

# Marsing stands a win away from State

Shea McClellin seems to have cooled his heels a little on offense lately, but the Marsing High School senior is still the terror of the 2A Western Idaho Conference on defense.

McClellin raced 65 yards with an interception Friday night to score his fourth return touchdown of the season and help the Huskies hold off host Nampa Christian 13-12.

Marsing (4-3 overall, 3-1 2A WIC) can qualify for the state playoffs by knocking off Melba (2-5, 2-2) at home Friday. Kickoff is 7 p.m.  
In the big picture, Marsing's

winning point against Nampa Christian came on Martin Galvez's point-after kick in the second quarter when McClellin snapped a scoreless tie with a 1-yard run. It was the only point-after

conversion either team managed Friday in Nampa.  
But the Huskies were able to cling to the victory, and remain  
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## Sitko scores home team's lone TD

Brandian Sitko tries to speed away from Fruitland sophomore linebacker Zach Fabricius during Friday's game at Deward Bell Stadium. Although Sitko scored the Trojans' only touchdown of the night, he found the yards hard to come by, gaining just 19 on 12 carries. Photo by Gregg Garrett

# Homedale, Krzesnik KO'd

On Senior Night, a time to put the veterans on a pedestal, Trevor Krzesnik — Homedale High School's senior quarterback — wound up on a gurney in the back of an ambulance as the Deward Bell Stadium crowd held its collective breath.  
At that instant, 47 seconds into the second half, Fruitland effectively won the battle for supremacy in the 3A Snake River Valley conference. The Grizzlies cruised to a 34-6 win to secure the crown.

"That's the way football is sometimes," Homedale coach Thomas Thomas said. "I'm still not ashamed of what we did tonight. The kids battled hard."  
With Krzesnik — the victim of what emotional teammates vehemently asserted was a cheap shot — joining offensive spark plug Bryan Martinat (stretched hip tendons) on the Trojans' sideline, its once-dynamic offense in shreds, Homedale limped to end of the game.

Thomas was left to wonder what might have been had Krzesnik never been laid out flat on his back with the Trojans trailing 21-6 and trying to build on Brandian Sitko's first-quarter 4-yard scoring run.  
"We were without Martinat (too)," Thomas said Friday. "But I'm an optimist. I think we'll get those two kids back next week."  
Homedale (5-2 overall, 1-2 3A SRV) travels to McCall-Donnelly  
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# Trojans' boys soccer dreams end in double OT

The seniors traditionally get the spotlight before the final game of the season. But the charter members of the Homedale High School boys soccer program gladly would have traded the glare for a victory Thursday.  
The Trojans' season ended in the 3A District III Tournament as Brandon Bergquist's header eluded Homedale goalie Ulysses Vargas in Weiser's 5-4 double-overtime victory.  
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"At the end, we were sad because we had played a game that in our hearts we felt we deserved to win," Homedale coach David Correa said. "But luck was not on our side that night."  
"What my team showed on the field validates the work and the progress we made this season."  
Homedale ended the year at 6-7-1.



## Uria guides squad in final week

Homedale High School senior Cory Uria, right, tries to slip the defense of Payette's Michael Rich during an Oct. 10 3A District III Tournament game at Sundance Park. Uria scored both goals in the Trojans' victory over the Pirates.

# Jordan Valley, Adrian tangle in key fall battles

## Volleyball: High Desert's top squads on collision course

The volleyball teams from Jordan Valley and Adrian high schools are ready for their crucial High Desert League matchup Friday in Adrian.  
"This is going to be a tough game," Jordan Valley coach Jacque Naegle said. "We have a lot of respect for Adrian's team and the strength that they have."  
"Aimee Goss is a great coach,

and I'm sure she will have her team ready to go. I think both team are very strong, and it should be a close game."  
The match is the regular-season finale for Adrian. The District 6 Tournament begins Oct. 28 in John Day, Ore.  
The Mustangs, Oregon 1A runners-up last year, have won all 12 of their matches this season,

including an 8-0 start to the inaugural campaign of the new HDL.  
"I think this game will set who is No. 1 in league," Naegle said.  
The top six HDL squads qualify for district. Only the top three  
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## Football: Simmering rivalry set to boil

As is the case with natural rivals, the football teams from Jordan Valley and Adrian high schools carry some commonalities into Friday's High Desert League showdown.  
For starters, only one game separates the two programs in the league standings after the Mustangs squeezed by Mitchell-Spray and Prairie City blanked

Adrian last week.  
Then there's the rash of injuries both eight-man teams have had to muddle through.  
But while Adrian still is without the services of Kade Thomas, who started the year at quarterback,  
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— PC boots Adrian 6B



Sports

Banged-up JV clings to victory

Defense tightens in High Desert win on road

by JVHS journalism

The Jordan Valley High School football team traveled to Spray to play the Spray-Mitchell Eagles in a High Desert League game Thursday.

A 6-hour bus ride and the fact that two starters were missing from the lineup, gave the Mustangs the look of underdogs. But Jordan Valley held on for a 26-24 victory to lend a little definition to the middle of the HDL standings.

“The game was ugly, playing on someone else’s field six hours away, but the win made the long ride home a lot better,” Mustangs assistant coach Mike Quintero said.

Jordan Valley (3-2 overall, 3-2 HDL) takes on Adrian (2-3, 2-4) in a battle for fourth place at 7 p.m. Friday on the Antelopes’ home field.

With quarterback Tim Eiguren (knee injury) and fullback Dusty Easterday (West Nile Virus) both sidelined, sophomore Alek Quintero was forced to operate the offense. He had served as the Mustangs’ starting quarterback as a freshman, but was moved to tailback to start the 2006 season.

Things looked gloomy in the third quarter, though, as Spray-Mitchell defenders sacked Quintero twice in the end zone for safeties and a 24-20 Eagles lead.

But Quintero got the last laugh, uncorking a 60-yard touchdown pass to Zak Fillmore with about 3 minutes left in the game to push Jordan Valley ahead.

The Mustangs’ defense stopped Spray-Mitchell five yards short of the end zone to seal the victory. Freshman Brandan Mackenzie had a couple of big tackles in the Eagles’ backfield to stall Spray-Mitchell’s final possession.

Jordan Valley started fast against the Eagles (2-3, 2-4) as Quintero scored on touchdown

dashes of 10 and 83 yards and fired 26-yard touchdown pass to freshman Tad Jones.

Jordan Valley’s defense, which was stout in the first quarter, allowed a couple Spray-Mitchell scored in the second quarter, but the Mustangs held a 20-14 lead at halftime.

Quintero single-handedly accounted for almost all of the Mustangs’ offensive yardage. Jordan Valley racked up more than 300 yards, with Quintero rushing for 138 and throwing 145 more.

Fillmore stood as Quintero’s favorite receiver, hauling in more than 100 receiving yards.

Fourth-year Jordan Valley head coach Jeremy Chamberlain called last week’s victory one of the great triumphs of the season for the Mustangs.

“While the game was ugly to watch, the fact that we were down and were able to hang in there and make the play when the chips were down was a great feeling,” Chamberlain said.



Corta looks for two

Homedale Middle School seventh-grade team quarterback Trey Corta holds the ball high as he rolls out looking for a receiver during a conversion attempt Oct. 10 at Deward Bell Stadium.

HMS football teams beat up on Ontario

Trey Corta scored two touchdowns and threw for another Oct. 10 as the Homedale Middle School seventh-grade football team peeked above .500 with a win over visiting Ontario.

Corta scored on a 5-yard run and 50-yard sweep in the Trojans’ 20-7 victory at Deward Bell Stadium.

Corta also tossed a pair of extra-point conversion passes, including one to Seth Bayes that gave Homedale a 13-0 lead in the first quarter.

The Trojans led 20-0 at halftime when Corta lofted a 5-yard scoring strike to Brett Ryska.

Homedale’s eighth-graders

knocked off previously unbeaten Ontario, 28-10, on Oct. 10 behind three touchdowns by Emilio Cuellar. Tanner Lair kicked an extra point, which is worth two points in middle school ball.

Jonathan Stacey spearheaded the Trojans’ defense by recovering a pair of fumbles that directly led to two of Cuellar’s touchdowns.

The Homedale football teams played host to the Snake River Valley conference third-place games Tuesday. T

he eighth-graders played Weiser, and the seventh-graders challenged Payette. Results from the games weren’t available at press time.

✓ Marsing

tied atop of the 2A WIC standings with New Plymouth, when the Trojans failed to convert on a passing PAT with about 90 seconds left in the game and Nampa Christian trailing by that single point.

McClellin, who has six

interceptions this season, racked up 126 yards on 23 carries at fullback against a Trojans’ defense that nullified the Huskies’ passing game.

Freshman Tyson Heller had four of his seven attempts intercepted by Nampa Christian. Senior Miguel Quebrado hit Aaron Salvas for a 48-yard pass for Marsing’s only completion of the game.

Trojan Fall Sports

<b>FOOTBALL</b> Varsity Friday, Oct. 20 at McCall-Donnelly, 7 p.m. Junior varsity Thursday, Oct. 19, home vs. McCall-Donnelly, 6:30 p.m.	<b>Volleyball</b> Varsity Wednesday, Oct. 18 at 3A District III Tournament in Fruitland Thursday, Oct. 19 at 3A District III Tournament, if necessary, in Fruitland
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Sports

Age only a number for red-hot Jordan Valley volleyball program

The future of Jordan Valley High School’s volleyball program took center stage Saturday in a High Desert League sweep of visiting Ukiah.

“We played our younger girls against them and the girls really had to work to come up with the win,” Mustangs coach Jacque Naegle said.

“Being able to play our younger team in league games is great experience for them, and since we graduate 11 seniors this year the younger girls need the floor time.”

With Nickie Naegle coming up with 11 assists, and Kayla Cuvelier throwing in five kills, the youngsters sparked a 25-11, 25-15, 25-22 victory over Ukiah.

Jordan Valley (12-0 overall, 8-0 HDL) won for the 32<sup>nd</sup> time in 33 matches dating to the beginning of the 2005 season.

“Ukiah is a very scrappy team,” Naegle said. “They don’t do anything fancy. They play basic volleyball, and I think that they did a great job.”

