July 18, 2022 at Zeyer Funeral Chapel, Nampa and Tuesday, July 19, 2022 at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 18463 Northside Blvd., Nampa prior to funeral services. Burial took place in the Kohlerlawn Cemetery in Nampa.

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Locals flock to relocated Hearts of Owyhee celebration

A change of scenery didn't change the vibe for the annual Much Ado About Hearts of Owyhee readers' event Saturday in Homedale.

The get-together at the senior center was hosted by author Jacquie Rogers — a Homedale native and Marsing-area resident.

Much Ado had been held in Silver City in years past.

The event turned out to be a hot affair, especially when Clyde the Camel showed up in 104-degree heat. He drew a lot of attention from attendees and drivers alike.

Organizers extend special thanks to Renae and Gary Drake for bringing Clyde by and sharing him with the crowd.

The World's Worst Melodrama delivered its promise. The script, a take-off of Shakespeare's Romeo and Juliet, starred Matt and Brenda Paxton of Homedale, Andy Martin, Tresa Hiatt, and Mark Rogers of Marsing, Kim and Diane Garland of Ohio, Mercedes Christesen of Boise, Saki Herod of Seattle, and Jim Paxton of Caldwell.

Besides Rogers, guest authors selling and signing books



Homedale resident Jonathan Page says hello to Clyde the Camel at the Homedale Senior Center during Saturday's Much Ado about the Hearts of Owyhee readers event. Page's mother Robyn was among the authors on hand.

included Paty Jager of Burns, Ore., Mary Vine of Caldwell, and Robyn Page of Homedale. The authors donated baskets for the charity auction to benefit the Children's Tumor Foundation, which strives to end Neurofibromatosis through research.

Actors and others also contributed baskets, too, and the auction raised more than \$1,000.



Above: Marsing author Jacquie Rogers (left), a Homedale native, hangs out with Diane Garland and Kim Garland from Columbus, Ohio. Left: Tresa Hiatt (left) and Andy Martin of Marsing perform the World's Worst Melodrama with Homedale's Matt Paxton.



Left: Paty Jager of Burns, Ore., was one of the authors who had books available. Above: Mary Vine of Caldwell (left) and Homedale's Robyn Page shared a table. Photos by Diane Garland

Man crashes loader while DUI, gets probation and jail

Felony, misdemeanor drug charges dismissed in deal

A Mexican national originally facing a slew of charges, including felony drug possession, must spend nine days in jail then serve two years felony probation.

Valdemar Torres Martinez of Marsing was given felony probation even though he entered a guilty plea only to misdemeanor driving under the influence.

The 24-year-old was sentenced in Third District Court less than seven months after he had driven a loader into a canal outside Marsing and then fled the scene of the accident.

Torres Martinez agreed to enter a guilty plea to misdemeanor driving under the influence, and the prosecution dropped

additional charges, including felony and misdemeanor counts of controlled substance possession, and misdemeanors for drug paraphernalia possession and leaving the scene of a damage accident.

Judge Andrea Courtney sentenced Torres Martinez, ordering time in Owyhee County Jail and probation and suspending his driver's license for 180 days.

The man must pay \$297.50 in fines and \$13,327.17 in court costs, which includes more than \$13,000 in restitution.

Torres Martinez was given credit for nine days already served behind bars, and Courtney suspended 150 days

of a six-month jail sentence.

The man was arrested after 4:30 p.m., on Dec. 24 after a sheriff's deputy responded to the hit-and-run call near the intersection of Edison and Pasco roads.

The dairy owner who owns the loader called 911 after he caught up with Torres Martinez in the aftermath of the accident. The deputy's probable cause report said Torres Martinez was identified by his Mexican ID.

The dairy owner said Torres Martinez had driven through several livestock panels and crushed a calf before the loader crashed three miles from the dairy. The man also apparently suffered facial injuries at some

point during the incident.

Marijuana (nearly three grams) and a glass pipe with methamphetamine residue were found in Torres Martinez's car, which he had parked at the dairy when he apparently arrived late for work, according to the probable cause statement. The deputy also found 3.2 grams of meth in an item that had been removed from the vehicle during the initial search.

According to court records, Valdemar Torres was given a court summons for misdemeanor offenses and left at his residence. But after the methamphetamine was located, another deputy took the man into custody.

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Restoring 100 years of railroad history

Since 1975, the Marsing train depot has resided at the Owyhee County Historical Museum as a storage building and event space for Outpost Days performances.

Originally, the freight depot sat on Main Street and the Old Bruneau Highway in Marsing where the Family Dollar Store now stands. The depot was at the end of the Marsing Branch Line, which hauled many different types of agricultural supplies along with livestock and occasionally passengers.

The railroad, built by the Union Pacific from Homedale and under the direction of Charles E. Richmond, was approved on April 3, 1922. Work began immediately and was completed by Sept. 1, 1922. The right-of-way was laid out by Chet Johnson, Mark Marsing, and E.Q. Marsing, who also laid out the town of Marsing. The first load of potatoes was shipped via the new line by August.

When the line was first proposed it was called the “Pickle Butte Extension,” which was an early name for the Marsing region, and was to run from Nyssa, Ore., to Homedale and all the way to Bruneau, connect with the Twin Falls branch at Buhl, and rejoin the mainline at Minidoka. This would have created a secondary main line through southwest Idaho.

The main reason for building such a line was the proposed Bruneau Dam that was to be constructed on the mouth of the Bruneau River. The project failed however, and with its demise, the Oregon Short Line lost interest in a through line, choosing instead to end the branch at Homedale, 25 miles from Nyssa. Because of its potential status as a through line, the South Side was better-engineered than most branch lines, with heavy grading, sturdy bridges and broad, sweeping curves.

Beginning in 1910 and through the 1920s, more farm land opened up along the Snake River, and a demand for further rail service south of Homedale increased. In 1922, the OSL proceeded to extend the branch line eight miles to the site of Froman’s Ferry and the hamlet of Marsing. The Interstate Commerce Commission (ICC), in its certificate authorizing the extension, stated:

“The applicant estimates the total population to be served at about 1,500, and states that the outbound tonnage will consist principally of potatoes, lettuce, and wheat,

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while inbound traffic will be made up of coal, lumber, and agricultural implements, together with a small amount of general merchandise. An estimate of probable traffic submitted by the applicant gives a total outbound tonnage available for shipment during the present season of 1,005 carloads, moving to points in Colorado and to Missouri River gateways.” The ICC certificate also makes mention of “a small amount of passenger traffic,” but it is unclear what sort of passenger service was available. In later years, occasional passengers were carried in the caboose of the daily freight that left town.

Upon completion, the railroad christened the new terminal “Erb” for George Erb, a member of the Public Utilities Commission, who was instrumental in getting the line approved. When the depot was completed in the winter of 1922-23, the depot sported the sign labeling the area as Erb. The name stayed on the building until 1937 when it was changed to reflect the town’s name, Marsing.

The depot is a simple and small Union Pacific-style freight depot consisting of a large baggage/freight area, along with an office and waiting room. Over the years, the town of Marsing grew up around the little wooden depot that sported a colonial yellow and brown paint scheme.

As years went by, train traffic slowed on the branch line, and by the early 1970s there was no longer a need for a depot. In 1975, the Owyhee County Historical Museum was given the title to the idle Marsing depot, and the building was



Above: The Marsing train depot has stood on the Owyhee County Historical Museum grounds for nearly 50 years. **Below:** The depot in its natural habitat on Main Street in Marsing sometime after the mid-1950s. Submitted photos



moved to Murphy. Little has been done over the years to the building except for a fresh coat of bright, white paint applied to the outside.

As of this year, the museum is doing a full restoration project on the building and taking it back to its original two-tone paint scheme of yellow and brown. The restoration project began in August with help from the county. A new gray shingle roof was installed to match the original wood shingles that were painted gray. Currently, the windows are being restored with help from an Idaho Heritage Trust grant.

The plan for the rest of this year and next is to completely rewire the building, remove the old wooden stage and install a new Trex deck and install a new awning over the stage. I am hoping by the end of next year that the building can be painted. The budget for that is



The depot’s interior has some fixtures from the days when it was a fixture on Main Street in Marsing.

\$10,000. Once the restoration is complete, the building will be opened for the public to learn about the importance the railroad played in Marsing and other small towns.

— Eriks Garsvo has been Owyhee County Historical Museum director for nearly four years. He writes monthly about various projects underway in Murphy.

