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HARVESTFEST GETS A JUMP ON HALLOWEEN



Chamber president pleased with inaugural community event

Above: Children get serious — and playful — about the pumpkin carving contest during the inaugural Homedale Hometown Harvestfest, which was held Saturday at Riverside Park. The Homedale Chamber of Commerce sponsored the event, which included kids' games, food trucks and other contests. "It went amazingly well for the first time," Chamber president Leslie Griffith said. "The vendors were overall happy and excited about the event, and we had decent attendance for the first one, too." The 10th annual Homedale Assembly of God car and bike show also was held at Bette Uda City Park to create plenty of excitement in town. The Homedale Chamber of Commerce bus shuttled folks between the two parks. **Below:** The winning pumpkins with the ribbons awarded by judges. Submitted photos



South Canal irrigation will run until Tuesday

Irrigators relying on the Owyhee Reservoir received four more days of water Friday.

The Owyhee Project Joint Board decided to prolong the season for the new Gem Irrigation District and Ridgeview Irrigation District in Oregon until Tuesday.

Originally, the shutoff date was set for this Friday.

Water in the old Gem Irrigation District, fed by the Snake River, will stop flowing as

originally scheduled on Friday when officials shut down the Gem Pumping Plant for the season.

"We have had no calls asking to prolong the water used with the pumps, so (board members) decided to keep the pumps going off on the (Friday)," South Board of Control secretary Sherry Maxwell said.

The Joint Board made the decision to prolong the South Canal season during an emergency meeting held Friday.

Marsing HUB helps with Homecoming

Formal wear available for dance; festivities continue today

Marsing High School's Homecoming is in full swing, and students are looking forward to the dance to close the week.

So, too, is the Marsing HUB.

HUB coordinator Becky Barkell announced on social

media last Wednesday that the HUB clothing closet has some formal dresses, and that students can make arrangements during school hours to browse the selection. Call the HUB at (208)

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Wagons Ho! brings history alive

Homedale fourth-graders, including one dressed in mountain man garb, take a shot at cutting a log with some supervision during the annual Wagons Ho! visit as part of the Idaho history curriculum Thursday. More photos, **Page 9**

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New-look Rimrock Homecoming starts early

Limited entries
for float contest

by Ulices Rivera
Rimrock Journalism

This year, Rimrock High School’s Homecoming is getting a whole new look.

Homecoming week, which runs from Monday to Friday, Oct. 18, will feature many special events and exciting changes.

In preparation for the week, students are tailgating and decorating hallways in green and gold Thursday.

Thursday night’s Senior Night for first-year coach Erica Mulberry’s volleyball team will honor Alia Aquiso, Alexa Hurtado, and Molly Mulberry. The Raiders play host to Victory Char-

ter from Nampa.

During the day Thursday, the Rimrock cross country team will play host to its annual Rusty Fender 5-kilometer race.

When Homecoming week arrives Monday, there will be a dress-up theme each day:

- Monday is Flannel Day
- Tuesday is Tie-dye Day
- Next Wednesday is Hawaiian Day
- Thursday, Oct. 17 is Spirit Day, so bust out the green and gold!

Spirit games take place Thursday, too:

- The high school boys take on each other during Macho Volleyball.
- A pep rally will be held at 2 p.m.
- The girls’ powderpuff flag football game has not been scheduled yet, but it will be held closer to the end of the

October.

On Friday, Oct. 18, the Raiders football team will play host to Wilder in a 2A Western Idaho Conference game at 7 p.m., in Bruneau.

During halftime, Homecoming royalty will be announced, and floats will circle the football field.

A huge change for the students is that classes now have a choice to do floats for Homecoming. Also, the community can now join the fun and showcase a float during halftime of the football game.

Community groups who want to have a float need to sign a form to reserve that spot, so call in ASAP. The school is only accepting 12 floats this year because of the time restrictions at halftime.

The student-created float showing the best school spirit will win \$100 for the

class or school group.

Floats must be driven by a licensed driver, and the tow vehicles must have current registration and insurance.

No tractor trailers, tractors, 10-wheelers or semis are allowed. Trailers must be 30 feet or shorter.

Registration paperwork must be returned to Katy Carothers this week.

One final change this year is 10th-grade class having a live band for the dance at 8 p.m., on Saturday, Oct. 19 in the newly remodeled Grand View Community Center. The theme is “Disco.”

The band, “Runnin’ for Cover,” is local and plays throughout the community.

Students are welcome to bring guests from other schools. If they would like to bring someone, they have to fill out a guest pass.

Homedale library book sale set

The Friends of the Library semiannual book sale takes place Saturday at the Homedale District Library complex.

The event takes place from 10 a.m., to noon on the lawn outside the library community room, 125 W. Owyhee Ave.

There will be thousands of titles in used books, DVDS, audiobooks and other materials spanning multiple genres and reading levels.

The books are free, but donations are welcome, and all proceeds will be used to support library programming and purchase materials.

Plenty of space in Ramsey course

Gypsy Jackson Memorial Library director Sharla Jensen says there are still several openings for Dave Ramsey’s Financial Peace University course, which is set to start next Wednesday.

The course will be held from 6:30 p.m., to 8 p.m., each Wednesday until Dec. 11.

Registration cost for the Financial Peace University is \$80 per person, but the library will allow couples who wish to attend together to sign up for the price of an individual.

People who attend every class session and successfully complete the course will receive half of their registration fee back.

Call (208) 337-4228 to sign up, or you can drop by the library or leave a message on the library’s Facebook page.

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✓ Marsing: Homecoming royalty will be crowned at Friday football game

649-5411 or email Barkell at bbarkell@marsingschools.org.

Marsing Elementary School students are getting in on the fun with their own dress-up days, which differ from the secondary school. Today, the children are asked to dress to represent their favorite sports team, and Thursday is Blue and Gold Day when they can show off their support for the Huskies. The elementary school also plans a Husky rally on Thursday.

Homecoming festivities continue at 6 p.m., today with class competitions such as He-Man Volleyball and a teachers vs. seniors volleyball match in the new gymnasium.

Afterward, powder puff football and a class tug-of-war will be held on the football field.

All classes, clubs and organizations are invited to participate in the Homecoming parade, which will take place at 2 p.m., on Thursday on Main Street. A spirit rally will follow at the football stadium.

Parade float themes are:

- Seniors** — “Wreck it, Ralph”
- Juniors** — Up
- Sophomores** — Cars
- Freshmen** — Tangled

Class spirit contest winners will be announced at halftime of Friday’s football game.

The Huskies will play Nampa Christian in a 3A Western Idaho Conference game at 7 p.m., on Friday. Thirty minutes prior to kickoff, the royalty court will be announced.

Homecoming queen candidates include:

- Taylor Callison
- Sophia Floyd
- Erika Frazier
- Elly Shelton
- Lillian Thoene

Boys vying for the title of Homecoming king are:

- Jack Marshall
- Landy Padilla
- Levi Puga
- Matt Ramirez

• Dustin Randolph

The junior court contestants are:

- Boys** — Jaxon Astorquia, Brody Bowers, and Zane Mechling
- Girls** — Bella Archer, Adyson Chadez, and Breann Dickerson

Soyla Contreras and Alec Ecklund are the sophomore attendants.

Freshman attendants are Damian Leon and Emmerson McIntyre.

A blackout Homecoming dance in the new cafeteria extension will cap the week on Saturday.



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Homedale, Marsing City Halls open for upcoming holiday

Not all public buildings will be closed Monday when Idaho commemorates Indigenous Peoples' Day (a.k.a. Columbus Day).

City Halls in Homedale and Marsing and two public libraries will be open regular hours on Monday.

Meanwhile, the Owyhee County Courthouse in Murphy and county satellite offices in Homedale, Marsing and Grand View will be closed.

Sheriff's deputies will be on patrol as will Homedale Police officers. Emergency medical services and volunteer firefighters will be at the ready, too, and Owyhee County Sheriff's dispatchers will field calls for service.

Schools in Homedale, Marsing, Bruneau-Grand View, Melba, Adrian and Jordan Valley will be in session.

The Lizard Butte Library in Marsing and the Gypsy Jackson Memorial Library in Homedale will be open regular hours, but libraries in Grand View (Eastern Owyhee County) and Bruneau (Bruneau Valley) will be closed. The Bruneau Valley Library is always closed on Mondays.

Grand View City Hall will be closed.

The congregate meal will be served as usual inside the Sandbar Community Room adjacent to Marsing City Hall.

But senior centers in Grand View (Rimrock), Homedale and Melba will be closed as usual on Monday.

Republic Services garbage pickup won't be altered by the holiday.

Grocery stores in Homedale (Albertsons) and Marsing (M&W Market) will observe regular hours. The Sav-On Pharmacy inside Albertsons will be open as will the liquor store inside M&W Market.

Homedale Drug and its liquor store will be open regular hours.

Adrian comes together to uphold children's right to play

Donations sought to finish complex

With a lot of work already done and grants and other money in hand, Adrian School District is close to fulfilling another recreational dream.

The school district is asking the community members to rally to raise \$25,482 to finish the Adrian School and Community Recreational Complex on the schools' campus.

The remaining piece of the puzzle is inclusive playground equipment to replace the district's outdated equipment that's also inaccessible to children with disabilities.

The total price tag for a "turn-key" playground is \$69,382, but the Adrian Parent-Teacher Organization has earmarked \$15,000 for the project, according to a letter to the community about the project.

Additionally, a \$25,000 grant and \$8,900 in community donations has been received.

Donation checks can be made out to Adrian Parent-Teacher Organization and mailed to Adrian School District, Attn.: Michelle Dudley, P.O. Box 108, Adrian, OR 97901.

Donations are tax-deductible. Receipts will be issued.

The goal is to provide recreational opportunities for students in the greater Adrian community regardless of economic background or disabilities.

The all-inclusive complex, which will include athletic fields and upgraded, accessible playground equipment, already has started to take shape through contributions from the school district and community members totaling \$179,500:

- Scoreboard and installation (\$12,000) donated by local businesses
- Basketball hoops (\$3,000) donated by former Adrian High School seniors
- Leveling of grassed area (\$4,500) donated by local businessmen
- Inclusive teeter-totters (\$6,000) donated by Adrian's first-grade class
- In-ground sprinklers and hydroseeding (\$14,000) from school district funds
- Asphalt resurfacing for easier access (\$20,000) from school district funds
- Physical education/recess/softball/baseball/soccer/football complex (\$120,000) from district funds

Secondary school principal Bill Wortman and high school secretary Michelle Dudley signed a letter to the community outlining the accomplishments and the future plans.

The upgrades were part of a mission to provide recreational and athletic opportunities for everyone, including underserved female athletes.

The new softball field helped the school district comply with Title IX federal guidelines, but the complex was also designed with the community's youth and families in mind.

Youth clubs and the community can use the facility after school and in the summer.

The school uses the facility for P.E. and recess. After school and in the summer, the field is home for T-ball, minors baseball, youth softball, soccer and football, high school softball and family use.

The inclusive playground is necessary, according to the district's letter, because the old equipment hinders students with disabilities from participating. The UN's High Commission for Human Rights has designated "play is a fundamental right for every child," according to the letter.

There is no inclusive park within 15 miles of Adrian, and proponents say the deficiency excludes children with disabilities or experiencing poverty and minority students.

"It is our mission to provide this fundamental right for all of our children in the greater Adrian community and school by providing equal access and opportunities to participate in the new inclusive playground equipment," the letter read.