Jordan Valley def. Mitchell 25-4, 25-14, 25-7

The youngsters were at it again in the first match of a HDL tri-meet in Spray on Thursday.

Elisa Eiguren racked up an astonishing 29 service points for

‘Being able to play our younger team in league games is great experience for them.’

— Jacque Naegle  
JV volleyball coach

the Mustangs, who received four kills from Megan Mackenzie and five assists each from Nickie Naegle and Catie Kershner.

“The girls played very well and did a great job covering the free balls and the occasional hits,” Jacque Naegle said. “We didn’t get full rotations on some games because we had a really great serving game going.”

Jordan Valley def. Spray 25-19, 25-12, 25-9

The veterans emerged for the second half of Thursday’s tri-meet with Kelsey Prescott (11 kills, 20 service points) and Angela Larsen (10 kills) piloting the Mustangs to a sweep of the Eagles.

“We knew going in that we needed to play tough and keep control of our game, and that is exactly what the girls did,” Naegle said.

Bailey Kershner dished 17

assists for Jordan Valley, which survived a very dangerous and potentially frustrating tip game by the Spray offense.

Junior varsity  
Adrian def. Jordan Valley 16-25, 25-21, 20-18

The long day caught up with the Mustangs’ junior varsity against the visiting Antelopes on Saturday.

“When we came out in the second game we were a little flat and got out of the rhythm that we had been in the first game, got behind and had just a little to much of a hole to dig out of,” Naegle said.

But the Mustangs still had a shot at the victory during a lengthy third game. Adrian rode Jordan Valley service errors to a victory, though.

“We ended up losing the game and the match, but the girls really did some great things and it was a great game to watch,” Naegle said.

Mattie Wroten and Annie Mackenzie led the serving game with 13 and 12 service points, respectively.

Luisa Lowry and Sequoi Trautman chimed in with three kills apiece, while Ashley Hebison and Ann Marie Eiguren each had six assists.

Coach, fans drive Homedale to volleyball wins

It wasn’t as much a pep talk as it was an ultimatum. But Homedale High School volleyball coach Maleta Henry’s words to her players Oct. 10 built a fire under the Trojans.

That blaze sparked a clutch 25-12, 23-25, 21-25, 25-23, 15-7 3A Snake River Valley conference victory over Payette during the Trojans’ Senior Night in Homedale.

Henry called a timeout with Homedale (8-8 overall, 4-4 3A SRV at week’s end) trailing by 10 points in the fourth game and Payette leading the match 2-1.

“I called a timeout and gave the girls a choice,” Henry said. “They chose wisely and came back and won the last two games. I’m very proud of these girls.”

Homedale continued its season Tuesday in the first round of the District III Tournament. The tournament continues today and Thursday in Fruitland.

Senior setter/outside hitter Jordan Warwick dished 22 assists and served two aces against Payette. Outside hitter Vanessa Brown is the only other senior listed on the Trojans’ roster.

“It was Senior Night and very exciting,” Homedale coach

Maleta Henry said. “The games were close.”

Junior outside hitter/middle hitter Corey Hall had seven kills and three blocks. Fellow junior hitter Mandy Brasher added a team-high 10 kills and eight blocks. She also served three aces.

“We had great digs from Corey Hall, (junior outside hitter) Taryn Corta and our libero (junior Kelsey Silva),” Henry said.

Homedale def. Nyssa, Ore. 26-24, 25-18, 10-25, 25-20

Recharged by a supportive crowd, the host Trojans rallied from a flat third game to capture a non-conference victory Oct. 9.

“Our momentum was strong except for Game 3,” Henry said. “Our fans really keep us up and moving.

“I hope we can keep this intensity up for District. Our defense is really up and coming.”

Rachel Wheeler, a 5-foot-9 junior middle hitter, led the defense with four blocks. She had an all-around stellar game, adding six kills and two aces.

Corta added nine digs. Warwick chipped in 13 assists, while Brasher powered the offense with eight kills to go with three blocks.

✓ Soccer

Four seniors — Andres Vasquez, David Liddell, Guillermo Machuca and Efrain Cortez — scored one goal apiece against Weiser. The Wolverines owned a 3-2 lead after the first 40 minutes.

Cortez’s goal in the 64<sup>th</sup> minute of the match pushed Homedale ahead 4-3.

But with the Trojans continuing to attack in search of the clinching goal, Weiser managed a breakaway and knotted the score in the final minute of regulation.

The teams played to a scoreless draw in the first overtime. A second scoreless extra period would have sent the game into a penalty-kick phase to decide a winner.

Weiser beat fellow 3A SRV squad Fruitland on Saturday to

earn the district No. 2 seed into this week’s state tournament. District tourney champion McCall-Donnelly enters State as the top seed.

The state tournament begins Thursday in Boise.

Another senior, Cory Uria, who Correa said emerged as season’s leading scorer with a late burst of offense, said Thursday’s style of play epitomized the Trojans’ never-say-die philosophy.

“We went out and had a prayer before every game,” said Uria, who had two assists against Weiser. “And we played with everything we had.”

Homedale 2, Payette 1

Uria gave the Trojans a much-needed spark with two goals Oct. 10 as Homedale eliminated Payette in a district tournament

game at Sundance Park.

“We jumped on to the field eager to win,” Correa said. “We attacked their goal and controlled the midfield. Nevertheless, we could not convert our opportunities into goals.”

That changed when Uria broke free four minutes before halftime.

The senior sent Homedale into the intermission with a 1-0 edge then came back 10 minutes before the end of the game to tack on an all-important insurance goal. Machuca tallied assists on both goals.

Uria’s second goal essentially extended the Trojans’ season one more game because Payette rallied to score five minutes before the final whistle.

Vargas had seven saves. Homedale took 17 shots on the Pirates’ goal.

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Varsity  
Friday, Oct. 20 , home vs. Melba, 7 p.m.

Junior varsity  
Wednesday, Oct. 18 at Melba, 7 p.m.

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Sports

JV middle school volleyball gets win

by Shantel Gleason, JVHS

The Jordan Valley Middle School volleyball team has had an interesting season so far, but progress can be seen each week.

Friday, the Colts’ varsity team collected its first victory of the season by beating Huntington 17-25, 25-22, 15-3, in the second match of a tri-meet in Harper.

The Colts lost to Harper in two

games earlier in the day.

This year’s team consists of eighth-grader Shelly Payne, seventh-graders Megan Fillmore, Haley Hebison, Amelia Eakin, Christina Rogers and Jessica Carson, sixth-grader Hailey Caywood and fifth-graders Natasha Keller and Elizabeth Eakin.

“They are a young team with lots of spirit, willing to work, and

we have the talent and the ability. We just need more practice,” Colts coach Sheila Quintero said.

The Colts’ junior varsity won its first game against Crane with a sweep, but the varsity squad lost in three games, including a final game score of 25-21.

The Colts played Willowcreek next and had almost the same results.

The junior varsity won in two

games then the varsity lost with the last game score a disappointing 15-2.

Quintero classified the Colts’ goals for the season: “Learn the basic skills, and to learn to pass the ball better. Come together as one team and improve our knowledge of the game.

“Our only eighth-grader (Payne) is a great leader of the team and brings out the best in all of us.”

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Football				
3A SRV	Conf.		All	
	W	L	W	L
Fruitland	3	0	6	1
Weiser	3	1	5	3
Homedale	1	2	5	2
McCall-Donnelly	1	2	2	5
Payette	0	3	1	6

**This week’s games (All played Friday)**

Homedale at McCall-Donnelly, 7 p.m.

Payette at Fruitland, 7 p.m.

**End Regular Season**

**Last week’s scores**

Fruitland 34, Homedale 6

Weiser 39, McCall-Donnelly 0

Baker City, Ore., 49, Payette 0

2A WIC	Conf.		All	
	W	L	W	L
New Plymouth	4	0	5	2
Marsing	3	1	4	3
Melba	2	2	2	5
Nampa Christian	2	2	2	5
Parma	1	3	2	5
Cole Valley Chr.	0	4	0	7

**This week’s games (Played Friday)**

Melba at Marsing, 7 p.m.

Nampa Christian at Parma, 7 p.m.

Cole Valley Christian at New Plymouth, 7 p.m.

**End Regular Season**

**Last week’s scores**

Marsing 13, Nampa Christian 12

New Plymouth 41, Melba 12

Parma 68, Cole Valley Christian 7

1A, Div. I	Conf.		All	
	W	L	W	L
Horseshoe Bend	5	0	7	0
Council	4	0	5	2
Wilder	4	1	5	2
Cascade	2	2	3	3
Tri-Valley	1	3	1	5
Rimrock	0	4	1	7
Idaho City	0	5	2	5

**This week’s games (Played Friday)**

Tri-Valley at Rimrock, 7 p.m.

Idaho City at Notus, 7:30 p.m.

Wilder at Cascade, 7 p.m.

Horseshoe Bend at Council, 7 p.m.

**Last week’s scores**

Wilder 50, Rimrock 22

Tri-Valley 40, Idaho City 20

Horseshoe Bend 52, Cascade 34

High Desert	Conf.		All	
	W	L	W	L
Crane	5	0	6	0
Burnt River	4	1	5	1
Prairie City	4	1	5	1
Jordan Valley	2	2	2	2
Spray-Mitchell	2	2	2	3
Adrian	2	3	2	4
Hunt.-Harper	0	5	0	6
Mon.-Day.	0	5	0	5

**This week’s games (Played Friday)**

Jordan Valley at Adrian, 7 p.m.