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Avalanche Sports



The Co-County 12U players celebrate on the mound after beating Nampa for the state championship on July 9 in Meridian. Submitted photo

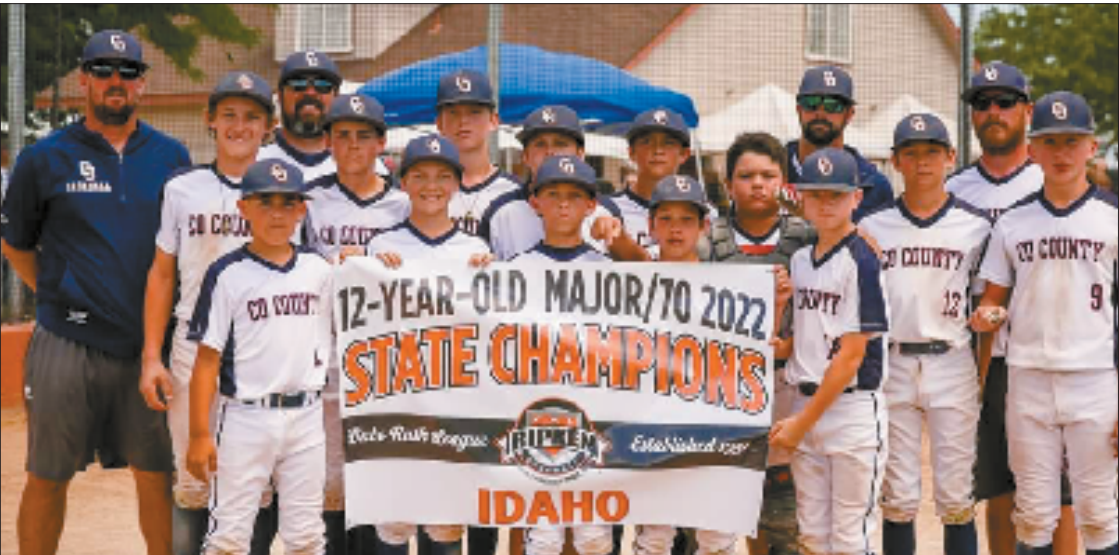
Homedale athletes heading to Cal Ripken regional tourney

No. 2 Co-County upsets No. 1 Nampa for 12U state championship

Five Homedale athletes helped the Co-County 12U All-Stars reach this week's Cal Ripken Pacific Northwest Regional Tournament. The Major 70 regional runs today through Saturday at Settlers Park in Meridian. The World Series is scheduled for Branson, Mo., in August. The "70" represents the 70-foot basepaths on the field. Third baseman Easton Dines, pitcher/third

baseman Cole Fossette, first baseman/pitcher Dylan Taylor, second baseman/pitcher Mason Taylor, and pitcher/left fielder Donovan Uranga represented Homedale on the team that won the state tournament, which was also held in Meridian. Co-County (14-11) was the No. 2 seed in the state tournament, and the squad upset top-seeded Nampa 12U, 8-4, in the title game on July 9. The team has won four of its past five games. **July 9: Co-County 8, Nampa 12U 4** — Dylan Taylor laced a two-run single with two

— See Regional, page 11



The Co-County 12U squad poses with its state championship banner. **Front row, from left:** Carter Byington, Bently Holland, Donovan Uranga (Homedale), Quaid McKie, and Cole Fossette (Homedale). **Middle row, from left:** Luke Wonderlich, Cooper Jordan, Preston Wade, Dylan Hughes, Dylan Taylor (Homedale), Robie Valadez, Mason Taylor (Homedale), and Easton Dines (Homedale). **Back row, from left:** Coaches Jason Wonderlich, Trey Spath, Zac Taylor, and Alex Wade. Photo by Kim Valadez Photography

Homedale grad returns to hoops coaching roots

Drew Williams to lead Notus girls' program

He's a Homedale High School graduate, but Drew Williams is going back to where it all began — in Notus. Williams is the new girls' basketball coach at Notus High School. He's coming off a stint as an assistant coach with the Compass Charter girls' basketball program. "I am going back home in the coaching world," the 2003 HHS graduate said. "I honestly couldn't imagine

a better opportunity to start my first varsity position." The son of former Homedale High School principal M i k e



Drew Williams

Williams (a coach himself before he came to HHS in 1997), Drew Williams got his start coaching high school basketball at Notus in 2011. He served under coach Brad Huter until 2018. "I've always stayed in close — See Returns, page 11

High school rodeo ending on high point

Marsing's Brackett wins Silver State title; four competing in NHSFR

The prep rodeo season is winding down as the National High School Finals Rodeo is under way in Wyoming. Locals competing in Gillette, Wyo., include: • Will Brackett of Three Creek is competing in boys' cutting during both of today's performances. • Birch Eiguren from Arock, Ore., also is in action in today's performances as a team roper with Devon McDaniel. • Sloan Macfarlane opened her participation in the national rodeo Sunday in the girls' reined cow horse competition. Her second-go in the reined

cow horse contest comes Friday. • Homedale's Sam Saunders and Macfarlane were in Tuesday's morning go-round for team roping, and they'll compete again Thursday night. Saunders returns Friday morning for his second go in tie down roping. His first performance Monday night after deadline. The NHSFR concludes Saturday with the championship short-go. Two other national-level — See Rodeo, page 11

RehabAuthority sports physicals set Tuesday

The high school sports season just ended, but preparation never ceases for local coaches and athletes. Homedale High School athletic director Casey Grove reminded parents and school-age athletes that RehabAuthority will offer sports physicals again later this summer. As always, the \$20 fee will be returned to the athletes' respective school athletics programs.

The physicals for all local student-athletes will be available between 5 p.m., and 7 p.m., on Tuesday at the RehabAuthority Homedale clinic, 134 E. Owyhee Ave. Incoming freshmen and juniors must have physicals completed before they can compete in 2022-23 sports seasons. Children who didn't receive sports physicals but need them are also encouraged to attend.

Sports

✓ Regional: Squad gets last word in season-long struggle vs. Nampa

From Page 10
outs in the fourth inning of the title game to put Co-County ahead, 3-2. Dylan then scored on Mason Taylor's line drive into center field.

Mason went 3-for-4 with two RBI.

The team turned back Nampa's late comeback bid, scoring three times in the sixth inning to widen a 5-4 lead.

Dylan also allowed one unearned run and two hits in 2 1/3 innings on the mound.

July 9: Co-County 15, Co-County Rising Stars 12U 3 (4) — Mason Taylor went 3-for-3 and drove in three runs to help Co-County win a semifinal game.

The Rising Stars held a 2-1 lead before Co-County erupted for 14 runs in the third inning.

Dines and Dylan Taylor each scored a run, and Uranga crossed the plate twice.

Dylan gave up an unearned run and two hits in one inning on the mound.

July 8: Nampa 12U 7, Co-County 3 — Nampa snapped a 2-2 tie with a three-run third inning during pool play.

The Taylors were each 1-for-3, while Fossette and Uranga threw from the mound.

July 8: Co-County 15, Rising Stars 0 (3) — Mason Taylor scored three runs and knocked in a run with a triple to lead the rout.

He also threw seven pitches in relief.

Dylan Taylor singled and scored a couple runs.

Uranga tripled in a run and scored, while Fossette singled and scored a run.

July 7: Co-County 15, Rising Stars 0 (3) — The

12U Major 70 Pacific Northwest Regional
At Settlers Park, Meridian

Teams
American Division — Co-County; Willamette Valley National (Oregon); Wenatchee (Washington); Bozeman (Montana); and Meridian (host)
National Division — Alberta, Canada; South Salem (Oregon); Mount Vernon (Washington); Bitterroot (Montana); and Black Hills American (Washington)

Today
6 p.m. — National Anthem, ceremonial first pitch
7:30 p.m. — Skills competition
Thursday
Pool play
8:30 a.m. — Wenatchee vs. Co-County, Field 4; South Salem vs. Mount Vernon, Field 5
11 a.m. — Bozeman vs. Willamette Valley National, Field 4; Bitterroot vs. Alberta, Field 5
1:30 p.m. — Meridian vs. Wenatchee, Field 4; Black Hills American vs. South Salem, Field 5
4 p.m. — Co-County vs. Bozeman, Field 4; Mount Vernon vs. Bitterroot, Field 5
6:30 p.m. — Meridian vs. Willamette Valley National, Field 4; Black Hills American vs. Alberta, Field 5

Friday
Pool play
8:30 a.m. — South Salem vs. Bitterroot, Field 4; Wenatchee vs. Bozeman, Field 5
11 a.m. — Alberta vs. Mount Vernon, Field 4; Willamette Valley vs. Co-County, Field 5
1:30 p.m. — Bitterroot vs. Black Hills American, Field 4; Bozeman vs. Meridian, Field 5
4 p.m. — Alberta vs. South Salem, Field 4; Willamette National vs. Wenatchee, Field 5
6:30 p.m. — Mount Vernon vs. Black Hills American, Field 4; Co-County vs. Meridian, Field 5

Saturday
Semifinals, 10 a.m. — American No. 2 vs. National No. 1, Field 4; National No. 2 vs. American No. 1, Field 5
Championship, 1 p.m. — Semifinals winners, Field 4

first of two routs of the Rising Stars featured the Taylors and Uranga scored two runs each.

Dylan and Uranga knocked in a pair of runs (Dylan went 2-for-2).

Dines scored a run, too.

Dylan struck out four in two innings, and Mason gave up a hit while fanning a pair of

batters in one inning.

July 7: Nampa 12U 8, Co-County 0 (6) — The tournament began for the Homedale-tinged team with the second loss to Nampa in as many outings.

Nampa prevailed, 8-4, on June 25 in Co-County's regular-season finale.



Easton Dines



Cole Fossette



Dylan Taylor



Mason Taylor



Donovan Uranga

Photos by Kim Valadez Photography

From page 10

✓ Rodeo: Season comes to close Saturday

rodeos have concluded, and athletes with Owyhee County ties excelled.

Marsing's Zane Brackett won the boys' cutting championship with a score of 35 points to lead the local contingent at the Silver State International Rodeo.