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School menus

Homedale Elementary

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

Oct. 9: **Breakfast:** Buttermilk pancakes, syrup cup, Yami yogurt, sliced peaches **Lunch:** Spaghetti, seasoned green beans, snickerdoodle cookie

Oct. 10: **Breakfast:** Maple bar, string cheese, apple **Lunch:** Cheeseburger, curly fries

Oct. 14: **Breakfast:** French toast bites, applesauce **Lunch:** Mini corn dogs, steamed buttered carrots, chocolate chunk cookie

Oct. 15: **Breakfast:** Sausage patty, Yami yogurt, whole grain toast, sliced pears **Lunch:** Super nachos, refried beans, carrot sticks

Oct. 16: **Breakfast:** Cinnamon roll, string cheese, grapes **Lunch:** Orange chicken rice bowl, mixed vegetables

Homedale Middle

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

Oct. 9: **Breakfast:** Cheesy scrambled eggs, blueberry muffin, diced pears **Lunch:** Chicken Alfredo, steamed buttered carrots, garlic toast

Oct. 10: **Breakfast:** Maple bar, Yami yogurt, mixed fruit **Lunch:** Cheeseburger, Tater Tots

Oct. 14: **Breakfast:** French toast bites, syrup cup, applesauce **Lunch:** Mozzarella bread sticks, marinara sauce cup, buttered corn, snickerdoodle cookie

Oct. 15: **Breakfast:** Pop Tarts, string cheese, sliced peaches **Lunch:** Super nachos, refried beans, carrot sticks

Oct. 16: **Breakfast:** Sausage breakfast pizza, Yami yogurt, orange slices **Lunch:** Orange chicken rice bowl, spring roll, seasoned green beans, fortune cookie

Homedale High

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

Oct. 9: **Breakfast:** Cheesy scrambled eggs, blueberry muffin, fruit smoothie **Lunch:** BBQ chicken pizza, Tater Tots **Grab ‘n’ go:** Chicken bacon salad

Oct. 10: **Breakfast:** Breakfast burrito, Yami yogurt, iced coffee **Lunch:** Crisпитos, refried beans **Grab ‘n’ go:** Buffalo chicken wrap

Oct. 14: **Breakfast:** Waffles or bagel and cream cheese, fruit smoothie **Lunch:** Homestyle chicken strips, crinkle fries, breadstick **Grab ‘n’ go:** Chicken bacon salad

Oct. 15: **Breakfast:** Scrambled eggs, sausage patty, whole grain toast, iced coffee **Lunch:** Cheeseburger, curly fries **Grab ‘n’ go:** Malibu chicken wrap

Oct. 16: **Breakfast:** Sausage breakfast pizza, Yami yogurt, fruit smoothie **Lunch:** Chicken or spicy chicken sandwich, Tater Tots **Grab ‘n’ go:** BBQ chicken salad

Marsing

Meals include choice of milk, fruit juice, fresh fruit & vegetables

Elementary daily: Breakfast: Cereal option

Middle/High School daily: PB&J 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. 9: **Breakfast:** Glazed donut, string cheese, sliced apples **Lunch: Hot Grab-n-go:** BBQ chicken pizza, Tater Tots **Cold Grab-n-go:** Buffalo chicken wrap

Oct. 10: **Breakfast:** Scrambled eggs, whole wheat toast, mixed fruit cup **Lunch: Hot Grab-n-go:** Garlic French bread pizza, marinara sauce cup, curly fries **Cold Grab-n-go:** Italian sub

Oct. 14: **Breakfast:** Texas toast, string cheese, applesauce **Lunch:** Ham and cheese sandwich, Tater Tots **Cold Grab-n-go:** Chicken bacon ranch wrap

Oct. 15: **Breakfast:** Sausage patty, biscuit, country gravy, dried cranberries **Lunch: Cold Grab-n-go: Hot Grab-n-go:** Malibu chicken sandwich, Tater Tots

Oct. 16: **Breakfast:** Breakfast pizza, string cheese, mixed fruit cup **Lunch:** French toast sticks, sausage patty, hash browns, strawberry cup **Cold Grab-n-go:** BBQ chicken wrap

Bruneau-Grand View

All meals: Milk and fruit offered daily

Jr.-Sr. high school: Pizza offered daily

Oct. 9: **Breakfast:** Muffins **Lunch:** Nachos with tortilla chips, refried beans, salsa and sour cream, corn

Oct. 10: **Breakfast:** Bagels with cream cheese **Lunch:** BBQ pulled pork with bun, French fries, celery sticks

Oct. 14: **Breakfast:** French toast **Lunch:** Pizza, romaine salad, baby carrots

Oct. 15: **Breakfast:** Apple frudel **Lunch:** Little Smokies with roll, scalloped potatoes, green beans

Oct. 16: **Breakfast:** PB&J sandwich **Lunch:** Beef and bean burrito, salsa and sour cream, romaine salad, corn

Local graduates from UI

Daria T. Paxton of Wilder is the only local person reported as a summertime graduate at the University of Idaho.

Paxton earned a Master’s degree in Soil and Land Resources from the College of Agricultural and Life Sciences.

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New season presents chance to learn, grow

With the change in season, weather, and schedules, this can be a great opportunity to take a moment for learning and growth to take place.

While the days may be shorter and the air a bit crisper, this might be the chance you need to take a step back and reflect on the things that you may want to



Suriñe Greenway

strengthen in your life. The things that may interest you can fall under many different categories, but some might include the desire to establish a new routine, increase your knowledge, or begin a new skill.

Here are some ideas that you could take on individually or with others so you can create the time and space for learning and growth to take place:

- If you are looking for ways to enjoy the outdoors while bonding as a family unit, you should consider activities that may lend to everyone being able to enjoy physical activity, contributing to your health, and again for you to be able to learn. During the fall and winter months many can have their health take a backseat, and this can actually be the time to ensure you are still keeping your health in mind. This can easily take place with all ages with

something as simple as nature walk with leaf identification.

- I recently started something that would allow me the chance to increase my knowledge and create a new skill at the same time — learning a new language. This can be done through a variety of ways: Taking a class, using a digital application on your phone, or listening to a podcast. With so many tools in this modern age, there are many different ways to learn a new language or strengthen one that you already know.

- Does this time give you a moment and slow down? Does this lend to the ability to select a book and read or listen? Enough credit isn’t given to how beneficial reading can be to your mind. You can even swap out that nightly television program with reading a few chapters of a good book.

There are so many different options available for you and your family; there is no limit. You just have to start thinking of where you can start and what is going to work for you.

The key is to start today!

— Suriñe Greenway is the University of Idaho Owyhee County Extension Family and Consumer Sciences educator. For more information, you can reach the U of I Owyhee County Extension Office at (208) 896-4104 or owyhee@uidaho.edu. The office is located at 238 W. 8th Ave. W., in Marsing.

Courthouse report

A list of felony and misdemeanor dispositions recently completed at courtrooms in Murphy and Homedale. Infractions are not included:

Oct. 1

Hunter Rydalch Lindsay, Caldwell — Misdemeanor Fish and Game violations, fail to produce wildlife or tag for inspection; possession of more than one game fish outside of established length requirements: \$98 in fines (\$26 suspended), \$229 in court costs

Jose Antonio Jiminez Rivera, San Diego — Misdemeanor commercial freight regulations violation, fail to correct, verify and certify driver logs: \$43.50 in fines, \$157.50 in court costs

Sept. 26

Jose N. Aguilar Torres — Misdemeanor Fish and Game violation, fishing without a license (not salmon steelhead, sturgeon or bull trout): \$26 in fines, \$165 in court costs

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 10 a.m., for school families only; 10 a.m., to 1 p.m., for general Marsing community. The HUB food pantry, 205 8th Ave. W., Marsing. (208) 649-5411

Bingo

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

Labor Dept. bilingual employment services

Noon to 4 p.m., Gypsy Jackson Memorial Library, 121 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 364-7781 or canyoncountymail@labor.idaho.gov for appointment or information.

Marsing Chamber of Commerce meeting

12:30 p.m., OC Coffee, 6138 Highway 55, Marsing. (208) 285-1436

Fall candle making class

3 p.m., adults (12+), free, advance registration required, Homedale Library Community Room, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. Registration: (208) 337-4228 or Gypsy Jackson Memorial Library, 121 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale.

Homedale City Council meeting

6 p.m., City Hall, 31 W. Wyoming Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4641

Jordan Valley Ambulance meeting

6 p.m., ambulance hall, 706 Main St., Jordan Valley.

Homedale Highway District meeting

6 p.m., Homedale Highway District office, 102 E. Colorado Ave., Homedale.

Marsing City Council meeting

7 p.m., Marsing City Hall, 18 Sandbar Ave., Marsing. (208) 896-4122

Marsing School Board meeting

7 p.m., school district office boardroom, The HUB, 301 8th Ave W, Marsing. (208) 649-5411

Thursday

Therapy Dog visit

9:30 a.m., to 11 a.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale.

Bingo

10 a.m., free, Melba Valley Senior Center, 115 Base Line Rd, Melba. (208) 495-2168

Fit and Fall class

10:30 a.m., free, Melba Valley Senior Center, 115 Base Line Rd, Melba. (208) 495-2168

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

Early Childhood Learning class

10:30 a.m., to 11:30 a.m., ages 0 through 5 (parents must attend with children), Eastern Owyhee County Library meeting room, 520 Boise Ave., Grand View. (208) 834-2785

Owyhee Conservation District meeting

Noon, Owyhee Conservation District office, 250 N. Bruneau Hwy., Marsing. (208) 880-6284

Owyhee Gardeners Meeting

1 p.m., Sandbar Community Room, 18 Sandbar Ave., Marsing. (208) 250-0943. Information: info@owyheegardeners.org

After school Bible club

4 p.m., to 5 p.m., ages 5-11, Eastern Owyhee Library, 520 Boise Ave., Grand View. Information: Cyndi Fullmer, (208) 599-2790 or Amber Good, (208) 585-7694

Teens and Tweens

5 p.m., to 6 p.m., ‘Brady Kissel from IDPTV – STEAM Projects,’ Homedale Library

Community Room, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale.

Friday

Community Food Pantry

4 p.m., Melba Valley Senior Center, 115 Base Line Rd., Melba.

Alcoholics Anonymous

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

Saturday

OCHS field trip

9 a.m., ‘Flint townsite and ruins’, Owyhee County Historical Museum, 17085 Basey St., Murphy. Information: Michael Ciscell (208) 550-5263

Catholic Mass

10 a.m., Our Lady Queen of Heaven, Oreana. (208) 466-7031

Friends of the Library book sale

10 a.m. to noon, donations welcome, Gypsy Jackson Memorial Library, 121 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228

Cards

Noon to 4 p.m., free, Melba Valley Senior Center, 115 Base Line Rd, Melba. (208) 495-2168

Sunday

Marsing Gun Club

8 a.m., sign-up; 10 a.m., shooting starts; Marsing Gun Club, 7598 Trap Shoot Rd., Marsing.

Awana youth Bible club

5 p.m., to 6:30 p.m., ‘Balloon night,’ ages kindergarten through high school, Valley Christian Fellowship, 37866 Hwy 78, Grand View. (208) 585-7694

Monday

Homedale district library board meeting

10 a.m., Gypsy Jackson Memorial Library, 121 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228

Opal Nash Story Time

10 a.m., ‘Billy Goats Gruff Puppet Show,’ Gypsy Jackson Memorial Library, 121 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228

After School Program

4:30 p.m., ‘Steel Legacy Honey LLC visit,’ elementary and middle school children, Gypsy Jackson Memorial Library, 121 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228

Tuesday

Board of County Commissioners meeting

9 a.m., Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy. 78, Murphy. (208) 495-2421

Fit and Fall class

10:30 a.m., free, Melba Valley Senior Center, 115 Base Line Rd, Melba. (208) 495-2168

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10:30 a.m., to 11:30 a.m., ages 0 through 5 (parents must attend with children), Eastern Owyhee County Library meeting room, 520 Boise Ave., Grand View. (208) 834-2785

Region III assistance assessments

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

Alcoholics Anonymous

7 p.m., Homedale Friends Community Church, 17434 U.S. Hwy. 95, Wilder.

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Obituaries

Steven Randall Kaufman

Steve Kaufman passed away on September 21, 2024, in Boise, Idaho. He was born in Wellington, Kansas on November 13, 1939 to parents George and Josephine (Starlin) Kaufman.