Prairie City at Spray-Mitchelle, 3 p.m. MDT

Burnt River at Monument-Dayville, 3 p.m. MDT

Crane at Huntington-Harper, 3 p.m. MDT

**Last week’s scores**

Prairie City 48, Adrian 0

Jordan Valley 26, Spray-Mitchell 24

Burnt River 82, Harper-Huntington 30

Crane 56, Monument-Dayville 6

PREP RESULTS Football

**Fruitland 34, Homedale 6**

Fruitland	7	14	7	6	—	34
Homedale	6	0	0	0	—	6

**First quarter**

Fru — Crim 4 run (Teunissen kick), 6:04

Hom — Sitko 4 run (kick failed), 11:13

**Second quarter**

Fru — A. Smith 18 run (Teunissen kick), 7:14

Fru — A. Smith 30 run (Teunissen kick), 9:50

**Third quarter**

Fru — Smith 18 run (Teunissen kick), 6:11

**Fourth quarter**

Fru — Crim 1 run (kick failed), 7:37

**Team statistics**

	Fru	Hom
First downs	16	6
Rushes-yards	48-336	37-43
Passing	3-11-0	3-10-2
Passing yards	33	16
Total yards	369	59
Punts-avg.	0-0	7-28.1
Penalties-yards	7-33	3-27
Fumbles-lost	1-0	4-1
<b>Junior varsity score — Fruitland 54, Homedale 20</b>		

**Individual statistics**

**Rushing —** Fru: A. Smith 9-111, J. Fabricius 13-39, Z. Fabricius 5-76, Crim 10-69, Olinger 3-7, Nawahine 3-4, Ramirez 1-25, Macfarlane 2-5, Flannery 1-2, K. Smith 1-(-2). Hom: Johnson 9-21, Sitko 12-19, Vance 5-(-3), Wilhelm 5-33, Krzesnik 4-4, Cline 3-(-7), Valadez 1-2, Garcia 1-(-22)

**Passing —** Fru: Nawahine 3-11-0 33. Hom: Krzesnik 2-6-2 17, Cline 1-4-0 -1

**Receiving —** Fru: J. Fabricius 1-1, Bake 1-21, Schlaich 1-11. Hom: Christoffersen 1-13, Sweet 1-4, Johnson 1-(-1)

**Interceptions —** Fru: Bake 2-52

**Missed FG —** Fru: Teunissen 35

**Prairie City 48, Adrian 0**

Adrian	0	0	0	0	—	0
Prairie City	22	26	0	0	—	48

**First quarter**

PC — Sullens pass from Groves (Sullens pass from Groves)

PC — Voigt 9 run (Voigt pass from Groves)

PC — Sederlin 29 run (pass failed)

**Second quarter**

PC — Sederlin 15 run (run failed)

PC — Schulze 11 run (Groves run)

PC — Voigt 24 run (run failed)

PC — Schulze 61 run (pass failed)

Cross country West Park Open (Wednesday in Nampa)

**5 kilometers Boys results**

**Team —** 1. Caldwell, 45; 2. Weiser, 104; 3. Nyssa, Ore., 104; 4. Parma, 140; 5. Greenleaf Friends Academy, 154; 6.

Payette, 156; 7. Melba, 179; 8. Homedale, 210; 9. New Plymouth, 219; 10. Nampa Christian, 228; 11. Liberty Charter, 236; 12. Horseshoe Bend, 246

**Top 10 individuals —** 1. Tyler Curtis, Cal, 16 minutes, 55 seconds; 2. Luke Hetrick, GFA, 17:39; 3. Brian Nelson, Nyssa, 17:54; 4. Jeric Vinson, HB, 17:59; 5. Scott Thatcher, Hom, 18:01; 6. Ray Miller, Cal, 18:04; 7. Hank Garrison, Wei, 18:07; 8. Kevin Beck, Nyssa, 18:10; 9. Jake Peck, Cal, 18:11; 10. Paul Moughamian, Idaho City, 18:12

**Other Homedale athletes —** 17. Tyler Gibson, 18:59; 69. John Howes, 21:46; 93. Trevor Meligan, 23:42; 95. Matt Borschowa, 23:47; 99. Drew Farwell, 23:56; 106. Levi Jones, 24:59

**Greenleaf Owyhee County athlete —** 71. Brandt Graber (Homedale), 21:53

**Girls results**

**Team —** 1. Nampa Christian, 39; 2. Caldwell, 44; 3. Weiser, 92; 4. Greenleaf Friends Academy, 108; 5. Payette, 144; 6. Parma, 146; 7. Melba, 183; 8. New Plymouth, 186

**Top 10 individuals —** 1. Amanda Palmer, Wei, 19:28; 2. Jaclyn Puga, NC, 19:37; 3. Becca Wiggins, Wei, 21:22; 4. Megan Oberts, NC, 21:42; 5. Madison Crookham, Cal, 21:47; 6. Sarah Neufeld, Cal, 21:49; 7. Amy Watkins, Melba, 21:56; 8. Danielle Beesley, NC, 22:21; 9. Belen Vega, Hom, 22:22; 10. Lacey Mesia, IC, 22:36

**Other Homedale athletes —** 63. Laura Amend, 27:49; 66. Kayla Bertagnolli, 28:40

**Greenleaf Owyhee County athletes —** 17. Ciara Law (Marsing), 23:03; 33. Brie-Joy Bermudez-Koch (Marsing), 24:57

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**Team roping —** 1. Jared McFarlane and Trevor McCoin, 14.0 seconds, \$533.33; 2. Bob Thompson and Ty Thomas, 14.3, \$400; 3. Tim Fuller and Jason Fisher, 18.6, \$266.67; 4. Bobby Davis and Dally Curtis, 19.6, \$133.33

**Breakaway roping —** 1. Jennifer Casey, 5.63, \$533.33; 2. Melinda McDaniel, 5.68, \$400; 3. Scotti Fuller, Lewiston, 6.19, \$266.67; 4. Dusti Crenshaw, 6.25, \$133.33

**Steer wrestling —** 1. Jace Davis, 10.9, \$533.33; 2. Andy Weldon, 11.7, \$400; 3. Carl Seiders, 12.1, \$266.67; 4. Luke Jeffries, Homedale, 13.9, \$133.33

**Tie down roping —** 1. Jeffries, 20.5, \$533.33; 2. Brad Carpenter, 20.9, \$400; 3. Kirby Cook, Marsing, 21.2, \$266.67; 4. Jeremy Sutfin, Jordan Valley, 23.7, \$133.33

**Bull riding —** 1. Brad Abbe, 84 points, \$533.33; 2. Jared Roberson, 79, \$400; 3. (tie) Codey Brixey, 70, \$200; Miller Montz, 70, \$200

**Saddle bronc —** 1. Frank Tobias, 142 points, \$533.33; 2. Sam Mackenzie, Jordan Valley, 141, \$400; 3. Mark Gage, Jordan Valley, 140, \$266.67; 4. Bob Smith, 135, \$133.33

**Bareback —** 1. Caleb Bayes, Parma, 150 points, \$413.33; 2. Nathan Bayes, Adrian, Ore., 147, \$310; 3. Eric Mader, 146, \$206.67; 4. Toby Miller, 140, \$103.33

**Barrel racing —** 1. Abby Davis, Adrian Ore., 35.586 seconds, \$533.33; 2. Brittany Highsmith, 35.707, \$400; 3. Gretch Bilton Smith, 36.118, \$266.67; 4. Marissa Black, Meridian, 36.230, \$133.33

**Novice bareback —** 1. Eddie Hynek, 67 points, \$80; 2. Jared Ashcraft, 64, \$53.33

**Novice broncs —** 1. Kiel Malone, 124, \$100

**Novice bulls —** 1. Cody Bates, 61, \$80

Idaho Cowboys Association

**2006 final standings**

**All around —** 1. Luke Jeffries, Homedale, 10398.50; 2. Rob Black, Meridian, 9453.06; 3. Chad McDaniels, 9021.40; 4. Marlow Eldridge, Nampa, 8716.84; 5. Ty Thomas, Star, 7890.73; 6. Mark Black, 5708.18; 7. Scotti Fuller, Lewiston, 4965.02; 8. Sam MacKenzie, Jordan Valley, 4921.38; 9. Brad Carpenter, 4517.99; 10. Dan Webb, 3961.08; **Others —** 12. Marissa Black, Meridian, 3841.41; 15. Mikal Black, Meridian, 2897.69; 16. Scott Roeser (R), Marsing, 2639.01; 19. Clay Schricker, Adrian, Ore., 2270.26; 20. Tim Roeser, Marsing, 1628.52

**Bareback —** 1. Caleb Bayes, Parma, 6938.04; 2. Toby Miller, 5794.71; 3. Eric Mader, 2280.56; 4. Nathan Bayes, Adrian, Ore., 1490.15; 5. Jeremy Churchfield, 1242.17; 6. Bryan Schwabauer, 1069.78; 6. Jacey Miller, 800.28; 7. Matt Askew (R), 661.20; 8. Noah Bayes, Homedale, 395.01. 9. Jeff Bayes, 168.44; 10. Dustin Stamper, 101.32

**Saddle bronc —** 1. Mark Gage, Jordan Valley, 8652.26; 2. Jake Bigelow, 5371.97; 3. Bryan Martinat (R), Homedale, 3998.68; 4. Ivan Tibbs, 3424.67; 5. Frank Tobias, 2815.24; 6. William Scheibe, 1750.52; 7. Bob Smith, 1563.69; 8. Wayne Hebdon, 1316.45; 9. Cliff Toone, 1128.55; 10. Sam Mackenzie, Jordan Valley, 1039.57

**Others —** 14. Josh Mackenzie, 585.96

**Bull riding —** 1. Stephen Hopkins, 5312.15; 2. Cody Brixey (R), 5094.47; 3. Brad Abbe, 3855.89. 4. Miller Montz, 2431.81; 5. Jared Roberson, 1495.21; 6. Kiel Malone, 1455.17; 7. Payton Bakes, 1387.60; 8. Mike Sparks, 1365.39; 9. Paul Coppini (R), 1357.97; 10. Trevor Maddox (R), 1108.78

**Tie down roping —** 1. Luke Jefferies, Homedale, 6101.15; 2. Rob Black, Meridian, 5843.39; 3. Paul Cope, 5099.67; 4. Tony Green, 4910.43; 5. Will Casey, 3569.02; 6. Brad Carpenter, 3461.05; 7. Ty Thomas, Star, 3043.52; 8. Kirby Cook, Marsing, 2800.44; 9. Jeremy Sutfin, Jordan Valley, 2456.03; 10. Aaron Marts, 2323.69. **Others —** 11. Mark Black, 2098.51; 14. Clay Schricker, Adrian, 1683.16; 15. Blaise Black, Meridian, 1373.62; 16. Ryan Endicott, Caldwell, 1352.09; 18. Bobby Grenke, 1012.15; 24. Sam Mackenzie, Jordan Valley, 819.99; 33. Scott Roeser (R), Marsing, 326.61; 42. Andrew Endicott, Marsing, 96.00