The rodeo wrapped up July 7 in Winnemucca, Nev.

Brackett was eighth in the high school boys' all around, too.

Homedale's Ryker Layne

was runner-up in the junior high school bull riding competition. He finished 13th in breakaway roping.

Taking third place in barrel racing was Homedale's Zayne Hall.

Marsing's Chantry Brackett, Zane's sister, was fifth in the girls' cutting.

Three Creek's Katie Brackett took eighth in girls' reined cow horse and 14th in cutting.

Kali Shearn, the daughter of Owyhee County Rodeo

secretary Debbie Shearn and Owyhee County Rodeo director Tom Shearn, was third in reined cow horse. She finished 13th in the girls' all around standings.

A Homedale cowboy competed in the National Junior High School Finals Rodeo, which ran June 19-25 at the Georgia National Fairgrounds in Perry, Ga.

Kade Hall finished 22nd in chute dogging with a time of 12.28 seconds.

✓ Returns: Coach takes on program with State pedigree

contact with Coach Huter and the Notus girls' program very closely," Drew Williams said. "I'm just thankful I get my start in a very family-oriented community."

Williams succeeds Huter and takes over a Pirates team that won the 1A, Div. I District III championship as the tournament's top seed. The team finished season at 16-5, going 1-2 in the

state tournament, losing the consolation final to Oakley.

"The work now begins in keeping the tradition that has been built by an amazing Coach Huter," Williams wrote in a July 11 Facebook post immediately after he was hired. "I learned a lot from him during my first tenure in Notus."

— JPB

Sports

July 9: A record-setting day for fishing the Snake

Homedale men claim world and state marks

The waters of the Snake River have yielded record-setting fish for a pair of Homedale anglers on July 9.

Jared Holt broke his own Idaho Department of Fish and Game-certified catch-and-release state record when he landed a 43-inch flathead catfish.

On the same day, 2018

Homedale High School graduate Chase Stoddard speared a world-record rainbow koi while bowfishing in the Snake River.

Stoddard's catch has been certified by the Bowfishing Association of America.

The 11-pound fish was 31½ inches long and set the BAA state and world record for butterfly koi. The fish also set the overall state record for koi. The IDFG records don't list a koi category.

Stoddard decided to fish

from his buddy Jason Puri's boat during the fateful trip just outside Homedale, according to Ivy Smith, whose daughter is dating Stoddard.

Holt's record-setting catch was an inch longer than his state-record flathead caught in 2020.

Idaho has several species of catfish, the most common of which are channel catfish, brown bullhead and black bullhead. While these species are commonly found across Idaho, flathead catfish are found only

in the Snake River, mostly in Brownlee Reservoir and upstream of it.

Brownlee Reservoir produced the largest certified-weight record flathead catfish in 1994 that weighed in at 58.5 pounds (48 inches long). Flathead catfish are predators of other smaller fish, often hunting at night.

Catch-and-release records began in 2016 and are based on total length of the fish. The program has become popular with anglers and allows

anglers to be recognized for landing trophy fish without having to harvest them.

Owyhee County-adjacent waters also yielded another state-record fish last month. Cody Kastner was fishing C.J. Strike Reservoir on June 16 when he landed a 32.9-pound, 36.5-inch channel catfish to set the state's certified weight record.

—IDFG public information specialist Connor Liess contributed to this article.



Rimrock High School girls' basketball coaches Kyla Jewett (varsity) and Jackie Thurman (junior varsity) stand with their players behind middle school-aged girls who took part in a youth camp this summer.

Lady Raiders host basketball camp for future team members

Campers from multiple towns attend

by Mandi Boren
For The Owyhee Avalanche

The Rimrock High School Lady Raiders basketball team and coaches had a plan to raise a little money and keep kids busy this summer, and it involved a three-day basketball camp for children in kindergarten through eighth grade.

The Lady Raiders junior varsity Coach of the Year Jackie Thurman said 60 youth from Bruneau, Grand View, Oreana and even Caldwell attended the camp at Rimrock Jr.-Sr. High School, which was designed as a fundraiser for the girls' basketball program.

During camp, players and coaches from the varsity and junior varsity teams taught the kids the fundamentals of the game with fun activities. The camp finished on the last day with a tournament to show off campers' new skills.

For their participation, Thurman said each kid received a ball, T-shirt, candy, popsicle, new basketball skills and some fun memories.

The Raiders have hosted the junior camp in the past, and Thurman said the team plans to continue the tradition every summer.

Proceeds from the camp go the Lady Raiders basketball program to help fund state, district and summer tournaments and other team activities.

Thurman said the team would like to

thank all the campers and their parents for their support.

"It was a great opportunity to interact with all the youth in our communities and to share our love of basketball with them," she said. "After all, they are the future of our basketball program."

—Mandi Boren, an Oreana resident, covers the Grand View-Bruneau-Oreana area for The Owyhee Avalanche. Send news tips to her at mandi@owyheeavalanche.com



Rimrock High School girls' basketball coaches Kyla Jewett (varsity) and Jackie Thurman (junior varsity) stand with their players behind elementary-aged children who took part in a youth camp this summer.

Sell it, trade it, find it in the classifieds: 337-4681

Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

July 23, 1997



Grand marshals ...

LeRoy and Virginia Beaman were the grand marshals of the parade last Saturday at Grand View’s Homecoming Days. The couple was honored for their many years of community service.

Homedale athletes place well at Track City

Over 2,500 athletes from all over the U.S., Guam, Canada, and the Netherlands, representing over 100 teams, competed at the Track City International Classic in Eugene, Oregon on July 18-20.

Six athletes from Homedale competed at the event. Chase Christoffersen competed in the 8-11 year-old sub-bantam boys; in the long jump he took sixth place with an 8’6” jump; in the 400m, he placed seventh with a time of 1:24; and in the 100m he ran seventeenth with a time of 19.1 after he tripped.

Tyler Christoffersen competed in the bantam boys, age 9-10 class. He placed third in the 4x100m relay. The other members of the relay team were from the Boise area.

Kyle Christoffersen was also in the 9-10 class; he placed eighth in the long jump with a jump of 12’6½”. He was fourth in the 400m with a time of 67.4, ran second in the 800m with a time of 2:31, and finished third in the 4x100m with a time of 62.08.

Brandon Christoffersen, competing in the midjet boys, 11-12 year-old class, won the high jump with a 4’10” jump, placed second in the 800m with a time of 2:27, second in the 1500m with a time of 5:00.1, and received fourth place in the 3000m with a time of 11:00.4.

In the young men’s class, age 17-18, Marcus Christoffersen placed third in the 100m with a time of 10.96, won the 200m with a time of 21.76, and received second place in the 400m with a time of 49.88.

Golfers place well in state rankings

The Idaho Junior Golf Association announced statewide rankings for approximately 1,000 members of the IJGA in District I, II, III and IV, Twin Falls, Eastern Idaho, and Northern Idaho. The golfers are ranked by the IJGA according to their best three scores.

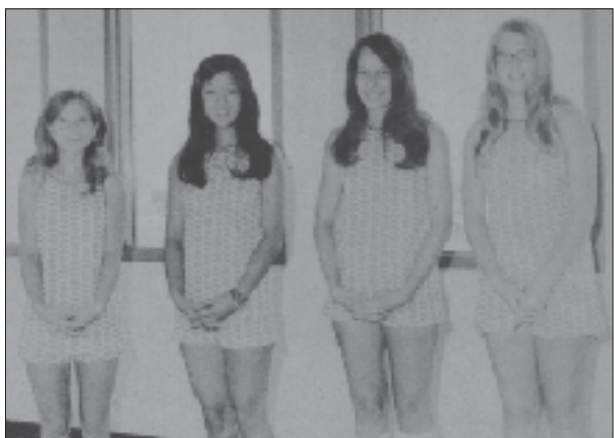
The Idaho Junior Golfers from River Bend (District I) are ranked as follows: for the boys, Gavin Parker ranked 13th in the age 16 group; John Bideganeta, age 14, is ranked 4th; Jason Bideganeta is ranked 2nd in the age 13 group; Cody Garrett, age 12, is 7th; Patrick O’Meara is 13th in the age 11 group; Craig Cole, age 10, is first; and Greg Kushlan is 4th in the age 9 group.

For the girls, Andrea Bideganeta ranked 19th in the age 16-18 category, and Kerie Kushlan is 11th in the age 10-11 group.

The top 1/3 in each age group will qualify to attend the state championship on August 11-12.

50 years ago

July 20, 1972



CHEERLEADERS of Homedale High School posed recently before boarding a plane for Portland to attend a four-day Cheerleaders Clinic, July 9-13. From left are Karla Johnson, junior; Tami Uda, sophomore; LiNae Johnstone, senior; and Karen Kent, junior. Sessions were held at Lewis and Clark College. The girls demonstrated their yell leading techniques and brought home the following awards: two excellent and two superior ribbons, a superior trophy and a “spirit stick.” The clinic staff taught the teams 13 new yells, chants and two pompom routines. Photo by Bette Uda.

Homedale, Wilder represented at 4-H Congress

The annual 4-H Club Congress talent show at Moscow featured delegates from 20 Idaho counties. The 4-H Club Congress was held the week of June 16 at the University of Idaho.