By the time Steve entered grade school, his dad had acquired quite a selection of horses, with many more to come. This herd of horses would eventually earn the family a very successful career in the Quarter Horse Racing industry. The family eventually made their way out west where they would migrate back and forth from Idaho to California with the racehorses. Steve played a major role in the raising and training of the horses. He started galloping horses at ten years old, then eventually was the family's jockey by the time he was twelve. The Kaufman family owned some great horses over the years which included Rocket Bar, Tinky Poo, Missile Step and Fantastic Native, just to name a few. With Steve's help, his father, George Kaufman, went on to become the leading Quarter Horse Racing Trainer in the nation in 1958, 1959 and 1960. For as much time that was spent on training racing babies, an equal amount of time and effort went in to raising and training good, broke performance horses. Steve made it to the National High School Rodeo Finals in Nebraska in 1955. He made the trek to

the Midwest with two of his teenage buddies and fellow contestants. Today, most of us couldn't ever imagine letting three, fifteen-year-olds travel halfway across the country on their own. Things were much different then!

The following year, the Kaufmans would end up back in California. There, he competed in team ropings all over the state. He roped a lot with a man named Charlie Myers. One day he stopped by Modesto to watch a junior rodeo and saw his roping partner. They were visiting amongst themselves while watching an event where contestants led their horse at a high rate of speed to the end of the arena, threw their saddle on their horse, then got on and ran back towards the starting line. Steve looked up and said, "Charlie, look at that girl!!! She didn't tighten her cinch and she's dangling underneath that horse at a dead run!" Charlie replied, "Yep, that's my daughter." Steve did not know that Charlie had a daughter! A friendship began that day, and Steve was very kind to Charlie's daughter, Patti, who was thirteen at the time. He even took her to watch the rodeo at the Cow Palace with him and his girlfriend! Steve and Patti finally started dating when she was sixteen.

He was drafted into the Army in 1965 and went to Vietnam in 1966. He was a well-respected



soldier. His knowledge of guns and mechanics led his superiors to try their best to convince him that he would be an asset to the military, hoping that he would make a career out of it. That was not the life he wanted. Before coming home for good, he was awarded Bronze Star for saving the lives of several men in his unit during combat.

Steve and Patti were married in June of 1968 and moved to Idaho permanently. They began competing in Idaho Cowboys Association rodeos in 1969, Steve as a heeler and Patti in the barrel racing. Over the years, Steve placed or won at most every association-approved, amateur rodeo he entered, qualifying for the ICA finals numerous times. He served as director at-large and as team roping director. Steve was known to stand up for his fellow team ropers, always wanting what was in their best interest in the arena. The friendships made while going to rodeos have lasted a lifetime. For his

contributions to rodeo, he was awarded the Louie Reinman Award, received his Gold Card from the Idaho Cowboys Association, and in 2020 he was inducted into the Idaho Rodeo Hall of Fame.

Steve continued to work with his dad on the racehorse farm for most of his adult life. As his dad slowed down and began to thin the horse herd, he started hauling rodeo stock for Stephens Brother Rodeos and cattle for Clovis Muston and Ron Sale. He was also a very skilled welder, building many horse trailers and equipment over the years. His ability to weld and drive a truck led him to his next job, working for Bill Cunningham at Drill Pro. There, he loved his job and work family for over twenty years.

Steve and Patti enjoyed team roping together. They qualified for the National Senior Pro Rodeo Finals numerous times and were twice Circuit Champions together. He was also Runner Up National Champion at the National Cattleman's Feedlot Roping. When he retired from team roping, he didn't sell his rope horses. He passed them down to his grandchildren, ensuring that they always had good horses to ride. He spent his later years putting thousands of miles on his pickup, following his grandchildren to every sporting event possible. Every year that one of his grandchildren qualified for

the State High School Rodeo Finals, Papa Steve took them on the weeklong trip, and he's twice taken grandsons to the National Junior High School Rodeo Finals and twice to the National High School Rodeo Finals.

Steve and Patti retired to Murphy, Idaho nearly twenty years ago. Every day you could find them riding around in their side-by-side, looking for deer. He still enjoyed hunting and he managed to harvest a deer and an elk every year until last year's hunting season!

Steve will be remembered for being a very kind and humble man. He will be greatly missed.

He was preceded in death by his parents, George and Josephine, and his sister Judy. He is survived by his wife, Patti; daughters, Paige (Mike) Usabel and Brook Russell (Tim VanOstran); grandchildren, Bailey (Parker), Judd (CJ), Waycee (Logan), Rodee (Taylor), and Wes; and great-granddaughters, Sawyer and Taytum.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, October 19th at 1 o'clock at the Owyhee County Community Center at the fairgrounds in Homedale, Idaho. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that contributions may be made to the Idaho Rodeo Hall of Fame, 1033 West Newfield Drive, Eagle, ID 83616.

Willis Dean Hiatt

Willis Dean Hiatt, 78, of Marsing went to meet his maker and daughter, Kimberly Anne, on Tuesday, Sept. 10, 2024. He will be buried at Idaho State Veterans Cemetery in Boise at 2 p.m., on Thursday, Oct. 10, 2024 followed by a celebration of life at 4 p.m., at Church of the Rock, 903 6th St. N., Nampa, ID.

Willis was born on Dec. 5, 1945 in Ovid, Colo. He joined the Army in 1966, served a tour of duty in Vietnam and Germany. Returned to Julesburg, Colo., where he met the love of his life, Tresa Middleton. They were married and had a daughter a year later. Moved to Oklahoma, Montana, Idaho.



Willis worked for Kuna water and Marsing schools until retirement.

Willis was an avid sports fan, car races in Meridian,



Mariners, and rodeo. He also loved to do woodworking.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Grace, and daughter, Kimberly.

Death notices

MARIO BANDA, 79, of Homedale, died on Sunday, Sept. 29, 2024. Arrangements: Bowman Funeral Parlor, 10254 W. Carlton Bay Dr., Garden City. (208) 853-3131

JOAN GREENZWEIG, 88, Melba, died on Monday, Sept. 30, 2024. Arrangements: Zeyer Funeral Chapel, 83 N. Midland Blvd., Nampa. (208) 467-7300. www.zeyerfuneralchapel.com

THERESA ELAINE LAWRENCE, 80, of Homedale, died Tuesday, Oct. 1, 2024. Arrangements: Flahiff Funeral Chapel, Caldwell. (208) 459-0833

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Owyhee County Church Directory

Calvary Fellowship Homedale Pastor Rich Wright 711 W. Idaho Ave. Church time is 10 a.m. Sunday & Wednesday at 7 p.m. River Youth Sunday at 6 p.m. (208) 296-7275	Knight Community Church Grand View Pastor Ivan Shetler 630 Idaho Street (208) 834-2639 Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship Service 10:45 a.m. Wednesday Bible Study 6:30 p.m. Thursday Men's Fellowship 7 p.m.	Our Lady of Tears Church Silver City Mass Summer Schedule TBA All are welcome For more information, call St. Paul's Church, Nampa (208) 466-7031 www.nampacatholic.church
Iglesia Misionera Biblica Homedale Pastor Fernando Gomez 132 W Owyhee • (208) 337-5975 Servicios: Vier - 7 p.m. - Oracion Mier - 7 p.m. Pr edicacion Dom - 10 a.m. Esc. Dom y 6:30 p.m. "Una Iglesia Diferente."	Golden Gate Baptist Church Wilder Pastor Robert Potter, Jr., CLP Corner of Second and "B" Streets Church time is 11 a.m. on Sunday Call (208) 880-4308 for information	Crossroads Assembly of God Wilder Pastor Michael McCormick Hwy 19 & 95, (208) 890-3046 Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m Sunday Evening Worship 6 p.m. Wed. Bible Study 7 p.m.
Assembly of God Church Homedale 15 West Montana, (208) 412-2946 Senior Pastor: Ivar Moore Sunday services, 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. 11 a.m. has nursery, children's program Wednesday and Kidz services, 7 p.m. www.homedaleagchurch.com	Friends Community Church Wilder - Homedale 17434 Hwy 95, (208) 337-3464 Pastor: Scott Morin Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship Services: 10:45 a.m. Sundays Christian Life Club (K-4th) 4 p.m., Wednesdays during school at Homedale First Presbyterian www.homedalefriends.org	Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church Caldwell 1122 W. Linden St. (208) 459-3653 Mass: Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 9:30 a.m. Spanish Mass: Saturday 7:00 p.m. Spanish Mass: Sunday Noon
Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church Homedale 621 W. Idaho Ave. Homedale. (208) 337-4248 Pastor Sean Rippey Sunday Services 10 a.m. Adult and Children Sunday School 9-9:45 a.m. Visitors Always Welcome! Call Church for Prayer requests	Homedale Baptist Church 212 S. 1 st W., (208) 960-4496 https://homedalebc.org Sunday Fellowship 11 a.m.-Noon Second Sunday soup/meal Noon Fourth Sunday Communion Celebration and shared meal Noon Pastor: Paul Chismar	Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Homedale 708 West Idaho Ave Sunday 1st Ward, 11:30 a.m. Bishop David Hann Sunday 2nd Ward, 9 a.m. Bishop Chris Varuska
Chapel of Hope Hope House, Marsing Look for the Blue Church South Bruneau Hwy at the Hope House Welcoming Families, especially those with special needs children. Keith Croft, Pastor (208) 896-5366 (208) 896-4673 Sunday Services at 10 a.m.	Wilder Church of God Wilder 205 A St. E, (208) 649-7698 Pastor Ray Gerthung Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Sunday Service 11 a.m. Sunday Eve. 6 p.m. Wed. Eve. 7 p.m.	Mountain View Church of the Nazarene Wilder-Homedale 26515 Ustick Road (208) 337-3151 Pastor Ryan Schwin www.mvcnaz.org Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. Adult & Youth Bible Class: Wed. 7 p.m.
MARSING APOSTOLIC ASSEMBLY Asamblea Apostolica de Marsing 107 W. Main • Marsing, Idaho Pastor Jose Gutierrez (208) 880-6172 Sunday School 10 a.m. Sunday Service 1 p.m. Wednesday Service 7 p.m. Bilingual Services/Español	Iglesia Evangelica Wilder 317 3 rd St., Pastor Ramiro Reyes 10 am Sunday School 11 a.m. Service (208) 482-7484 Bilingual	St. David's Episcopal Church 1800 Arlington Ave. Caldwell, ID 83605 (208) 459-9261 stdavids@stdavidscaldwell.org www.stdavid.episcopalidaho.org
 Christian Church Homedale 110 W. Montana (208) 319-4650 Don Vander Boegh (208) 867-5418 Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m. Church school 9:45 a.m.	Bible Missionary Church Homedale 501 W. Idaho, (208) 337-3873 Pastor Ron Franklin Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. Sunday Evening 7 p.m Wednesday Evening 7:30 .p.m.	Assembly of God Church Marsing 139 Kerry St., (208) 599-2374 Pastor Sergio Aristizabal Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Sunday Worship 11 a.m. Wednesday Prayer Service 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.
Lizard Butte Baptist Church Marsing Pastor Daniel Swaim 116 4 th Ave. W., (208) 603-3063 Sunday worship: Morning: 11a.m-Noon • Evening: 6-7 p.m. Sunday School 9:45 a.m-10:45 a.m. Wednesday evening 7-pm-8 p.m.	Nazarene Church Marsing Pastor Jody Hampton (208) 649-5256 12 2 nd Avenue West www.marsingnaz.org Worship Services - Sunday 11 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.m. Sunday Evening 6 p.m.	Trinity Holiness Church Homedale Pastor Samuel Page (208) 337-5021 Sunday School 10 a.m. at 112 N. 4 th St. Sunday Evening 5:30 p.m.* Thursday Evening 7:30 p.m.* *Sunday and Thursday evening services held at First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6 th St. W.
Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Marsing 215 3 rd Ave. W. Sunday 1 st Ward, 10:30 a.m. Bishop Sean Rowley Sunday 2 nd Ward, 9 a.m. Bishop Lon McRae	Calvary Holiness Church - Wilder Corner of 3 rd St. & B Ave. Sunday School: 10:00 a.m. • Sunday Worship: 11 a.m. Sunday: 6:00 p.m. • Wednesday: 7 p.m. calvarypantry@gmail.com Food Pantry hours: 2 nd Friday of month 5-7 p.m. 4 th Friday of month 12-2 p.m. Calvary Holiness Food Pantry Wilder Idaho	United Methodist Church Wilder <i>Exploring the Bible: Public Invited</i> 2 nd & 4 th Tuesday: 4-5 p.m. Corner of 4 th St. & B Ave. Pastor Dave Raines (208) 880-8751 Sunday Service 9:30 a.m.
First Presbyterian Church Homedale 320 N. 6 th W. Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m. Sunday School 11 a.m. Christian Life Club (K-4th) 4 p.m., Wednesdays during school (Friends church sponsor) Rev. Heidi Smith-Takatori (208) 303-7414	Vision Community Church Marsing 221 West Main St., Marsing, Idaho (208) 779-7926 Pastor Benje Graves Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Sunday Service 10:30 a.m. Adult, Kids & Youth Meetings Wed. 7 p.m. (Potluck dinner Wednesday at 6:15 before service)	Garnet Seventh-Day Adventist Church 16613 Garnet Rd., Wilder (208) 649-5280 Email: garnetSDA@icloud.com Sabbath School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:45 a.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7:00-8 p.m.
Iglesia Bautista Palabra de Esperanza Homedale 711 W. Idaho, (208) 463-9569 Pastor Jose Diaz Servicios: Los Domingos 11 a.m.	Our Lady Queen of Heaven Catholic Church - Oreana 2023 Mass Schedule - 10 a.m. second Saturday of month (except April, third Saturday) All are welcome! For more information, call St. Paul's Church, Nampa (208) 466-7031	Amistad Cristiana de Wilder UMC Esquina de 4 y calle B Domingos Servicio: Noon El Ropero (Banco de ropa) Miercoles 12- 2 p.m. Martes y Jueves: 6:30 p.m. Ingles Sabados: Noon Arte Infantil Todo en Espanol, Inf. (208) 989-7508
Valley Christian Fellowship Grand View 37866 State Hwy. 78 Pastor Nate Good (208) 834-2655 Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Sunday Worship Service: 10:45 a.m. Communion & potluck first Sunday each month Potluck only third Sunday each month AWANA Bible Club: 5 p.m., Sunday		