**Steer wrestling —** 1. Andy Weldon, 5816.01; 2. Luke Jeffries, Homedale, 4094.57; 3. Dusty Kimble, 3688.65; 4. Brandon Christensen, Hermiston, Ore., 3271.31; 5. Carl Seiders, 2930.56; 6. Jace Davis, 2726.10; 7. Jeff Bowden, 2373.28; 8. Jimmy Bertalotto, 2094.74; 9. Sam Mackenzie, 1877.71; 10. Scott Roeser (R), Marsing, 1858.47. **Others —** 11. Cody Echevarria, Homedale, 1491.96; 12. Tim Roeser, Marsing, 1174.59; 14. Clay Schricker, Adrian, Ore., 587.10; 16. Wade

Hyer, Homedale, 348.18; 17. Brady Black, 319.91; 22. Jason Miller, 152.95

**Breakaway roping —** 1. Dustie Crenshaw, 7859.97; 2. Jennifer Casey, 7749.19; 3. Kari Dell, Hermiston, Ore., 3862.00; 4. Scotti Fuller, Lewiston, 3383.84; 5. Regan Lawson (R), 3215.42; 6. Monica Williams, 2966.88; 7. Melinda McDaniel, 2837.68; 8. Patti O’Maley, Gooding, 2,649.80; 9. Danna Stovner, 2410.24; 10. Keeva Kimble, 2331.32. **Others —** 13. Marissa Black, Meridian, 2018.17; 30. Jodi Endicott, Caldwell, 647.43; 33. Mikal Black, Meridian, 476.49; 37. Bryan Reay, Adrian, 345.80; 46. Kallie Roeser, Marsing, 162.45; 48. Gloria King, Homedale, 97.38

**Barrel racing —** 1. Kyna Schrader, 5724.56; 2. Brittany Highsmith, 3777.79; 3. Karen Ewy, Homedale, 3566.83; 4. Gretchen Bilton Smith, 3375.39; 5. Abby Davis, Adrian, Ore., 3034.92; 6. Linda Roberts, 3025.50; 7. Lucy Schnabele, 2,969.67; 8. Mikal Black, Meridian, 2421.20; 9. Matea Gabiola, 2336.50; 10. Jamie Beutler, 2326.81. **Others —** 14. Marissa Black, Meridian, 1823.24; 16. Katie Davis, 1577.48; 28. Gloria King, Homedale, 509.68; 31. Lindsay Marie Black, 416.78; 35. Kallie Roeser, Marsing, 133.00; 37. Bobby Jean Coyler, Bruneau, 123.50

**Team roping, heading —** 1. Chad McDaniel, 8755.40; 2. Cody Yerrington, 4350.02; 3. Matt Davis, 4285.69; 4. Matt Grenke, Jordan Valley, 3,931.85; 5. John Hagler, 3748.73; 6. Bobby Davis, 3665.41; 7. Mark Black, 3609.67; 8. Ryan Fornstrom, 3585.42; 9. Bob Thompson, 3490.84; 10. Jared McFarlane, 3100.68. **Others —** 14. Mike Pendergrass, Adrian, Ore., 2527.54; 13. Josh Bruce, Jordan Valley, 2496.14; 18. Sam Mackenzie, Jordan Valley, 1184.65; 21. Shawn Dygert, Melba, 966.70; 24. Ryan Bruce, 771.26; 25. Bobby Grenke, 645.24; 30. Scott Roeser (R), Marsing, 453.93; 33. Jason Eiguren, Jordan Valley, 363.76

**Team roping, heeling —** 1. Marlow Eldridge, Nampa, 8400.96; 2. Tommy Flenniken, 5335.58; 3. B.J. Roberts, 4062.62; 4. Ty Thomas, Star, 3930.65; 5. Dally Curtis, 3665.41; 6. Rob Black, Meridian, 3609.67; 7. Leo Baptiste, 3585.42; 8. Sam Riley, 3317.27; 9. Ira Walker, 3264.24; 10. Trevor McCoin, 3100.68. **Others —** 13. Mike Eiguren, Jordan Valley, 2283.70; 16. Tim Black, 1715.30; 17. Richard Eiguren, Jordan Valley, 1629.14; 21. Ryan Mackenzie, Jordan Valley, 1184.65; 28. Shane Smith, Jordan Valley, 512.70; 30. Tim Roeser, Marsing, 453.93; 31. Ryan Bruce, 418.52; 37. Luke Jeffries, Homedale, 202.78

**Novice bareback —** 1. Eddie Hynek, 430.00; 2. Jared Ashcraft, 224.86; 3. Josh Bruno, 172.00; 4. Justin Parker, 90.00; 5. Adam Waite, 48.00

**Novice bull riding —** 1. Cody Bates, 342.00; 2. Charles Brown, 327.00 3. Josh Bruno, 309.00; 4. Adam Waite, 244.00; 5. Eddie Hynek, 140.00; 6. Tyler Hollis, 138.00; 7. Travis Leedhom, 127.00; 8. (tie) Lee Munch, 105.00; Levi Overacker, 105.00; 10. (tie) Travis Miller, 100.00; Caleb Quimby, 100.00

**Novice saddle bronc —** 1. Kiel Malone, 336.00; 2. Kyle Carson, Homedale, 20.00

Prep football stats return next week







# Looking back...

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

## 25 years ago

### October 14, 1981

#### Local businesses remodel

Several Homedale businesses have recently undergone or are in the process of undergoing renovation and remodeling.

Extensive work has been done in the old Max’s Café and tavern, which is now Rene’s Lounge and Café.

March 20 of this year, the establishment was gutted by a fire of undetermined origin. The lounge was reopened Sept. 17, with the café just reopening last week.

According to Rene Murphy, owner and proprietor, the building has been virtually “rebuilt on the inside.” Murphy designed and did much of the work herself, hiring a crew and carpenter to work under her direction. “The reconstruction included everything but the exterior walls of the building,” Murphy said.

Remodeling is also being done in the Homedale Variety store. New display racks have been set up and new inventory of children’s and teens’ clothing have been arriving, but the entire line is expected to be complete within the next few weeks.

Work is presently being done in the Rocking Horse restaurant which was previously the café at Owyhee Lanes and Pizza. A new meeting room has been constructed, and according to manager, Clyde Cockerhan, the extent of the remodeling will be completed within the next two weeks.

The Owyhee Chronicle has moved its office out of the old Clinic building and back into the original Chronicle office, which has been remodeled. Plans are in the making to begin work on a new front for the building.

#### Tros win 7<sup>th</sup> straight

Homedale breezed to an easy victory over Rimrock Friday night with a 73-0 win. Homedale scored every time they had possession of the ball except the last quarter when they fumbled the ball on the Raiders 2-yard line. Coach Darryl Kellum started subbing in the second quarter, playing second team in both offense and defense. The JV played the fourth quarter and were able to score twice.

Homedale gained 356 yards in total offense. David Kubosumi led the Trojans ground attack with 98 yards on 14 carries. Sophomore Terry Uda rushed for 90 yards on seven carries. Both scored twice while Randy Deshazer had 66 yards on nine carries and also had two touchdowns. Darren Krzesnik also added two touchdowns. Rounding out the scoring were Bill Maxwell, Steve Nash and Stuart Emry. Nash caught the only pass completion of the night on a 35-yard pass from Mike Matteson. Emry closed the scoring when he blocked a punt and ran it back 12 yards.

Homedale is now 7-0 on the season and hosts the Parma Panthers this Friday night. It will be Senior Night for the Trojans.

#### Phil Batt to address chamber

Idaho’s Lieutenant Governor Phil Batt will speak at the Homedale Chamber of Commerce meeting next Tuesday, according to Jay Jackson, chairman of the meeting.

Batt, who is a Republican candidate for governor in 1982, is also a farmer in the Wilder area. He will speak on the business climate of Idaho and related topics.

The no-host luncheon, to be at the Rocking Horse Restaurant in Homedale during the noon hour, is open to interested persons and area chamber members.

#### Three to run for Marsing mayor job

Three candidates filed petitions for the mayoral position for the City of Marsing, and five will be competing for two four-year seats on the City Council.

Candidates for mayor include George Christiansen, Delbert Berg and Roy Herman.

Harvey Grimme, Ray Hines, Gerald Ray Dennis, Ruben Gomez and Elhe Agueros are running for the two seats as councilmen for a four-year term.

Roger Howard is running unopposed for the two-year term council position.

## 50 years ago

### October 18, 1956

#### High school clears \$500 on successful carnival

The successful high school carnival held Saturday night, October 13, had receipts of \$897.52, and the school expects to clear at least \$500 on the event.

The sophomore class won the \$5 prize for selling the most tickets for the drawing.

#### New grade school to be ready November 5

According to Superintendent of Schools Charles Zollinger, the new grade school building will be completed November 5.

An open house at the building will be held during the American Education week November 11 through 17.

Dedication services will be held one day of the week with the architect and contractor present.

Each youngster will move his own books and supplies to the new classrooms when classes are shifted to the new building.

#### Trojans splash to victory over Kuna

Homedale’s undefeated Trojans splashed to their fifth straight victory here Friday afternoon by blanking the Kuna Cavemen 20-0 in a non-conference football game played in the rain.

Bill Carson scored 13 of his team’s points with a nine-yard run in the second quarter for one touchdown and by taking a 30-yard pass from quarterback Vic Landa in the fourth quarter. Carson also converted after the first score.

Chuck Dunn dashed 30 yards in the initial period for the first score. Don Tveidt kicked the extra point after the second touchdown.

Kuna never penetrated beyond the midfield stripe as the wet turf seemed to slow down both elevens.

#### Homedale locals

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Shanley visited with their daughter, Donilyn, at Salt Lake City, Utah, Thursday and Friday. Ricky Shanley was a guest of Skippy Bicandi, son of Mr. and Mrs. Angel Bicandi, over the weekend.

Mrs. Pete Kershner attended the double pink and blue shower Friday at the Friends church in honor of Mrs. Marvine Parkins and Mrs. Mildred Fleck. She and her children Linda and Jack attended the Lynn Runger birthday party that afternoon.