Doug Sprague, state song leader, Emmett, was talent show chairman and master of ceremonies. Acts ranging from vocal and instrumental solos to pantomime and skits were selected at tryouts Monday and Tuesday. Six additional acts were selected to perform at the barbecue preceding the talent show.

Delegates performing included Sheila Huter, Homedale, and Doris Yasuda, Wilder.

Doctor to serve health clinic; new site here

New hours at the Community Health Clinic, located in the basement of the St. Hubert’s rectory are: Monday, 1-5 and 6-9 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, 9 a.m.-12 p.m. and 1-5 p.m.

Robert McNeekins, M.D., a general practitioner, has arrived from Massachusetts and is staff doctor at the Community Health Clinic, available at all times.

Harold Craven, Caldwell, clinic manager and nurse, reported that the health clinic is making plans to move into the former Cone café building, occupied until recently by the Homedale Second Hand Store.

Tony Cambria has moved from the building to the second-hand store in Riverview formerly owned by Mrs. George Graham, and will live in the mobile home near the store.

Succor Crik Sam Sez:

“If the Democrats practiced disestablishmentarianism at their convention looks like the GOP should retaliate with antidisestablishmentarianism.”



155 years ago

July 20, 1867

STREET IMPROVEMENTS.—The work needed to be performed on Washington Street in front of the Miners’ Hotel has been commenced and quite well advanced. A want of public labor and funds to bestow upon that place may prevent a proper amount of improvement. What is done adds materially to its width and looks.

DAILY MAIL.—The welcome news was received here Wednesday evening that a daily mail service would commence on the Railroad Line on August 1st — one week from next Thursday. Orders have been issued by Hill Beachey to the agents on the road to put the stock and stations in order for the change. Wells, Fargo & Co. have already put messengers on the route and will send all treasure from Idaho, Boise and Silver cities by this line. The time from here to San Francisco is to be made regularly in four days, and from Idaho City in five. The ocean and river steamers and Umatilla Stage Line have combined and reduced the fare to induce travel on that route, but it will avail them nothing, as the extra time and expense during the time will greatly overbalance the few dollars reduction in fare; besides the reduction will probably not last during a single change of the moon. The line from Boise City via here to San Francisco being daily, there can be no possible detention, whereas a passenger at Portland may be detained several days for a steamer — as they only sail once in ten days.

We consider the line of treasure and travel so well established that mention of it or opposition is of no account, and would not but for this periodical blowing of our Columbia River friends to get a few passengers over their route.

WARE EAGLE.—We made a hurried perambulation over this elevation last Thursday. Passed by the Bainbow ledge, east of Webfoot Gulch, and found Mr. Waldref busily engaged in clearing the shaft of water. It is a vein of five or six feet which we’re informed assays very flatteringly. Mr. W. will have it open for inspection down forty feet in a few days.

Passing on up, we next reached the Poorman Extension Works. The lower shaft is temporarily stopped on account of water, but the upper shaft and tunnel are going into the mountain as fast as night and day work can drive them. It is the determination of the Company — we understand — to make a thorough and deep examination of their claim. The present indications are not considered discouraging.

The Poorman ore exhibits much of the pure stuff sought for by millions. Free gold and silver are laying around loose. It is all right.

From the Poorman we made a cruise round the Woodstock and Silver Cord to the ridge south of Wade’s Gulch, to the Baxter and vicinity. The Baxter is the only ledge there upon which work enough has been done to show anything definite. This is unquestionably a true vein, and at the present depth of nearly fifty feet is two feet wide and of fine appearance. To what extent it bears the pure silver we can’t say, but such metal is found frequently therein. It is easily mined — no blasting is being required. The shaft is timbered securely and the work done in a permanent character. Prospecting is being prosecuted quite extensively in that vicinity. The actions of some of the parties imply a valuable discovery. Farther than this deponent knoweth not.

Commentary

Letter
to the editor

Cemetery staff lauds Marsing
Disaster Auction board

The Marsing-Homedale Cemetery would like to thank our community partners at the Marsing Disaster Auction for their generous donation of 16 new trees for the further development of our newest cemetery section.

For over 60 years, the Marsing Disaster Auction has helped countless numbers of families, community members and organizations in the area, and it is because of local support and community involvement like this that we are able to keep our cemetery beautiful and well-maintained for the visitors and residents of this resting place.

Thank you to everyone involved with the Marsing Disaster Auction from everyone here at the Marsing-Homedale Cemetery.

Cemetery board commissioners
Aaron Tines, chair Homedale
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Steve Hoagland, Opaline
Cemetery staff
Jeremy Aldrich, sexton, district secretary/treasurer and board clerk
Jason Hall, assistant sexton

From the
Statehouse
Dam breaching
is bad for Idaho

What makes Idaho the state we are proud to call home? To me, it's our shared goal of making Idaho the best place to live, to work, and to raise a family. That's why I'm always troubled by renewed attempts to breach dams that Idahoans rely on.

The latest push comes from Washington state, where Democratic Gov. Jay Inslee and Democratic U.S. Sen. Patty Murray are calling to remove four dams on the Snake River. Together, Inslee and Murray published a new report that tries to justify a \$27.2 BILLION plan to breach the Snake River dams to restore salmon and steelhead populations. However, as is often the case with Washington state politics, the pros do not outweigh the cons.

For starters, let's head to our shared border in the Quad Cities region, which is home to Moscow,

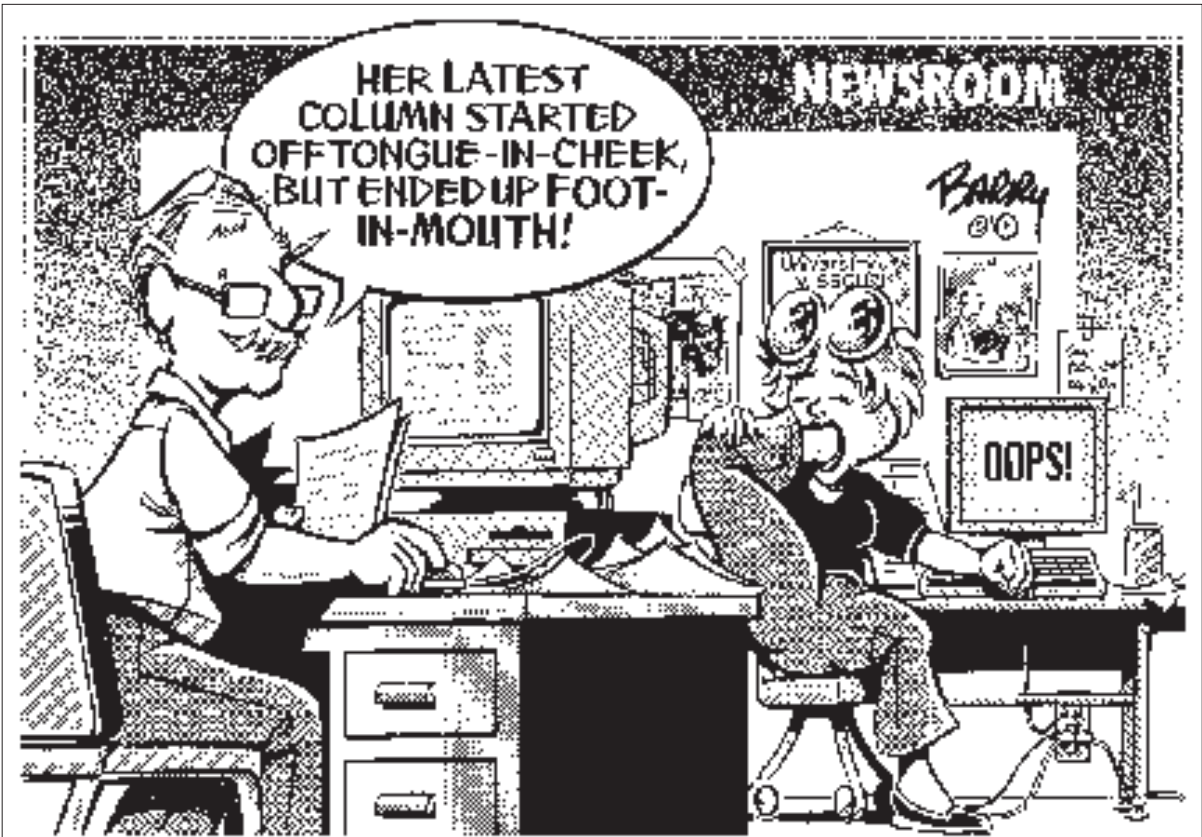
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JP Doodles



Montana-based syndicated editorial cartoonist Barry McWilliams passed away in August. The McWilliams Estate has given The Owyhee Avalanche permission to publish his cartoon. McWilliams' cartoons appeared in more than 1,500 newspapers, and he visited hundreds of elementary schools teaching children to draw.

From Washington
Solutions to mass shootings entail
more than curtailing access to guns

Idahoans deserve to live without fearing for their lives — whether at the supermarket, school or home. Incidents of gun violence around the country have rightly focused efforts to protect communities, especially our children. Effective and implementable solutions require addressing the driving factors behind heinous acts of gun violence, such as:

- strengthening shortcomings in our mental health system
- hardening the protection of our schools
- enforcing existing laws against known violent criminals and those adjudicated to be an imminent threat of violence

Far and away, most Americans are law-abiding citizens, including those who own, possess, carry and use firearms in a lawful and peaceful fashion. Their right to do so is specifically protected by the Second Amendment of the Constitution of the United States. That right must not be abridged while we seek to prevent violence perpetrated by those individuals who are mentally ill, criminals or terrorists. Congress recently passed and the president signed into law S. 2938, the Bipartisan Safer Communities Act, which I voted against because it will abridge the rights of law-abiding citizens through gun ban/confiscation programs, also known as “red flag laws.” That is why I was asked to share my thoughts on what must be done to curtail mass shootings.