Obituary

Beatrice “Beada” Mary Jaca

Beatrice “Beada” Mary Jaca, 96, of Jordan Valley, Oregon, passed away peacefully September 27, 2024, leaving behind a legacy of love, kindness and service.

She was born on August 2, 1928 in Jordan Valley to Joe and Benita (Chertudi) Yturraspe. She joined her two sisters Delphina and Dora. The three sisters were close in age and fostered a strong bond. Their mother moved to The Dalles, Oregon for TB treatment in their early years. Members of the Yturraspe and Chertudi families stepped forward to help care for the three young girls in their mother’s absence. The seed for caring for others was planted and the strong Basque work ethic prevailed for a lifetime.

Beada attended Jordan Valley Elementary and High School. After finishing high school she married Felix “Phil” Jaca October 13, 1946 at St. John’s Cathedral in Boise, Idaho. Throughout their 52-year marriage Phil and Beada lived in Jordan Valley operating the Jaca Brothers Ranch where their three children (John, Benita & Tom) were raised.

She was a lifelong member of St. Bernard’s Church serving in the altar society, parish council and as sacristan of the church. She was also active in school parent organizations and served on the Malheur County Elections Committee. Phil & Beada were active members of the local Lions Club. Being of service to the local community was very important to them.

Beada is survived by son John (Sherry), daughter Benita, son Tom (Dee), eight grandchildren, and sixteen great-grandchildren.



She was preceded in death by her husband Phil; parents Joe and Benita; granddaughter Tami; infant grandson, infant daughter Phyllis, and sisters & spouses; Delphina Staples (Dick) & Dora Collins (Bud).

The family extends heartfelt gratitude to the care staff and administration of Corner-Stone Senior Living for the exceptional loving care given throughout the years Beada was a resident. We also express our sincere appreciation to Keystone Hospice for their compassionate care.

Services: October 10, 2024 @ St. Bernard’s Catholic Church in Jordan Valley Oregon.

Funeral Mass 11 am followed by interment at Jordan Valley Cemetery.

Following the services all are invited to join the family for lunch at the parish hall.

In Lieu of Flowers, please consider making a donation to these Memorials:

St. Bernard’s Church, PO Box 186, Jordan Valley, OR 97910

Jordan Valley Lions Club, PO Box 344, Jordan Valley, OR 97910

Weather

	High	Low	Prec.
Oct. 1	70	34	.00
Oct. 2	77	34	.00
Oct. 3	78	36	.00
Oct. 4	78	37	.00
Oct. 5	80	36	.00
Oct. 6	82	41	.00
Oct. 7	77	36	.00

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WAGONS HO! BRINGS HISTORY ALIVE



Caldwell resident Cal Clevenger brought Wagons Ho! of Idaho to Homedale Elementary School on Thursday, providing all types of frontier experiences for fourth-graders. The “taste” of the Old West didn’t extend to lunchtime, though, as the children and assembled parents dined in the cafeteria. One boy had a thoroughly modern idea, asking as teacher if his mom could take him to Subway.



A girl lifts a garment off the washboard after using bar soap to scrub.



A boy swings a log to split wood into shake shingles as the station supervisor holds the froe steady.



Smoke billows after a girl burns a heart into a piece of wood with some assistance at the branding station.



Two girls power a cross-cut saw, alternating pulls to cut through a log held down by the weight of the station supervisor.

Wagons Ho! co-creator Cal Clevenger of Caldwell (right) talks to his fellow wagon train members after the morning session of educational stations, which included fire-starting, butter-making, roping, journaling, hand-washing clothes, branding, and woodwork.



Senior menus

Homedale Senior Center

Served at noon

Milk and roll/bread available each day

Oct. 9: Ravioli in Alfredo, winter blend vegetables

Oct. 10: Country fried steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, country trio vegetables

Oct. 15: Roast beef in mushroom gravy, mashed potatoes, corn

Oct. 16: Ham and beans, Brussels sprouts, cornbread

Sandbar Community Room, Marsing

Noon to 12:30 p.m., inside Marsing City Hall

Milk available each day. Suggested donation:

\$5 (60 and older), \$8 (59 and younger). \$8 (take-out meal)

Oct. 9: Tuna casserole, stewed tomatoes, baby carrots, 9-grain bread, fresh fruit

Oct. 11: Salisbury steak with brown gravy, mashed potatoes, Chateau vegetables, whole wheat roll, applesauce

Oct. 14: Polish sausage with sauerkraut, baked beans, corn and peppers, whole wheat bun, fresh fruit

Oct. 16: White chicken chili, corn, cornbread, spiced apples

Rimrock Senior Center

Served at noon. All meals are served with milk & fruit juice

Curbside pickup from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. or delivery only. Call (208) 834-2922 as early as possible to place order to go

Oct. 10: Chicken a la king, green salad, biscuits, fresh fruit, pudding

Oct. 15: Roast beef, mashed potatoes, cheesy vegetables, roll, yogurt, pears

Oct. 17: Sloppy Joes, green beans, macaroni salad, cottage cheese, peaches

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. 10: Baked chicken

Oct. 15: Egg bake

Oct. 17: Ham and noodles



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Adrian man gets five years for child abuse material

Cooperation between cross-border law enforcement agencies was crucial in the prosecution of an Adrian man on a federal child pornography charge.

Hein Fourie, 26, was sentenced to 63 months in federal prison for possession of child sexual abuse material.

U.S. Attorney Josh Hurwit announced the disposition of the case, which was heard in Boise’s federal courtroom, on Thursday.

Hurwit commended the work of the Wilder Police Department and Malheur County Sheriff’s Office in the investigation that led to the charges.

According to court records, an investigation began when a citizen reported to law enforcement that Fourie had child sexual abuse material (CSAM) on his cellphone. The citizen provided law enforcement with two cellphones belonging to Fourie. Law enforcement examined the cellphones pursuant to a search warrant and located over 300 files of CSAM on each cellphone. During an interview, Fourie admitted to receiving CSAM on cellphones that he had possessed while temporarily residing in Idaho.

U.S. District Judge Amanda K. Brailsford also sentenced Fourie to five years of supervised release and ordered him to pay \$15,000 in restitution to victims in the images he possessed. Fourie will be required to register as a sex offender as a result of the conviction.

“We are grateful to the concerned citizen who alerted law enforcement to this defendant’s possession of CSAM,” Hurwit said. “And we are grateful to our law enforcement partners who worked together to help us bring this case. We continue to do everything in our power to bring to justice those who victimize children.”

Hurwit also cited the efforts of Homeland Security Investigations, which worked with Wilder and Malheur officials. Assistant U.S. Attorney Cassandra McGrady prosecuted this case.

“Reporting child predators, anywhere they may be found, gives our agents an advantage in the fight against CSAM,” Special Agent in Charge Robert Hammer, who oversees HSI operations in the Pacific Northwest, said.

“Quite simply, if you see something, say something. Every report matters, and with community involvement our law enforcement partnerships can protect those who need it the most.”

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Health advisory issued for Three Creek-area reservoir

A reservoir less than 10 miles northeast of Three Creek has shown high amounts of cyanobacteria.

The Idaho Department of Health and Welfare last week issued a health advisory for Cedar Creek Reservoir, which is near the Twin Falls-Owyhee County line. The advisory urges folks to use caution when recreating in or near the water and was put out after Health and Welfare collaborated with South Central Public Health District and the Idaho Department of Environmental Quality.

The agencies monitor harmful algal blooms containing cyanobacteria, a phenomenon also called cyanoHABs.

Recent samples from Cedar Creek Reservoir, which is 30 miles southwest of Twin Falls on Three Creek Road, have shown high amounts of toxin-producing cyanobacteria. Cyanotoxins can be harmful to people, pets and livestock.

Three Creek Road is the primary route to Jarbidge, Nev.

The state agencies urge that when recreating in the affected water to take the precautions while the advisory is in effect:

- Avoid swimming, wading, or other contact with the water. Take extra care to ensure children do not drink or get the water on them.
- Ensure pets and livestock do not drink or go into the water. If they have contact with the water, clean skin, hide, or fur with clean water right away.
- Do not drink or cook with the water. Boiling or filtering the water does not remove the toxins and can increase the risk of becoming sick.
- Wash hands thoroughly in clean water after handling fish or objects from the water.
- If you choose to eat fish from the water, clean and wash fish thoroughly in uncontaminated water. Fillet the fish, and remove all fat, skin, and internal organs before cooking. Cyanotoxins can build up in fish. The risk to people is unknown.

Watch for symptoms.

- If you touch or swim in the water or breathe in water droplets, you might experience a rash, hives, red eyes, wheezing, coughing, or shortness of breath.
- If you swallow the water, you might have stomach pain, diarrhea, or vomiting. You might have a headache, muscle weakness, or dizziness.

- If your liver is damaged, your skin might turn yellow, and you will have dark urine.

If you think you might be sick from cyanotoxin, consult your healthcare provider or call the poison center at (800) 222-1222. Notify algae@deq.idaho.gov.

The Health and Welfare website will have updated health advisories. The public will be notified when the advisory is lifted. More information is available at:

- <https://www.deq.idaho.gov/water-quality/surface-water/cyanobacteria-harmful-algal-blooms/>
- <https://www.getthehealthy.dhw.idaho.gov/recreational-water-health-advisories>

Cyanobacteria are a natural part of Idaho’s water bodies. When temperatures rise, their populations can bloom and toxic chemical compounds, or cyanotoxins, can be released into the water. Blooms don’t all look the same. They may look like mats, foam, spilled paint, or surface scum, and have a foul odor.

Mats can be out of sight on the bottom of the water body. Pets, livestock, and wildlife can get sick or die, within minutes to days after exposure.

Dogs may become sick first because they are more likely to swim in or drink contaminated water or lick contaminated water or bloom material off their fur. If your pets or livestock have been in the water, immediately wash them with clean water to keep them from licking cyanobacteria off their bodies. Seek veterinary care immediately if your pets or livestock seem sick after going in or drinking the water.

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Third-seeded Homedale to play district opener at home

PK pushes McCall to girls' soccer win

Despite a controversial turn against one of the conference's best teams, Homedale High School has secured the No. 3 seed in the 4A District III girls' soccer tournament.

