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WHOLE LOTTA HOMECOMING



Homedale's royalty

Rylan Binford (left) was named king and Sydney Davis queen prior to Homedale High School's Homecoming football game Friday at Deward Bell Stadium. Photo by Joshua Gray / GrayHawk Photography



Marsing's court of royals

Marsing High School's Homecoming court was introduced prior to Friday's football game against Nampa Christian. **From left:** Junior princess and prince Maria Molina and Jonathan Leon, Homecoming Queen and King Mikiala Gonzalez and Jordan Blas, and sophomore/freshman duchess and duke Adyson (Addy) Chadez and Levi Puga.

Jordan Valley's king and queen

Jill Gammett and Chris Mackenzie were named Jordan Valley High School Homecoming queen and king during a community rally Friday in front of the post office. Photo by Jamie Collins

For more on the events, see **Pages 12-13A**



SBOC irrigators' assessments on rise

Inflationary chemical, fuel costs blamed for 2023 increase

Owyhee Project irrigators made it into October on what was supposed to be a short water year. Now, they face increased assessments for the second year in a row.

And possibly a third consecutive bleak water year without Mother Nature's intervention between now and next spring.

Water to producers from the Snake River and the Owyhee

Reservoir will cease flowing Friday. Irrigation water for Homedale residents was shut off last week, and Marsing residents' last day for water is Thursday.

South Board of Control manager John Eells said the board of directors voted, 4-1, to raise assessments when the Fiscal

— See **SBOC**, page 4A

Homedale sewer rate hike open to comment

Price and formula changes proposed

As the date to turn dirt gets closer on the city's wastewater treatment plant reconstruction, Homedale is preparing for big hikes in user fees.

The city council will convene a public hearing next Wednesday to get feedback on the proposed fee increase.

The council's October monthly meeting starts at 6 p.m., inside the magistrate

— See **Homedale**, page 14A

Commissioners shift Grand View polls

Community center's ADA compliance prompts change of venue

Voters in Grand View will head to the polls in a different location beginning with the Nov. 8 general election.

The Board of County Commissioners made the change of voting venue when the polling places for the Nov. 8 election were finalized during the Sept. 19 meeting in Murphy.

The Grand View precinct has been moved to the newly remodeled Grand View Community Center. Ballots were previously cast inside

the American Legion Post 134 Hall in town.

Elections clerk Audra Yoshikane said the change was made in deference to Americans for Disabilities Act requirements.

Apparently the Legion Hall has a raised threshold at its entrance. With recent upgrades during the conversion from St. Henry's Catholic Church, the Grand View Community Center is better suited for

— See **Polls**, page 14A



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Cemetery Road reconstruction ends

Showalter Construction completed work Friday on Homedale Highway District’s latest roadway rehabilitation project.

Subdistrict 3 Commissioner Scott Salutregui said the Marsing contractor carried out work to completely repave Cemetery Road from Y Road to Jump Creek Road.

District director of highways Dan Herman on Monday confirmed that the paving was complete.

The work began a few weeks ago when crews tore up the old blacktop and rebuilt a drainage system.

Salutregui said the water seeping just below the road surface had caused the asphalt to break up in the past.

The district board of commissioners several years ago decided to turn some of the roadway into gravel because of the prohibitive cost of paving projects.

Salutregui said the highway district has benefitted from the Idaho Legislature’s decision to increase state support for local road building as well as an increase in the state fuel tax.

Salutregui said that the most recent major roadwork for the highway district, a triple chip seal project on Nielsen Lane south of Graveyard Point Road, seems to be working well.



After rebuilding the roadbed to ensure proper drainage, a Showalter Construction crew put down blacktop on a long stretch of Cemetery Road between Y Road and South Jump Creek Road last week. The project was completed Friday, according to Homedale Highway District director of highways Dan Herman.

E. Owyhee library plans busy month

The after-school program continues in October at the Eastern Owyhee County Library.

The hourlong program starts at 4 p.m., each Tuesday at the library, 520 Boise Ave., in Grand View.

The themes for the remainder of the month are:

- **Tuesday** — “How’s Your Water Pod?”
- **Oct. 18** — “Roll Your Dough”
- **Oct. 25** — “Let’s Prep Some Halloween”

The library board meets at 4 p.m., on Tuesday, Oct. 18, and the Friends of the Library will hold its meeting two hours later.

Friends of Library raised money for the library with a yard sale Saturday.

Grand View Elementary School students will walk through the library as part of their Red Ribbon Week parade on Thursday, Oct. 27.

Red Ribbon Week runs from Sunday, Oct. 23 to Saturday, Oct. 29.

The library opens at 10 a.m., each day and is closed on Friday and Sunday. The library closes at 5 p.m., on Monday and at 6 p.m., Tuesday through Thursday. The doors are open until 2 p.m., on Saturday.

For more information, call the library at (208) 834-2785.



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Our club has launched a project to assist the Marsing HUB with donation of toiletry items, laundry items, other non-food essentials to be distributed to those in need in our area. Your donation of any full-size item will enter you into a drawing for a \$25 gift card

FREE POPCORN!

Marsing Chamber talks Trunk or Treat

The Marsing Chamber of Commerce will hold another lunchtime meeting next Wednesday.

The meeting will run from 12:30 p.m., to 1:30 p.m., inside the Sandbar Community Room at City Hall, 18 Sandbar Ave.

Chamber president Steve Derricott asks anyone who is planning to attend to make sure they RSVP for lunch by calling City Hall at (208) 896-4122.

The primary work for the Chamber at the next meeting is finalizing plans for the annual Trunk or Treat, which will be held later this month in the City Hall parking lot.

HHS actors plan two performances

The Homedale High School Drama Club’s production of “The Secrets of Castleland” will hit the stage Friday and Saturday.

The play, an original written by Aubrey Anderson, will be performed at 7 p.m., each day inside the old HHS gymnasium. Enter from the main gymnasium foyer.

Anderson is a recent high school graduate who wrote the play while still in high school earning an associate’s degree on top of her diploma, drama club advisor DeAnn Thatcher said.

“It has only been performed one other time. We are giving it a good test drive on our stage with our audience,” Thatcher said.

“It has been a good starting play for this season as we warm up our skills for a musical planned for February.”

Tickets will be available at the door and cost \$5 for adults, \$3 for students and senior citizens, and \$20 for a family pass.

Seating starts at 6:40 p.m.

Find out
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Read Calendar each week
in the Avalanche

Secrets of Castleland

by Aubrey Anderson

Cast

Princess Eleanor

Princess Alyssa

False King Brian

False Queen Gertrude

False Princess Vivian

True King Edward

True Queen Margaret

True Prince Steven

True Princess Melody

Prince Tyler

Maid

Servants

Rilla, Queen M’s Handmaid

Guard 1

Guard 2

Announcer

Narrator

Catie Decker

Cori Huskey

Kolby Fisher

Sienna Stairs

Solstice Johnson

Rylan Love

Kahlilia Mark

Mikevin Rountree

Kira Manley

Lyn Given

Paige Van Vliet

Brody Vagt, Karisma Ferguson

Eliza Deason

Jeremiah Montes

Jack Decker

Alex Abbott

Alex Abbott

Stage Crew

Adam Francis, Zoey Fisher, Michael Sanders, Scott Wilcox Kimberly Smith, Sarah Termini, and Delylah Kester

Video voyeur felon could be out of prison in a year

A 25-year-old Homedale man has been sentenced on a felony for videotaping his girlfriend’s underage daughter.

Esteban Rios was placed on a rider during a Sept. 23 sentencing hearing before Third District Judge Randall S. Grove.

Rios has a chance to avoid a state prison sentence of two to five years on the video voyeurism conviction. Rios will be imprisoned for a year while he undergoes counseling and other treatment as part of the retained jurisdiction program.

Grove ordered Rios to pay \$245.50 in court costs.

Nampa Police arrested Rios on Nov. 5 after Homedale authorities wrapping up an investigation triggered by a report from a 16-year-old girl’s mother, who found the videos while searching through the man’s email account.

Evidence showed that the videos were shot in the bedroom of a home in the 100 block of East Montana Avenue in Homedale.

Rios apparently tried to delete the videos, which were shot between June and October of 2021, but he failed to empty the trash on his email program, and the woman located the images.

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Anniversary



Bill and LaDonna Gibbens, today



Bill and LaDonna Gibbens, 1962

Bill, LaDonna Gibbens to mark 60 years of marriage

The family of Bill and LaDonna Gibbens will host a celebration for the couple’s 60th wedding anniversary. The reception will take place from 1 p.m., to 4 p.m., on

Saturday, Oct. 8, 2022 at the Zion Lutheran Church, which is located at 404 Nectarine St., Nampa. Cards and conversation are welcome.

From page 1A

✓ SBOC: Per-acre fees up more than 6%

Year 2023 budget was finalized during a special meeting last month.

Dennis Turner, the Div. 3 director from the Gem Irrigation District, was the only South Board director to vote against the new budget.

Eells said the per-acre assessments producers will receive in mid-November will reflect about \$4.18-per-acre increase (6.7 percent) in the Gem District and a \$4.17-per-acre increase (6.6 percent) in the Ridgeview district.

Eells attributes the increases — from \$62.36 per acre to \$66.54 per acre in the Gem district and from \$62.89 per acre to \$67.06 per acre in the Ridgeview district — to inflationary prices.

And stockpiled supplies may have helped keep the assessment boosts lower.

“The cost of chemicals went up quite a bit more, but we were able to save some chemical from this year,” Eells said.

The veteran SBOC employee said the price of herbicides 2-4-D and Roundup doubled this year. Likewise, a tank of aquatic weed killer Magnacide H went up in price from \$35,000 to \$44,000.

Fuel costs and personnel costs also were cited as reasons for the assessment increase. SBOC directors increased

assessments \$2 per acre for FY 22, marking the first time in six years that assessments had been raised, Eells said.

Now assessments are up for the second year in a row, and it’s unclear whether the inflation will subside.

“It’s going to depend on what the economy does,” Eells said. “If chemicals keep going up and fuel prices go up, we’re going to go up because we’re non-profit.

“It’s harsh to do, but I just didn’t have any choice.”

Assessments will be due — either first half or in full — on Dec. 22. The second half is due in June, but Eells points out that irrigators will not be able to order water in the 2023 season until their assessments are paid in full.

Equally harsh may be Eells’ outlook for the 2023 irrigation

season if the trend of the past few years persists.

“It’s bad. It’s always bad,” he said.

Eells expects the reservoir to be down to about 50,000 acre-feet by Friday’s shutout date.

“The way it run this year was almost parallel to last year’s (trend),” he said. “It just depends on the winter.

“The forecast is this winter should be parallel to last winter.”

When the water season began in April, there were serious doubts that irrigators would have water at their disposal in October.

Eells said producers have June to thank for the stretch.

“We didn’t gain anything in June, but we actually used June water in September,” he said.

— JPB

Corrections

Homedale Middle School’s eighth-grade placekicker was misidentified in a football photograph in last week’s edition. Alejandro Martinez (35) is the kicker. Mason Taylor wears jersey No. 36.

Because of information provided to The Owyhee Avalanche, the name of Marsing High School Homecoming junior princess candidate Gwyneth Nielson was misspelled last week.

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School menus

Homedale Elementary

Choice of milk and juice
PB&J sandwich, and vegetable and fruit choices will be offered daily

Oct. 5: **Breakfast:** Belgian waffle sticks, mixed fruit **Lunch:** Chicken fried beef, mashed potatoes, gravy, buttered corn, whole grain roll

Oct. 6: **Breakfast:** Tornado, sliced pears **Lunch:** Pepperoni pizza, pineapple tidbits, garden salad, Jello

Oct. 10: **Breakfast:** Breakfast on a stick, applesauce **Lunch:** Chicken nuggets, buttered carrots, whole grain roll

Oct. 11: **Breakfast:** Scrambled eggs, whole grain toast, jelly, peaches **Lunch:** Spaghetti, green beans

Oct. 12: **Breakfast:** Cinnamon roll, cheese stick, mixed fruit **Lunch:** Chicken sandwich, mixed vegetables, strawberry cup

Oct. 13: **Breakfast:** Pancakes, syrup cup, pears **Lunch:** Orange chicken bowl, steamed broccoli

Homedale Middle

Choice of milk and juice, yogurt or string cheese
Cereal option and PB&J and string cheese offered daily
Vegetable and fruit choices will be offered daily

Oct. 5: **Breakfast:** Belgian waffle sticks, syrup cup, mixed fruit **Lunch:** Chicken fried beef, mashed potatoes, gravy, buttered corn

Oct. 6: **Breakfast:** Tornado, pears **Lunch:** Pepperoni pizza, pineapple tidbits, garden salad, Jello

Oct. 10: **Breakfast:** Breakfast on a stick, applesauce **Lunch:** Chicken nuggets, buttered carrots, whole grain roll

Oct. 11: **Breakfast:** Scrambled eggs, whole grain toast, jelly, cheese stick, peaches **Lunch:** Spaghetti, green beans, mini garlic toast

Oct. 12: **Breakfast:** Cinnamon roll, cheese stick, mixed fruit **Lunch:** French toast sticks, syrup cup, hash brown patty, strawberry cup

Homedale High

Choice of milk and juice, yogurt, string cheese or hard-boiled egg
Vegetable and fruit choices will be offered daily
Cereal option, grab ‘n’ go items each day

Oct. 5: **Breakfast:** Tornado or cinnamon roll **Lunch:** Super nachos, refried beans **Grab ‘n’ go:** Ham and cheese sub

Oct. 6: **Breakfast:** Breakfast on a stick, banana **Lunch:** Corn dog, seasoned potato wedges, chocolate chunk cookie, **Grab ‘n’ go:** Taco salad

Oct. 10: **Breakfast:** Sausage and cheese biscuit, cheese stick, apple **Lunch:** Pepperoni pizza slice, French fries **Grab ‘n’ go:** Turkey bacon sub

Oct. 11: **Breakfast:** Biscuits and gravy, or biscuit and jelly, sausage patty **Lunch:** Mozzarella bread sticks, Tater Tots **Grab ‘n’ go:** Southwest chicken wrap

Oct. 12: **Breakfast:** Scrambled eggs, whole grain toast, jelly, applesauce **Lunch:** Crisпитos, seasoned potato wedges, **Grab ‘n’ go:** Chicken bacon salad

Marsing

Each meal includes choice of milk, fruit juice, fresh fruit & vegetables
Elementary School each day: Breakfast: Cereal option
Middle/High School each day: PB&J sandwich option
Cold Grab-n-go line: Wrap, sub sandwich, salad

Hot Grab-n-go line (varies): Cheeseburger, chicken dish (reg./spicy sandwich; nuggets; bites), Pizza (varies), chicken rice bowl, potatoes (varies), bread (varies)