Mrs. Fay Orr was a guest at the meeting of the Marsing Royal Neighbors Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Phoebe Orr, with nine members present.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Goodloe and family moved to Grangeville Saturday morning where Mr. Goodloe is employed with the state highway department.

Mr. and Mrs. Wally Vanderhoff and family and Mr. and Mrs. Mark McQuire, Wilder, were Friday evening guests at the Charles Runger home.

Mrs. Walt Adams entertained with a dinner party, Wednesday, in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Alene Downing. Those present besides the honored guests were her father, Mr. Adams, her husband, Kenneth Downing, and her grandmother, Mrs. Eva Adams.

Mrs. Charles Keever was honored with a surprise birthday party Thursday evening at the Seventh-Day Adventist church. Games were played and refreshments served.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Moulton and family have moved from town to the home of his father, Ira Moulton, in Owyhee Heights, where they are farming.

Sgt. And Mrs. Lowell Vanderpool and two children arrived this week at the Wallace Chambers home from Fort Carson, Colorado Springs, Colo., to spend a few days before going to Hawaii where Mr. Vanderpool will be stationed for the next three years in the Army. They also planned to spend a day and a half at San Francisco before going to Hawaii.

A/1c and Mrs. Thedford Suggs of Boise visited with Mrs. G. P. Ashlock Sunday afternoon, and also with Mrs. Suggs’ mother Wednesday afternoon.

## 140 years ago

### October 13, 1866

MINING PROSPECTS IN IDAHO. Generally, visitors to Idaho leave impressed with the belief that it is wondrously rich in the precious metals. Against the opinion of many, it is urged that they formed conclusion without thorough examinations, that their stay was too brief to acquire reliable information, or that they have speculative motives &c., &c. To some extent these objections are true, though the common agreement tends to confirm the correctness of their judgment. Occasionally, however, we find a witness that can speak from an experience of several months’ careful and professional examination, and as such we believe W. F. Bryant, Esq., agent of the Pacific Mineral Co., to be entirely trustworthy. He centers in San Francisco; has spent one summer in examining the mines of the State of Nevada; one in Elcelsior District, California, and much time in other mines. He is a practical assayer. He arrived in Idaho early last spring and is here yet — though much of the summer has been spent in examining the ledges and mining facilities of Alturas and Boise counties. He did not come to the Territory with a view to immediate purchase or making preliminary negotiations for subsequent purchases, but to spend the entire summer in critical inspection of what existing development has disclosed, collect samples, for shipment or ores in such quantities as could be obtained from ledges of value, and make tests of our quartz generally. Several of his first weeks in Idaho were occupied in the various Owyhee districts; next to the Alturas County mines; next in Boise County; last week here and Flint, when he again started for Pioneer District, in Boise County. With several months careful examination, over one hundred fire assays of ore from ledges in every district, his judgment educated by actual experience and expense, we have — aside from our knowledge — the best of reasons for endorsing his conclusions as truth and publish them as such.

Mr. Bryant pronounces Idaho a favored Territory as regards gold and silver deposits. Regarding Owyhee, he did not find the extravagant representations made to him to be true, but he finds rich ore, large veins, and facilities for milling excellent, excepting the matter of wood which is plentiful now; and with the natural advantages we possess, he feels confident that in less than three years much of our ore will be milled at not to exceed \$7.50 per ton. Like Nevada, as the mountains are tunneled, our supply of water will constantly increase, and mills can be supplied at the dump-piles, and thus avoid the heavy expense of transportation. When tunnels are run from the base to the center of the mountains — as they will be — the cost of mining, and delivery of ore at the mills, will be greatly reduced. In Flint there is ore in great abundance, much of it refractory and will require fire and machinery, managed be experts, to successfully treat it; there is, also, much that will yield large returns by common process. In short, he holds Owyhee to be what we’ve often said, a first-class mining district, and a good one for capitalists to operate in by exercising reasonable precaution in the purchase of ledges, and manage their operations with the same regard for economy, capacity of operators and general attention to business that characterized all successful manufacturing companies.

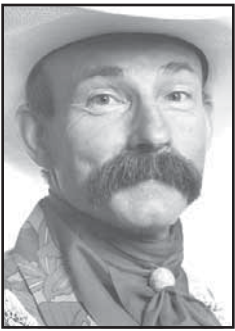
Of Boise and Alturas counties he holds much the same opinion as of Owyhee. He speaks in high terms of Pioneer District, Boise Count y, and says that Yuba District, in Alturas, has as fine surface prospects as any mining district he ever saw or ever expects to see. For wood, water, and general facilities for the reduction of ores, Yuba stands ahead. Mills have been erected in Alturas on a false basis. In Boise County the Banner, Elkhorn, Gambrinus, and some other veins are, in his estimation, valuable.

We have watched Mr. B’s movement with a good deal of interest, and feel confident that the report he will make of Idaho in San Francisco will be of immense value to our mining interests. He will take with him the evidence in the shape of tons of ore, to the Bay City, to back up his statements. We doubt if any man ever visited Idaho and made such extensive and impartial investigations of her mines as Mr. Bryant.

# Commentary

Baxter Black, DVM

## On the edge of common sense



### Reality shows on the farm

In our effort to plumb the depths of humiliation and bad taste, television producers have now invented a reality show based on pitting races against each other. They have chosen Whites vs. Blacks vs. Asian vs. Latinos, leaving out the obvious — Cowboys vs. Indians vs. French vs. Cows.

I can see spin-offs in the agricultural world:  
**Hereford breeders vs. Angus breeders** — It would be billed as “Cancer eye vs. Prolapsed sheath!” Contestants would be forced to mouth, preg check and cull purebred look-alikes from the Nacogdoches sale barn, and the audience would pick the winner!

**Horse people vs. Mule people** — The overconfident vs. the true believers! This reality show would force mule people to beat horse people in every possible contest. Then the horse people would have to try and explain why the horse really won.

**Stockdog Border Collies vs. City Park Border Collies** — Sheep police vs. Frisbee catchers! Sheepmen would order their border collies to herd ducks, old ewes, baby calves, kindergarten classes or intransigent Pomeranians through an intricate obstacle course to display their natural ability and intelligence. City Border Collies would respond by jumping hurdles, catching balls and running through culverts displaying their usefulness in case of a presidentially declared State of Hurdle, Ball and Culvert emergency!

**House cats vs. Barn cats** — Kitty litter vs. Mouse-eating machines! House cats will make a show of their superiority of the household. They will demonstrate their ability to completely dominate the humans that wait on them hand-and-paw. Points will be scored on traits such as: personality, appetite, sleeping on best furniture, shedding and disdain. This is one farm reality show that probably wouldn’t work since there’s no way to catch a barn cat!

And ... my last suggestion for an agricultural reality survival show:

**Large animal veterinarian vs. small animal veterinarian** — The loser will be determined by how many times over an eight-week period each tries to spay a tomcat or pregnancy check a steer!

I love writing this column!

### Letters to the editor

All letters to the editor submitted to The Owyhee Avalanche must be no longer than 300 words, signed and include the writer’s address and daytime phone number.

The deadline for submitting letters is noon on Friday. Letters can be submitted in the these ways:

- E-mailed to [jbrowncorner@cableone.net](mailto:jbrowncorner@cableone.net)
- Faxed to (208) 337-4867
- Mailed to P.O. Box 97, Homedale ID, 83628
- Dropped off at the Avalanche office at 19 E. Idaho Ave., in Homedale

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

Wayne Cornell

## Not important ... *but possibly of interest* A historical footnote



The photo in an area newspaper was of an old, deserted, two-story rock building. Readers were asked if they knew anything about the history of the structure.

Poison Creek Station is located at the base of the Owyhee foothills. The structure was built a long time ago as a stop for stages and freight wagons traveling the old road connecting the valley with Oregon and Nevada points. In the 20th century, a real highway was put up Squaw Creek.

Back in the late 1970s, someone moved into the old station. Before long, the sheriff started getting reports that the tenant was stopping people using the road and trying to charge them a toll (the road ran right through his front yard).

Although the Poison Creek Road was little more than a dirt track, it was considered a “public road” under the law. The sheriff took a dim view of the tollgate. But the gatekeeper was smart enough to avoid asking locals to pay. Instead, he focused on “tenderfeet,” from neighboring urban counties — sightseers who didn’t have gun racks in the back windows of their pickups.

At that time, yours truly was a reporter at this newspaper. One day, I volunteered my services to the sheriff to try to catch the suspect. I borrowed a Chevy pickup bearing Ada County plates. Joe, the newspaper publisher, and I, met the sheriff and his deputy, Hank, about a mile from Poison Creek Station. The officers gave us a wireless microphone. Our hope was that the gentleman at the rock house would stop us and demand a fee. His words would be transmitted to a receiver monitored by the sheriff and his deputy, hiding just over the hill. Then they would swoop down and scoop up the lawbreaker.

Joe and I drove slowly down the hill toward the station. I felt my heart pumping a little faster. We were “wired,” just like the uncover cops on the TV shows! This was pretty heady stuff!

Sure enough, a man stepped out of the house and walked to the edge of the road. We turned on the microphone and slowed to a stop beside him.

The Toll Master asked us where we were from. We told him we were just city folks out for a day in the desert. Even award-winning acting and the Ada County plates didn’t make him take the bait. He hemmed and hawed around, talking vaguely about the road going through his property but never actually asking for money.

Joe continued to chat with the suspect, who was standing at the passenger window of the Chevy. He could see Joe and me from his position, as well as the terrain beyond us if he looked over the top of the truck cab. The conversation was going nowhere. I glanced out my driver’s window toward the hill ...

The listening post had been established over the brow of the hill, about 100 yards from our position. The officers waited and listened to their monitor. All they got was static and a few garbled voices.

As I looked toward the hill, there was ole Hank, clearly visible on top, earphones on his head, holding the receiver over the edge of the bluff, apparently trying to improve the reception.

As I watched Hank’s gyrations, it occurred to me that if I could see Hank, the Toll Master could, too!