First, we need to address the driving factors behind heinous acts of gun violence, which often are shortcomings in our mental health system. As Ranking Member of the U.S. Senate Finance Committee, I have spent the past two years in partnership with chairman Ron Wyden (D-Ore.) and our entire committee membership on a strong initiative to address mental health needs in the United States. Although we have

U.S. Sen. Mike Crapo
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not finalized our initiative, several parts of our work were incorporated into S. 2938:

- The Health and Human Services secretary would be required to issue Medicaid guidance to states to improve access to telehealth services, and to expand access to school-based mental health services.
- It would also improve enforcement and oversight of early and periodic screening, diagnostic and treatment services, the country's gold standard in children's health coverage.
- The law would allow all states to participate in the Medicaid Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic (CCBHC) program, which has dramatically increased access to mental health and substance use disorder treatment. I look forward to working with Idahoans to integrate these facilities into our mental

— See *Solutions*, Page 15

Commentary

Financial management

There'll be plenty of time to play after debt is gone

Dear Dave,

My husband and I have a beginner emergency fund set aside, and we're working on paying off \$30,000 in credit card debt and two cars in Baby Step 2. He would also like us to start putting money aside for a couple of trips and a few other things we have always wanted. This makes me nervous, because we have made so much progress over the past year in getting control of our finances, paying off debt and living on a budget. I understand wanting something to look forward to, but I would hate to see us slow down when we are doing so well. How do you feel about this?

— Marie

Dear Marie,

OK, so you have two car payments hanging over your heads, plus a bunch of credit card debt, and your husband wants to throw saving for toys and vacations into the mix? I'm sure he's a good guy, and he has obviously been on-board with your financial overhaul so far, but I wouldn't recommend doing this.

The reason people are successful following my plan is because I teach common-sense methods, wrapped up in unbridled, scorched-earth intensity. There's a process here. There's an idea combined with passion.

And when you plug into



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it full-force, you're going to move in a positive direction so quickly it'll make your head spin.

You know how I say personal finance is 80 percent behavior and only 20 percent head knowledge? It's true. Behaviors have to change. The more dramatically they change, the better the results and the faster you progress. But if you don't plug into it, you'll fall back into the same old things.

It's OK to save up for a trip or buy some fun stuff in the general philosophy of life. But getting out of debt, and having control of your finances should come first. Remember when you were a kid, and you had to finish your dinner or clean up your room before going out to play? That's what I teach.

Work first, play later.

Trust me. It'll pay off in the long run!

— Dave

— Dave Ramsey is an eight-time #1 national best-selling author, personal finance expert, and host of *The Ramsey Show*, heard by more than 18 million listeners each week. He has appeared on *Good Morning America*, *CBS This Morning*, *Today Show*, *Fox News*, *CNN*, *Fox Business*, and many more. Since 1992, Dave has helped people regain control of their money, build wealth and enhance their lives. He also serves as CEO for *Ramsey Solutions*.

✓ Breaching: Move for salmon would endanger power grid, farmers, more

From Page 14

Pullman, Lewiston, and Clarkston. The Palouse is well-known for its wheat, accounting for an estimated 50 percent of Idaho's total wheat yield. That wheat is eventually transported to the Port of Lewiston, home to Idaho's only seaport, which moves 10 percent of all wheat grown in the United States. Farmers and ranchers in our region heavily rely on the Port of Lewiston, as well as the Port of Clarkston, for cost-efficient distribution, which would cease to be a reality with the removal of the four Snake River dams.

As a fourth-generation Idaho rancher, I know the challenges and necessary measures needed to run a successful business in this day and age. Additionally, a major priority in my public and private careers has revolved around protecting Idaho's water. It's clear to me that Inslee and Murray either failed to work with key stakeholders or ignored their opinion on this project. Stakeholders who would most certainly bear the brunt of devastating impacts, which include but

are not limited to, the following possibilities:

- 48,000 acres of farmland across the Northwest would lose dam irrigation.
- Utilities could skyrocket in cost because of the loss of hydroelectricity.
- The power grid would become unstable, likely doubling the chance of blackouts.
- Food costs would rise from the increase in trucking costs.
- The supply chain would worsen because of the severe shortage of skilled truck drivers.

Now, we move to the flaws in the central reasoning of their proposal ... salmon and steelhead restoration. As I responded to a similar dam-breaching proposal in 2021, why is there no discussion about controlling predator populations at the mouth of the Columbia River? These predators, as shown in studies, kill 35 percent of adult salmon that are heading back to Idaho. This comes on top of the number of salmon lost during migration toward the Pacific Ocean. Not only does the Inslee/Murray plan fail to address this

issue, but it offers no guarantee of increased salmon population through dam removal.

Here in Idaho, we believe in kitchen-table economics. It's simple, but more importantly, it makes sense. While salmon restoration is a noble cause, the Inslee/Murray plan of \$27.2 billion doesn't add up. Under the Inslee/Murray plan, one of Idaho's most precious resources – water – would be threatened, leading to a lot less food in the pantry, fewer people on the job, and higher prices across the board. Dam breaching is bad for Idaho, and if we don't fight for our dams and protect our water, we'll most certainly lose a lot of what makes Idaho the state we're proud to call home.

— Scott Bedke (R-Oakley) is the Speaker of the Idaho House of Representatives and the Republican nominee in the November general election for lieutenant governor. The Biden Administration released a report last week that also recommended dam breaching for the sake of fish, too.

✓ Solutions: Existing laws, improved school security tools available now

From Page 14

health care system.

These policies, which expand access to essential care by supporting telehealth options and creating more sites of service, are the types of sensible solutions that address root causes of gun violence without abridging Second Amendment rights.

Second, we need to harden the protection of our schools and more effectively enforce existing law. I co-sponsored an amendment, sponsored by fellow Sens. Ted Cruz (R-Texas) and John Barrasso (R-Wyo.), to the Bipartisan Safer Communities Act that included provisions to:

- Improve school safety through putting more

mental health professionals, local police and security officers in schools and making information on best practices more accessible, offsetting the cost with unspent appropriations.

- Increase enforcement of existing laws against perpetrators of violence and those who illegally evade background checks.

Although Senate Majority Leader Chuck Schumer (D-N.Y.) blocked the vote on these effective, implementable solutions with proven track records, we will continue our work to address mental illness, threat identification and school safety.

The engagement of so many Idahoans with varying views on this debate is important. I will continue to

fight for improvements to mental health services and school safety and for Americans' Second Amendment and due process rights.

In subsequent columns, I will more thoroughly address red flag laws, due process and our continuing efforts to improve mental health care.

— Republican Mike Crapo is Idaho's senior member of the U. S. Senate. He is in his fourth six-year term and has served in the Senate since 1999. Prior to that, he was a three-term Idaho Second District congressman. Crapo will seek his fifth term in the Senate in the November election.

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Public notices

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS JUNE 2022 SYNOPSIS June 6

-Approved the agenda as presented.

-Paid the following bills as presented: Current expenses-\$80,652; R&B-\$1,790; Dist. court-\$3,368; Fair-\$311; Probation-\$244; Health dist.-\$7,118; Historical-\$723;I&C-\$21,077; Junior college-\$300; Revaluation-\$723; Solid waste-\$19,979; Weeds-\$25,861; 911-\$2,405; County vessel-\$2,607; Off hwy vehicle-\$183; Elections-\$2,394; Capital project fund-\$3,450.

-Approved the May 23, 2022 meeting minutes.

-Approved the May 25, 2022 meeting minutes.

-Approved the May 27, 2022 meeting minutes.

-Approved the May 31, 2022 meeting minutes.

-Approved the liquor catering permit for Sportsman’s Hideout on June 11, 2022 from 5:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

-Approved the Idaho Power proposed lighting project for LED lights in the Owyhee Co. Annex Building (\$2,448), the County Courthouse & Jail (\$31,762), and the Prosecuting Attorney Building (\$692) with the Chairman’s signature for the Board.

-Approved the professional services agreement between ITD and Owyhee County for the Boulder Creek Bridge Replacement project (#96328) with the Chairman’s signature for the Board.

-Approved the 2023 liquor license for Del Rio Restaurant in Homedale.

-Approved the withdrawal of application for Indigent case 22-05.

-At 9:33 a.m. went into executive session pursuant to Idaho Code §74-206 (c) interest in a real property. Open session was resumed at 9:36 a.m.

-At 9:37 a.m. Went into executive session pursuant to Idaho Code §74-206 (a) personnel. Open session was resumed at 9:39 a.m.

June 13

-Approved the agenda as presented.

-Approved the June 6, 2022 meeting minutes.

-Approved the new hire of Elizabeth Miller for the part-time position of landfill attendant for Opaline Tipping Station at the pay rate of \$12.55 per hour, to begin on June 3, 2022.