Oct. 5: **Breakfast:** French toast bites, maple syrup, applesauce **Grab-n-go:** Tornado (egg, sausage, cheese), orange wedges **Lunch:** Spaghetti with meat sauce, green beans, garlic toast

Cold Grab-n-go: Taco salad

Oct. 6: **Breakfast:** Scrambled eggs, toast, jelly **Grab-n-go:** Cinni Mini, grapes **Lunch:** Tater Tot casserole, mixed vegetables, roll **Hot Grab-n-go:** Popcorn chicken, potato wedges, roll

Oct. 10: **Breakfast:** Breakfast pizza, sausage, mixed fruit **Grab-n-go:** Banana bread slice, apple **Lunch:** Chicken or spicy chicken sandwich, corn **Cold Grab-n-go:** Ham and cheese sub

Oct. 11: **Breakfast:** Biscuit, pork sausage patty, country gravy, apple **Grab-n-go:** Mini donuts, orange wedges **Lunch:** Soft taco, Spanish rice, refried beans, carrot sticks **Hot Grab-n-go:** Garlic French bread cheese pizza, marinara sauce cup, tots

Oct. 12: **Breakfast:** Maple bites, bananas **Grab-n-go:** Apple or cherry frudel, grapes **Lunch:** French toast sticks, pork sausage patty, hash browns, strawberry cup **Hot Grab-n-go:** Walking taco, potato wedges, snickerdoodle cookie

Bruneau/Grand View

All meals: Milk and fruit offered daily
Jr.-Sr. high school: Pizza offered daily

Oct. 5: **Breakfast:** French toast **Lunch:** Beef and bean burrito, refried beans/salsa, corn

Oct. 6: **Breakfast:** Cereal bar **Lunch:** Corn dog, Tater Tots, baby carrots

Oct. 10: **Breakfast:** Cereal bar **Lunch:** Chicken and noodles, romaine salad, steamed carrots

Oct. 11: **Breakfast:** Biscuits and gravy **Lunch:** Chicken patty on a bun, mashed potatoes and gravy, steamed broccoli

Oct. 12: **Breakfast:** Muffins **Lunch:** Nachos and whole wheat chips, refried beans/salsa, corn

Oct. 13: **Breakfast:** Bagels **Lunch:** BBQ pulled pork on a bun, fries, celery

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 except Oct. 12

Oct. 5: Meatloaf, mashed potatoes and gravy, sautéed cabbage

Oct. 6: Sausage Alfredo pasta, California blend vegetables

Oct. 11: Beef stroganoff, beets

Oct. 12: Ham and beans, sweet potatoes, zucchini, cornbread

Oct. 13: Baked chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, Malibu 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)

Oct. 5: Stuffed chicken and gravy, garlic mashed potatoes, peas, fresh fruit

Oct. 7: Baked potato with chili and cheese, green beans, spiced apples, wheat roll

Oct. 10: Meatball sub, potato wedges, Italian vegetables, pineapple chunks, hoagie roll

Oct. 12: Chicken wild rice casserole, baby carrots, Brussels sprouts, wheat roll

Oct. 14: Breaded chicken and gravy, mashed potatoes, spring blend vegetables, 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.
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Oct. 6: Chicken a la king, oriental vegetables, noodles, green salad, biscuits, cottage cheese, fresh fruit

Oct. 11: Mexican lasagna, salsa, sour cream, onions, creamed corn, green salad, yogurt, garlic bread

Oct. 13: Sweet and sour chicken, fried rice, chow mein noodles, steamed vegetables, cottage cheese, pineapple

Oct. 18: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, salad, whole wheat roll, fresh fruit, birthday cupcake

Melba Valley Senior Center

Meals served at noon (Salad bar at 11:30 a.m.)
Phone ahead (208) 495-2168 same day for complete menu
Payment by donation. All ages welcome

Oct. 6: Meatloaf

Oct. 11: Baked chicken

Oct. 13: Meatloaf

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of Owyhee County

The Owyhee Avalanche
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2023 Calendar

Submit your photos of Owyhee County scenery, wildlife, activites or histori-cal places and we’ll choose 12 of our favorites to be published in our annual calendar. Photo credits will be given.

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UI Master Gardeners spread know-how about home horticulture

Each fall and winter, University of Idaho Extension recruits new Master Gardener volunteers around the state. These dedicated men and women join a corps of nearly 20,000 new recruits nationwide.



Have you been curious about the program and how to get involved? This month, I will share how this unique program with northwestern roots came about, and highlight some of the inspiring work accomplished.

Rural communities have relied on their University Extension services for more than 100 years, particularly for help with agriculture, livestock and youth development (4-H). However, as suburban populations increased, county offices began fielding more frequent requests for sound advice and reliable information about home gardening.

In 1971, two King County, Wash., Extension agents had a brilliant idea. To help answer the hundreds of home horticulture calls flooding in from the Seattle area, David Gibby and Bill Scheer decided to train interested home gardeners in the latest information and empower them to help spread the word. The idea took off in a big way. There are now at least 1,000 training programs in the U.S. and Canada.

We’ve had a program in Idaho since 1976, administered by University of Idaho Extension. We have trained Master Gardener Volunteers serving at least 32 of Idaho’s 44 counties, and we’re still “growing!”

In Canyon County, the multi-county program welcomes volunteers from Owyhee County.

Each new Master Gardener will receive 50-plus hours of classroom education, typically beginning in January, and

will donate about 30 hours of volunteer service throughout the year. Certified Idaho Master Gardener Volunteers are knowledgeable, committed leaders who support the Extension office and contribute to their communities through civic projects that inform and educate with unbiased, research-based advice. They help thousands of people care for their plants, save money, apply pesticides safely, and preserve property values. Idaho Master Gardener volunteers also help children, seniors, and individuals with disabilities discover the proven healthy benefits of gardening.

A major effort of Master Gardeners in Canyon County for many years is hunger relief through community gardening. Volunteers have grown thousands and thousands of pounds of food that has been donated to local shelters and food banks. Several of the volunteers teach classes to help others learn to grow their own food.

Owyhee and Canyon County Master Gardeners are also passionate about school gardens and teach Junior Master Gardener classes, free of charge, in after-school settings, summer reading programs, public libraries and at public events.

To find out more about how you could become a Master Gardener in 2023, call the Canyon County Extension Office at (208) 459-6003 for a list of classes, events, and other activities.

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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
- Yoga class**
10 a.m., free, all ages, beginner-focused, Gypsy Jackson Memorial Library, 121 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228
- Story Time**
10:30 a.m., Lizard Butte Library, 111 3rd Ave. W., Marsing. (208) 896-4690
- Snake River Irrigation District meeting**
1 p.m., Grand View Irrigation District Office, 645 Idaho Ave., Grand View.
- Christian Life Club**
4 p.m., to 5:15 p.m., First Presbyterian Church of Homedale, 320 N. 6th St. W., Homedale. Kindergarten to fourth grade. (208) 880-7070 or (208) 337-3464
- Grand View Fire commissioners meeting**
5 p.m., Grand View Fire Station, 721 Roosevelt Ave., Grand View. (208) 834-2511
- Arock school board meeting**
7 p.m., W. W. Jones Schoolhouse, 3513 Arock Rd., Arock. (541) 586-2325

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
- Reynolds Irrigation District meeting**
1 p.m., Wilson School House, 10427 Johnston Lane, Melba.
- Yoga class**
4 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St., Homedale.
- Teens and Tweens**
5 p.m., Gypsy Jackson Memorial Library, 121 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228
- Alcoholics Anonymous**
7 p.m., open to alcoholics, their families and those contemplating recovery, Homedale Friends Community Church, 17434 Hwy. 95, Wilder.
- Owyhee County Fair Board meeting**
7 p.m., Owyhee County Community Center, 423 W. Nevada Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3888

Friday

- Youth soccer camp**
9:30 a.m., to 11 a.m., \$25, grades 2-6, Deward Bell Stadium, Riverside Avenue, Homedale. (208) 272-1053
- HHS Drama production**
7 p.m., seating at 6:40 p.m., ‘The Secrets of Castleland,’ \$5 adults, \$3 students and senior citizens, \$20 for a family, Homedale High School old gymnasium, 203 E. Idaho Ave.
- 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
- Marsing Lions Club bingo**
6:45 p.m., early bird, 7 p.m., regular series,

- Phipps-Watson Marsing American Legion Post 128 Community Center, 126 W. 2nd St. N., Marsing.
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Monday

- Opal Nash Story Time**
10:15 a.m., Gypsy Jackson Memorial Library, 121 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale.
- Homedale library board meeting**
1:30 p.m., Gypsy Jackson Memorial Library, 121 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228
- Grand View Community Club meeting**
6:30 p.m., Grand View Community Club (formerly St. Henry’s Catholic Church), 501 Idaho St., Grand View.

Tuesday

- TRHS mobile medical clinic**
9 a.m., to 4 p.m., appointments necessary, McKeeth Hall, Owyhee County Historical Museum, 17085 Basey St., Murphy. (208) 318-1326
- Board of County Commissioners meeting**
9 a.m., Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy. 78, Murphy. (208) 495-2421
- 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 Fire commissioners meeting**
Noon, The Bowling Alley, 18 N. 1st St. W., Homedale.
- Region III assistance assessments**
Noon to 3 p.m., appointments necessary, Lizard Butte Library, 111 3rd Ave. W., Marsing. (208) 495-5688
- Senior citizens board meeting**
1 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020
- Yoga class**
4 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St., Homedale
- After-school time**
4 p.m., Eastern Owyhee County Library, 520 Boise Ave., Grand View. (208) 834-2785
- Melba School Board meeting**
5 p.m., district office, 511 Broadway, Melba. (208) 495-1141

- Alcoholics Anonymous**
7 p.m., open to alcoholics, their families and those contemplating recovery, Homedale Friends Community Church, 17434 Hwy. 95, Wilder.
- Jordan Valley City Council meeting**
7 p.m., City Hall, 306 Blackaby St., Jordan Valley. (541) 586-2460 Tuesday and Thursday
- Pleasant Valley school board meeting**
7 p.m., Pleasant Valley School, 28026 Juniper Mountain Rd., Pleasant Valley. (208) 583-2420
- Ridgeview Irrigation District meeting**
7 p.m., South Board of Control office boardroom, 201 W. Wyoming Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3760
- Gem Irrigation District meeting**
7:15 p.m., South Board of Control office boardroom, 201 W. Wyoming Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3760
- South Board of Control meeting**
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Submitting calendar items

Submit information on upcoming fundraisers, meetings, reunions or community events to The Owyhee Avalanche by noon Fridays for inclusion in the calendar. Drop off press releases at the Avalanche office at 19 E. Idaho Ave., Homedale, mail them to P.O. Box 97, Homedale, ID 83628, fax them to (208) 337-4867 or e-mail them to jon@owyheeavalanche.com

No candidate filings for Gem board

Secretary: Dennis Turner
will be reappointed
for another year

Dennis Turner’s tenure on the Gem Irrigation board of directors will last at least one more year apparently.

No individuals — including Turner himself — filed candidacy papers prior to Friday’s deadline.

“So no elections,” Sherry Maxwell, the secretary for the Gem and South Board of Control directors said.

“The board will just re-elect Turner for one year, and we will then see how next year goes.”

The candidate filing deadline for the Ridgeview Irrigation District’s three board positions ended Tuesday.

All three Ridgeview directors — Mark Aman, Bret Nielson and first-year director Sterling Johnston — will see their current terms end in December.

Maxwell said she expected the same outcome for the Ridgeview nomination process, and that

means no election will be held in November.

The October meetings, which are scheduled to be the final nighttime meetings of the year, will take place Tuesday inside the SBOC building at 201 W. Wyoming Ave.

Ridgeview Irrigation District directors meet at 7 p.m.

The Gem Irrigation board will convene at 7:15 p.m.

The South Board of Control, which includes all Gem directors and the Ridgeview chairman, meets at 7:30 p.m.

All meetings are open to in-person attendance.

South Board officials have discontinued Zoom meetings because no one was taking advantage of the service. However, the option is still available if a couple days’ notice is given from anyone who wants to participate remotely.

Call the SBOC office at (208) 337-3760 for more information on access, including those people who don’t have access to a computer or internet-capable phone.

Stay up-to-date with emergency notices and other news by visiting www.southboardofcontrol.com.

Celebration of Life

LEE STANFORD, of Jordan Valley, died on Thursday, Sept. 1, 2022. A celebration of life will be held at 11 a.m., on Friday, Oct. 7, 2022 at Jordan Valley City Park. A meal will be furnished by the family.



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Death notice

MONTE V. GOODLOE, 69, of Grand View, died on Saturday, Sept. 24, 2022. A graveside gathering will be held at 11 a.m., on Tuesday, Oct. 11, 2022 at the Bruneau Cemetery. A social will follow at the American Legion Post 83 Hall, 32548 Belle Ave., Bruneau.

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Homedale Firemen’s Burnout Fund Golf Tournament at River Bend Golf Course



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HOMEDALE HIGH SCHOOL HOMECOMING



Left: Homecoming parade grand marshals Leslie and Mike Parker waved throughout the route Thursday afternoon. Photo by Gregg Garrett. **Above:** The grand marshals' granddaughter, high school senior Jacy Parker, gathers up dodgeballs as she looks for her next target during the Sept. 26 competition inside the main gymnasium. Photo by Joshua Gray / GrayHawk Photography



Above: The traditional bonfire roared after the Snake Dance through town. **Right:** Junior Olivia Asumendi also roared, chewing up ground on the Deward Bell Stadium artificial surface during the powderpuff game. Photos by Joshua Gray / GrayHawk Photography



The Trojans mascot led the Homedale High School cheer squad and color guard down North Main Street during Thursday's Homecoming parade. The route covered a lot of town that hadn't seen a Homecoming parade in a few years, but the usual places — the elementary school and Owyhee Health and Rehabilitation — were on the agenda as always.



The man who started it all, Damien Schaeffer (right), stands with his intended nemesis — Homedale Police Officer Danny Zenor (left) — and HPD Officer Kevin Bean prior to Friday's Beat the Heat 100-yard dash down the center of the Deward Bell Stadium turf. Photo by Joshua Gray / GrayHawk Photography

MARSING HIGH SCHOOL HOMECOMING



One of the class floats in Thursday's Homecoming parade tackled an out-of-this-world theme.



Above: A senior leaps to make a play during the powderpuff game at the football field.

Below: The Huskies marching band also performed their halftime routine for the community during the Thursday pep rally.



High school cheerleaders got acrobatic to fire up the crowd during Thursday's pep rally at the football stadium.



The seniors, wearing light blue T-shirts, got rowdy while cheering on their He-Man Volleyball team in its match against the freshmen.