Sparked by Zion Rushton's penalty kick goal, host McCall-Donnelly shut out the Trojans for the second time this season on Thursday, picking up a 3-0 victory to sweep the 4A Snake River Valley conference series with Homedale.

Mattea Dimick received a yellow card on what some observers called a questionable penalty, and Rushton punched the penalty kick past Tiana Sorenson in the 31st minute.

Eight minutes later, Annabel Gonda added an unassisted goal, and McCall held a 2-0 halftime lead.

The Trojans' defense tightened after the intermission.

The Vandals were awarded another score in the first minute of the second half when a HHS defender tried to clear a ball off the goal line, but her kick deflected off Sorenson and into the net.

Sorenson made six saves, while her counterpart, Emily Hyatt, stopped all

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Mistake-prone Trojans suffer rare conference loss

HHS puts home win streak on line vs. Fruitland

A lengthy winning streak was taken away from the state's top-ranked Class 4A football team Friday night.

Stung by six turnovers, Homedale High School lost for the first time in 33 consecutive 4A Snake River Valley conference games.

Weiser turned the tables on the Trojans in a 30-7 win on the Wolverines' home turf at Walter Johnson Memorial Field.

The Wolverines returned two fumbles for touchdowns and forced junior quarterback Xavier Uranga into three interceptions.

After starting quickly in each of its games this season, Homedale (4-1 overall, 1-1 in conference) was shut out in the first half.

Weiser (4-2, 2-0) owned a 17-0 lead at the break after Ty Cobb scooped up a Uranga fumble and went one yard into the end zone in the second quarter. Uranga had lost the ball on Homedale's 18-yard line.

Uranga regrouped and led Homedale on a 53-yard drive to open the second half, Luke Henry caught a four-yard pass to get the Trojans on the scoreboard.

Homedale's other four possessions in the second half ended with turnovers.

Weiser to 210 total yards.

Cole Ingle had TD runs of five and 10 yards for the Wolverines, and Diego Delgadillo booted a 41-yard field goal and was 3-for-4 on PATs.

Chance Martell collected 44 yards rushing as Homedale was held to just 63 yards on the ground.

Henry made six catches for 71 yards, and Rafael Cuenca caught a 51-yard pass in the third quarter.

Cuenca also picked off Weiser quarterback Kolin Cook in the first quarter.

Homedale was knocking on the door moments after Cuenca's interception, but Lukas Hall lost a fumble after catching a pass on 3rd-and-goal from Weiser's 10-yard line. Cook picked up the ball and returned it to midfield before Ingle scored the game's first touchdown.

Angel Nolasco led the Trojans' defense with five solo tackles.

Tyce Fisher had another solid game with seven tackles total, including five assists.

McCoy Swallow sacked Cook by himself and Fisher, Alex Sotelo, Caden Layne and Diego Cortez teamed up on two other sacks. Layne's half-sack was one of his five assists.

Cortez posted four solo tackles and six assists, while Brock Walker returned from a shoulder injury with four solo tackles and four assists.

The Trojans, who have won six consecutive conference championships, trailed both Weiser and Fruitland by one game early in the 4A SRV season. Homedale entertains Fruitland (6-0, 2-0) in a showdown of two of the state's top Class 4A squads Friday.



Marsing senior Jaden Shaw looks for running room against Ririe earlier this season. On Friday, Shaw was quarterback Jace Chadez's most prolific target in a conference road win against New Plymouth.

Huskies' Homecoming game has added importance

Marsing plays Nampa Christian for first place after pounding Pilgrims

Typically, Homecoming games are supposed to be against teams that won't put up much of a fight.

Marsing High School draws a battle for first place for its Homecoming football game.

The Huskies will play host to Nampa Christian in a 3A Western Idaho Conference showdown at 7 p.m., on Friday.

The Trojans (3-3 overall, 2-0 in conference) hold a half-game lead over Marsing (4-1, 1-0) after both teams won last week.

Nampa Christian has allowed only 14 points in two conference games, and the Huskies held New Plymouth to a pair of touchdowns in a 39-12 blowout victory Friday on the Pilgrims' field.

— See *Homecoming*, page 12

Top 3A WIC volleyball teams bring Marsing down to earth

Marsing High School's smooth-running volleyball season hit a snag last week when the conference season started.

The Huskies' momentum continued into the first half of their 3A Western Idaho Conference opener against Parma on Oct. 1.

But the Panthers rebounded from a tough against Parma on Oct. 1, but the Panthers collected a victory in the 3A Western Idaho Conference opener for both teams.

The Panthers pulled away from Marsing in the final two sets of a 26-24, 23-25, 25-18, 25-12 home-floor victory.

"We came out on fire (vs. Parma)," Huskies coach Amy Chadez said. "We were connecting on all cylinders for the better part of the first set."

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Sports

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✓ Homecoming: Defense decimates New Plymouth in 3A WIC opener

The Trojans crushed first-year 3A WIC member Parma, 83-0, on Friday. Two players — Matthew Nevarez with 142 yards and Ian Johnson with 102 yards — led Nampa Christian’s rushing attack. Each player scored three touchdowns.

Marsing pulled away in the third quarter of its conference opener against New Plymouth through the air.

The Huskies clung to a 13-12 lead at halftime thanks to freshman placekicker Damien Leon’s PAT in the first quarter.

The Huskies scored 19 points in the third quarter and shut out New Plymouth (2-4, 1-1) after halftime in Payette County.

Senior Jaden Shaw caught four passes for 132 yards and a touchdown to lead Marsing’s offense.

The Huskies rolled up 433 yards total offense, and Jace Chadez completed eight of 14 passes for 141 yards. He also threw a 31-yard touchdown pass to Caleb Smith.

Several Huskies contributed to the running game as Marsing’s offensive linemen took control in the trenches.

Moises Montes rushed for 87 yards and a pair of touchdowns.

Sophomore Noah Shelton also found pay dirt as part of his 51-yard rushing night.

Luke Steinmeyer also scored on a short run.

Junior Wyatt Barber led the offensive line, collecting six of the unit’s 19 pancake blocks. Steinmeyer, White, and junior Jaxon Astorquia each knocked three Nampa Christian defenders flat.

Sophomore Gavin Watts rushed seven times for 39 yards, and EJ Young chimed in with 44 yards on 10 carries.

Steinmeyer dominated on defense with eight solo tackles, three assists and an interception and pass breakup. He had one of the Huskies’ four tackles for loss.

Young helped secure two of new Plymouth’s three turnovers, picking off a pass and recovering a fumble Astorquia forced.

Astorquia had six solo stops and two assists.

White and freshman Hayden Wolfswinkel each had a TFL while coming up with six tackles apiece.

Tristan Izzard had two assists and a TFL, while Young chimed in with seven solo tackles (second on the club to Steinmeyer).

✓ Volleyball: Coach says tough stretch will only strengthen the Huskies

After building a six-point advantage, though, Marsing (9-2 overall, 0-2 in conference) began committed errors and Parma took a narrow victory in the first set.

“We battled back and won the second set, relying heavily on Addy Chadez and Raylynn Vanosdall to carry the majority of the offensive attack,” Amy Chadez said.

Addy Chadez drilled nine kills and had a .412 hitting percentage. Defensively, she came away with 11 digs and two blocks.

Bailey Daugherty also came up with three blocks.

Raylynn Vanosdall put down seven kills and came up with 15 digs.

Sydney Nelson dug eight balls, and Lily Thoene posted a double-double with 12 assists and 10 digs.

The Parma-Marsing encounter was a conference match for the first time in decades now that the Panthers have moved down a classification.

“We are new to competing with teams like Parma,” Amy Chadez said. “They are a very talented team, and we struggled to keep the momentum without panicking and creating forced errors.

“Overall, I was pleased with how we competed, and it helped us identify areas to improve on as we progress through conference play.

She continued: “I would have liked to see us finish the first set with the win, and I never love a match that has a set with 12 points. We are working on our mental toughness to overcome when a mistake is made.”

Thursday: Ambrose def. Marsing, 3-0 — The error-prone Huskies fell in straight sets to another tough conference foe with the visiting Archers pulling off a 25-10, 25-13, 25-17 triumph.

“We struggled in multiple areas on Thursday, and you cannot afford to do that against the top teams in our conference,” Chadez said. “Ambrose is a strong team defensively, and we could not find our groove as a team and unfortunately the scores show that.”

Vanosdall served at 100 percent and carded a career-high 20 digs. Nelson also put each of her serves in play and came up with five digs.

Addy Chadez posted five kills, two blocks and seven digs. She also was perfect from the service line.

Ashlyn Porter dished seven assists.

“We did compete in the last set and were ahead for most of the set before running into errors, so we know we are capable when we play like we can play,” Amy Chadez said.

MARSING HUSKIES

ATHLETES OF THE WEEK



Football
Jaden Shaw, sr., WR
4 catches, 132 yards, TD



Volleyball
Sydney Nelson, sr., DS
Averaged 6.5 digs in two 3A WIC matches
Breeana Lootens photo



Cross country
Soyla Contreras, so.
Best time is a 28:49 in Nyssa Invite

THIS WEEK'S SPORTS SCHEDULE

Football Varsity
Friday, Oct. 11, home vs. Nampa Christian (Homecoming), 7 p.m.
Junior varsity
Thursday, Oct. 10 at Nampa Christian, 6 p.m.

Cross country
Wednesday, Oct. 16 at Winston Tilzey Invitational, West Park, Nampa

Volleyball Varsity
3A Western Idaho Conference
Thursday, Oct. 10 at New Plymouth, 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Oct. 14, home vs. Nampa Christian (Senior Night), 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday, Oct. 16 at Melba, 6:30 p.m.
Junior varsity A
3A Western Idaho Conference
Thursday, Oct. 10 at New Plymouth, 5:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Oct. 14, home vs. Nampa Christian, 5:30 p.m.
Wednesday, Oct. 16 at Melba, 5:30 p.m.
Junior varsity B
3A Western Idaho Conference
Thursday, Oct. 10 at New Plymouth, 4:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Oct. 14, home vs. Nampa Christian, 4:30 p.m.
Wednesday, Oct. 16 at Melba, 4:30 p.m.





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Sports

Homedale reaches Vallivue volleyball semifinals

Homedale High School went up against some big foes and some familiar foes during the two-day Vallivue Falcon Classic volleyball tournament.

The Trojans reached Saturday’s semifinals, and two of the team’s pivotal losses came against fellow 4A Snake River Valley conference member Weiser, which went on to take second place in the tournament in Caldwell.

Homedale finished second in its pool during Friday’s first day of action. Eventual tournament champion McCall-Donnelly was the only squad to finish ahead of the Trojans in their pool.

On Saturday, Homedale fell in the eight-team bracket, single-elimination semifinals, 25-22, 25-18, to Weiser. The Wolverines fell in the title match to McCall, 25-18, 25-23.

The Vandals beat Ambrose, 24-26, 25-23, 15-10, in the other semifinal.

Homedale reached the single-elimination championship bracket with victories in a second round of pool play against Vallivue (25-23, 25-22) and Caldwell (25-23, 25-17). Weiser knocked off Homedale, 25-15, 25-18, to take top seed in the pool.

On Friday, Homedale lost to McCall-Donnelly, 25-23, 25-21, in the match that essentially decided their pool’s seeding. The Trojans rallied for second place in the pool after splitting with The Ambrose School, 19-25, 27-25, and knocking off Vallivue, 25-23, 25-18.

Coach Heidi Nash’s players compiled some strong numbers during the tournament:

- Kynna Soland Pfeil served five aces in 24 attempts and put 100 percent of her serves in play.
- Aly DeVice served 11 aces in 63 attempts with a 92 percent success rate.
- Kaitlin Johnstone had four aces in 22 serves and compiled a 90.9 percent service rate.

“As a team we served 88.9 percent in with 52 aces and 40 missed serves dropping our serve percentage to .033,” Nash said.

In serve receive, which charts the success a player has in passing a ball to the target at the net, Charity Pate had 51 perfect passes out of 105 attempts for a 1.89 serve receive rating (out of a possible 3.0).