-Approved the following 2023 liquor license renewals: Black Sands Resort, Grand View; Last Chance Saloon, Homedale.

-At9:21 a.m.wentintoexecutive session pursuant to Idaho Code §74-206 (a) personnel. Open session was resumed at 9:30 a.m.

-At 9:45 a.m. recessed as the BOCC and convene as the BOE.

-Approved the removal of parcel MH02N04W20244A from the tax rolls due to a casualty loss from fire.

-At 10:52 a.m. recessed as the BOE and reconvene as the BOCC.

June 17

-Amended the agenda to add an action item under Old Business for paying Creekside Construction for an attempted installation of the County fairgrounds CXT bathroom building.

-Approved the agenda as amended.

-Approved the payment

of \$9,967.50 to CXT for an attempted installation of the County fairgrounds CXT bathroom building.

-Appointed Tiffany Nettleton as Owyhee County Assessor to fulfill the remaining portion of Assessor Gruenwald’s term, which is through the end of 2022.

-At 9:30 a.m. went into executive session pursuant to Idaho Code §74-206 (f) possible litigation. Open session was resumed at 11:01 a.m.

June 21

-Approved the agenda as presented.

-Paid the following bills as presented: Current expenses-\$14,565; R&B-\$20,401; Dist. court-\$3,837; Historical-\$359; I&C-\$11,652; Junior college-\$1,500; Revaluation-\$113; Solid waste-\$1,854; Tort-\$1,500; 911-\$6; Waterways-\$35; Off hwy vehicles-\$57; Elections-\$120; Capital project fund-\$14,315.

-Approved the June 13, 2022 meeting minutes.

-Approved the June 17, 2022 special meeting minutes.

-Approved the following ID Power waterways and OHV grants for the Sheriff’s Office: UTV & Trailer - \$22,400; Lagoon Dredging - \$96,048; Vault Toilet - \$38,956; Boat Ramp Extension - \$24,680.

-Rejected both prosecuting attorney recommendations due to not being qualified and not being County residents and to contract with an attorney until a suitable replacement can be found.

-At9:25 a.m.wentintoexecutive session pursuant to Idaho Code §74-206 (a) personnel and (f) possible litigation. Open session was resumed at 9:36 a.m.

-At 10:01 a.m. recessed as the BOCC and convene as the BOE.

-At 10:20 a.m. recessed as the BOE and reconvene as the BOCC.

June 27

-Approved the agenda as presented.

-Approved the July 21, 2022 minutes.

-Approved the reassignment of Jessica Goings from full time dispatch to part time dispatch.

-Approved the partial tax cancellation of the Jaca Family Properties, LLC parcel MH01N03W225551 – property tax \$76.03 and solid waste \$31.50.

-Approved the CWI certificate of residency 2022-22.

-At9:26 a.m.wentintoexecutive session pursuant to Idaho Code §74-206 (a) personnel. Open session was resumed at 9:32 a.m.

-At 10:02 a.m. recessed as the BOCC and convene as the BOE.

-At 10:27 a.m. recessed as the BOE and reconvene as the BOCC.

07/20/2022

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL
DISTRICT OF
THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN
AND FOR THE COUNTY
OF OWYHEE
MAGISTRATE DIVISION
Case No. CV37-22-00188
In the Matter of the Estate of
SACHIKO EDWARDS,
Deceased.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the above-named estate. All persons having

Funds		EXPENDITURES
01 General		
02 Streets & Highways		
03 Parks		
04 Library		
05 Local Improvement District		
06 Law Enforcement		
25 Water	*	
26 Sewer	*	
27 Sanitation		
30 Airport		
60 Irrigation		
TOTAL EXPENDITURE (all funds)		
Property Tax Levy		REVENUES
General Fund		
Park & Rec		
Total Property Tax:		
Revenue Other Sources		
01 General		
02 Streets & Highways		
03 Parks		
04 Library		
05 Local Improvement District		
06 Law Enforcement		
25 Water	*	
26 Sewer	*	
27 Sanitation		
30 Airport		
60 Irrigation		
Total Other Sources		
TOTAL REVENUE (all funds)		

POSSIBLE GRANTS - FY2023	
Streets/Hwy	\$ 80,000
Parks	\$ 50,000
Library	\$ 15,000
Law Enforcement	\$ 10,000
Airport	\$565,000
GRANT MONEYS ARE NOT EXPENSED IF THE GRANT IS NOT RECEIVED	
Water	\$ 500,000
Sewer	\$10,500,000
(includes anticipated USDA Grant money and Loan for upgraded Sewer System)	
Alice E. Pegram	
Homedale City Clerk/Treasurer	
07/20,27/2022	

claims against the said deceased are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented or delivered to VICKIE EDWARDS, Personal Representative of the estate, at 1303 12th Avenue Road, Nampa, Idaho 83686, and filed with the Court pursuant to Idaho Code Section 15-3-804.

Dated this 19th day of May, 2022.

/s/ VICKIE EDWARDS
Personal representative
Attorney for personal representative
AARON L. SEABLE
HAMILTON, MICHAELSON & HILTY, LLP
Attorneys at Law
1303 12th Avenue Road
Nampa, ID 83686
Phone (208) 467-4479
Fax (208) 467-3058
aseable@nampalaw.com
07/06,13,20/2022

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FY2023 PROPOSED BUDGET Proposed Budget for Fiscal Year 2022-2023 (FY2023) CITY OF HOMEDALE

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing pursuant to Idaho Code 50-1002, will be held for consideration of the proposed budget for fiscal year beginning October 1, 2022 through September 30, 2023 (FY2023). A proposed Budget Hearing will be held at Homedale City Hall, 31 W Wyoming at 6:00 p.m. on August 10th, 2022. Copies of the proposed city budget with details are available for review at Homedale City Hall during normal business hours. All interested persons are invited to appear.

FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023
ACTUAL	PROPOSED	PROPOSED
\$1,062,959.00	\$1,178,830.00	\$1,605,275.00
\$283,217.00	\$295,133.00	\$366,186.00
\$189,442.00	\$233,690.00	\$253,796.00
\$87,480.00	\$93,719.00	\$101,800.00
\$42,844.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
\$642,222.00	\$692,125.00	\$777,739.00
\$897,557.00	\$1,415,728.00	\$1,566,024.00
\$846,774.00	\$11,239,796.00	\$11,379,825.00
\$138,700.00	\$144,900.00	\$153,000.00
\$210,030.00	\$215,000.00	\$585,000.00
\$195,107.00	\$216,597.00	\$231,772.00
\$4,596,332.00	\$15,725,518.00	\$17,020,417.00
\$462,590.00	\$480,000.00	\$494,400.00
22,000.00	23,000.00	23,700.00
\$484,590.00	\$503,000.00	\$518,100.00
\$600,369.00	\$698,830.00	\$1,110,875.00
\$283,217.00	\$295,133.00	\$366,186.00
\$167,442.00	\$210,690.00	\$230,096.00
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\$138,700.00	\$144,900.00	\$153,000.00
\$210,030.00	\$215,000.00	\$585,000.00
\$195,107.00	\$216,597.00	\$231,772.00
\$4,111,742.00	\$15,222,518.00	\$16,502,317.00
\$4,596,332.00	\$15,725,518.00	\$17,020,417.00

CITY SUPPORT FROM GENERAL FUND TO:	
Streets/Hwy	\$73,016
Library	\$71,800
Parks	\$119,026
Police	\$716,039
Irrigation	\$78,372
	\$1,058,253

PUBLIC NOTICE BUDGET HEARING	
Pursuant to Idaho Code section 27-126. Notice is hereby given that the Owyhee Pioneer Cemetery District will be holding the 2022–2023 Fiscal Year budget hearing on Tuesday, 2 August 2022 at 4:00 p.m. The meeting will be held at the Owyhee County Courthouse, Court Room 2, 20381 State Highway #78, Murphy, Idaho.	
A copy of the proposed budget will be posted at the Owyhee County Court House, Murphy, Idaho.	
Nina Bachman – Secretary/Treasurer, Owyhee Pioneer Cemetery District. 07/14/2022.	
Owyhee Pioneer Expenses:	
ADVERTISING	\$ 150.00
COMPENSATION	\$4550.00
OTHER EXPENSES	\$3540.00
TOTAL EXPENSES:	\$8240.00
Revenue:	
ESTIMATED TAX LEVY	\$3171.00
PROPERTY TAX REPLACEMENT	239.00
OTHER REVENUE-DONATIONS	200.00
CASH FORWARD BALANCE	\$4630.00
TOTAL REVENUE	\$8240.00
07/20/2022	

Public notices

NOTICE OF SHERIFF’S SALE
Case No. CV37-22-00073
Sheriff Case No. 2022-00027
Under and by virtue of a Writ of Execution on Judgment of Foreclosure issued on June 7, 2022, and an Order of Sale of Foreclosure issued on June 7, 2022, out of the District Court of the Third Judicial District of the State of Idaho, in and for the County of Owyhee in the case of:
VANDERBILT MORTGAGE AND FINANCE, INC.,
Plaintiff
v.
LONNIE K. FRY; THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, ASSIGNS AND DEVISEES OF CARLAA. FRY; VICTORIA I. VAUGHAN; AND DOES 1 THROUGH 20, et al.,
Defendants.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on the 4th day of August, 2022, at 10:00 o’clock a.m. of said day, at Owyhee County Courthouse Front entrance, 20381 State Hwy 78, Muprhy, ID 83650, I am commanded and required to proceed to notice for sale to sell at public auction the real property described in said Order for Sale of Foreclosure and Writ of Execution and to apply the proceeds of such sale to the satisfaction of said Judgment and Decree of Foreclosure with interest thereon and my fees and costs, all payable at time of sale to the highest bidder, for the following described property, situated in Owyhee County, Idaho:

5121 Sage Road, Homedale, ID 83628 and legally described as follows:
IN TOWNSHIP 3 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST, BOISE MERIDIAN, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO SECTION 26: ALL THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER LYING NORTH AND EAST OF THE CENTERLINE OF THE OWYHEE SOUTH CANAL

The sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession, or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation of Defendants pursuant to the Judgment entered in this matter, and recorded in the official records of Owyhee County.