Photos by Breeana Lootens / Breeana Lootens Photography

REVVING UP THE RODS FOR THE REFUGE

Youth center benefits from Homedale Assembly of God classic car, bike show

Saturday's winners
Mayor's Choice—Cameron Vasil, Boise, 1939 Lincoln Zephyr
Pastor's Choice — Bob Downen, Caldwell, 1969 Chevrolet Chevelle
Youth's Choice (Roxy Moore)— Jim Taylor, Nampa, 1954 Mercury Sun Valley
Youth's Choice (Vanessa Friedley) — Erik Heasley, Caldwell, 1970 Ford Mustang
Youth's Choice — Reub Rogers, Ontario, Ore., 2001 Ford F350
Other plaque winners
Cameron Stevenson, Parma, custom-built motorcycle; Rob Harris, Cascade, 1930 Ford Model A; Ken Bricker, Meridian, 1942 Ford Super Deluxe; Bill and Lindee Wood, Nampa, 1967 Buick Skylark; Bobby Scroggins, Nampa, 1958 Plymouth Belvedere; Scott Duncan, Boise, 1948 Chevrolet pickup; Mark LaMorte, Meridian, 1967 Chevy II; Mike Mitchell, Boise, 1968 Chevy C-10 pickup; Michael Johnson, Ontario, Ore., 1969 Chevy C-10 pickup; Doug Hunsaker, Caldwell, 1970 Dodge Charger (was his stepdad's car); James Tharpe, Caldwell, 2017 Ford Shelby GT350; Ernie Agueros, Marsing, 1955 Chevrolet 150 coupe; Devra Chrsitoffersen, Homedale, 2014 Chevrolet Corvette; Doug Roberts, Wilder, 1932 Ford cabriolet; Steve and Brandi Megis, Nampa, 1978 Datsun 280Z; Jack Wilson, Meridian, 1929 Chevrolet roadster; Mike Toal, Boise, 1965 Shelby Cobra; Robert Hughes, Wilder, 2020 Dodge pickup (formerly owned by Los Angeles Lakers great Kobe Bryant; won in raffle); Rocky Nelson, Nampa, 1979 Chevrolet C-10 pickup



Organizers said 80 classic rides from the 1920s into the 2020s were parked on the Bette Uda City Park lawn Saturday for the eighth annual Homedale Assembly of God show and shine.



Above: Homedale resident Martin Cloud, who drove his own classic car to the show, checks out a restored jalopy hardtop racecar Saturday. Photo by Roxy Moore, the daughter of Pastor Ivar Moore and his wife Suzanne. **Below:** Even in the shade, the flames on Marsing resident Ernie Agueros' 1955 Chevy sparkle as he chats with a fellow classic car enthusiast.



Gheen Christoffersen (right) chose Boise resident Cameron Vasil's heavily customized 1939 Lincoln Zephyr for the Mayor's Choice plaque.



Homedale Sr. Center coordinator announces plan to retire

As a new month begins at the Homedale Senior Center, the powers-that-be will start the search for a new coordinator.

Sandra Ledford announced last week that she will retire from the coordinator position once her successor is trained.

"I have told the (board of directors) that when they choose a person I will train them," Ledford said. "I feel it is time for me to retire. I am 74 years old and maybe someone young can do a good job."

Ledford has spent the past seven years helping run the senior center. She started her relationship with the senior center in the thrift store and volunteered before accepting a paying position.

"When they found out I had office training, (former coordinator Shirley McAbee) asked me to help," Ledford said.

When coordinator Joan Mast died, the board of directors hired Ledford as coordinator.

Although she's walking away from the coordinator position, Ledford seems amenable to continuing as a volunteer.

"I feel it is time to step aside and get new help," she said. "I will stay and help."

The next board meeting is set for 1 p.m., on Tuesday at the senior center, 224 W. Idaho Ave. The meeting is open to the public.

The monthly foot clinic will be held on Tuesday, Oct. 18. Foot examinations cost \$20, and ear cleanings are available for \$30. Call the senior center at (208) 337-3020 to obtain an appointment. The first time slot is 8:30 a.m.

The Prime Time Swingers will be back to provide music during the congregate lunch on Thursday, Oct. 27. Live music will run from 11 a.m., to noon.

The Fit and Fall exercise classes take place at 10:30 a.m., each Tuesday and Thursday.

The thrift store, which is one of the fundraising arms for the senior center, is open from 8 a.m., to 1 p.m., each Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

The Ladies Coffee Group continues to meet at 9 a.m., each Wednesday.

The senior center is also a place where people older than 60 can get information on COVID-19.

The Area 3 Senior Services Agency on Aging has made the senior center a local conduit for folks to get help locating a vaccine clinic, scheduling a vaccine appointment and coordinating transportation to and from the vaccine clinic.

Grants are available to help seniors access vaccines, too.

Information is available at the Homedale Senior Center or by calling Donna Queen at the Area Agency on Aging at (208) 593-0001.



Above: Idaho Power representatives Bryce Blackwell and Dena McFarlin present the keys to Murphy-Reynolds-Wilson Fire Chief Chuck Cooley and Deputy Chief Louis Monson. **Right:** Cooley presents McFarlin with an MRW Chief’s Performance Coin. Submitted photos



4x4 expands MRW’s capabilities

Retired Idaho Power vehicle gifted to district

Murphy-Reynolds-Wilson Fire District has received another retired vehicle from Idaho Power.

Chief Chuck Cooley and Deputy Chief Louis Monson accepted the keys to a Chevrolet 3500 pickup truck on Sept. 8.

To show the district’s appreciation, Cooley presented Idaho Power representatives Dena McFarlin and Bryce Blackwell with the inaugural

Chief’s Performance Award Coin.

McFarlin is Idaho Power’s customer relations manager, and Blackwell is a safety professional with the utility.

The volunteer agency covers a large area in Owyhee County, including Idaho Power’s Hemingway Substation.

The 2012 Chevy 4x4 can tow the fire district’s cargo trailer, which carries the UTV district emergency medical personnel use on back country calls.

MRW also has a larger cargo trailer to carry the UTV and provide space for a command post and aid station during the

various motorcycle events that occur in the Owyhee desert.

It’s also a mobile command post during major events.

In its press release, the district stated:

“MRW is grateful for the support of Idaho Power. Their donation improves our task of fire and EMS service to the community.”

The pickup is the third vehicle Idaho Power has donated to MRW.

Monson said the first vehicle was destroyed during the Soda Fire in 2015. The second vehicle is in use as the chief’s command vehicle.

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JORDAN VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL HOMECOMING



Everyone gets involved in a small-town Homecoming celebration

Above: The community took time out from the Homecoming celebration Friday near the post office to take a photo for posterity. Photo by Jessica Smith
Below: Jordan Valley High School's sophomore class won the Homecoming float award for its "Surfin' Our Way to Victory" theme complete with a boogie-boarding Mustang and an apparently friendly shark. Photo by Jamie Collins



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Jill Gammett reigns as JV Homecoming queen

Jordan Valley was one of four Owyhee communities to observe homecoming last week.

Jill Gammett was crowned Homecoming queen and Chris Mackenzie king after a pep rally Friday at the post office.

The Homecoming court, which was introduced after a parade through town, included freshmen Jalee Maestrejuan and Luke Blackledge, sophomores Lacey Gammett and Robert Cheney, and juniors Kaitlyn Stoddart and Kale Gooch.

The sophomores won the float competition with their “Surfin’ Our Way to Victory” creation.

The runner-up float was the seniors’ “Blast ’Em,” followed by third-place “Take ’Em for a Ride” (freshmen) and fourth-place “Don’t Judge by Looks” (juniors).

Members of the freshman class performed a skit after the pep rally, and everyone in attendance got in on a community photo.

A free hamburger luncheon was served at the high school before community members challenged the high school team to a volleyball match. The Mustangs prevailed.

Students were declared winners for the dress-up days during the week:

- **Sept. 26, White Lies** — Jalee Maestrejuan and Oksana Hodsdon
- **Sept. 27, Generations** — Grady Johnsrud and Jill Gammett
- **Last Wednesday, Formal** — Claire Collins and Hodsdon
- **Thursday, Spirit** — Kyndra Williams and Chris Mackenzie

Each class earned points in the spirit competition for the students that took part in the dress-up days.

Homecoming queen and king voting was held Thursday.

All ninth- through 12th-graders — 17 boys and girls total — split into teams for the powderpuff game before the sophomores won the He-Man volleyball tournament.

The students worked on their floats until the snake dance began at 7:30 p.m. A bonfire capped Thursday’s festivities.

— Tara Echave provided information about the Jordan Valley Homecoming.

Citizens can comment on Homedale sewer rate hike

Price and formula changes proposed

As the date to turn dirt gets closer on the city’s wastewater treatment plant reconstruction, Homedale is preparing for big hiker in user fees.

The city council will convene a public hearing next Wednesday to get feedback on the proposed fee increase.

The council’s October monthly meeting starts at 6 p.m., inside the magistrate courtroom across the City Hall lobby from city offices. City Hall is located at 31 W. Wyoming Ave.

Rate increases are necessary to cover interim financing for the wastewater project.

The plan is to alter not only the cost of using the city’s sewer but also the methodology by which the city calculates the fee.

Currently, users pay based on meter size and costs range from \$24.27 to \$426.41 per month plus a separate sliding fee based on usage.

The new proposal would be

based on equivalent dwelling units (EDUs) at approximately \$55 per EDU. An EDU is defined as one single-family residential household.

The proposed rate hike will occur in two increments.

The public can provide input in person during the hearing. City Hall also takes written comment prior to the hearing. Typically, the deadline to submit written comment is 5 p.m., on the day of the hearing.

County, city talk trade

The city council and Board of Owyhee County Commissioners have started dialogue on ending years of confusion near the fairgrounds.

It may take a while, but the city and county could eventually strike a deal that would move a narrow street into the city limits while delivering a small piece of the fairgrounds parking lot to the county.

The move would clear up jurisdictional problems with the parking lot, part of which is under the authority of the police department, and would

be a step toward shoring up safety issues with the roadway between North 3rd Street West and North 4th Street West.

The road, which is West Nevada Avenue or Rodeo Road depending on the map, is the subject of traffic congestion during fair and rodeo each year.

While the rodeo board has posted no parking signs along the fence, those are largely ignored, creating a bottleneck on the street that runs from the back gate of the rodeo grounds off 3rd Street to the former midway entry gate and a sharp turn onto 4th Street.

During a Sept. 14 discussion in which Dist. 2 County Commissioner Kelly Aberasturi said the county would be fine with whatever the city decided, Mayor Gheen Christoffersen and the council contemplated bringing the roadway into the city limits then making it a one-way street running east to west between 3rd and 4th streets.

Annexation and the traffic pattern change are many months off, though, because a public comment process would have to be carried out.— JPB



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Oregon officials inch closer to B2H approval

The long-anticipated Boardman-to-Hemingway (B2H) transmission line is a step closer to construction.

The 290-mile, 500-kilovolt transmission line is proposed to carry electricity from a substation in Boardman, Ore., to Idaho Power's Hemingway substation in Wilson.

The latest development came Sept. 27 when Oregon's Energy Facility Siting Council approved a site certificate for the transmission line.

Once finalized, the permit will authorize construction of the power line across five eastern Oregon counties en route to the Owyhee County terminus.

Building of the B2H line is expected to begin next year with the project scheduled to come on line in 2026.

Construction of the line across public land managed by federal agencies already has been approved. Likewise, Owyhee County commissioners and other stakeholders were able to ensure that the power line wouldn't encroach on private property east of the Oregon-Idaho border.

According to a press release issued last week, the B2H line is important because other transmission lines are at load

capacities and can't carry energy at peak load hours.

Industry experts, environmental groups and government agencies agree that building more high-voltage transmission lines is crucial to incorporating a growing amount of clean energy on the grid. B2H will help Idaho Power pursue its goal of providing 100 percent clean energy by 2045, according to the press release.

The project will also help the West's other energy providers reach clean energy goals.

"It would be hard to overstate the importance of this project, not just for Idaho Power customers, but for homes, businesses and farms all across the western U.S.," Idaho Power's 500kV and joint projects senior manager Lindsay Barretto said.

"More and more energy from wind, solar and other sources is coming online. Better transmission connections to surrounding regions will help incorporate this clean energy while enhancing grid reliability and keeping customer prices affordable."

Idaho Power and Portland-based PacifiCorp plan to own B2H jointly.

For additional information, visit idahopower.com/b2h.

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✓ Polls: Legislative, Homedale library district votes about a month away

voters with all types of mobility.

"The new Grand View Community Center is (now) a more up-to-date building and meets all ADA requirements," Yoshikane wrote in an email.

The community center is located at 501 Idaho Ave.

All other polling places remain the same for the Nov. 8 election.

There are no county offices on the ballot, but voters will make decisions about who will represent them in the new District 23 legislative district as well as choose a governor, a lieutenant governor, a First District congressman and a U.S. senator.

There is also a proposed constitutional amendment that would give the Legislature the power to call a special session. Currently, only the governor can convene a special

legislative session.

Voters on both sides of the Snake River in the Homedale area will be asked if they want to form a taxing district to support the Gypsy Jackson Memorial Library.

Citizens not registered to vote have until 5 p.m., on Friday, Oct. 14 to pre-register for the election. Voter registration will be available again at the polls on Election Day between 8 a.m., and 8 p.m.

In-person absentee voting will be available at the Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy. 78 in Murphy between Monday, Oct. 24 and 5 p.m., on Thursday, Nov. 4.

Voters have until 5 p.m., on Friday, Oct. 28 to request an absentee ballot, and completed ballots must be received in Murphy by 8 p.m., on Election Day. Mail absentee ballots to P.O. Box 128, Murphy, ID

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All other polling places will remain the same for the Nov. 8 election:

- **Precincts 1-2, Homedale** — Owyhee County Community Center, 423 W. Nevada Ave., Homedale
- **Precincts 3-4, Marsing** — Phipps-Watson Marsing American Legion Post 128 Community Center, 126 Old Bruneau Hwy., Marsing
- **Precincts 5, 11 and 12** — Pleasant Valley, Riddle and Three Creek are mail-in precincts, and the county clerk's office must complete mailing of the ballots by Tuesday, Oct. 25.
- **Precinct 6, Wilson** — Wilson Schoolhouse, 10427 Johnston Lane, Melba
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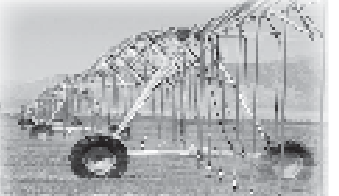
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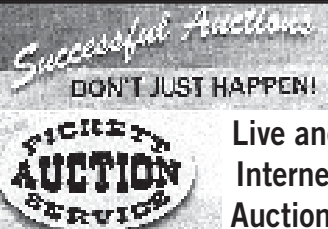
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Trojans race past Pirates toward teeth of conference season

Wolverines host Friday's fight for 3A SRV lead

Homedale High School played under a running clock in the second half of a runaway win sparked by the running game. And after crushing Payette, 42-0, on Homecoming night at Deward Bell Stadium on Friday, the Trojans are running headlong into a 3A Snake River Valley conference top-

dog showdown. Homedale (5-1 overall, 2-0 in conference) hits the road for Walter Johnson Field and a crucial contest against reigning Class 3A state champion Weiser. Kickoff is set for 7 p.m., on Friday. Homedale beat its first two conference opponents by a combined score of 102-0, and Weiser (6-0, 2-0) has had a similarly easy time in its two 3A SRV games.