Nash explained how her scorekeepers keep track of serve receive passing.

“Each ball is scored 0, 1, 2 or 3 - 0 being unplayable and 3 being a perfect pass to the target at the net,” the coach said.

Thirty-two of Piper Kushlan’s 64 serve receive attempts were perfect, and she scored a 1.95 rating.

Kushlan also drilled 43 kills with just 18 errors out of 170 attempts (.147 hitting percentage).

Teague Taylor also had 43 kills. Those spikes and 27 errors in 154 attempts resulted in a .104 hitting percentage.

Aly DeVice smashed 22 kills with eight errors in 81 attempts (.173).

Kaitlin Johnstone tallied 14 kills, and Lilly Relk added 11 in the tournament, while Kynna Soland Pfeil posted 10, and Lily Schwabauer carded nine.

Relk dished 140 assists in 564 setting attempts.

On defense, Pate came up with 73 digs out 108 attempts (.389 average), and Taylor chimed in at .448 (47-for-67). Kushlan (53-for-78, .513), DeVice (32-for-37, .784), and Relk (47-for-71, .352) helped the Trojans post a .448 digging percentage (327 out of 478 attempts).

Trojans turn in cross country PRs at conference meet

Two Homedale High School athletes achieved personal-best times Friday on a golf course.

Freshman Camden Sorenson finished the 5-kilometer cross country track at Rolling Hills Golf Course in 21 minutes, 5.2 seconds to take 17th in the 4A Snake River Valley conference meet in Weiser.

On the girls’ side, Hailey Jakovac finished 18th with her fastest time of the year (28:38).

Sophomore Heidi Gibson established a personal record for the second time this season, taking 24th in the girls’ 5K with a 32:17.6.

Sophomore Wayne Stewart also PR’d in the boys’ race, grabbing 30th at 23:17.2.

Another returning athlete, Jesus Monreal, ran his fastest race of the season. The junior took 21st in 22:11.3.

Three freshmen finished in the top 40, including Kegan Hotchkiss (34th, 26:22.1), Cylas Purdom (37th, 27:31.1), and Kristofferlee Slawson (39th, 27:38.8).



Homedale Trojans

Athletes of the Week

Football
Diego Cortez, sr., DE
Led Trojans with 10 tackles vs. Weiser

Volleyball
Kynna Soland Pfeil, jr.
7 aces. 15 kills, 3 digs during week

Girls' soccer
Leeya Haas, sr.,
midfielder
Scored first goal of season vs. Weiser

Cross country
Camden Sorenson, fr.
17th at SRV Invitational with PR

FALL SPORTS SCHEDULE

Football
(Home games at Deward Bell Stadium)
Varsity
Friday, Oct. 11, home vs. Fruitland (Pink Night), 7 p.m.
Junior varsity
Thursday, Oct. 10 at Fruitland, 6:30 p.m.
Frosh
Thursday, Oct. 10 at Fruitland, 4:30 p.m.

Volleyball
Varsity
4A Snake River Valley conference
Tuesday, Oct. 15 at Payette, 7 p.m.
Junior varsity
4A Snake River Valley conference
Tuesday, Oct. 15 at Payette, 6 p.m.
Freshman
4A Snake River Valley conference
Tuesday, Oct. 15 at Payette, 4:45 p.m.

Girls' soccer
Varsity
(Home games at Deward Bell Stadium)
4A District III Tournament
Saturday, Oct. 12, home vs. TBA, 7 p.m., or 7:30 p.m.
Junior varsity
Season complete

Cross country
Friday, Oct. 11 at Ghouls or Glow, Vale, Ore., 5 p.m.

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Sports

Conference volleyball foes sweep Homedale

Homedale High School put up a first-set fight but fell Thursday at home to McCall-Donnelly in a 4A Snake River Valley conference volleyball match.

The Trojans maintained a slim grip on the No. 5 seed into the 4A District III Tournament heading into this week's action against conference leader Fruitland. That match was played after deadline.

Homedale (4-11 overall, 2-7 in conference) dropped a 25-21, 25-14, 25-17 match to the Vandals (16-1, 7-1), who ended their week a game behind Fruitland in the standings.

The Trojans were successful in putting 90.7 percent of their serves in play, including two aces apiece from Kynna Soland Pfeil and Piper Kushlan.

Kushlan also was Homedale's top digger with 13 saves. She also had four kills.

Teague Taylor led the Trojans with six kills. She had an ace and four digs.

Lilly Relk, who served an ace, carded 17 assists to go with 12 digs.

Notching two kills apiece were Relk, Soland Pfeil, Kaitlin Johnstone, and Lily Schwabauer

Oct. 1: Weiser 3, Homedale 1—The Wolverines maintained a slim lead over Cole Valley Christian for the conference's No. 3 district tournament seed after a 25-7, 25-10, 25-27, 25-16 victory over the visiting Trojans.

Pate and Taylor tallied 13 digs apiece for Homedale, and Relk set 20 points and dug six balls.

Kushlan had seven digs to go with six kills, a pair of blocks and two aces.

Pate served three aces.

Taylor led the way with eight kills.

Trojans JV capitalizes early, holds back Wolverines

A football-hawking defense helped Homedale High School seize control against a pesky Weiser junior varsity Thursday.

The Trojans forced two turnovers to turn away Wolverines' threats at Deward Bell Stadium to secure a 35-22 triumph in what could be a crucial early development in the 4tA Snake River Valley conference season.

Homedale (5-0 overall, 2-0 in conference) used a quick four-play drive in the second quarter to snag a 14-6 lead the Trojans would never relinquish.

Kreece Powell sandwiched a 28-yard pass to Alejandro Martinez around lengthy throws to Aron Sotelo to get Homedale into the end zone. Sotelo caught a 20-yard pass then hauled in a 35-yard strike for the score to snap a 6-6 tie.

The game's first scoring drive began after Andrew Tibbett recovered a fumble by Weiser quarterback Klete Cook at Homedale's 27-yard line. Tibbett finished with seven tackles, including 1½ tackles for loss.

Zander Gonzalez scored on a three-yard run for Homedale's 6-0 lead. Gonzalez broke off a 17-yard run earlier in the drive, and Boston Garrett's 27-yard reception put the Trojans at the Weiser 15.

The Trojans wasted little time extending their lead at the start of the second half.

Nick Schlenker's 21-yard kickoff return and a 15-yard facemask penalty allowed Homedale to start its first possession at the Weiser 44.

Two plays later, Zander Gonzalez got a bunch of yards after catch on a 38-yard TD reception.

After Shayde Volk recovered Ryder Perkins' fumble on the next possession, Powell fired a 14-yard scoring pass to Martinez.

Garrett sacked Perkins on a third down in the fourth quarter with Homedale leading, 28-14, to keep Weiser at bay.

Schlenker raced 47-yards a few plays later to put the game out of reach with less than five minutes to play.

Garrett's sack was one of five tackles for loss the Trojans' defense managed. Nathan Marston came up with two solo stops in the Wolverines' backfield. Garrett put together eight tackles, half of which were solo efforts.

Ty Cooper picked up seven assists while leading Homedale with nine tackles.

Bradley Walker had five solo tackles among his six defensive plays.

William Dunne had eight tackles (five assists).

Powell completed seven of 10 passes for 160 yards, and Sotelo grabbed a team-high three passes for 53 yards.

Schlenker rushed for 97 yards on 14 carries.

Rimrock girls keep up with bigger cross country clubs

Lainee Raymond's best effort of the season helped Rimrock High School run with the big squads in Thursday's Gary Ward Invitational.

The sophomore finished 17th in the junior varsity meet at 23 minutes, 36.77 while traversing a 5-kilometer course at Lakeview Park in Nampa.

Junior Juana Lemus took 30th with a personal-record 24:13.45 as the Raiders finished fifth in the 10-team field.

Class 2A Rimrock edged 6A Ridgevue of Nampa by one point, 166-167. Middleton (5A), Centennial (6A), Canyon Ridge of Twin Falls (6A), and Vallivue of Caldwell (5A) all finished behind the Raiders in the girls' team standings.

Raymond was a little more than a second behind 15th-place senior Sarah Wilding of Rocky Mountain.

Junior Paisley Prow (35th, 24:51.99), and sophomores Bryllie Mendoza (47th, 25:42.48) and Mariel Juarez (64th, 26:38.58) rounded out the Rimrock girls' roster.

Boys' teams from Rimrock and Adrian competed in the varsity 5K.

Junior Ryan Gasper (21:18.39) and sophomore Elijah Boren (23:07.97) notched personal-best times for the Raiders.

Rimrock teammates Kolton Jewett (junior, 19:01.21), Carson Raymond (senior, 19:02.02), and Crew Merrick (sophomore, 19:19.95) finished in a pack between 64th and 69th with season-best times.

Senior Ronaldo Gomez, who had a week off as Rimrock's quarterback, finished with a season-best 22:35.37.

Exchange student Enkhkhulslen Gantumur, a senior, made her Adrian debut, finishing in 35:30.33 in the girls' JV race. Antelopes' teammate Emma Nicholes, a junior, ran her fastest race of the season (28:26.23) to break into the top 100.

In the boys' varsity race, freshman Clayton Ineck (20:11.38) and junior Brady Ineck (season-best 20:11.38 finished 78th and 79th, respectively.

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✓ Opener: Karlie Kildow runs team-leading goal total to 16 vs. Weiser

four of the Trojans' shots.

Homedale (8-4 overall, 7-4 in conference before Tuesday's regular-season final in Emmett) was shut out for only the second time this season. The Trojans' only losses this year came against McCall and Fruitland.

As the No. 3 seed, the Trojans will play host to an opening-round district game against the conference's No. 6 seed on Saturday at Deward Bell Stadium. Parma is Homedale's most likely opponent.

Oct. 1: Homedale 5, Weiser 0 — Midfielder and senior captain Leeya Haas' first goal of the season was the only score the Trojans needed at Walter Johnson Field in Washington County.

Homedale poured out four goals in the second half to rout the Wolverines in a conference contest.

Haas curled in a direct free kick from 25 yards away during the fifth minute for Homedale's only goal of the first half. The shot went over Weiser's defensive wall and splashed into the upper corner of the net.

Haas and the rest of the Trojans' defense teamed up for the second shutout of the season, and the first with Sorenson in goal.

Sorenson made five saves and finished the week with 32 stops for the season.

Karlie Kildow also padded her team-leading goals total, reaching 16 with scores four minutes apart. She put in an unassisted shot in the 57th minute. In the 61st minute Dimick's first assist of the season set up Kildow's second goal.

Belen Asumendi scored her first goal of the season 10 minutes after the intermission.

Morgan Nicoletti's 11th goal of the year was unassisted in the 76th minute.

Nora Chandler surrendered four goals while making four saves for the Wolverines. Teammate Teagan Hawker also saw time in the next, thwarting one shot and giving up a score.

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Looking back...

from the files of *The Owyhee Avalanche* and *Owyhee Chronicle*

25 years ago

October 13, 1999

Tire center construction ...

Mike Millward of Millward Construction Company of Homedale works on the framing of the new Pruett Tire Center east of Homedale last week. The new center will feature six inside bays and an extra large bay for trucks.



New tire center under construction in Homedale

Contractors for Dennis and Michelle Pruett of Homedale recently broke ground on Highway 95 and Industrial Rd., and began construction of the new Pruett Tire Center.

The new store will replace the current Les Schwab Tire Center on Idaho Street with a much bigger floor plan. “The building will be 9,000 square feet,” Pruett said.

Homedale City Council annexed Pruett’s land into the city limits and laid the water lines and a fire hydrant near the new building.

Pruett hopes to open the doors around Dec. 1-15.

City schedules hearing on development projects

The city of Homedale has scheduled a public hearing to consider two Idaho Community Development Block Grant (ICDBG) applications of \$500,000 each for an economic development grant for downtown revitalization and a public facilities grant to make improvements to the city’s water system.

The total cost of the downtown revitalization project is projected at approximately \$1,274,000, and the water system project is pegged at \$1,435,000.