The real property sold at the sale shall be subject to the redemption rights of redemptioners, as that term is defined in Idaho Code Section 11-402, may redeem the property from the purchaser within six months after the sale, upon paying the purchaser the amount of their purchase, with interest on that amount at the rate allowed by Idaho Code from the date of the sale to the date of redemption, together with the amount of any assessment or taxes which the purchaser may have paid after the commencement of the action and which are not included in the judgment and interest allowed pursuant to Idaho Code Section.

In the event the purchaser is a creditor having a prior lien to that of the redemptioners, other than the judgment under which the purchase is made, the purchaser will also be entitled to payment of that lien amount with interest at the rate allowed in Idaho Code Section 18-22-104(1).

The Sheriff, by Certificate of Sale, will transfer all right, title and interest of the judgment debtors in

and to the property at the time of execution of attachment was levied.
DATED this 29 day of June, 2022.

DEPUTY SHERIFF OF OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO
By: Luisa Jaca

NOTE: THE SHERIFF’S OFFICE DOES NOT GUARANTEE CLEAR TITLE OR GUARANTEE CONTINUED POSSESSORY RIGHTS.
EVERY PERSON WHO INTENTIONALLY DEFACES, OBLITERATES, TEARS DOWN OR DESTROYS THIS NOTICE, BEFORE THE EXPIRATION OF THE TIME FOR WHICH IT IS TO REMAIN SET UP, IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR (I.C. ‘ 18-3205).
07/06,13,20/2022

INVITATION TO BID
Separate sealed bids for construction of the City of Homedale Wastewater Improvements Project will be received and accepted via the online electronic bid service through QuestCDN vBid online bidding, or by sealed paper copy City of Homedale at 31 W. Wyoming Ave, Homedale, ID 83628 until 2:00 pm local time on August 17, 2022 and then publicly opened and read aloud.

The project consists of The Project generally consists of repairing and/or replacing approximately 38% of the City’s sewer collection system, abandoning the City’s current lagoon treatment system and constructing an entirely new complete mix/partial mix lagoon treatment system and Blower/UV building, Headworks building and lift station modifications.

Digital copies of the Bidding Documents are available at www.greatwesteng.com or www.questcdn.com for a fee of \$40.00. These documents may be downloaded by selecting this project from the “Current Projects Bidding” tab. Reference QuestCDN Project number 8260293. Contact QuestCDN Customer Support at 952-233-1632 or info@questcdn.com for assistance in membership registration, downloading digital project information and vBid online bid submittal. Project bid documents must be downloaded from QuestCDN which will add your company to the Planholder List and allow access to vBid online bidding for the submittal of your bid. Bidders will be charged a fee of \$30.00 to submit a bid electronically.

Paper copies of the contract documents, consisting of half size Drawings and Project Manual, may be examined or obtained at the office of Great West Engineering, Inc., located at 3050 N. Lakeharbor Lane Suite 201, Boise, ID 83703, phone 208-576-6646 in accordance with Article 2.1 of Instructions to Bidders. There is a required fee of \$150.00 per set, which is not refundable. In addition, the Drawings and Project Manual may also be examined at the following locations:

**Idaho Association of General Contractors Plan Room
I Squared Foot Plan Room
ARC Document Solutions- Idaho Plan Room**

There will be a Pre-Bid Conference at the office of City of Homedale at 31 W. Wyoming

Ave, Homedale, ID 83628 at 10 am on August 2, 2022. Interested Contractors are encouraged to attend.

Contractor and any of the Contractor’s Subcontractors bidding or doing work on this project will be required to be registered with the Idaho Division of Building Safety (DBS). Forms for registration are available from the Division of Building Safety at, 1090 E. Watertower St. Suite 150, Meridian, ID 83642. Information on registration can be obtained by calling (208) 334-3950. The Contractor must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex or national origin.

Each bid or proposal must be accompanied by a Certified Check, Cashier’s Check, or Bid Bond payable to City of Homedale, in an amount not less than ten percent (10%) of the total amount of the bid. Successful Bidders shall furnish an approved Performance Bond and a Labor and Materials Payment Bond, each in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract amount. Insurance, as required, shall be provided by the successful Bidder(s) and a certificate(s) of that insurance shall be provided.

This project is funded in part or in whole with grant/loan funding from USDA-Rural Development, and the City of Homedale.

Award of the project will be contingent upon receiving funding and award concurrence from USDA-Rural Development. Bids may only be withdrawn as provided in Section 16.02 of the Instructions to Bidders after the scheduled time for the public opening of bids.

The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals received, to waive informalities, to postpone the award of the contract for a period not to exceed sixty (60) days, and to accept the lowest responsive and responsible bid that is in the best interest of the Owner.

All questions about the meaning or intent of the Contract Documents are to be submitted in writing to and must be received by Great West Engineering no later than 5 pm local time on August 11, 2022 Questions received after this date will not be answered. Oral questions will only be accepted at the Pre-Bid conference. Written comments may be submitted to Andrew Kimmel of Great West Engineering by mail at: 3050 N. Lakeharbor Lane Suite 201, Boise, ID 83703 or email at: akimmel@greatwesteng.com. Interpretations or clarifications considered necessary by Engineer in response to such questions will be issued by Addenda delivered to all parties recorded as having received the Bidding Documents. Only questions answered by Addenda will be binding. Oral and other interpretations or clarifications will be without legal effect.

The City of Homedale is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

American Iron and Steel - Section 746 of Title VII of the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2017 (Division A - Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2017) and subsequent statutes mandating domestic preference applies an American Iron and Steel requirement to this project. All iron and steel products used in this project must be produced

in the United States. The term “iron and steel products” means the following products made primarily of iron or steel: lined or unlined pipes and fittings, manhole covers and other municipal castings, hydrants, tanks, flanges, pipe clamps and restraints, valves, structural steel, reinforced precast concrete, and Construction Materials.

The following waivers apply to this Contract:

- De Minimis,
- Minor Components,
- Pig iron and direct reduced iron, and
- [add project specific waivers as applicable].

Owner as “Buyer” has executed a procurement contract with Lemna Technologies as “Seller” for the procurement of goods and special services for Wastewater Improvements Treatment Equipment Procurement. The materials and equipment to be provided through the procurement contract are to be furnished and delivered to the Site for installation by Contractor. Owner will assign said procurement contract to Contractor as set forth in the Agreement. Contractor will accept the assignment, as Buyer (Contractor/Assignee), and will be responsible to Owner for the performance of obligations by Seller, which will become a Subcontractor or Supplier to Contractor.

Bidders may examine the contract documents for the procurement of goods and special services for Wastewater Improvements Treatment Equipment Procurement at 3050 N Lakeharbor Lane Suite 201, Boise, ID 83703.

Published at Owyhee Avalanche, Idaho, on the 20th and 27th days of July and the 3rd and 10th days of August 2022

/s/: Gheen Christoffersen
Mayor
31 W. Wyoming Ave. Homedale, ID
07/20,27;08/03,10/2022

SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE NO. A-225
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MARSING, IDAHO CREATING A NEW CODE SECTION REQUIRING LICENSES FOR SPECIAL EVENTS; REQUIRING A SPECIAL EVENT LICENSE APPLICATION; PROVIDING FOR LICENSE FEES; REQUIRING PROOF OF INSURANCE; PROVIDING FOR LICENSE RESTRICTIONS; PROVIDING FOR OUTDOOR EVENTS; PROVIDING FOR PENALTIES; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCE(S) IN CONFLICT HERewith; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

A Summary of Ordinance No. A-225, adopted by the Mayor and Council of the City of Marsing on July 13, 2022, is as follows:

Section 2-6-1: Provides definitions for the new title and chapter.

Section 2-6-2: Requires a license for certain special events.

Section 2-6-3: Provides for the application for a license.

Section 2-6-4: Provides for license fees.

Section 2-6-5: Requires proof of insurance.

Section 2-6-6: Provides for issuance of license.

Section 2-6-7: Provides for license restrictions.

Section 2-6-8: Provides regulations for outdoor special events.

Section 2-6-9: Provides penalties.

The Ordinance will be in effect upon publication of this summary. The full text of Ordinance No. A-225 is available for public inspection during normal office hours at the office of the City Clerk.