— See *Trojans*, back page

Marsing shows “Moe” potential against NC

Pick-six, goal-line stand highlight strong first half

Glimpses turned into a brilliant flash Friday when Moe Montes gave Marsing High School's football team a lead in its Homecoming game. The freshman's 65-yard interception return gave the Huskies an early lead, but visiting Nampa Christian used some fireworks of its own to spark a 38-6 2A Western Idaho Conference victory. Moments after the Huskies' most sustained drive of the first half stalled, Montes picked off Trojans quarterback Aiden Thompson and ran to pay dirt for the Huskies' 6-0 lead. Nampa Christian (2-4 overall, 1-1 in conference) claimed a 7-6 lead before halftime then sucked the air out of the stadium by returning the



Freshman Jace Clover's pressure on quarterback Aiden Thompson disrupted an early scoring chance for Nampa Christian.

opening kickoff to start the third quarter for a touchdown. “It was a great first half for us, holding (Nampa Christian) to seven points,” Huskies coach Shea McClellin said. “In the second half, we just didn't come out with the right

— See *Marsing*, page 2B



Homedale High School senior Olivia Smith battles for control of the ball against a Payette player during Smith's final game on the Deward Bell Stadium artificial surface. Photo by Gregg Garrett. Smith is putting on a soccer clinic for young girls Friday, see *Page 2B*

Seniors shine in soccer home finale

It was truly Senior Night last week when Homedale High School closed out the girls' soccer regular season. Seniors Jacy Parker and Lydia Haas propelled the Trojans to a 3-0 victory over 3A Snake River Valley conference foe Payette on Sept. 27 at Deward Bell Stadium. The Trojans (4-2 overall, 3-2 in conference) closed out the regular season and take a two-game winning streak into the 3A District III Tournament. Single-elimination play begins at 11 a.m., on Saturday when Homedale takes on Payette for the third time in as many outings — this time at Harmon Killebrew Field in Payette. A win Saturday puts the Trojans in the district semifinal on the road against the No. 1 seed at 5 p.m., on Tuesday.

The district championship game is set for 5 p.m., on Thursday, Oct. 13 on the field on the highest remaining seed. The loser of the title game will move into a state tournament play-in game scheduled for 11 a.m., on Saturday, Oct. 15 at Canyon Ridge High School in Twin Falls. In the home finale against Payette, Parker posted the Trojans' first clean sheet of the season with five saves during her shutout in goal. Haas scored what is known as a “brace” in soccer parlance, putting the ball in the net in the 30th minute and in the 59th minute. Homedale led 1-0 at halftime on the strength of Haas' first score. Coach Shelby Nicoletti's squad peppered the Payette goalie with 13 shots. Junior Carlie Moore scored Homedale's last goal 12 minutes before the final whistle.

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Sports

✓ Marsing: Defense plays stingy in first half vs. Trojans

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mentality. They returned a kickoff for a TD coming out of half and just killed any momentum we had.”

The Huskies (1-5, 0-2) concentrated on pounding the ball on the ground in the first half with Cache Hance churning up yardage.

But Marsing went three-and-out on its first two possessions and picked up its initial first down on Hance’s 7-yard run on 3rd-and-2 from the Huskies’ 13-yard line late in the first quarter.

The ground game stalled a few plays later, requiring Hance’s third punt of the half.

“Offensively it was a rough night for us,” McClellin said. “We couldn’t really get anything going.”

Hance rolled up 64 yards on 22 carries.

Mason Enochson caught two passes from senior quarterback and Homecoming King Jordan Blas and covered 75 yards.

Luke Steinmeyer had two receptions for 25 yards.

Nampa Christian was unable



Cache Hance (center) looks for a chance after taking the handoff from Marsing quarterback Jordan Blas on Friday against Nampa Christian.

to generate any noise in the first quarter despite sustained possessions.

The Trojans went for the touchdown on a 4th-and-goal situation from Marsing’s 5 with 2 minutes, 24 seconds left in the opening period.

But freshman defensive lineman Jace Clover blitzed and got pressure on Thompson and forced an incomplete pass.

Nampa Christian started

with a 1st-and-goal situation on the 6, but Marsing’s goal-line defensive package — bolstered by shrieks of “Ambush!” and “Show it!” from the Huskies coaches on the sideline — knuckled down.

Sophomore Gavin Patterson knifed through the line and stopped Nathan Johnson for no gain on second down from the 3, and the Trojans were whistled for a holding call,

which was declined, on third down before Clover’s jailbreak pressure.

Steinmeyer and Enochson led the Huskies’ tacklers with 13 stops apiece. Senior defensive back Braeden Davis posted 11 tackles.

Montes chipped in four tackles, and sophomore Matt Ramirez was able to sack Thompson and pick up a tackle.

— JPB

Homedale senior to hold girls’ soccer camp

Olivia Smith is doing her part to perpetuate soccer locally.

The Homedale High School senior will suit up when the reinstated girls’ soccer program takes the field for the 3A District III Tournament this week.

But before Saturday’s first-round contest, Smith will conduct her senior leadership project.

Smith is coordinating a youth soccer camp for girls in second through sixth grades on Friday on the Deward Bell Stadium artificial surface.

The clinic runs from 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m.

The cost of the camp is \$25 per child.

The camp is a fundraiser for the first-year HHS girls’ soccer program.

Call Smith at (208) 272-1053 for more information.

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Sports

Melba pulls away from pesky Marsing on the court

Mustangs still perfect after big rally;
Huskies coach eyes strong finish

Five aces each from Meya Young and Ella Stosich helped Melba High School overpower the Marsing volleyball team Thursday.

The host Mustangs prevailed, 25-14, 25-5, 25-15, in 2A Western Idaho Conference action.

Charlize Sharp posted a team-high eight digs for Melba (11-0 overall, 6-0 in conference at week's end).

The Huskies (5-7, 0-3) were neck-and-neck with the Mus-

tangs in the opening set, forging a 12-12 tie before Melba scored 38 of the match's next 45 points to take a 2-0 lead in games.

"We came out fired up tonight," Marsing coach Amy Chadez said.

"We made a few errors, and Melba capitalized with their high-powered offense and we could not recover."

Three Huskies were perfect from the service line. Emily Vanosdall put in all seven of

her serves, including an ace, and Mila Astorquia (4-for-4) and Ashlyn (8-for-8) also got the job done.

But Chadez said other aspects of Marsing's game allowed the Mustangs to wiggle off whatever hook the Huskies had tried to set.

"They are an incredibly talented team with a lot of size and teams are finding they need to play perfectly to compete with them," the coach said.

"With that said, we did not pass well on serve/receive tonight. Had we done a better job there, we would have made the

games a little closer than they ended up."

Lily Thoene led the Huskies with five kills.

"I was pleased with our aggressiveness in the first and third sets and know we need to continue to be aggressive to compete as we wrap up league play," Chadez said. "We also need to be more successful on the block against teams at the top of our conference."

Ashlyn Porter dished four assists for Marsing.

"I have been happy with the progress our two setters — Lily Thoene and Ashlyn Porter — have made," Chadez

said. "They have been putting in additional time to improve, and it's showing."

"Lily has also been providing us with offense in the kills she has been earning, which has helped us tremendously."

Emily Vanosdall led Marsing's defense with nine digs.

Chadez is pleased with the team's trajectory.

"We are making gains at the right time and cleaning up a few mistakes, and continuing to push one another is going to help us as we try to make noise at the end of the season and into district tournament play," she said.



Shown in a meet earlier this season, Homedale High School junior Cooper Christiansen established another personal record Thursday in a junior varsity race in Nampa. Photo by Machele Randall

Two Trojans tally PRs at Ward Invite

Second-year coach David Gummersall chose to enter his Homedale High School athletes in the junior varsity meet at the Gary Ward Invitational on Thursday.

The Trojans pulled off milestone marks during the cross country meet at Lakeview Park in Nampa.

On the boys' side, junior Brock Johnson finished 27th in the JV five kilometers in 19 minutes, 15.29 seconds.

Teammates Cooper Christiansen, a junior, and

Jesus Monreal, a freshman, posted personal-record times. Christiansen crossed the line in 23:52.88, and Monreal clocked in a 25:33.09.

Sophomore Evelyn Koon (24:40.22) posted a season-fast time for 39th in the girls' race, while senior LaRae Stewart continued her resurgence with a season-best 26:09.08 for 69th place.

Ninth-graders Hailey Jakovac (31:50.08) and Breydyn Ford (34:10.16) also competed in the girls' meet.

Homedale JV can't beat the clock in beat-down of Payette

Uranga fires four
touchdown passes
on the road

Not much stopped the Homedale High School junior varsity football team Thursday night.

Time was the only defense Payette found against the churning Trojans in a 56-8 home-field loss in a 3A Snake River Valley conference.

Homedale's offense had 10 possessions Thursday at Harmon Killebrew Field, but the Trojans couldn't score on two of those drives — because the game clock wouldn't let them.

The team had eight possessions in the first half with the final drive ending after three plays because of the halftime buzzer.

Homedale had just two drives in the second half, which apparently was called after the third quarter.

Kade Hall scored on a 19-yard run to end a four-play 60-yard drive and establish the final score on the first HHS possession of the second half. The other possession lasted 11 plays and went until the end of the

quarter and contest.

The Trojans had plenty of opportunities because of their defense, which forced three turnovers, including back-to-back fumbles in the first quarter.

Two of Xavier Uranga's four touchdown passes came after the first-quarter fumbles. One pass went 30 yards to Keaton Sorenson, and Alex Sotelo took the other one in from 23 yards away.

Uranga threw a third TD pass in the first quarter — 17 yards to Rafael Cuenca for the team's second score.

Kade Hall banged in from one yard out for the game's first TD after Payette's first possession ended after three plays and a loss of four yards. He scored the game's final touchdown on a 19-yard run in the third quarter.

Uranga missed on just three of his 13 passes, throwing for 174 yards. His fourth TD pass came in the second quarter on a 10-yard toss to Sorenson.

While the defense stifled the Pirates with turnovers, Homedale's special teams got in on the act, too.

Chase Martell ran a punt back 62 yards for a touch-

down to forge Homedale's 31-0 lead in the first quarter.

Homedale piled 447 yards total offense, and Hall was the leading ground-gainer with 103 yards on 10 carries. His longest tote went for 42 yards. Sotelo picked up 93 yards on seven rushes. He scored on two short runs and had three TDs total against Payette.

Sorenson was the leading receiver with 64 yards on three catches.

He also led the defense with eight tackles (five solo), including a quarter-back sack.

Uranga picked off his opposite number, Payette quarterback Damien Pecunia, and Lukas Hall and Carson Fine fell on Pirates fumbles.

Brandon Reynolds logged five solo tackles, including two behind the line of scrimmage, and finished with seven stops total.

Kevyn Andrade-Lopez also had seven tackles, including two solo tackles (one of which went for a loss).

Keegan McKay also had two solo tackles for loss for half of his overall total of solo stops.

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Interior Secretary Bruce Babbitt announced last week that the Interior Department has sent payments for 1997 totaling \$113 million to 2,327 local governments across the U.S. in accordance with the 1976 Payments in Lieu of Taxes (PILT) Act.

Owyhee County’s share amounts to \$338,541 for fiscal year 1997, down \$21,340 from the 1996 payment of \$359,881. Idaho’s 44 counties contain approximately 32 million acres of public land that qualify for PILT payments. Checks totaling \$7,719,506 have been sent to these counties.

The Bureau of Land Management distributes PILT payments to eligible units of local government each year. The payments are intended to offset the loss of tax revenue caused by the presence of tax-exempt federal land administered by the BLM, the National Park Service, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and the U.S. Forest Service, as well as federal water projects and some military installations.

“PILT payments help local governments carry out such vital services as firefighting and police protection, construction of public schools and roads, and search-and-rescue operations,” said BLM Director Pat Shea.

Natural gas to be turned on in Homedale today

After three months of construction of main and distribution systems, Intermountain Gas Company will turn on its first natural gas customer in the city of Homedale.

The gas meter for Homedale City Hall will be activated during a ceremony today at 10 a.m., by Mayor Paul Fink and Intermountain Gas officials.

Bill Glynn, Intermountain Gas Company president, said “This is a significant milestone for both Intermountain Gas and the city of Homedale. Thanks to the support of Mayor Fink, the business and residents of Homedale can now enjoy the cost, comfort and efficiency of natural gas energy.”

Fink said, “Having natural gas in Homedale adds a significant element to our ability to attract new business and industry to Homedale. Everyone will benefit.”

Revitalization task force to negotiate with state

The Homedale Revitalization Task Force has agreed to develop a plan for community improvement to submit to the state transportation department in an effort to obtain additional funding to improve Main Street.

Without a well-developed plan, complete with cost estimates, the state will not negotiate with the city for sidewalks and gutters along the stretch of Main Street to be resurfaced and widened before the city takes control of the road.

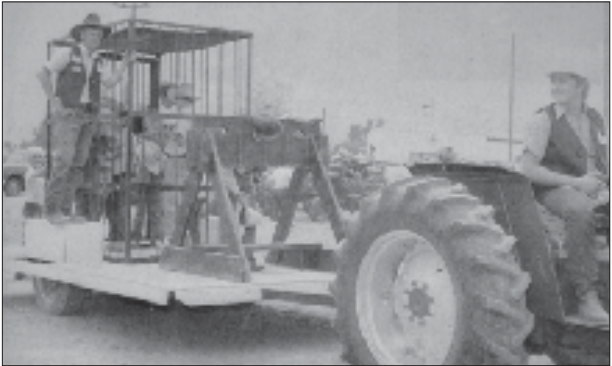
Mayor Paul Fink said the state had told him the city would get no more than the \$93,000 it had agreed to provide for Main Street improvements. The federal Department of Transportation told Fink to try to work something out with the state, and that it would no longer hold up the bypass project, which is going out for bid soon.

Phil Choate, executive director of Ida-Ore Planning and Development in Boise, said he’d spoken with the district highway engineer, who indicated he was open to discussion and negotiation so long as the city develops a plan outlining what it wants.