I interrupted the conversation and told Joe we might as well be on our way. We said our goodbyes to the uncooperative suspect and drove up Poison Creek Grade. At the top we paused for a few minutes, turned around and drove past the old stone house, continuing to the “concealed” sheriff’s position, where there was a spirited discussion of the definition of the term “undercover.”

That’s how Joe and I became footnotes in the history of the Poison Creek Rock House.

How come the TV cops never have that kind of problem?

## Idaho Agriculture Endangered species recovery wrought with uncertainty

by Frank Priestley

At the behest of a group of congressmen intent on reforming the Endangered Species Act, the U.S. government’s General Accounting Office (GAO) circulated a report this month highlighting the extreme difficulties associated with recovery of endangered plant and animal species.

The report points out areas where reform is needed, such as finding new ways to provide incentives to private landowners to partner in recovering species. And it sheds light on the poor job done to date in recovering endangered species, the skyrocketing costs associated with recovery, and the incredible amount of time it will take to remove some species from the ESA list.

One point supported in the report that cannot be dismissed is that plant and animal species have been going extinct since long before man got here, and that’s not going to change. Another is that private land is critical to the recovery of many listed plants and animals. With that established, the federal government needs to fix the ESA in such a way that private landowners are

given incentives to help solve problems, rather than being subjected to the private property takings and heavy-handed regulations that exist today.

The GAO selected and evaluated 31 different species, all at different levels of recovery. Following is an overview of the report to give readers an idea of the difficult charge and incredible expense of endangered species recovery.

First consider the plight of the Florida panther. Today, only one population of 76 panthers is known to exist. Federal wildlife officials believe 240 panthers are needed to maintain genetic diversity. The existing population is declining by 1 percent per year. Biologists believe recovery is biologically feasible, but unlikely because of a lack of public support stemming from fears of the animal and predation on livestock and pets.

This assessment is interesting from an Idaho perspective when you consider the gray wolf reintroduction and successful repopulation of an even more dangerous



Frank Priestley

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# Commentary

## Accuracy in Media

### Dems give ABC a bumpy ride on Path to 9/11

by Roger Aronoff

The controversy over ABC’s “The Path to 9/11” movie missed an important point: the Democrats went over the line in threatening to revoke ABC’s broadcast license unless changes were made to benefit former President Clinton and officials of his administration. By taking this approach, Senate Democratic leader Harry Reid and his cohorts were acting like would-be censors.

In a letter to Robert Iger, president and CEO of the Walt Disney Co., the parent of ABC, Reid, Assistant Democratic Leader Dick Durbin, Sen. Debbie Stabenow (D-Mich.), Sen. Charles Schumer (D-N.Y.), and Sen. Byron Dorgan (D-N.D.) demanded changes in the film, saying, “The Communications Act of 1934 provides your network with a free broadcast license predicated on the fundamental understanding of your principle [sic] obligation to act as a trustee of the public airwaves in serving the public interest. Nowhere is this public interest obligation more apparent than in the duty of broadcasters to serve the civic needs of a democracy by promoting an open and accurate discussion of political ideas and events.”

The message was unmistakable: change the film to please us or face legal and congressional consequences. And changes were made. But where were the cries from the media about Senator Reid & Co. violating the First Amendment?

Regarding the movie itself, it purported to take the report of the 9/11 commission and turn it into a “docudrama,” which is an oxymoron. It aired on the night before and the night of the 9/11 attacks’ fifth anniversary, making the subject matter extremely controversial and timely.

The Clinton camp had a legitimate gripe, in not wanting to be portrayed falsely. But bickering over specific scenes in the movie is less important than noting the fact that Clinton and his officials passed on numerous opportunities to kill or capture Osama bin Laden. AIM has pointed out

that, according to the London Sunday Times, and other sources, Clinton said that the “biggest mistake” of his presidency was turning down Sudan’s offer to extradite bin Laden to the U.S.

Lt. Col. Robert “Buzz” Patterson, who had been a military aide to then-president Clinton from 1996 to 1998 and later became a major critic, gave his account of the film to WorldNetDaily. Patterson, who had been consulted by the producers of the film, said that, “I was there with Clinton and (National Security Adviser Sandy) Berger and watched the missed opportunities occur.” He described an incident in which Berger placed an urgent call to Clinton, who was watching a golf tournament. Finally, on the third time that Patterson approached Clinton about the matter, he was told that he would call Berger shortly, but by then, according to Patterson, the window of opportunity had closed.

Conservatives were divided over the film. John Podhoretz wrote a column for the New York Post pointing out why these docudramas are so problematic. He argued that it did a great disservice to then-National Security Advisor Sandy Berger and Secretary of State Madeleine Albright, but not to President Clinton, whose record spoke for itself. On the other hand, Victor Davis Hanson pointed out that the movie was generally accurate and well done. Hanson argued the tendency to exaggerate or distort real-life events occurs not only in docudramas but in the news itself. Two good examples are so-called historical books such as those by Bob Woodward, and Dan Rather’s Memogate story.

“And what are we to think of Bill Clinton lamenting the movie’s supposed deviation from the ‘truth,’ ” wrote Hanson, “or Sandy Berger’s concern about protocols, or Madeline Albright’s apparent charge of partisanship, this from a former Secretary of State who has traveled the globe plugging her book by faulting her successors to foreign media in a time of war? Although I’m not a fan of

docudramas, I found *The Path to 9/11*, with its disclaimers, far closer to the ‘truth’ about the saga of bin Laden than what turned up in Bill Clinton’s ‘factual’ autobiography.”

A few months after 9/11, Byron York of National Review wrote a detailed account of the Clinton administration’s record on dealing with the terrorist acts that took place during his two terms in office. The publication re-ran the article days before the ABC movie was shown, with this editor’s note: “When it comes to Bill Clinton’s record on terrorism, there’s no need to invent fictional scenarios to show how ineffective he was; the truth is bad enough.”

President Bush’s request for airtime the night of 9/11 to talk about the war on Islamic radicalism had the effect of making the docudrama even more controversial. Peter Rollins, the editor of Film and History, said that Bush made the film work for his ends, “providing the upbeat solution which the film left out.” Otherwise, said Rollins, the film “left us in ruins rather than showing the dramatic victory in Afghanistan and then the assault on Iraq.”

Wearing his film critic’s hat, Rollins pointed out that while “The Path to 9/11” was not a documentary, it used documentary techniques, such as the hand-held camera, and “slash” shots of parts of faces for dramatic effect, a technique created by CBS’s 60 Minutes.

We are not entirely comfortable with such a technique. But tackling history through a docudrama at least represented an attempt to deal with something that actually happened.

In the end, the fact remains: Clinton was in power for eight years before 9/11. Bush was in power for only eight months. That helps explain why the Clinton administration came in for so much scrutiny.

— Roger Aronoff is a media analyst with *Accuracy in Media*, and is the writer/director of “*Confronting Iraq: Conflict and Hope*.”

## ✓ Agriculture

predator.

The Northern right whale lives up to 70 years but reproduces only once every three to five years. An estimated 300 individuals are thought to exist today.

The Red-Cockaded woodpecker is not expected to be delisted for at least another 70 years because of its selective habitat needs.

The only known population of the Socorro isopod, a crustacean, lives in the pipes of an abandoned building at a hot spring in New Mexico. The property and the water rights are privately held. The federal biologists told GAO investigators that the property owner has not consented to an easement or federal purchase of the property and, for that reason, they are unable to protect the isopod’s habitat.

Regarding costs, the federal government and various state agencies spent \$1.7 million in 2003 on recovery efforts for the Black-footed ferret. The percentage of recovery objectives achieved for the ferret is less than 25 percent. On the Florida panther, \$6.3 million was spent in ’03 with less than 25 percent of recovery objectives achieved. On the Northern right whale, \$11.8 million was

spent, on the Stellar sea lion, \$54.7 million, on the Red-cockaded woodpecker, \$11 million spent in 2003 with less than 25 percent of recovery objectives met.

We need to keep in mind there are more than 1,200 species currently on the endangered species list. Of those, 17 have been recovered since 1973. The GAO report looked at only 31 species. As of May 2006, the federal agencies in charge of managing endangered species had approved 580 recovery plans covering 1,080 species, or about 83 percent of the 1,260 species protected by the Endangered Species Act.

Sen. Mike Crapo (R-Idaho) is one of the members of Congress who requested the GAO report. He said the GAO report found the creation of habitat and agreement on effective and timely restoration plans are what is most critical in recovering species. Those issues are also central to legislation Crapo is sponsoring to help build collaboration around recovery plans and create more habitat by offering incentives to private landowners. This approach will “build cooperation, trust and increase positive results for species in trouble,” Crapo said.

To read the full report, go to [www.gao.gov](http://www.gao.gov).  
— Frank Priestley is president of the Idaho Farm Bureau.

Something on your mind?

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Public notices

OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MINUTES OCTOBER 2, 2006 OWYHEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE MURPHY, IDAHO

Present were Commissioners Tolmie, Reynolds and Salove, Clerk Sherburn, Treasurer Richards, Sheriff Aman, Assessor Endicott, Prosecutor Faulks, Fred Grant and Jim Desmond.

Amendments included: Waiver of building permit fees for MRW. Sage Grouse Projects, and new employees pay.

The Board waived the building permit fees for the Fairboard and Murphy Reynolds Fire Department.

The Board called an executive session concerning the Owyhee Initiative. The Board asked expenditures to Washington DC be pre-approved.

Bills were approved paid from the following funds: Current Expense \$60,047 Road & Bridge \$88,870 Airport \$770, District Court \$7,213, Fair Grounds \$68, Probation \$3,556, Historical Society \$343, Indigent & Charity \$25, 497, Revaluation \$2,035, Solid Waste \$1,475, Tort \$1,828, Weed \$597, 911 \$3,778, Flood \$460,725.

The Board set the polling places for the General Election on November 7th. The polling places will be published at a later date.

The Board approved a lien on Indigent & Charity Case No. 06-49.

The Board denied case No. 06-44 incomplete application.

The Board moved to adopt Resolution 06-30 funding the 911 budget.

The Board adopted Resolution’s 06-31 through 06-38 setting salaries.

Mr. & Mrs. Chet Brackett met with the Board to discuss the Owyhee Initiative.

Jerry Hoagland discussed the Owyhee Watershed Council’s assessment of the Lower and Upper Snake River Basin. Approval was given by the Board to have Chad Gibson work on the project with the council.