07/20/2022

NOTICE TO CREDITORS IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF OWYHEE MAGISTRATE DIVISION Case No. CV37-22-00223 In the Matter of the Estate of CRISTOBAL GARCIA, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the above-named estate. All persons having claims against the said deceased are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented or delivered to CRISTOBAL GARCIA II, Personal Representative of the estate, at 1303 12th Avenue Road, Nampa, Idaho 83686, and filed with the Court pursuant to Idaho Code Section 15-3-804.

Dated this 30th day of June, 2022.

/s/ CRISTOBAL GARCIA II
Personal representative
Attorney for personal representative
AARON L. SEABLE
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07/06,13,20/2022

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF OWYHEE Magistrate Division Case No. CV37-22-00241 In the Matter of the Joint Estate of WENEDA LANDA and JULIAN LANDA, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that DANNY LANDA and CHRIS LANDA were appointed Co-Personal Representatives of the above-named estate. All persons having claims against the decedent or the estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must both be presented to the undersigned at address indicated and filed with the Clerk of the Court.
Dated: July 12, 2022

/s/ Todd A. Rossman, ISB #4023
Todd A. Rossman, P.A.
Attorney for Co-Personal Representatives
5660 E. Franklin Road, Suite 220
Nampa, Idaho 83687
Tel: (208) 475-3150
07/20,27;08/03/2022

Public notices

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

TS No: ID-22-938139-BF
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on **11/29/2022**, at the hour of **11:00 AM**, **Owyhee County Courthouse Lobby 20381 Highway 78 Murphy ID 83650**, the trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in lawful money of the United States of America, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property situated in the County of **OWYHEE**, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit: Parcel 1: In Township 2 South, Range 2 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho. Section 26: East one half Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter. Parcel 2: In Township 2 South, Range 2 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho. Section 26: West one half Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter. Parcel 1 and 2 TOGETHER WITH A non-exclusive Right of Way and Easement, including the right of ingress and egress and egress, being a strip of land 40 feet in width, the most Westerly boundary line, described as follows: Commencing at a point on the Northern boundary line of the Right of Way of State Highway No. 78, which point lies South 45° 00’ East, 480 feet from the intersection of said North Highway right of way line and the West line of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, Section 26, Township 2 South, Range 2 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, and being the Real Point of Beginning; thence North 45° 00’ East, a distance of 141 feet; thence North 45° 00’ West, a distance of 625 feet, more or less, to a point on the West line of said Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 26; thence North along the West line of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, the West Half of the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter and the West Half of the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter a distance of 3220 feet, more or less, to the South line of the Northeast Quarter of the Northwest of said Section 26, Township 2 South, Range 2 West, Boise Meridian, to the terminus of said easement. Parcel 1 ALSO TOGETHER WITH an easement for ingress and egress over the South 40 feet of the West half of the Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of said Section 26, Township 2 South, Range 2 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho. EXCEPTING FROM BOTH PARCEL 1 AND 2: one-half (1/2) interest in all oil, gas and other minerals in and under said premises, as granted by Deed recorded April 22, 1952 in Book 42 of Deeds, Page 499, Owyhee County Records. The Current Trustee is **Robert W. McDonald, Esq.**, whose address is **108 1st Ave. South, Suite 202, Seattle, Washington 98104** and who can

be reached by telephone at **(866) 925-0241**. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-described real property, but for purposes of compliance with Idaho Code Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of **16684 RIM ROCK LN, MURPHY, ID 83650** may be associated with said real property. The sale will be made, without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust made and entered into on **4/1/2015**, by and among **CHARLES C CASTRO AND NANCY D CASTRO, HUSBAND AND WIFE**, as Grantor, and **PIONEER TITLE CO.**, as Trustee, and **MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATIONS SYSTEMS, INC., AS BENEFICIARY, AS NOMINEE FOR FIRST MORTGAGE COMPANY, LLC, DOING BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF IDAHO AS FIRST MORTGAGE COMPANY OF IDAHO, LLC, ITS SUCCESSOR AND ASSIGNS**, as Beneficiary; said Deed of Trust having been filed of record on **4/2/2015**, as **Instrument No. 286345** Official Records of **OWYHEE** County, Idaho. The naming of the above Grantor(s) is done to comply with Idaho Code Sections 45-1506(4) (a); no representation is made as to the responsibility of Grantor(s) for this obligation. The default for which foreclosure is made is grantor’s failure to pay when due the following sum: **TOTAL REQUIRED TO REINSTATE: \$14,448.75 TOTAL REQUIRED TO PAYOFF: \$236,990.15** Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day-to-day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. It will be necessary for you to contact the Trustee before the time you tender reinstatement or the payoff amount so that you may be advised of the exact amount you will be required to pay. Dated this 12th day of July, 2022. By: Robert W. McDonald, Esq., Trustee TS No: **ID-22-938139-BF** IDSPub #0179650
07/20,07/27;08/03;08/10/2022

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

On Wednesday, the 9th day of November, 2022, at the hour of 10:00 o’clock a.m. of said day at Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy. 78, Murphy, in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, Ryan M. Fawcett, as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

LOT 6 OF BLOCK 5 OF

THE TOWNSITE PLAT OF BRUNEAU, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICE PLAT THEREOF FILED 12/22/09 AS DOCUMENT NO. 3844 ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER FOR OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO.

The Successor Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113, Idaho Code, the Successor Trustee has been informed that the street address of 32111 Myrtle St., Bruneau, Idaho, is sometimes associated with said real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by ROBERT P. LEMIEUX, an Unmarried Person, Grantor, to Ryan M. Fawcett, Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of CARL I. BROWN AND COMPANY, A KANSAS CORPORATION, DBA PREMIER MORTGAGE RESOURCES, recorded November 1, 1994, as Instrument No. 214112 and re-recorded January 5, 1995, as Instrument No. 214627, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho; and assigned to IDAHO HOUSING AGENCY by Assignment of Deed of Trust recorded on January 5, 1995, as Instrument 214628, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTOR IS NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506 (4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT HE IS, OR IS NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, monthly installment payments under the Deed of Trust Note dated October 27, 1994, in the amount of \$563.00 each, for the months of September, 2021 through June, 2022, inclusive. All delinquent payments are now due, plus accumulated late charges, plus all escrow advances, plus any costs or expenses associated with this foreclosure. The accrued interest is at the rate of 7.07% per annum from August 1, 2021, and the Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$13,377.41, plus accrued interest at the rate of 7.07% per annum from August 1, 2021.

DATED This 11th day of July, 2022.

RYAN M. FAWCETT, a Member of the Idaho State Bar, SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE
07/20,27;08/03,10/2022

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✓ Frustration: City will work to rectify ordinances

signs prohibiting the presence of pets triggered Councilman Chris Even’s ire inside the council chambers at City Hall.

Adding to the confusion: While dogs are not allowed on the part of the riverside park south of the Idaho highway 55 bridge, the animals are permitted on the north side of the bridge where the boat docks are.

Wahl presented the conflicting language in the original animal control ordinance and a new 2018 ordinance that first addressed dangerous and potentially dangerous dogs but after discussion was expanded with language about non-domestic animals, farm animals, cruelty to animals and nuisance animals.

City attorney Cherese McClain from MSBT Law said that the newer ordinance doesn’t specifically address the presence of dogs in Island Park. Dogs are prohibited in City Park, and there is a sign stating such.

However, McClain said, it appears that the language of the Island Park sign doesn’t comply with either ordinance. Wahl said he didn’t know what he should do because the ordinance only prohibits dogs in the play area and water areas in the park.

McClain surmised the only solution until the ordinances can be reconciled is to trespass any dog owner who has his or her animal off-leash and that dog is acting unruly.

Even took strong exception to the presence of dogs in the park during the Third of July celebration because their presence is outlawed and because of the highly charged nature of the event with a large crowd and loud noises that could startle the animals.

He directed his ire at Sevy, saying he heard from a law enforcement person that the mayor had asked them to not enforce the prohibition even though the mayor is aware that the council doesn’t want dogs in the park.

“What gave the mayor the

authority to supersede the authority of the council?” Even asked.

Even’s rhetorical question included a hypothetical scenario: “That dog might be more interested in that hot dog than the 3-year-old holding it. What happens then?”

Then he addressed Sevy directly, reminding the mayor that he opened the city up to liability by taking upon himself to eschew the ordinance.

“You see the problem we have, Mr. Mayor?” Even asked.

Sevy said he did try to rectify the situation.

“I announced it, and Seth talked to each person he saw with a dog,” Sevy said.

“Action should have been taken,” Even said. “The dogs should have been removed.”

Even said he heard from a law enforcement officer and an off-duty city employee whom Sevy told not to worry about dogs in the park.

The councilman expressed a long-held frustration that the mayor didn’t take ordinances seriously, pointing out Sevy’s own flaunting of the city’s abatement codes.

“It bothers me. It is your job to handle this,” Even said.

“I feel it almost a violation of your oath of office when something is brought to your attention and you do nothing about it.”

Even suggested the council take a vote of no confidence in the mayor’s ability to lead the city.

Sevy asked for a motion on such a vote, but none of the other councilmembers spoke up.

“I have come to the point where I don’t have any confidence in you,” Even said. “I’ve lost sleep over this. The citizens of Marsing deserve better. They deserve better leadership.”

After the failed motion, Sevy told Even that he understood his concerns and wanted to talk to the councilman about it.

“I’m past having discussions with you,” Even said.

— JPB

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