Task Force chairman Paul Zatica said revitalization should begin with cleaning up the city by getting rid of weeds and old junk piled up on city rights of way.

50 years ago

October 5, 1972



THE JAYCEE JAIL was a familiar sight during the Owyhee County Fair. Here Kim Tolsma drives the towing tractor and Mike Moulton stands guard as jailer for the hapless occupants inside. Photo by Bette Uda

Football conference season opens here Friday

New Plymouth will play here Friday night as Homedale opens its Southwest Idaho conference competition after four non-conference games.

The Homedale Trojans scored in every quarter Friday night as they walloped defenseless Adrian 41-0.

The Trojan offensive scoring attack got underway early as Greg Haylett skirted in from the 19.

During the second stanza, the Trojans tallied twice as enormous hard-hitting Mike Parker pounded in from the one and later Haylett took a fine Antelope punt and bounded away for a 65-yard scoring play to put the score at 20-0 at the half.

The third frame found the Red and White only scoring once as scrappy Steve Yamamoto blocked a Green and White punt and recovered it in the end zone.

The Owyhee County boys scored twice during the final period as Doug Cook slammed in from the one and Kirk Haylett pounded in later from the 36.

Named Queen Candidate

Kaylene Miyasako, 19, a junior in elementary education at Idaho State University, is among 12 candidates for homecoming queen. The winner will be decided by student vote and crowned Wednesday, Oct. 11, to reign over homecoming festivities Oct. 13-14. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Miyasako, Riverview.

Elementary school enrollment down

Homedale school enrollment is down some 58 pupils from last year, with most of the drop being reflected in the elementary grades, figures released this week by Supt. Deward Bell reveal.

Enrollment in the first six grades dropped from 492 in 1971-72 to 441 in 1972, or 51 pupils.

Junior high enrollment is also down, from 154 last year to 140 now.

Meanwhile, high school enrollment shows an increase from 253 last year to 260 at present.

Punt, Pass, Kick competition has area winners

A Wilder boy, Roland Rivera, was first place winner in the 11-year-old division of the Punt, Pass and Kick competition held Saturday at Simplot Stadium, Caldwell, sponsored by Happy Day Ford.

Two Homedale boys were third place winners, with Timmy Quintana entered in the 9-year-old division, and Tab Cahill an 11-year-old. Trophies were presented to the boys Monday.

155 years ago

October 5, 1867

INDIAN RESERVATIONS.—The Commissioner of the General Land Office has instructed the Surveyor General of Idaho to lay down upon the connected map of his surveying district, and protect from interference, Indian reservations as follows:

1. The reservations for the Coeur d’Alenes and other Indians, situated in the northern part of the Territory, adjoining the western boundary, and containing 250,000 acres.
2. The reservation for the Boise and Bruneau bands of Shoshones, in Southern Idaho, south of the Snake and Blackfoot Rivers, embracing Fort Hall within its limits, and containing about 180,000 acres. — *Oregonian*.

INDIAN MASSACRE IN FLINT.—One more good man has been murdered, scalped and burned in our midst, and the savage escaped unpunished with some booty, such as pistol, blankets, &c.

This fresh atrocity was committed during last Thursday night, within half a mile of Oro and Owyhee Cities, near the road leading between there and here. The unfortunate victim’s name is Joseph F. Colwell. He came to this Territory with Messrs. Bloom & Herd in 1865, from Jacksonville, Oregon. He was formerly from Missouri.

We may soon expect to hear of the Throne of Grace being besieged with orisons and supplications for “Lo! The poor Indian,” by our Eastern countrymen, who are totally ignorant of his fiendish character.

MINERS’ LEAGUE.—On the evening of October 1st, the miners and working men from several of the mines and mills in and about town, assembled at the Court House Hall for the purpose of organizing a Miners’ League. The movement was characterized as a “strike” for higher wages. These miners have been receiving five dollars per day, and six were demanded. The meeting elected a committee whose duty it was to draft a Constitution and By-Laws, by which to govern the organization, and report the next evening at seven o’clock. Accordingly, the Constitution, &c., which we lay before our readers in this paper, was reported and adopted. It is yet impossible to decide how the matter will terminate. Nearly all of the mines have been idle for four days, but as we go to press we understand that some of the mining companies have commenced working again — some at the fixed amount of the League, \$5.50 coin, and others at the former rates, \$5 — and the “strikers” are holding meetings to determine a course of action.

THE DIORAMA came off last Saturday evening as per announcement. Everybody and his wife and children were there, and consequently the Court House was crowded. The performance did not come up to popular expectation, although a few very fine Chromotropes were displayed. That funny genius, the “razor-strop man,” helped the arrangement out considerably by singing a few of his comic songs. The general opinion of our people came to be that the “Grand Diorama” was gotten up as a show for school children in the backwoods, and that the proprietor was guilty of a great mistake in bringing his show before an enlightened community — as that of Silver City.

It is but justice to Mr. Matteson to state that the reason why his views did not show to better advantage was that through an accident his calcium light was broken, which materially lessened the brilliancy of the scenes.

Sports



Arock 12-year-old Thales Eiguren sits with the buck he brought down early in his first hunt Saturday. Submitted photo

Boy’s first deer is buck of a lifetime

Every fall, young hunters start a lifetime of adventure. On Saturday, the opening day of the 2022 deer season in Oregon, 12-year-old Thales Eiguren filled his memory book and his hunting tag. The Arock resident harvested a bedded-down buck with one shot just about an hour into the season in the area around Keating, Ore. The Jordan Valley Middle School seventh-grader, his father Elias and family friend Gary Williams scouted on Friday before setting out Saturday morning, the first day of the season. The group hiked up a trail

and, when the legal shooting time dawned at 6:15 a.m., they found the buck. Peering through their spotting scopes, they figured the buck was a big one. They moved 100 yards closer over the next hour. Thales put his shot behind the deer’s shoulder. The buck’s 3x4 rack is 27 inches wide and 17 inches tall. “It’s going to ruin it for me because if I never get a buck as big as that one, I’ll think it’s horrible,” Thales said. — Tara Echave of Jordan Valley provided the information for this article.

Huskies defense finds success vs. NC

Senior Anna Gluch came up with four blocks against a team that her Marsing High School volleyball coach characterized as tough up front. Gluch and freshman Adyson Chadez, a fellow front-line player, paced the Huskies’ net play in a 25-10, 25-15, 25-11 home-court loss in a 2A Western Idaho Conference match played Sept. 27. Chadez, the coach’s daughter, made her debut as a full-time varsity player with three kills, matching the output of teammates Mila Astorquia and Lily Thoene. “She was able to earn three strong kills against a tough NCHS blocking front,” Huskies coach Amy Chadez said of her daughter. “She also brought another layer of speed and agility to our

defense, allowing us to pick up tips and balls off the block.” The freshman posted a 2.0 serve/receive rating. Gluch posted four blocks, including three solo efforts. “Anna played strong at the net tonight,” Amy Chadez said. Thoene notched five assists. Emily Vanosdall dug 17 balls to complement the efforts from Gluch and Adyson Chadez. “Emily had another solid night digging and giving us a chance to put our offense into play,” Amy Chadez said. “The defensive play of these three players helped us stay in the game.” Ashlyn Porter (8-for-8) and Astorquia (4-for-4) led the service game again. — JPB

Trojans take Parma to five sets

The Homedale High School volleyball team went the limit for the second time this season last week while battling for fourth place in the conference. The Trojans came within three points of beating perennial 3A Snake River Valley conference power Parma during a Thursday home match. The Panthers squeezed out a 25-17, 20-25, 16-20, 25-17, 15-13 victory to assumed fourth place in the conference standings. Homedale (2-8 overall, 1-4 in 3A SRV after the Parma loss) played another conference match against second-place Weiser on the road Thursday. Results were not provided. The Trojans put together a good defensive effort against the Panthers, converting 81 of 122 dig attempts (66.3 percent). Junior libero Isana Larzelier was successful in 10 of her 12 dig attempts, and junior hitter and setter Olivia Asumendi paced the team with 19 digs. Three other Trojans — senior opposite hitter Katie Christoffersen (14), junior hitter and defensive specialist Zayne Hall (11) and junior DS Lexie Heck (10) — reached double figures. Senior setter Kaylee Blankenship was the chief athlete turning those digs into points chances with 34 assists although she had 135 chances over the five sets. Her sister, senior hitter Kinsey, had eight digs. The Trojans’ front-line players had trouble converting spikes with a 23.6 percent accomplishment rate. Christoffersen knocked down nine of 28 kill attempts, and Asumendi converted seven of 30 attempts. Hall had five kills in 25 tries. Kinsey Blankenship led the team with nine kills in 32 attempts. She also performed on the other end of the offensive attack as one of three Trojans — along with Heck and Asumendi — with two ace serves each. Senior hitter and blocker Kinlee Garrett pulled off Homedale’s only block in five sets.

HYS launches annual fundraiser

Several businesses have donated prizes for the annual Homedale Youth Sports raffle. Tickets cost \$10 each, and ticket-holders don’t have to be present to win when the drawings take place during the final Optimist football game of the season. The season ends on Saturday, Oct. 22. The ticket drawings will be livestreamed on the Homedale Youth Sports Facebook page, too. Tickets are available through HYS football players and cheerleaders, and there are three gift card prizes for the boys and girls who sell the most tickets — \$100, \$75, and \$50. The top raffle prize is a handgun, bag and ear protection from Al’s Pawn and Gun. Other prize sponsors include: Parker Advisors, Chris Marston, who creates Homedale gear, A stocked Cordova cooler from Greg and Lori Idsinga, Country Cowgirl Cleaning, D&B Supply, Wood work by Stephen Kincheloe, including Homedale Trojans-themed coasters and a cutting board, Corteva Agriscience, Mattesons, NAPA Owyhee Auto Supply, Snake River Ranch & Lumber, Sockeye Brewing, HRD Inc., 44 North

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Commentary

Americans for Limited Government
Republicans still more enthusiastic than Dems; will *Dobbs* be a factor?

by Robert Romano

For the first half of 2022, Republicans hoping to retake the House and Senate in the Congressional midterms were consistently leading the generic ballot question all the way through June in national polls of both likely and registered voters by a few points.



It's what you'd expect to see in a midterm cycle: The opposition party that just lost the White House, being out of power, is anxious to reclaim power, and so, on average, they turn out in greater numbers than the incumbent party who just won the White House. It's fatigue versus anxiety.

You know the numbers, but here they are again. In midterm elections dating back to 1906 through 2018, the party that occupied the White House lost seats in the House 27 out of 30 times (90 percent of elections) with losses averaging 31 seats. The exceptions were 1934, 1998 and 2002, when the incumbent party was able to pick up House seats.

In the Senate, comparatively, the incumbent party lost seats 21 out of 30 times (70 percent) with losses averaging three seats in the Senate.

But since the Supreme Court's decision to overturn *Roe v. Wade* in *Dobbs v. Jackson*, effectively returning the question of abortion to the states, the race for the House of Representatives has seemingly tightened in a number of national polls, particularly polls of registered voters — as opposed to likely voters where pollsters attempt to model turnout based on historical trends like the midterm cycle.

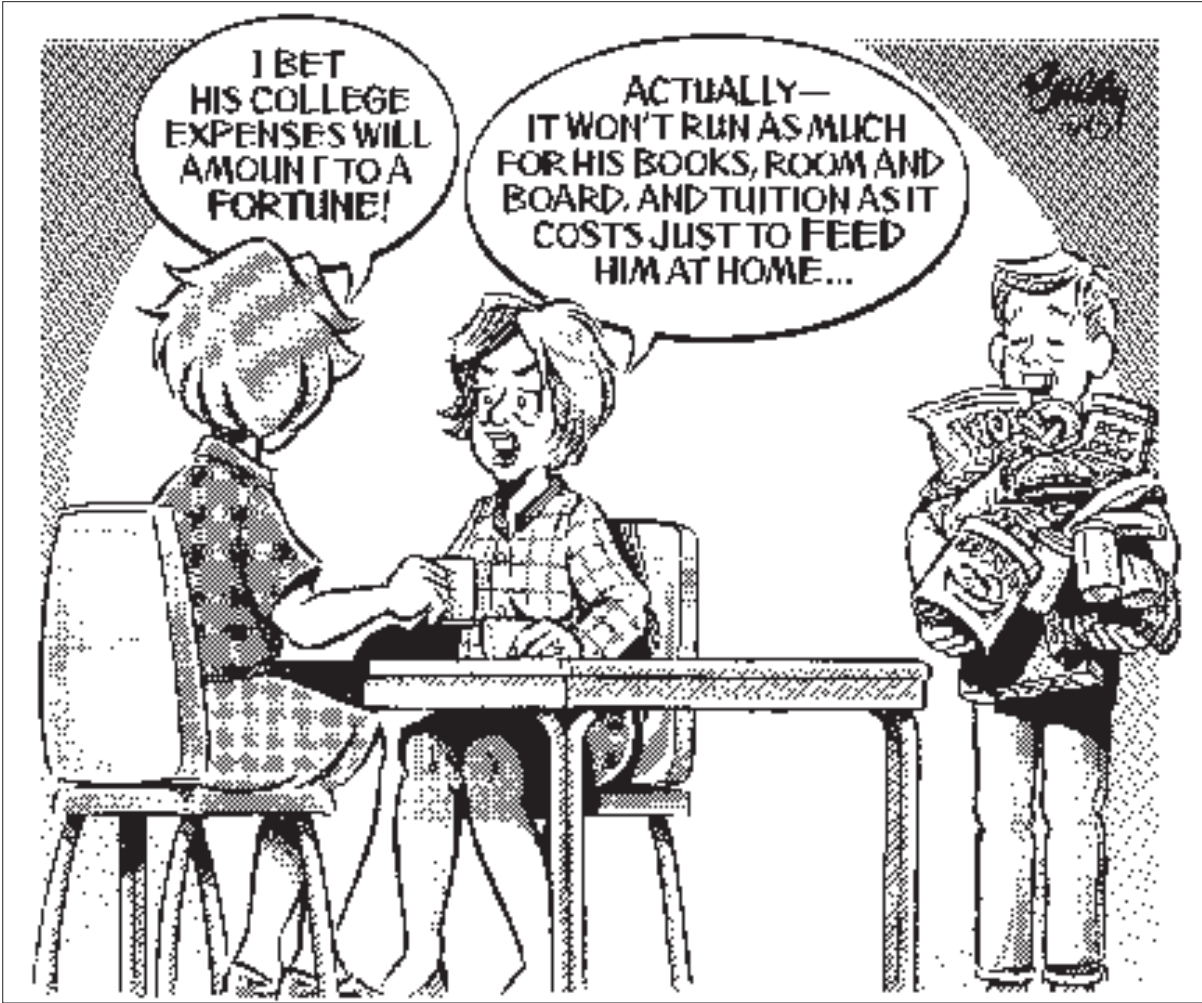
For example, a week before the *Dobbs* decision, Republicans led the June 18-21 Economist/YouGov generic ballot poll of registered voters by five points, 45 to 40 percent. In that poll, 81 percent of former President Donald Trump's voters said they were definitely voting, and 70 percent of President Joe Biden's voters said they were definitely voting.