The beautification project includes decorative street lights and trees, but some property owners say they’d rather see more lights and fewer trees.

Under the proposed LID, property owners would pay \$3.25 a front foot for street only, \$6.50 a foot for curb, gutter and sidewalk, and \$12.75 for complete improvements.

Trojan runners compete at Ontario Invitational

The Homedale Trojans’ cross country team competed against 10 teams, including Marsing, in the Ontario Invitational cross country meet Tuesday.

In the varsity boys’ run, John Fromm of Marsing finished with a time of 23:21.88 and Jeff Haines also of Marsing finished with 30:04.55. Becky Ward of Marsing took first place with 22:39.32 in the varsity girls’ run.

Megan Hopkins of Homedale finished eighth with 24:44.79, Jamie Wilson took 12th with 25:29.83 and increased her best time by virtually one full minute of 26:30. Tina Uria also increased her best time of 26:35 by placing in 17th place with 25:56.90, Kira Knerr in 19th with 26:12.80 and Ellen Roseberry in 28th with 29:21.85.

50 years ago

October 10, 1974



PREPARING TO SET a 30-foot flagpole in cement footing recently at the Homedale High School athletic stadium are, from left: John Dexter, senior vice commander of the Homedale Veterans of Foreign Wars; Marvin Peterson, VFW commander presenting the American flag to Nolan Taggart, activities director at Homedale High School; and Herb Fritzley, elementary school principal, helping with the cement work. Both the flagpole and flag were donated by the Homedale VFW post. Photo by Bette Uda

Council passes ordinance dealing with junk cars

Mayor George Murray presided at the regular monthly meeting of City Council held Monday night.

The agenda included:

—Street light to be installed on South Main, south of railroad tracks on Highway 95.

—Ordinance 172 relating to junk vehicles, major household furnishings or appliances or machinery was adopted.

—Mayor and Council went on record as willing to help give financial support to a winter recreation program.

—Audit for the year ending 1973 as presented by James Duncan was accepted.

—Authorization was given CH2M to extend contract on Municipal Park for one year to complete 1973 phase contingent on statement from Department of Parks.

—Airport Manager Jay Jackson has been working on lengthening of run away at airport and it should be ready for gravel within a week.

Succor Crik Sam Sez:

“Anybody who thinks we got a free press should try buyin’ newsprint.”



Friends Church

The Nazarene Church congregation worshipped with the Friends Community Church Sunday evening, with Rev. Roane Maurice bringing the message. This Sunday evening the Friends congregation will go to the Nazarene Church and Rev. Clare Willcuts will deliver the sermon.

Jeannie Perkins has returned to George Fox College, Newberg, Ore., for her second year. New students are Diane Thomas, Janette Cruz, Dennis Beebe, Randy Fry and Mike Beavers. Connie Stansell has returned to the University of Oregon, Eugene, for her second year.

153 years ago

October 7, 1871

DISCOVERY OF AMERICA.—Next Thursday will be the anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus. October 12, 1492, he discovered San Salvador of the Bahamas — just 379 years ago. What gigantic strides science and civilization have taken since then!

Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of I. T.

The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Idaho, met at Silver City on Monday, Oct 2d, 1871.

Officers Present: M. W., S. B. Connelly, Grand Master; R. W., L. P. Mikkleson, S. G. W., Pro tem; R. W., B. M Davis, J. G. W pro tem; R. W., J. W. Griffin, G. Treasurer; R. W. L. F. Cartee, G. Secretary, pro tem; O. H. Purdy, Grand Marshal; W. W. Glidden, G. S Deacon, pro tem; J. L. Hall, G. J. Deacon, pro tem; T. E. Logan, G. Pursivant; J. H. Bush, G. Sword Bearer, pro tem; G. W. Richards and G. Miner, Grand Stewards; Charles UMBER, G. Tyler.

Not being a member of the Order, we are unable to say what amount of business has been done, but, judging from the interest manifested by the members of the Grand Lodge, it must be considerable. We are informed that a very complimentary resolution was adopted, expressive of the hospitality extended by the resident members of the Fraternity to the members of the Grand Lodge during the session.

The following are the names of officers elected by the Grand Lodge for the ensuing Masonic year: J. W. Brown, G. J.; G. W. Richards, S. G. W.; J. H. Bush, J. G. W.; J. W. Griffin, G. Treasurer; L. F. Cartee, G. Secretary. A public installation of the officers elect took place last evening.

Following are the names of the Representatives present from the various Lodges:

Idaho Lodge No. 1 — Joe Pinkham, J. W. Brown, Geo. H. Coe; Boise Lodge No. 2 —W. W. Glidden, J. W. Griffin, A. Hass, L. F. Cartee; Placerville Lodge No. 3 — G. Miner; Pioneer Lodge No. 4 – G. W. Richards, S. B. Connelly; Owyhee Lodge No. 5— O. H. Purdy, W. H. Fraser, M. Jones, L. P. Mikkleson, W. S. Stevens; War Eagle Lodge No. 6 — B. J. Davis, J. L. Hall, R. H. Leonard, R. T. Miller; Shoshone Lodge No. 7 — A. Rossi, H. C. Riggs; Coe Lodge No. 8 — J. H. Bush.

The Grand Lodge closed its labors last night.

WE TAKE IT BACK.—A few weeks ago we stated that there were only two papers now published in Idaho Territory, the *World* and *Statesman*; but we were wrong, and hasten to make the correction; for there is published at Silver City the OWYHEE AVALANCHE, which for editorial ability and neat typographical appearance, ranks at the head of the line. How we happened to make this blunder we can’t conceive. —*Dalles Mountaineer*.

Our esteemed contemporary of the Dalles has our sincere thanks for the handsome compliment bestowed in the above *amende honorable*.

FROM FLINT.—A midnight dispatch from Flint District says that two Indians are playing “seven up” with Job Hood holding a candle and watching the progress of the game.

The Twilight Gulch Company are still at work on their mine.

Most of the Flintites have gone to South Mountain.

Commentary

Letters to the editor

Ranked Choice Voting, a liberal scheme, not welcome

This letter is about a very misunderstood political point. It concerns political primaries.

There is a plot afoot to change our political system of getting candidates on our general election ballot. It is called Ranked Choice Voting, and the only state to adopt it is liberal Maine.

You vote and rank your choices 1, 2, 3 and 4. It is a scheme favored by liberals hoping to elect their kind.

Primaries are party business, not a place to muck up the system. Republicans encourage people to run in their primary, and Republicans vote on these candidates to see who will be their nominee in the general election. Democrats and Libertarians should do the same.

If you are a fence-straddler and don't choose a party, you wait until the general election to choose between the candidates the two parties put up.

I encourage everyone who reads this paper to vote "no" on Prop. 1 and encourage their friends to vote "no." We do not need this in Idaho.

P. T. Rathbone
Marsing

Ranked Choice Voting is used in some statewide elections in Maine, Alaska and Hawaii. RCV is also an option for municipalities in Utah, Colorado and New Mexico and some local elections in Washington state, Oregon, California, Minnesota, Illinois, New York, Massachusetts, New York, and Maryland.

— Ed.

Subscribers sing Avalanche's praises

You are great!

We are so fortunate local, accurate news reporting with well-written sports stories and great pictures.

Carolyn Rees
Wilder

I always look forward to receiving the Avalanche. I especially enjoy the "Looking Back" column from 150-plus years ago. Puts a lot into perspective.

I know all of you were working your tails off and hope the workload has let up for you.

Keep up the good work.

Dennis Tanikuni
Boise

Election letters

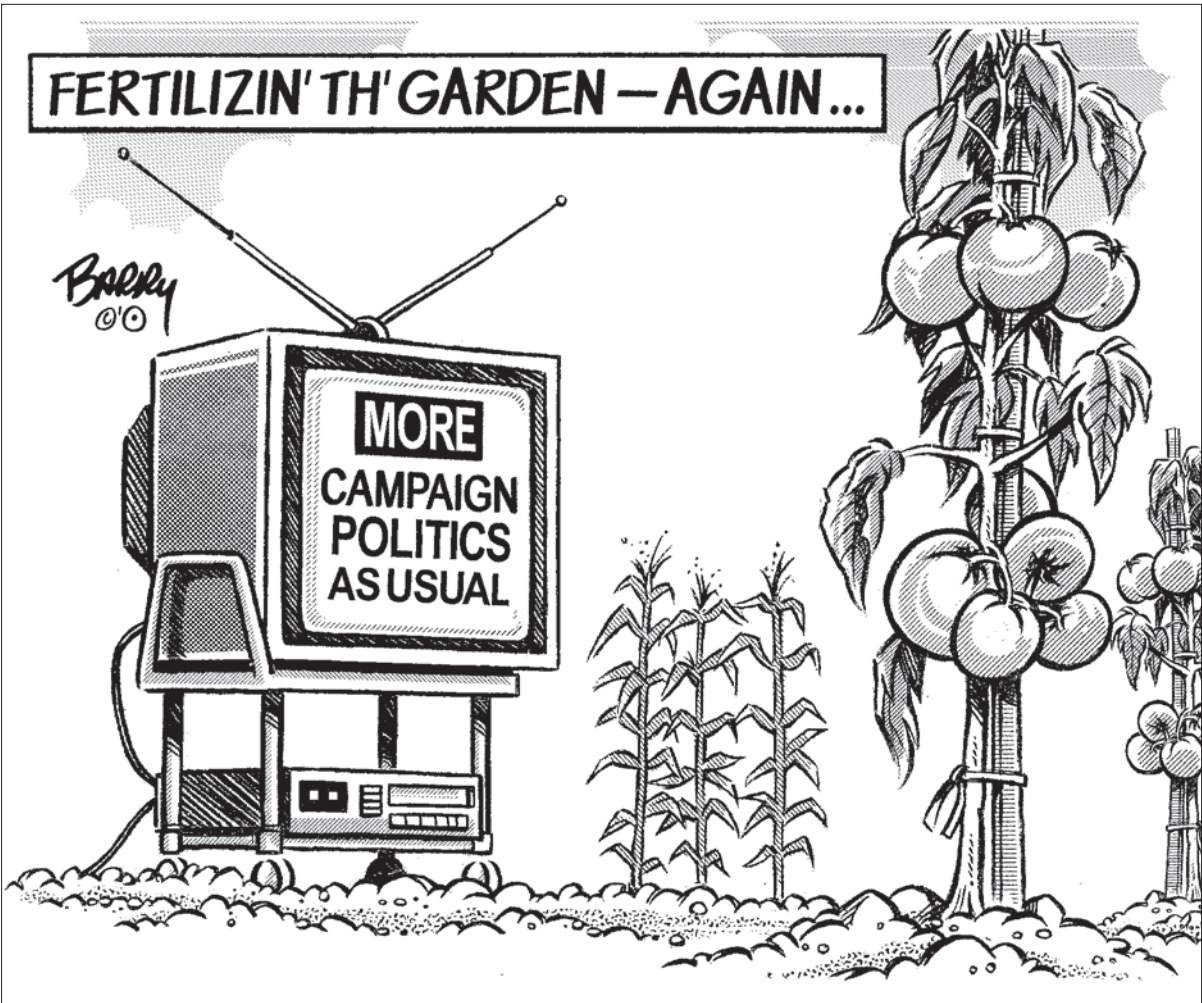
The Owyhee Avalanche will accept letters to the editor pertaining to the Nov. 7 city and taxing district elections until noon on Friday, Oct. 27.

The usual letters to the editor guidelines apply, including letters must be no more than 300 words and letters must include contact information, including a phone number, of the letter-writer. Submit by:

- Email to jon@owyhee.com
- Mail to P.O. Box 97, Homedale ID, 83628
- Or drop off at the Avalanche office at 19 E. Idaho Ave., in Homedale

For more information, call (208) 337-4681.

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.

Marsing law enforcement Contract squabble isn't personal; it's about best use of taxpayers' money

Sheriff Larry Kendrick in a letter to the City of Marsing stated that, after consulting with the Owyhee County Commissioners, his office cannot transition to a monthly basis while attempting to find common ground, and as of Oct. 1 would no longer be doing the enhanced portion of the law enforcement contract. This is what the city decided to do as the current contract allowed for month to month, while the city continues to look at the best option for its citizens.