The Board approved the Sage Grouse conservation projects to be submitted to the Idaho Department of Fish and Game by the local working group.

The Board approved the step and grade for the part-time position in the Assessor’s office at a 4A and the newly hired deputy recorder at a 5A.

The Board approved the Marsing Law Enforcement Agreement for 2007 in the amount of \$72,000.

The complete minutes can be viewed in the Clerk’s office.

Dated this 10th day of October 2006.

/s/Harold Tolmie Attest: /s/Charlotte Sherburn 10/18/06

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PLEASE BE ADVISED that a public hearing will be held before the Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Homedale on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2006, at 7:00 p.m. at Homedale City Hall, 31 West Wyoming, Homedale, Idaho. The subject matter of the public hearing is the proposed amendments to the Homedale City Zoning Ordinance as follows:

- 1. Sign Ordinance: The Ordinance as it reads right now only allows one sign on a building. Should we

- allow for two signs on a building, especially a building on a corner lot?
- 2. Should we require attached single-car garage as opposed to single-car carport for all new construction?

- 3. The City of Homedale currently requires curbs, gutters and sidewalks on all new construction, including concrete driveways to the street. Presently, the Municipal Code requires that notice be given to the property owner of this requirement by personal service or certified mail and that such notice set forth the “reason for the necessity of the construction of the sidewalk.” Should we amend this ordinance to require that curbs, gutters and sidewalks be required on all new construction, including concrete driveways to the street, without the requirement of written notice?

- 4. Should we put a limit on the size of accessory buildings?
- 5. Should we require the following language on all plats?

NOTE: ALL PROPERTIES SHOWN ON THIS PLAT ARE IN AGRICULTURAL ZONE. THIS IS AN AREA IN WHICH AGRICULTURAL OPERATIONS ARE ONGOING AND MAY INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO, AERIAL SPRAYING, THE PRODUCTION OF CROPS, RAISING HORSES, CATTLE, SHEEP, OTHER LIVESTOCK, THE OPERATION OF FEED LOTS, HOG FARMS, DAIRIES AND/OR GRAVEL PITS. ALL OF THESE ACTIVITIES MAY RESULT IN THE PRODUCTION OF NOISE AND OTHER INCONVENIENCES. THEY MAY INVOLVE LIGHTS OR THE USE OF MACHINERY IN THE NIGHTTIME HOURS OR OTHER INCONVENIENCES. ALL OWNERS OR SUBSEQUENT OWNERS OF PROPERTY IDENTIFIED ON THIS PLAT ARE PROHIBITED FROM CHALLENGING THE AFOREMENTIONED OPERATIONS IF THEY ARE LAWFULLY CONDUCTED.

- 6. We presently require all new homes, both site-built and manufactured, to have a minimum of 1,000 square feet. What about a two-story home?
- 7. Should we allow homes to be built on lots that are part of the “old plat” of Homedale as long as the owner owns two of these lots, totaling 50’x125’, which is less than the 7,000 square foot lot requirement.
- 8. Should we add “airport hangar” to the list of allowed uses in a commercial and/or industrial zone?

The public is invited to attend and offer input. Sylvia L. Bahem, Administrator Planning & Zoning Commission City of Homedale 10/18,25/06

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Please be advised that a public hearing will be held before the Planning and Zoning Commission

CITY OF HOMEDALE Quarterly Expenditure Report 4th Fiscal Quarter, FY2006 Jul, 2006 to Sep, 2006							
FUND	PERSONNEL	Overhead / Maintenance	CAP IMP	QTR TOTAL	Fiscal Year to Date Total	BUDGET AMOUNT	PERCENT of BUDGET USED
01 General	\$77,745.72	\$15,685.04	\$0.00	\$93,430.76	\$489,355.25	\$472,217.62	103.6%
02 Streets & Hwy	\$9,796.20	\$17,787.88	\$0.00	\$27,584.08	\$93,080.24	\$131,972.00	70.5%
03 Parks	\$10,899.37	\$11,267.30	\$0.00	\$22,166.67	\$81,405.91	\$78,515.00	103.7%
04 Library	\$6,443.40	\$3,794.26	\$377.10	\$10,614.76	\$40,648.77	\$50,082.02	81.2%
30 Airport	\$0.00	\$2,272.06	\$0.00	\$2,272.06	\$5,210.18	\$5,850.00	89.1%
60 Irrigation	\$10,549.66	\$10,503.04	\$0.00	\$21,052.70	\$118,306.30	\$86,880.00	136.2%
25 Water	\$20,178.50	\$17,190.28	\$59,535.62	\$96,904.40	\$209,649.62	\$267,245.00	78.4%
26 Sewer	\$14,821.82	\$13,979.46	\$7,286.58	\$36,087.86	\$376,132.02	\$383,200.00	98.2%
27 Sanitation	\$0.00	\$31,306.11	\$0.00	\$77,667.93	\$76,100.00	\$76,100.00	100.0%
TOTAL (all funds)	\$150,434.67	\$123,785.43	\$67,199.30	\$387,781.22	\$1,489,888.29	\$1,552,061.64	96.0%
The General Public is invited to inspect all supporting documents for the above Financial Statement at City Hall during regular business hours.							
Publish: October 18, 2006				Signed: Susan Mansisidor City Clerk-Treasurer			

of the City of Homedale on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2006, at 7:00 p.m. at Homedale City Hall, 31 West Wyoming, Homedale, Idaho.

The subject matter of the public hearing is the Application for Annexation and Zoning filed by Ron and Julie Woods. Mr. and Mrs. Woods are seeking to have their property located at 3878 Pioneer Road, consisting of approximately 86 acres, annexed into the City of Homedale and to eventually subdivide this property.

The public is invited to attend and offer input.

Sylvia L. Bahem, Administrator Planning & Zoning Commission City of Homedale 10/18,25/06

NOTICE

The Southwest District Board of Health will hold a **Board Meeting** on Tuesday, October 24, 2006 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon at the Southwest District Health, Room 206, 920 Main Street, Caldwell, Idaho.

10/18/06

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING OCTOBER 12, 2006

The City of Marsing Planning & Zoning will hold a public hearing on November 6, 2006 at 7:00 pm. at Marsing City Hall located at 425 Main St., Marsing, ID. The purpose of the public hearing is to hear testimony regarding building Storage Units in the old railroad turn-around along Bruneau Highway and extends a ways down towards Wye St.

A parcel of land situated in portions of Government Lot 2 & 3 in Section 3, Township 2 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, City of Marsing, Owyhee County, Idaho.

Commencing the northwest corner of said Section 3, thence S 89° 40’24” E, 2426.44 feet along the northerly boundary of the said Section 3 which bears N89° 40’24” W 213.67 feet to the northeast corner of the northwest corner of said Section 3: thence 101.64 feet along a curve deflecting to the right having a radius of 523.70 feet, a central angle of 11° 07’11”, a chord bearing of S09°27’58”E , and a long chord of 101.48 feet and to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING:

Thence S89°40’24”E, 202.27 feet;

Thence S33°10’06”E, 466.46 feet;

SUMMARY STATEMENT REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES - ALL FUNDS JULY 1, 2005-JUNE 30, 2006 JOINT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 365 BRUNEAU-GRAND VIEW

REVENUES	BUDGET	ACTUAL
Beginning Balance	\$ 514,007	553,600
Local Revenue	925,372	1,020,444
State Revenue	2,574,063	2,636,950
Federal Revenue	604,645	685,751
Other Revenue/Transfers	23,257	29,010
TOTALS	\$ 4,641,344	\$ 4,925,755
EXPENDITURES		
Salaries	2,043,388	\$ 2,014,801
Benefits	613,023	664,057
Purchased Services	893,469	837,358
Supplies & Materials	299,960	281,337
Capital Objects	191,434	98,439
Debt Retirement	240,587	240,467
Insurance & Judgments	70,518	61,195
Transfers	23,257	29,010
Contingency	265,708	699,091
TOTALS	\$ 4,641,344	\$ 4,925,755

Copies of the school district budget and the annual report are available for public inspection in the administrative offices of the school district or in the office of the clerk of the district.

10/18/06

GEM IRRIGATION DISTRICT FISCAL YEAR 2007 BUDGET

38,048.13 irrigable acres	
REVENUE	
Operation & Maintenance	\$1,465,692
Old Gem Transfer Water Right Acs	70,671
Construction	3,805
Interest Receivable	85,000
Penalties Receivable	7,756
Fund Balance Carryover	19,024
Total	\$1,651,948
EXPENSES	
South Board of Control	\$1,646,143
Construction	3,805
Directors’ Fees	1,200
Liability Insurance	750
Office	50
Total	\$1,651,948
ASSESSMENT CHARGES	
O&M Assessment per/ac	\$40.38
Construction	10
Total Assessment per/ac	\$40.48
Connie Chadez Secretary-Treasurer 10/11,18/06	

Thence S56°49’54”W, 208.14;  
Thence 301.91 feet along a curve deflecting to the right having a radius of 523.70 feet, a central angle of 33° 01’50”, a chord bearing of N86°50’8”E, and a long chord of 297.75 feet;

Thence N33°10’06”W, 164.97 feet

Thence 374.02 feet along a curve deflecting to the left having a radius of 523.70 feet, a central angle of 40° 55’12”, a chord bearing of N16° 33’15”E,

and a long chord of 366.12 feet and to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING.

The above described parcel contains 4.2 acres, more or less.

Subject to easements and rights-of-way of record or apparent.

If you have questions about the property location, there is a map at Marsing City Hall, 425 Main St.

Christy Martinat  
P&Z Secretary  
10/18,25/06

Read all about it in the Avalanche!