A week after *Dobbs*, the generic ballot in the July 2-5 Economist-YouGov poll had flipped, with Democrats leading by three points, 43 to 40 percent, including picking up three points among both men and women. Republicans dropped six points among men and six points among women. Also, Trump voters lost three points of enthusiasm with 78 percent saying they were definitely voting, and Biden voters gained seven points of enthusiasm, with saying 77 percent saying they were definitely voting. Democrats also gained eight points of enthusiasm.

In terms of how those same voters in the same poll felt about the Supreme Court's *Dobbs* decision, 34 percent said they approved and 54 percent disapproved,

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JP Doodles



Montana-based syndicated editorial cartoonist Barry McWilliams passed away in August 2021. 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
From the mailbag: Student loan debt cancellation only adds to burden

As participants in the decisions made in Congress, Idahoans contact me with valuable input about the issues our country faces. Concerns with President Biden's announcement of student loan debt cancellation are among the issues Idahoans have contacted me about recently. The following is my response:

Since President Biden assumed office in January 2021, many Democrats have continued to call for mass student loan debt cancellation through executive action. On Aug. 24, 2022, President Biden announced he would cancel \$10,000 of student loan debt per borrower earning under \$125,000 per year or \$250,000 for married couples and up to \$20,000 for recipients of Pell Grants. Additionally, President Biden extended the payment pause on most federal student loans through Dec. 31, 2022, and announced a new Income Driven Repayment (IDR) plan that will be released in forthcoming rulemaking.

The current higher education system warrants careful review as rising tuition costs and the amount of loans disbursed for education continue to saddle students and graduates with financial difficulties. But, placing the burden of our nation's outstanding student loan debt on taxpayers is both irresponsible and unaffordable. Student loan relief is not free, and will ultimately have to be paid for — in part by the 87 percent of Americans who do not benefit, but are already grappling with record-high inflation.

The Penn-Wharton Budget Model estimates

U.S. Sen. Mike Crapo
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that loan cancellation alone will cost taxpayers \$519 billion, and that the total cost of Biden's plan could climb as high as more than \$1 trillion when loan forbearance and the newly proposed IDR plan are taken into account. President Biden has already extended the pandemic-era pause of student loan debt repayment four times at a cost of \$85 billion, while also implementing a number of targeted student debt changes that will cost another \$165 billion, according the Committee for a Responsible Federal Budget (CRFB).

— See *Student loan*, Page 7B

Commentary

Financial management

Be straight-forward in gracious exit for better-paying job



Dear Dave,

I need your advice. I just accepted a new job in a field I love three weeks ago. Yesterday, I was recruited and offered a position by a huge company for the same kind of position, and they pay more than twice what I'm making now. I did not send in a resume, or fill out an application for the job that was just offered. They came directly to me, and it was a huge surprise. I don't have a contract with my current employer, but they are good people and I want to handle things well and do the right thing. Can you help?

— Jenny

Dear Jenny,

Long story short, I think you take the new job. Now, how do you handle this with your present employer? With total honesty, respect and a lot of gratitude. Walk into your boss's office, and lay out the whole situation truthfully. Let them know what has happened, how it happened, and while you feel awful about how things worked out, you had no intention of misleading them or causing problems. On top of all that, promise to do everything possible to make the transition as easy as you can.

In uncomfortable scenarios,

it's always a good idea to try to put yourself in the other person's shoes. Let's pretend you own a business, and you just hired a young lady. A few weeks later, someone comes in, completely out of the blue, and offers her more than double what she's making with you. I can tell you what would happen at my company. I'd tell her to take it. I'm serious. I mean, as an employer I'm certainly not going to double her income that quickly. And while I'd be surprised, and a little disappointed, I'd be happy she has the chance to take such a big step up.

If an organization cares about its people, and one of those team members has the opportunity to significantly increase their income — and they're not breaking a contract or promise in the process — this type of scenario is perfectly reasonable, even if it's a little inconvenient for the current employer in the short term. I know it'll be uncomfortable for you, Jenny, but they can't realistically expect you to pass up a chance to do what you love at double-plus what you're making now.

Congratulations!

— Dave

✓ Enthusiastic: Will *Roe* reversal have impact on red states in midterms?

From Page 6B
including 12 percent of Trump voters and 12 percent of Republicans who strongly disapproved. Fifty-three percent of independents disapprove overall.

This is not the outcome I was personally hoping for after *Dobbs*. I was elated by the Supreme Court's decision because I've always been pro-life. I also felt the decision might even help bolster Republicans if they, say, started talking about the fertility crisis, labor shortages and pro-family tax incentives for marriage and child-rearing. I still believe that to be true over the longer term as the Baby Boomer retirement wave continues, leading to even more labor shortages.

That's why I find it remarkable that the GOP's messaging on this issue has been somewhat scant since the decision, other than issuing statements praising the Supreme Court. What's their message on abortion? Leave it to the states, but otherwise, it appears to be to change the topic.

In Kansas, one of the reddest states, voters overwhelmingly rejected a referendum that would have allowed the state to ban abortions under the state's constitution by a 1.5 to 1 margin, a 19-point rout, 59 percent to 41 percent.

On the other hand, the Republican-controlled Senate seat there seems to be safe for Jerry Moran. Republicans still numerically outnumber Democrats by a wide margin in Kansas, where Trump carried the state by 15 points in 2020. Despite the referendum result, Moran leads his opponent, state Sen. Tom Holland, 58 percent to 37 percent, in the John Brown Freedom Fund poll. Maybe not that much has really changed politically?

That said, the pro-choice Republican segment —

about 12 percent of Trump voters and Republicans if Economist-YouGov is to be believed — might still show up in Georgia, Pennsylvania, Arizona, North Carolina, Ohio, Wisconsin, etc. — all states where Senate races that are more closely contested. These voters are particularly a wild card. Will they simply stay home in November, dampening Republican turnout? Will they vote for Democrats and, actually, U.S. politics just realigned? Or could they be persuaded to stay in the GOP column?

Now, voter attitudes are settling down a bit in the Aug. 20-23 Economist-YouGov poll, with Democratic enthusiasm down significantly even as they still lead the poll among registered voters, now with only 71 percent of Biden voters saying they're definitely voting, down six points from post-*Dobbs* week of 77 percent. Seventy-six percent of Trump voters say they're definitely voting.

Sixty-six percent of Republicans say they're definitely voting, compared with 59 percent of Democrats, a seven-point edge on enthusiasm. In the meantime, independents' enthusiasm in the election is down nine points from its pre-*Dobbs* level of 49 percent definitely voting to 40 percent now. That's an interesting wrinkle because independents and swing voters are the ones who — besides the opposition party being fired up — are what gives the opposition party the advantage in midterms.

The real slippage in the generic ballot does appear to come from independents. Before *Dobbs*, Republicans were leading independents 50 percent to 25 percent. Immediately afterward, Democrats were leading independents 34 percent to 32 percent. And now, Republicans are leading independents, 32 percent to 29 percent.

Overall, two months after *Dobbs*, and Republicans and

Trump voters are still more enthusiastic than Democrats and Biden voters by a bit, particularly after the FBI's raid of Trump's Mar-a-Lago home in Palm Beach, Fla., looking for documents that it appears Trump had already declassified before he left office.

So, how to handicap the race?

Modeling turnout based on historical trends (the midterm cycle, the presidential re-election cycle, etc.) is usually critical to modern polling. If the historical model prevails, the likely voters polls will be vindicated and the registered voters polls, including Economist-YouGov, will look really silly in hindsight.

Republicans should still pick up House seats based on the historical trends, but there's that 10 percent chance they might not. It's rare but it does happen in midterms, and usually because of a single issue. In 2002, it was 9/11. In 1998, it was public fatigue with the Bill Clinton impeachment. In 1934, it was the Great Depression. Could overturning *Roe* be another such black swan?

It might. Democrats are gaining ground in some of these registered voters polls, particularly among independents after looking really grim this spring, but not necessarily in the so-called likely voters polls. The Economist-YouGov poll still shows the GOP with an enthusiasm edge, but if Democrats can overcome that like they did in July, then it could make some sense to pay a little more attention to the registered voters polls headed into November. If not, maybe go with the likely voters polls that are accounting for the opposition party's historical advantage this year. As usual, stay tuned.

— Robert Romano is the vice president of public policy at Americans for Limited Government Foundation.

✓ Student loan: Cancellation disproportionately rewards wealthy folks

From Page 6B
Further, broad student loan debt cancellation does nothing to address the underlying issue, which is the exorbitant cost of tuition. Mass cancellation only worsens the ballooning tuition costs by increasing moral hazard. Students will now be inclined to borrow more and colleges will raise expenses even faster. According to CRFB, student debt will return to its current level of \$1.6 trillion in just five years if there are no policy changes to address rising education costs.

While we must find solutions that will reduce the financial burden on students and graduates, mass student loan debt cancellation is regressive policy

that benefits few Americans, disproportionately rewards the affluent, and is unfair to those who never went to college, and those who paid back their student debt or never took out any student loans. The wealthiest 20 percent of households hold three times as much loan debt as the bottom 20 percent, and more than half of loan debt is held by graduate school borrowers.

We must instead seek common-sense reforms to the federal student loan program that will properly align incentives and reduce the burden on students and graduates without negatively affecting our nation's economic growth. As education measures proceed before the Senate

for consideration, I will keep the needs of Idaho's students, graduates and taxpayers in mind. Furthermore, I will encourage the Senate Health, Education and Labor Committee to continue to review all policy proposals enhancing access to higher education with an eye toward efficiency and cost-effectiveness.

My Senate website, <http://crapo.senate.gov>, contains information about the issues before the U.S. Senate as well as news releases, photos, contact information and other items of interest. The messages you send me help to shape my approach on a number of important matters.

Public notices

PUBLIC NOTICE
The Grand View polling location has been moved to the Grand View Community Center for the November 8, 2022 election and all elections moving forward.
Grand View Community Center
501 Idaho Ave
Grand View, ID 83624
10/05/2022

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE OWYHEE COUNTY PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION
On October 26, 2022, the Owyhee County Planning and Zoning Commission will hear testimony in the Annex Building of the Owyhee County Courthouse located at 17069 Basey St., Murphy, Idaho on the following matters at the times listed below.

Beginning at 9:30 am, the Commission will hear application Z22-28 filed by **Judith Hayward** seeking approval to establish a second single-family dwelling on an approximately 120-acre parcel located at 2024 Pioneer Rd. approximately two miles west of Homedale. The subject parcel, RP03N06W137202, is located in an Agricultural zone in a portion of the SE ¼ of Section 13, Township 3 North, Range 6 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho.

Beginning at 10:30 am, the Commission will hear application Z22-29 filed by **Kirby Cook** seeking to rezone approximately 14 acres, from agricultural to multi-use zone located on 6357 Howard Road approximately 1.4 miles South of Marsing. The subject parcel, RP02N04W160022, is located in an Agricultural zone in a portion of the NE ¼ of the NE ¼ of Section 16, Township 2 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho

Additional information about this meeting is available at owyheecounty.net under Public Hearing Documents on the Community Planning page. Copies of the proposed projects are available for review in the Community Planning office or on the webpage. For additional information please call 208-495-2095 ext. 2.
10/05/2022

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
Please be advised that a public hearing will be held before the Homedale City Council on Wednesday, October 12, 2022 at 6:00 pm at Homedale City Hall, 31 West Wyoming Ave. Homedale, Idaho.

The subject matter of this hearing is the Application for Special Use Permit filed by Angel Bicandi & Indian Trail Investors requesting that they be allowed to build two 4-plexes on W. Idaho Ave. between S 4th St. West and Railroad Ave.; Lot 2, Block 1, Santa Fe Subdivision, Homedale, Idaho.

The public is invited to attend and offer input.
Alice E. Pegram
City Clerk
City of Homedale
09/28;10/05/2022

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
Please be advised that a public hearing will be held before the Homedale City Council on Wednesday, October 12, 2022 at 5:30 pm at Homedale City Hall, 31 West Wyoming Ave. Homedale, Idaho.

The subject matter of this hearing a rate increase to cover the wastewater loan.
Old rates were based on Meter size from \$24.27 up to \$426.41 plus usage. The new proposed rate will be based on EDUs; (equivalent dwelling unit) of approximately \$55.00. This proposed rate will be done in increments of two increases.
The public is invited to attend and offer input.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF ELMORE CASE NO. CV20-22-895 (I.C. 15-3-801) IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GARY ALLEN LAWSON, also known as GARY A. LAWSON and GARY LAWSON, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of the above-named decedent. All persons having claims against the decedent or the estate are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred.

Claims must be presented to the undersigned at the address indicated, and filed with the Clerk of the Court, Elmore County Courthouse, 150 South 4th East, Mountain Home, Idaho, telephone number (208) 587-2130.
DATED this 29th day of September, 2022.
/s/Kevin Lawson
c/o Brian B Peterson
340 E. 2nd N.
Mountain Home, ID 83647
(208) 587-4412
10/05,12,19/2022

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE
To be sold for cash at a Trustee’s Sale on February 2, 2023, 09:00 AM in the Lobby, Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 Highway 78, Murphy, ID 83650, the following described real property situated in Owyhee County, State of Idaho (“Real Property”): A parcel of land situated in the Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section 10, Township 3 North, Range 5 West of the Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the West quarter corner of the above described Section 10, Township 3 North, Range 5 West, which is the Real Point of Beginning; thence North 00°48’ East (of record, North 0’ 48” East) along the West section line of Section 10, 60.00 feet to a point; thence South 88°44’ East (of record, South 88’ 44” East) 190.00 feet to a point; thence South 00°48’ West (of record, South 0’ 48” West) 60.00 feet to a point; thence North 88°44’ West (of record, North 88’ 44” West) 190.00 feet to a point, which is the real point of beginning Commonly known as: 511 South 2nd Street East, Homedale, ID 83628-3445

Jason K. Thompson and Geneva D. Thompson who acquired title as Geneva Thompson, as Trustors conveyed Real Property via a Trust Deed dated May

10, 2019, in favor of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as beneficiary, as nominee for Caliber Home Loans, Inc., its successors and assigns as Beneficiary, in which Alliance Title & Escrow Corp. was named as Trustee. The Trust Deed was recorded in Owyhee County, Idaho, on May 13, 2019, as Instrument No. 299756, and corrected pursuant to the Affidavit recorded on September 2, 2022, as Instrument No. 313306, of Official Records. The Deed of Trust was assigned for value as follows: Assignee: MidFirst Bank, A Federally Character Savings Association Assignment Dated: March 17, 2022 Assignment Recorded: March 17, 2022 Assignment Recording Information: Instrument No. 311615 Shelly M. Casares is the Successor Trustee pursuant to a Substitution of Trustee recorded in the office of the Clerk and Recorder of Owyhee, State of Idaho on September 2, 2022 at Instrument No. 313328, of Official Records.