Some people believe this to be a personal thing between the sheriff's office and the city. It is not. When city monies are spent there needs to be some sort of return on said investment. When a citizen calls and, there is no contact from the deputy, follow-up or resolution relayed to the citizen, questions arise. After 25 years in law enforcement, most of it spent in Owyhee County, I get quite a few calls from people with questions. After having a personal experience, I figured it was time to ask how an issue like this would be fixed. To only have the question met by excuses from Sheriff Kendrick (and no real answer to the question), to be told to "call him," is not a solution because the average citizen does not have this option. This issue is not specific to this OCSO administration as this has happened before.

The question then goes back to: With the city spending money on "enhanced" services, is the city getting what it is paying for, or would the money be better spent elsewhere?

There have been no "formal" negotiations with the

Chris Even
Marsing City Council president (term expires 2027)

Even has served on the Marsing City Council for 12 years. He was re-elected to his fourth four-year term in November 2023.

Even currently serves as a Malheur County Sheriff's deputy. He previously worked for the Owyhee County Sheriff's Office.



City of Marsing, the sheriff's office or the county commissioners. The commissioners are the ones who actually enter into the agreement with the city. To be told "you get a new pick-up with City of Marsing on it," or "10 hours of code enforcement" or extra patrol around town is not a negotiation. That is like dangling your car keys in front of a toddler to get their attention elsewhere.

The sheriff has a duty to the citizens of Owyhee County, of which Marsing is part, and all of whom pay taxes to the county. The City and its citizens paying for "enhanced" services should reflect in how incidents get handled. For the sheriff to make comments to incite fear (playing with peoples lives, or to insinuate that crime will go up), is reckless

Commentary

Financial management

It's time to stop cleaning up Mom's money messes

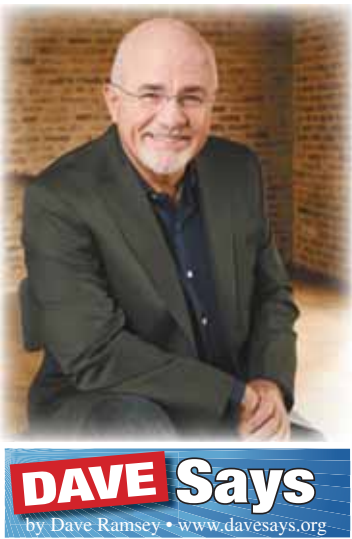
Dear Dave,
My wife and I are debt-free, and we live on a budget. My mother-in-law, on the other hand, uses credit cards for practically every purchase. Several times she has gone too far and run up balances she couldn't pay off. We bail her out when she does this, but often the extra purchases are frivolous things she doesn't need. We love her, of course, and we feel obligated to help because my wife is her only child. But her behavior with credit cards is beginning to put a strain on our finances. What should we do?

— Charles

Dear Charles,
This is a tough situation, one

that's made even tougher by the fact that it involves a close, loved family member. A very blunt, but caring, discussion is in order. But it needs to be initiated by your wife — not you. This is important, because if you try to step in and take the lead on things, you'll immediately become the mean son-in-law in her eyes.

You and your wife need to be completely on the same page about this situation, but she's the one who needs to approach Mom and talk things out. She needs to sit down with her mom, and very gently let her know you two have talked, and you've decided together that you won't be picking up the pieces where her overspending is concerned anymore. Your



wife also needs to tell her the two of you are willing to help her work on handling money a little better, and walk her through making and living on a monthly budget. Your wife

could even explain that's what you guys do, and it's one of the reasons you're in such good financial shape.

Here's what it comes down to. You wouldn't buy her more drugs if you found out she was an addict, right? Along the same lines, you're not helping this lady by bailing her out every time she creates a money mess. You're enabling her when you do this, and that's the same as telling her it's OK.

Work with her, Charles. Teach her, both of you, and love on her. Let her know you're there to help. If things get really bad, you can pay her light bill, or even buy her some groceries if the pantry gets a little bare. Hopefully, it won't come to anything that

serious.
But one thing needs to be clear. You folks are not bailing her out anymore when she misbehaves with money.
— Dave

— Dave Ramsey is a national best-selling author, personal finance expert and host of *The Ramsey Show*, heard by more than 20 million listeners each week. He has appeared on *Good Morning America*, *CBS Mornings*, *Today Show*, *Fox News*, *CNN*, *Fox Business*, and many more. Since 1992, Dave has helped people regain control of their money, build wealth and enhance their lives. He also serves as CEO for the company, *Ramsey Solutions*.

From Washington

Will Kamala Harris let the Trump tax cuts expire?

During the presidential debate, Vice President Kamala Harris claimed to be the only candidate with a plan to help working-class people. But when given the opportunity to outline her economic vision, she avoided policy specifics, using red herrings about billionaires and big corporations. She claimed, for example, that the 2017 Trump tax cuts were “tax cuts for billionaires.”

This misleading rhetoric was meant to distract voters from reality — her tax plan would result in tax hikes for most people, whereas Republican tax reform reduced taxes for people of all income groups.

Harris and Democrats still need to answer a fundamental question: Will they allow the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act to expire and inflict multitrillion-dollar tax hikes on the middle class?

While anti-billionaire rhetoric may sound good on the campaign trail, the reality is the TCJA changed the individual provisions of the tax code to allow taxpayers of all incomes to keep more of their hard-earned money. Unless Democrats join Republicans in extending these popular provisions, people will face a more than \$4 trillion tax hike in 2026, the largest in U.S. history. The middle and working classes, making under \$400,000 per year, will be hit hardest.

Despite Democrats' continued mischaracterizations, the TCJA provided a tax break to 80 percent of people, and middle-class taxpayers received the largest proportional benefit of the cuts. Under the improved tax system, the highest-income earners paid a greater share of total taxes than they did before the law's enactment.

If the TCJA expires next year, the Tax Foundation estimates that a single mother of one making \$30,000 will pay more than \$1,000 in higher taxes. A fam-

U.S. Sen. Mike Crapo
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ily of four making a median household income of \$75,000 is estimated to face a tax increase of more than \$1,500.

The TCJA dramatically helped low- and middle-income families by doubling the standard deduction and simplifying the tax filing process. Before TCJA, 47 million taxpayers went through the time-consuming process of itemizing their tax deductions. With a larger standard deduction, fewer than 15 million people itemize and about 9 in 10 taxpayers now simply take the standard deduction, saving time and money.

The law also significantly reduced the impact of the alternative minimum tax, a stealth tax that required some families, especially those running small businesses, to calculate their tax liability twice. Before the TCJA, more than 5 million taxpayers were hit by the unnecessary AMT, compared to around 200,000 after the bill's enactment.

The TCJA also expanded the child tax credit, dou-

bling the maximum credit from \$1,000 to \$2,000 for working families and increasing its refundability for lower-income earners. Crucially, the larger credit continued to link benefits to work, incentivizing steady employment and ensuring the credit was paired with a long-term path to upward mobility.

By doubling the child tax credit, lowering rates and increasing the standard deduction, Republicans provided targeted tax relief to the middle class. In fact, it was the bottom 50 percent of earners who received the largest reduction in average tax rates.

People across the board benefited from a roaring economy in the wake of TCJA. Real median household incomes grew by more than \$5,000, and the largest wage increases were seen by the lowest-earning workers.

While Democrats continue to pledge they will not increase taxes on anyone making less than \$400,000 per year, allowing these sweeping reforms to expire would result in a more than \$2 trillion tax hike on this group.

Senate Republicans will focus on preventing massive tax hikes on working families and investing in U.S. families and jobs. Whether Democrats and their presidential nominee share that commitment remains to be seen.

— A version of this column was published in the *Washington Examiner*. Republican Mike Crapo is Idaho's senior member of the U. S. Senate. He is in his fifth six-year term and has served in the Senate since 1999, and he has served 31 years in the U.S. Congress. Prior to that, he served eight years in the Idaho State Senate.

✓ Marsing: Sheriff has a duty to all Owyhee citizens, even Marsing folks

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and a veiled attempt at intimidation/coercion/and extortion of the citizens and city officials to sign

the contract. To refuse to continue to negotiate and to just drop the contract, because he “thinks he has gone the extra mile” and then say if at any point the

city wishes to revisit a contract to contact him just shows his unwillingness to provide real answers to the city's questions and concerns.

Public notices

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC
HEARING
BEFORE THE OWYHEE
COUNTY PLANNING &
ZONING COMMISSION**

On October 30, 2024 beginning at 3:30 pm, 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 3:30 pm, The Commission will hear application Z24-30 filed by **Lawrance Pro** seeking approval of a conditional use permit to allow the 37 acre parcel to be sold as a buildable lot for a single family

dwelling. The subject parcel RP04N06W230600, is west of 1468 River Road in Homedale and located in an agricultural zone in a portion of the N½ of Section 23, Township 4 North, Range 6 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. The proposed projects are available for review in the Community Planning office or on the webpage listed above. For additional information please call 208-495-2095 ext. 2.

10/09/2024

Homedale Sr. Center prepares for bazaar

Fit and Fall moves to Wilder

The final numbers for the biggest fundraiser of the year are in, but Melissa Sorlien also has her attention on the Homedale Senior Center's annual fall bazaar.

The bazaar will take place on Saturday, Nov. 9 at the senior center, 224 W. Idaho Ave.

Prospective vendors can drop by the center between 8 a.m., and 2 p.m., on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday to reserve a table, or they can mail a check to the center. The table rental is \$12. Call the senior center at (208) 337-3020 for more information.

Sorlien said the bazaar will also feature a silent auction.

The bazaar comes a few months after the Buckaroo Breakfast raised \$5,433.83 during Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo week.

Sorlien said volunteers served up meals for 428 adults and children.

Sorlien thanked the organizations and individuals who donated cash to help supply the four days of breakfast:

- Bauer Heating and Cooling
- Asumendi and Kincheloe CPAs
- Idaho Foodbank
- Charles and Wanda Maxwell
- Perfection Tire of Middleton
- Alta Stowell
- Homedale Chiropractic

- Mikeal Parker CPA
- Perkins & Associates
- Albertsons
- Homedale Fire

"I also want to give a huge shout-out to the many volunteers," Sorlien said. "Most of them showed up every day and put in the work."

The volunteers included: Jo Cantrell, Karen Anderson, Sarah Van Curen, PJ Walliser, Rose Gress, Rose Alambra, Kerry Dawson, Ronnie Pick-erell, Dora Villanueva, Jeff Eidemiller, Larry Kendrick, Braydon Bell, McKenzie Bell, Mark Daniels, Manuel Lopez, Marcello Lopez, Cheryl Way, Jessica Frazier, Caden Way, Trinity Neeser, Barbara Cortez, Linda Mayes, Laurie Smith, Rayanne Campbell, Rick John-son, Matt Swisher, Dallas Johnson, and John Smith.

“Without all of these people and businesses, we would not be able to survive,” Sorlien said.

Sorlien has announced that the Fit and Fall exercise class that used to be held at 10 a.m., each Tuesday and Thursday at the senior center has moved to Wilder.

The exercise sessions take place at the same time on Tuesdays and Thursdays at the Wilder Fire District headquarters.

But Sorlien said seniors who visited the senior center for the pre-luncheon activity needn't despair.

The senior center's bus, which soon will not have any indication it came from Weiser, will be in service on Tuesdays and Thursdays to shuttle folks to the Fit and Fall in Wilder.

Call the center for more information.

— JPB

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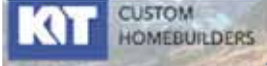
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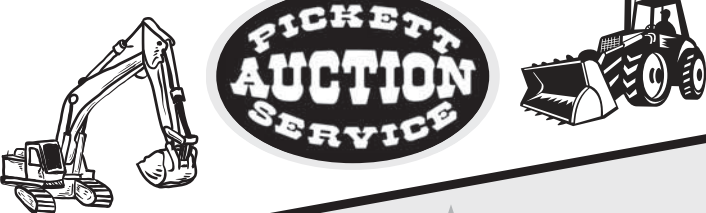
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