The Beneficiary has declared a default in the terms of said Deed of Trust due to Trustor’s failure to make monthly payments beginning May 1, 2020, and each month subsequent, which monthly installments would have been applied on the principal and interest due on said obligation and other charges against the property or loan. By reason of said default, the Beneficiary has declared all sums owing on the obligation secured by said Trust Deed immediately due and payable. The total amount due on this obligation is the principal sum of \$122,150.38, interest in the sum of \$15,733.13, escrow advances of \$6,134.40, other amounts due and payable in the amount of \$490.68, for a total amount owing of \$144,508.59, plus accruing interest, late charges, and other fees and costs that may be incurred or advanced. The Beneficiary anticipates and may disburse such amounts as may be required to preserve and protect the property and for real property taxes that may become due or delinquent, unless such amounts of taxes are paid by the Trustors. If such amounts are paid by the Beneficiary, the amounts or taxes will be added to the obligations secured by the Deed of Trust. Other expenses to be charged against the proceeds of this sale include the Trustee’s fees and attorney’s fees, costs and expenses of the sale, and late charges, if any.

Beneficiary has elected, and has directed the Trustee to sell the above described property to satisfy the obligation. The sale is a public sale and any person, including the Beneficiary, may bid at the sale. The bid price must be paid immediately upon the close of bidding by certified funds (valid money orders, certified checks or cashier’s checks). The conveyance will be made by Trustee’s Deed, without any representation or warranty, including warranty of title, express or implied, as the sale is made strictly on an as-is, where-is basis, without limitation, the sale is being made subject to all existing conditions, if any, of lead paint, mold or other environmental or health hazards. The Trustors, successor in interest to the Trustors, or any other person having an interest in the property, or any person named in IRC § 45-1506, has the right, at any time prior to the Trustee’s Sale, to pay to the

Beneficiary, or the successor in interest to the Beneficiary, the entire amount then due under the Deed of Trust and the obligation secured thereby (including costs and expenses actually incurred and attorney’s fees) other than such portion of the principal as would not then be due had no default occurred and by curing any other default complained of herein that is capable of being cured by tendering the performance required under the obligation or to cure the default, by paying all costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligation and Deed of Trust with Successor Trustee’s and attorney’s fees. In the event that all defaults are cured the foreclosure will be dismissed and the foreclosure sale will be canceled.

The scheduled Trustee’s Sale may be postponed by public proclamation up to 30 days for any reason. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder’s sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Successor Trustee and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse.

The above Trustors are named to comply with IRC § 45-1506(4) (a). No representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for this obligation. This is an attempt to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

Dated this 26th day of September, 2022. Shelly M. Casares Substitute Trustee 376 East 400 South, Suite 300, Salt Lake City, UT 84111 Telephone: 801-355-2886 Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8AM-5PM (MST) File No. ID10683
10/05,12,19,26/2022

PUBLIC NOTICE
The following application(s) have been filed to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho:

2-10640
RANDOLPH SCHOLZ
4150 CLARK ISLAND LN
HOMEDALE, ID 83628
Point of Diversion NWSE S13 T03N R05W OWYHEE County Source SNAKE RIVER Tributary COLUMBIA RIVER Use: IRRIGATION
03/01 to 11/15
0.09 CFS
Use: DOMESTIC
01/01 to 12/31
0.04 CFS
Total Diversion: 0.13 CFS
Date Filed: 09-07-2022
P l a c e O f U s e :
DOMESTIC,IRRIGATION
T 0 3 N R 0 5 W S 1 3
L6(NWSE),NWSE
Total Acres: 3.1

57-12092
OWYHEE NOBLE METALS LLC
2197 S RETRIEVER WAY
MERIDIAN, ID 83642-4611
Point of Diversion NWSW S4 T04S R02W OWYHEE County Source GROUND WATER Use: INDUSTRIAL
01/01 to 12/31
0.66 CFS
Total Diversion: 0.66 CFS
Date Filed: 08-22-2022
Place Of Use: INDUSTRIAL T04S R02W S4 NWSW

This application proposes to appropriate trust water and will be evaluated in compliance with Section 42-203C, Idaho Code, and IDWR’s Water Appropriation

Rules, IDAPA 37.03.08.

Permits will be subject to all prior water rights. For additional information concerning the property location, contact the Western office at (208)334-2190; or for a full description of the right(s), please see <https://idwr.idaho.gov/apps/ExtSearch/WRAApplicationResults/>. Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Idaho Code § 42-203A. Any protest against the approval of this application must be filed with the Director, Dept. of Water Resources, Western Region, 2735 W AIRPORT WAY, BOISE ID 83705-5082 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before 10/24/2022. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.
GARY SPACKMAN, Director
10/05,12/2022

LEGAL NOTICE STATE OF IDAHO LAND LEASE OPPORTUNITY PUBLIC AUCTION FOR MINERAL LEASE
Notice is hereby given pursuant to Article IX, § 8 of the Idaho Constitution and Idaho Code §§ 47-704, 58-307, -310 and -313, that the State of Idaho, Department of Lands (hereinafter “IDL”), will conduct a public auction of Mineral Lease **E600111**, as set forth below. **The deadline for the auction registration is Thursday October 27, 2022, at 5:00 PM (MDT). The auction will begin on Thursday, November 3, 2022, at 11:00 AM (MDT) at Idaho Department of Lands office located at 8355 W. State Street, Boise, Idaho 83714.** The lease will be awarded to the bidder who will pay the highest Premium Bid, as defined below. The Premium Bid payment is in addition to the annual rental rate and royalty rates that have been established by IDL and are set forth in the lease to be auctioned. **Detailed information regarding the lease auction terms and conditions, the lease, the specific legal description and map of the property to be leased, the rental rate, the minimum annual royalty, and the royalty rate can be obtained visiting IDL’s website at www.idl.idaho.gov/leasing/minerals-leasing/ or by contacting Mike Murphy via e-mail at MineralsLeasing@idl.idaho.gov or 208-334-0290.**

Mineral Lease E600111 is for 10 years for the extraction of jasper, opal, and agate with a leased premises of approximately 280 acres on the following described parcels located in Township 12 South, Range 3 West, Section 16, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, which are more particularly described as follows:

N1/2N1/2N1/2,
W1/2SW1/4NW1/4NW1/4,
W1/2W1/2SW1/4NW1/4,
W1/2NW1/4NW1/4SW1/4,
S1/2/NW1/4SW1/4,
S1/2S1/2
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Public notices

PUBLIC NOTICE
OF INTENT
TO PROPOSE OR
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CHANGED AGENCY RULES

The following agencies of the state of Idaho have published the complete text and all related, pertinent information concerning their intent to change or make the following rules in the latest publication of the state Administrative Bulletin.

The proposed rule public hearing request deadline is October 19, 2022, unless otherwise posted.

The proposed rule written comment submission deadline is October 26, 2022, unless otherwise posted.

(Temp & Prop) indicates the rulemaking is both Temporary and Proposed.

*(*PH) indicates that a public hearing has been scheduled.*

IDAPA 02 – IDAHO STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
2270 Old Penitentiary Rd, PO Box 7249, Boise, ID 83707
02-0425-2201, Rules Governing Private Feeding of Big Game Animals. Chapter repealed; necessary provisions moved to 13-0118-2201.

IDAPA 08 – STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
650 W State St, PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0037
08-0111-2201, Registration of Postsecondary Educational Institutions and Proprietary Schools. Zero Based Regulation (ZBR) chapter rewrite sets requirements for the registration of postsecondary educational institutions and proprietary schools required to register with the Board.

08-0113-2201, Rules Governing the Opportunity Scholarship Program. ZBR Chapter Rewrite establishes eligibility, application, and selection process for the Opportunity Scholarship Program.

08-0202-2201, Rules Governing Uniformity. Amendments clarify certification requirements for certificated staff and certification and endorsement requirements due to legislative changes; and transportation reimbursement requirements for alternative fuel buses.

08-0203-2201, Rules Governing Thoroughness. Changes remove incorporated documents for achievement, development, and performance level descriptors and standards and are moved to online format; adds computational thinking to elementary and middle school instructional requirements; updates financial literacy graduation requirements; adds a computer science graduation requirement; updates and restructures accountability framework to include chronic absenteeism as school measurable; moves the parent and student survey; and aligns student safety policies with Idaho statute.

08-0204-2201, Rules Governing Public Charter Schools. ZBR chapter rewrite provides public charter schools an application and review process.

08-0301-2201, Rules of the Public Charter School Commission. ZBR chapter repealed; necessary provisions moved to 08-0204-2201.

IDAPA 11 – IDAHO STATE POLICE
700 S Stratford Dr, Meridian,

ID 83642
11-0401-2201, Rules Governing the Idaho State Racing Commission. ZBR Chapter Rewrite contains all governing functions of the Commission to include; licensing fees and procedures; the controlled substance and alcohol testing of licensees and applicants; disciplinary hearings and appeals; racing associations conduct and licensing; racing officials governance; conduct of owners, trainers, authorized agents, jockeys, apprentice jockeys, and jockey agents; licensed veterinarians practices; permitted medication and drug testing of horses; live horse racing, procedures for claiming races; Pari-mutuel wagering; regulating all aspects of simulcasting; and rules governing advanced deposit wagering.

11-0402-2201, Rules Governing Simulcasting. ZBR Chapter Repeal, necessary provisions moved to 11-0401-2201.

11-0403-2201, Rules Governing Licensing and Fees. ZBR Chapter Repeal, necessary provisions moved to 11-0401-2201.

11-0404-2201, Rules Governing Disciplinary Hearings and Appeals. ZBR Chapter Repeal, necessary provisions moved to 11-0401-2201.

11-0405-2201, Rules Governing Advanced Deposit Wagering. ZBR Chapter Repeal, necessary provisions moved to 11-0401-2201.

11-0406-2201, Rules Governing Racing Officials. ZBR Chapter Repeal, necessary provisions moved to 11-0401-2201.

11-0407-2201, Rules Governing Racing Associations. ZBR Chapter Repeal, necessary provisions moved to 11-0401-2201.

11-0408-2201, Rules Governing Pari-Mutuel Wagering. ZBR Chapter Repeal, necessary provisions moved to 11-0401-2201.

11-0409-2201, Rules Governing Claiming Races. ZBR Chapter Repeal, necessary provisions moved to 11-0401-2201.

11-0410-2201, Rules Governing Live Horse Races. ZBR Chapter Repeal, necessary provisions moved to 11-0401-2201.

11-0411-2201, Rules Governing Equine Veterinary Practices, Permitted Medications, Banned Substances and Drug Testing of Horses. ZBR Chapter Repeal, necessary provisions moved to 11-0401-2201.

11-0413-2201, Rules Governing the Idaho State Racing Commission. ZBR Chapter Repeal, necessary provisions moved to 11-0401-2201.

11-0414-2201, Rules Governing Owners, Trainers, Authorized Agents, Jockeys, Apprentice Jockeys, and Jockey Agents. ZBR Chapter Repeal, necessary provisions moved to 11-0401-2201.

11-0415-2201, Rules Governing Controlled Substance and Alcohol Testing of Licensees and Applicants. ZBR Chapter Repeal, necessary provisions moved to 11-0401-2201.

**11-1001-2201, Rules Governing Idaho Public Safety and Security Information System.* (*PH) Increases user access fees for ILETS System.

11-1003-2201, Rules Governing the Sex Offender Registry. Reinstates a statutorily required rule for expunging records of a deceased persons.

11-1101-2201, Rules of the

Idaho Peace Officer Standards and Training Council. Changes fix omitted in-service training requirement for certified Detention officers; and correct a requirement for Misdemeanor Probation experience as qualifying for advanced certifications.

IDAPA 13 – DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME
600 S Walnut St, PO Box 25, Boise, ID 83707

13-0102-2201, Rules Governing Mandatory Education, Mentored Hunting, and Shooting Ranges. ZBR Chapter Rewrite addresses education for hunting, archery, and trapping, mentored hunting, and fees for shooting ranges and departmental education.

13.01.04 – Rules Governing Licensing

13-0104-2201, Rulemaking aims at balancing the outfitting industry through nonresident deer and elk tag allocation for sale to outfitted hunters.

13-0104-2202, Changes establish criteria and permitting process for the use of an electronic device to aid a blind or visually impaired hunter.

**13-0110-2201, Rules Governing Importation, Possession, Release, Sale, or Salvage of Wildlife.* (*PH) ZBR Chapter Rewrite governs commercial and non-commercial importation, possession, release, sale, and salvage of wildlife.

13-0114-2201, Rules Governing Falconry. ZBR Chapter Rewrite establishes a falconry program in Idaho for federal certification.

13-0118-2201, Rules Governing Feeding of Wild Cervids. ZBR Chapter Rewrite regulates the feeding and Chronic Wasting Disease management of wild cervids to continue protection of the health of livestock, domestic cervids, domestic bison, and wildlife.

IDAPA 15 – OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Idaho Commission on Aging – 6305 Overland Rd Ste 110, Boise, ID 83709

Division of Human Resources and Personnel Commission – 304 N 8th St, PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0066

**15-0102-2201, Rules Governing Adult Protective Services Programs.* (*PH) ZBR Chapter Rewrite relates to authority and responsibilities of Providers to administer adult protective services.

15-0401-2201, Rules of the Division of Human Resources and Idaho Personnel Commission. Rule changes comport with recent statutory amendments, simplify existing language, and reduce or eliminate unnecessary restrictions already addressed in statute.

IDAPA 16 – DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND WELFARE

PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0036

**16-0317-2201, Medicare/Medicaid Coordinated Plan Benefits.* (*PH) ZBR Chapter Rewrite covers the benefit plan option for enrollees that are eligible for both Medicare and Medicaid.

**16-0612-2201, Idaho Child Care Program (ICCP).* (*PH) Proposed rule increases the federal poverty limit for child care assistance to allow for access to benefits.

IDAPA 17 – INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION
11321 W Chinden Blvd, Boise,

ID 83714, PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0041

**17-1101-2201, Administrative Rules of Peace Officer and Detention Officer Temporary Disability Act.* (*PH) ZBR Chapter Rewrite includes the application, payment, and dispute process for reimbursement from the Peace Office Temporary Disability Fund.

IDAPA 24 – DIVISION OF OCCUPATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSES
11341 W Chinden Blvd, Bldg 4, Boise, ID 83714

*(*PH) 24-0000-2201F* - the following fee chapters within DOPL that relate to health care are being reauthorized in this omnibus rulemaking: Title 03, Chapter 01; Title 06, Chapter 01 (with minor amendment); Title 09, Chapter 01; Title 10, Chapter 01; Title 11, Chapter 01; Title 12, Chapter 01; Title 13, Chapter 01; Title 14, Chapter 01; Title 15, Chapter 01; Title 16, Chapter 01; Title 17, Chapter 01; Title 19, Chapter 01; Title 23, Chapter 01; Title 24, Chapter 01; Title 26, Chapter 01; Title 27, Chapter 01; Title 31, Chapter 01; Title 33, Chapters 01, 02, 04-07; Title 34, Chapter 01; and Title 36, Chapter 01 (with minor amendment). Below lists Zero Based Regulation (ZBR) Chapters rewritten and included in this rulemaking:

□ *24.10.01, Rules of the State Board of Optometry.* ZBR Chapter Rewrite governs the practice of optometry in Idaho to include licensing and registration, practice standards, discipline, and fees.

□ *24.12.01, Rules of the Idaho State Board of Psychologist Examiners.* ZBR Chapter Rewrite governs the practice of psychology in Idaho to include licensure, educational credentialing requirements, practice standards, and fees.

□ *24.17.01, Rules of the State Board of Acupuncture.* ZBR Chapter Rewrite establishes the minimum requirements for licensure/ certification of acupuncturists to include continuing education, discipline, and fees.

□ *24.23.01, Rules of the Speech, Hearing and Communication Services Licensure Board.* ZBR Chapter Rewrite outlines the licensure, practice standards, and fees for speech, hearing, and communication services in Idaho.

□ *24.26.01, Rules of the Idaho Board of Midwifery.* ZBR Chapter Rewrite governs the licensure and regulation of the practice of midwifery.

□ *24.34.01, Rules of the Idaho Board of Nursing.* ZBR Chapter Rewrite governs the standards of nursing practice, licensure, educational programs, and discipline in Idaho.

*(*PH) 24-0000-2202F* - the following fee chapters within DOPL that relate to occupations, building, construction, and real estate are being reauthorized in this omnibus rulemaking: Title 01, Chapter 01; Title 04, Chapter 01; Title 07, Chapter 01; Title 08, Chapter 01; Title 18, Chapter 01; Title 21, Chapter 01; Title 22, Chapter 01; Title 25, Chapter 01; Title 28, Chapter 01; Title 29, Chapter 01; Title 30, Chapter 01; Title 32, Chapter 01; Title 37, Chapter 01; and Title 39, Chapters 10, 20, 31, 40, 50, 70, 90 (with minor amendment). Below lists Zero Based Regulation (ZBR) Chapters rewritten and included

in this rulemaking:

□ *24.25.01, Rules of the Idaho Driving Businesses Licensure Board.* ZBR Chapter Rewrite implements the Idaho Driving Businesses Act through instructor and business licensing, continuing education, discipline, and fees.

□ *24.30.01, Idaho Accountancy Rules.* ZBR Chapter Rewrite prescribes the administration of the certified public accountant examination, the issuance and renewal of licenses, registration of firms, and limitation of non-licensees.

□ *24.39.20, Rules Governing Plumbing.* ZBR Chapter Rewrite prescribe criteria and fees for issuance of certificates of competency, plumbing permits, and inspections of plumbing installations, civil penalties, and adoption and amendment of the Idaho State Plumbing Code.

□ *24.39.70, Rules Governing Installation of Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning Systems.* ZBR Chapter Rewrite establishes minimum standards for HVAC installation practice, certification, registration, and educational programs.

*(*PH) 24-0201-2200F, Rules of the State Athletic Commission* - the following fee chapter within DOPL is being reauthorized in this omnibus rulemaking: Title 02, Chapter 01.

*(*PH) 24-0501-2200F, Rules of the Board of Drinking Water and Wastewater Professionals* - the following fee chapter within DOPL is being reauthorized in this omnibus rulemaking: Title 05, Chapter 01.

*(*PH) 24-3801-2200F, Rules of the State of Idaho Board of Veterinary Medicine* - the following fee chapter within DOPL is being reauthorized in this omnibus rulemaking: Title 38, Chapter 01.

IDAPA 35 – IDAHO STATE TAX COMMISSION
11321 W Chinden Blvd, Bldg 2, Boise, ID 83714, PO Box 36, Boise ID 83722-0036

35.01.01 – Income Tax Administrative Rules

35-0101-2201, 1 of 2 ZBR Chapter Rewrite provides Commission the full jurisdictional authority to impose tax on income from Idaho sources.

35-0101-2202, 2 of 2 ZBR Chapter Rewrite changes the way business income is apportioned from a three-factor to a single-sales factor method. Also changes from a cost-of-performance method to market-based sourcing when taxing multistate income.

IDAPA 37 – IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
322 E Front St, PO Box 83720, Boise, 83720-0098

37-0203-2201, Water Supply Bank Rules. ZBR Chapter Rewrite provides Board rules when considering purchase, sale, lease, or rental of natural flow or stored water; use of any generated funds; and appointment of local committees to facilitate leasing of water from a rental pool.

37-0304-2201, Drilling for Geothermal Resources Rules. ZBR Chapter Rewrite establishes the framework for the drilling, operation, maintenance, and

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Sports

Melba beats CVC on the court again

Melba High School continues to hold Cole Valley Christian’s number in volleyball.

Keylee Wilson drilled 15 kills last Wednesday as the visiting Mustangs knocked off the Chargers for the fourth consecutive time.

Melba beat Cole Valley for the second time this season, but for the first time in 2A Western Idaho Conference play, posting a 25-13, 25-14, 25-17 triumph in Meridian.

“This was a great team win tonight,” Melba coach Curtis Johnson said. “The girls played well and had some fun.”

Kendall Clark carded nine kills and served three aces to drive the offense. She also contributed on defense with seven digs.

Wilson pounded a pair of aces and dug 10 balls.

Melba (10-0 overall, 3-0 in conference) started the week with 25-12, 25-16, 25-17 non-conference win over Nyssa, Ore., on Sept. 26.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL FOLLOW-UP

Scott Matlock, sr., DL
Boise State University

Friday — The Homedale grad recorded one solo tackle and two assists in a 35-13 home win over Mountain West Conference rival San Diego State.

Next game — BSU (3-2 overall, 2-0 in conference) plays host to Fresno State at 7:45 p.m., on Saturday at Albertsons Stadium. The game will be televised on Fox Sports 1 (FS1).



Willie White, RS fr., LB
The College of Idaho

Honor — While still inactive for the Coyotes (5-0 overall, 5-0 in the Frontier Conference after a 31-20 win over Carroll College in Helena, Mont., the 2022 HHS graduate recently was honored by the Southern Idaho chapter of the National Football Foundation with a scholar athlete award in recognition for his performance on the field, achievement in the classroom and leadership in school.

Next game — The Coyotes are back home for a Frontier Conference game against Montana Tech at Simplot Stadium. The Homecoming game kicks off at 1 p.m., on Saturday.

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Other scores

Football Rimrock (3-2 overall, 2-0 1A, Div. I) Last week Friday — beat Wilder, 40-24 This week Friday — at Idaho City, 7 p.m.	This week Thursday — at Wilder, 7:30 p.m.
Melba (5-1 overall, 1-0 2A Western Idaho Conference) Last week Friday — beat Cole Valley Christian, 44-24 This week Friday — vs. Marsing (Homecoming), 7 p.m.	Jordan Valley (5-4 overall, 2-1 1A HDL) Last week Friday — def. alumni team, 3-0 (Homecoming exhibition) Saturday — lost to Prairie City, 3-0; def. Dayville-Monument, 3-0 Next match (According to OSAA.org) Thursday, Oct. 13 — at Adrian, 6 p.m.
Adrian (4-1, 3-0 1A Dist. 2 East) Last week Friday — beat Crane, 38-16 This week Friday — at Elgin, 8 p.m. MDT	Adrian (9-5 overall, 3-0 1A HDL) Last week Thursday — def. Huntington, 3-0 Sept. 26 — lost to Horseshoe Bend, 3-0 This week Thursday — vs. Crane, 6 p.m. Friday — at Elgin, 5 p.m. MDT
Volleyball Rimrock (10-4 overall, 7-0 1A Western Idaho Conf.) Last week Tuesday — home vs. Notus, (n) Monday — home vs. Riverstone International, (n) Sept. 27 — def. Greenleaf Friends Academy, 3-0 Sept. 26 — def. Centennial Baptist, 3-0	— The Owyhee Avalanche’s Other Scores feature attempts to keep our readers up-to-date on how the high school teams for which coaches don’t report results are faring throughout the season. Coaches can email results and comments to jon@owyheeavalanche.com or call (208) 337-4681, ext. 102 for more information on how to report their scores. Fans are also encouraged to provide context and information so that the Avalanche can give as complete coverage as possible for all high school athletes in our readership area.

Public notices

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abandonment of all geothermal wells in the state.

37-0305-2201, Mine Tailings Impoundment Structures Rules. ZBR Chapter Rewrite includes minimum design criteria for all mine tailings impoundment structures designed for installation in Idaho.

37-0306-2201, Safety of Dams Rules. ZBR Chapter Rewrite establishes acceptable standards for design and construction, and guidelines for evaluating the safety of new or existing dams.

37-0310-2201, Well Driller Licensing Rules. ZBR Chapter Rewrite details requirements

for obtaining and renewing authorization to drill wells and operate drilling equipment in the state of Idaho.

NOTICE OF PROCLAMATION
IDAPA 13 – IDAHO FISH AND GAME COMMISSION
13-0000-2200P6, Establishing Seasons and Limits for Hunting, Fishing, and Trapping in Idaho

Please refer to the Idaho Administrative Bulletin **October 5, 2022, Volume 22-10,** for the notices and text of all rulemakings, proclamations,

negotiated rulemaking and public hearing information and schedules, executive orders of the Governor, and agency contact information.

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Sports

✓ Trojans: Trenton Fisher rebounds nicely from gimpy weeks with ankle

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Homedale beat the Wolverines to lock up the program's fourth consecutive conference championship last fall. Weiser has rolled in each of its victories this season, including shutouts against Buhl, Cole Valley Christian and Payette. The Wolverines dispatched McCall-Donnelly, 47-13, on Friday.

Friday's game marks the first chance for a team to gain some separation from a three-team logjam at the top of the conference standings. Fruitland also has won its first two 3A SRV outings.

The state's 3A coaches have ranked Weiser No. 2 in the state, one spot ahead of the Trojans. Homedale is ranked ahead of the Wolverines in the IdahoSports.com media poll. Sugar-Salem is the top-ranked squad in voting by both communities.

The Trojans began their Friday onslaught against Payette when a senior who has been trying to get healthy enough to start at running back again ran to pay dirt



Payette defenders try everything they can think of in their attempts to stop senior running back Trenton Fisher during Friday's Homecoming game. Photo by Joshua Gray / GrayHawk Photography

with the first of Pirates quarterback Abe Rodriguez's two interceptions.

Trenton Fisher covered 33 yards on his Pick Six play seven seconds into the contest.

After nursing an ankle injury

for a couple weeks, Fisher emerged as a force on both sides of the ball in Homedale's 22 consecutive conference victory.

The Trojans (5-1 overall, 2-0 3A SRV) more than 10

times as many rushing yards than Payette, racking up 245 yards on the ground behind Fisher's 11-carry, 143-yard performance.

Against Payette, Fisher scored on rushes of two and three yards in the first half. Homedale scored three touchdowns in the first 12 minutes and owned a 28-0 edge at halftime.

Fisher's first rushing TD came after Rodriguez threw his second interception, which was collected by senior Mason Strong.

Homedale held Rodriguez to 36 yards passing, and the Trojans were tougher against the run, allowing just 21 yards. The 57 yards total offense was a season-low allowed by Homedale as senior defensive end Chase Cooper was the terror of the Pirates' backfield. He had two solo tackles for loss and helped out on two other stops behind the line of scrimmage. He also posted 1.5 quarterback sacks.

Jeffrey Layne and Michael Rose logged two solo TFL each, while Luke Henry, Brodie

White and Fisher helped out on tackles behind the line of scrimmage. Fisher and White also assisted on sacks of Rodriguez.

Payette's longest drive of the night lasted seven plays, but gained negative yardage. The offense crossed midfield once.

Homedale, meanwhile, made few mistakes. Jaxon Dines threw an interception, and backup quarterback Dillon Fine lost a fumble in the fourth quarter.

Seniors D'Orr Packer (one yard) and Rylan Binford (three yards) scored on runs in the third quarter.

Dines fired a 10-yard touchdown pass to Danny Lomeli in the first quarter for the Trojans offense's longest scoring play.

Norwegian exchange student Noah Eriksen, who became the Trojans' placekicker against Parma, drilled six point-after kicks against the Pirates. He also averaged nearly 55 yards on his seven kickoffs, putting the ball in the end zone for touchbacks twice.

Homedale Trojans

ATHLETES OF THE WEEK



Football
Chase Cooper, sr., DE
Led defense with 1.5 sacks, 3 TFL vs. Payette



Volleyball
Isana Larzelier, jr., libero/defensive specialist
10 digs, 1 assist vs. Parma



Cross country
Jesus Monreal, fr.
Posted a PR in the Gary Ward Invitational



Girls' soccer
Jacy Parker, sr., goalie
Recorded 10 saves in Trojans' first shutout

This week's Sports Schedule

Football
Varsity
Friday, Oct. 7 at Weiser, 7 p.m.
Junior varsity
Thursday, Oct. 6 vs. Weiser, Deward Bell Stadium, 6:30 p.m.
Girls' soccer
3A District III Tournament
Saturday, Oct. 8 at Payette, Harmon Killebrew Field, 11 a.m.
If win Saturday: Tuesday, Oct. 11 at No. 1 seed, 5 p.m.
Cross country
Coed
Thursday, Oct. 6 at Rusty Fender, Bruneau

Volleyball
Varsity
Thursday, Oct. 6 home vs. McCall-Donnelly, 7 p.m.
Tuesday, Oct. 11 home vs. Payette, 7 p.m.
Junior varsity
Thursday, Oct. 6 home vs. McCall-Donnelly, 5:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Oct. 11, home vs. Payette, 5:30 p.m.
Frosh/soph
Thursday, Oct. 6 home vs. McCall-Donnelly, 4:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Oct. 11, home vs. Payette, 4:30 p.m.
Swimming
Friday, Oct. 7 vs. Nampa, Nampa Rec Center, 5:15 p.m.

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