# Public notices

**CITY OF MARSING, IDAHO  
ORDINANCE NO. A-161**

A M E N D M E N T T O  
ORDINANCE A105 AND A97  
OF THE MARSING CITY  
CODE; REQUIRING AN  
APPLICATION FOR SEWER  
AND WATER SERVICES  
FROM PROPERTY OWNERS;  
PROVIDING FOR A DEPOSIT  
FOR SEWER AND WATER  
SERVICES; REPEALING  
PRIOR ORDINANCES  
INCONSISTENT THEREWITH;  
IN PROVIDING FOR  
SEVERABILITY AND  
ESTABLISHING EFFECTIVE  
DATE

WHEREAS, the Mayor and  
City Council members of the  
City of Marsing have recognized  
that the property owner shall be  
responsible for sewer and water  
services to ensure payment for the  
health, welfare, and safety of the  
citizens of Marsing:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE  
MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL  
OF THE CITY OF MARSING AS  
FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The following text  
shall be added to Section .090 of  
Ordinance A97 and Section 11 of  
Ordinance A105 of the City of  
Marsing, Idaho:

A. Application Form: Each  
property owner receiving water  
and/or sewer service shall sign  
an application form provided  
at city hall giving the date of  
application, location of premises  
to be served, the date applicant  
desires services to begin, purpose  
for which services is to be used,  
the address for mailing of the  
billings, the class and the size  
of the meter service and such  
other information as the water  
department may reasonably  
require. In signing the application,  
the property owner agrees to abide  
by the rules and regulations of  
the water and sewer department,  
which include responsibility  
for payment. Property owners  
refusing to sign an application  
may have services terminated.  
The application is merely a  
written request for service and  
does not bind the City to provide  
service.

B. With each and every application  
for water and/or sewer service to  
be supplied through the system  
of the city, there may be a deposit  
required by the city clerk, or  
its designee, a sum in cash, the  
amount to be determined by  
resolution of the city council  
upon the passage of this chapter  
and updated by resolution of the  
council.

D. At the time the deposit is  
given to the city clerk, or its  
designee, the applicant will be  
given a receipt for the same. The  
deposit is not to be considered  
as a payment on account. In the  
event the service is discontinued,  
the deposit will be applied to the  
closing bill and any amount in  
excess of the closing bill will be  
refunded. The City will not pay  
interest on any deposits. Deposits  
shall not be eligible for refund  
until after one year of service  
indicating a satisfactory payment  
history.

E. If an account becomes  
delinquent and it is necessary to  
turn off the service, the deposit  
shall be applied to the unpaid  
balance due. Water service will  
not be restored to that premises  
or that customer at different  
premises until all outstanding bills  
due the city have been paid and  
the cash deposit replaced, together  
with any service charge set by  
resolution of the City.

F. Customers desiring a material  
change in the size, character or

extent of equipment or operation  
which would result in a material  
change in the amount of water  
used, shall give the city written  
notice of such change prior to  
the change and the application  
for service shall be amended.  
Customers desiring a change in  
the size, location or number of  
services shall fill out an amended  
application.

Section 2. If any section, subsection  
or clause of this Ordinance shall  
be deemed to be unconstitutional  
or otherwise invalid, the validity  
of the remaining sections,  
subsections and clauses shall not  
be affected thereby.

Section 3. All ordinances or parts  
of ordinances in conflict with the  
provisions of this Ordinance are  
hereby repealed.

Section 4. This ordinance shall be  
in full effect following its passage  
and publications all as provided  
by law.

APPROVED by the Mayor  
and City Council this 11<sup>th</sup> day of  
October, 2006.

/s/ Donald D. Osterhoudt,  
Mayor

ATTEST: /s/ Janice C. Bicandi,  
City Clerk  
10/18/06

**NOTICE OF ELECTION OF  
DIRECTORS  
OF THE GEM IRRIGATION  
DISTRICT**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN  
that an election will be held in  
the Gem Irrigation District on  
Tuesday, November 7, 2006, for  
the election of one Director from  
Division 4 and one Director from  
Division 5 for a three year term  
beginning January 1, 2007.

Polls will be open from 1:00  
p.m. to 7:00 p.m. (Idaho Code  
43-207) at the American Legion  
Hall (126 2<sup>nd</sup> Street N.) in Marsing  
for Precinct No. 1, and the South  
Board of Control watermaster's  
office (19 West 1<sup>st</sup> Street) in  
Homedale for Precinct No. 2.

Qualifications of voters is to  
own irrigable land within the Gem  
Irrigation district and be a resident  
of Owyhee County, be eighteen  
(18) years of age and a United  
States citizen.

Connie Chadez, Secretary  
Gem Irrigation  
10/11,18/06

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S  
SALE  
T.S. NO.: ID-06-63030-NF  
LOAN NO.: 3036448474**

On 1/9/2007 at 11:00 AM  
(recognized local time), at  
the following location in the  
County of Owyhee, State of  
Idaho: the steps of the Owyhee  
County Courthouse located at  
the corner of Highway 78 and  
Hailey St., Murphy, ID 83650,  
Fidelity National Title Insurance  
Company, as Trustee, on behalf of  
Mortgage Electronic Registration  
Systems Inc (MERS) as nominee  
for Washington Mutual Bank  
FA will sell at public auction,  
to the highest bidder, for cash,  
in lawful money of the United  
States, all payable at the time of  
sale, the following real property,  
situated in the County of Owyhee,  
State of Idaho, and described  
as follows: Lot 8 block 3 Eagle  
View Estates Owyhee County  
Idaho according to the official plat  
thereof recorded as instrument no  
215482 Owyhee County records  
The Trustee has no knowledge  
of a more particular description  
of the above referenced real  
property, but for purposes of  
compliance with Section 60-  
113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has  
been informed that the address  
of 101 Cinnabar Way Melba ID,

Melba, ID 83641 is sometimes  
associated with said real property.  
Said sale will be made without  
covenant or warranty regarding  
title, possession or encumbrances  
to satisfy the obligation secured  
by and pursuant to the power of  
sale conferred in the Deed of Trust  
executed by Timothy S Simmonds  
and Kami N Simmonds husband  
and wife as Grantor/Trustor,  
in which Mortgage Electronic  
Registration Systems Inc (MERS)  
as nominee for Washington Mutual  
Bank FA, is named as Beneficiary  
and Pioneer Title Company as  
Trustee and recorded 10/22/2002,  
as Instrument No. 241347 in  
book -, page - and re-recorded on  
12/23/2002 as Instrument Number  
242019, in Book -, Page - of  
Official Records in the office of  
the Recorder of Owyhee County,  
Idaho. Please Note: The above  
Grantors are named to comply  
with section 45-1506(4)(A), Idaho  
Code, No representation is made  
that they are, or are not, presently  
responsible for this obligation set  
forth herein. The Default for which  
this sale is to be made is the failure  
to pay when due, under Deed of  
Trust and Note dated 10/17/2002.  
The monthly installments of  
principal interest and impounds  
(if applicable) of \$757.48, due  
per month for the months of  
5/1/2006 through 8/15/2006, and  
all subsequent installments until  
the date of sale or reinstatement.  
The principal balance owing as  
of this date on the obligation  
secured by said Deed of Trust is  
\$89,355.30 together with interest  
thereon at the current rate of  
6.50000 per cent (%) per annum  
from 4/1/2006. All delinquent  
amounts are now due, together  
with accruing late charges, and  
interest, unpaid and accruing  
taxes, assessments, trustee's fees,  
attorney's fees, and any amounts  
advanced to protect the security  
associated with this foreclosure  
and that the beneficiary elects to  
sell or cause the trust property to  
be sold to satisfy said obligation.  
If the Trustee is unable to convey  
title for any reason, the successful  
bidder's sole and exclusive remedy  
shall be the return of monies paid  
to the Trustee, and the successful  
bidder shall have no further  
recourse. Dated: 9/7/2006 By:  
Fidelity National Title Insurance  
Company, as Trustee Quality  
Loan Service Corp., 319 Elm  
Street, 2nd Floor San Diego,  
CA 92101, as Agent By: Kathy  
Rush \*\*\*For Sale Information  
Call: 714-259-7850 or Login  
to: www.fidelityasap.com If you  
have previously been discharged  
through bankruptcy, you may  
have been released of personal  
liability for this loan in which  
case this letter is intended to  
exercise the note holder's rights  
against the real property only.  
This is an attempt to collect a  
debt and any information obtained  
will be used for that purpose. As  
required by law, you are hereby  
notified that a negative credit  
report reflecting on your credit  
record may be submitted to a  
credit report agency if you fail  
to fulfill the terms of your credit  
obligations. ASAP# 790267  
9/27;10/4,11,18/06

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S  
SALE  
LOAN NO: 1001947309  
T.S. NO.: 06-5503-ID**

On 2/8/2007 at 11:00 AM  
(recognized local time), At the  
entrance to Pioneer Title Compnay  
100 10th Avenue South, Nampa, ID  
83651. In the County of Owyhee,  
State of Idaho, First American

Title Insurance Company as  
Trustee on behalf of Mortgage  
Electronic Registration Systems,  
Inc. will sell at public auction  
to the highest bidder, for cash,  
in lawful money of the United  
States, all payable at the time of  
sale, the following described real  
property, situated in the County  
of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and  
described as follows: The north  
half of Lot 7 and the north half  
of the west half of Lot 6 of block  
2 of the amended townsite plat  
of Homedale, Owyhee County,  
Idaho, according to the official  
plat thereof on file and of record  
in the office of the recorder for  
Owyhee County, Idaho The  
Trustee has no knowledge of a  
more particular description  
of the above referenced real  
property, but for the purposes of  
compliance with section 60-113  
Idaho Code, the Trustee has been  
informed that the address of: 631  
W, Nevada Homedale, ID 83628,  
is sometimes associated with  
the said real property. Said sale  
will be made without covenant  
or warranty regarding title,  
possession or encumbrances to  
satisfy the obligation secured by  
and pursuant to the power of sale  
conferred in the Deed of Trust  
executed by: Phillip J. Ithurburn  
and Shannon K. Ithurburn,  
husband and wife, As grantors,  
To: first American Title Insurance  
Company as successor Trustee,  
for the benefit and security of  
Mortgage Electronic Registration  
Systems, Inc., as Beneficiary, dated  
4/21/2006, recorded 04/27/2006,  
as Instrument No. 256116, records  
of Owyhee County, Idaho. Please  
Note: The above Grantors are  
named to comply with section  
45-1506(4)(A), Idaho Code.  
No representation is made that  
they are, or are not, presently  
responsible for this obligation  
set forth herein. The Default for  
which this sale is to be made  
is the failure to pay when due,  
under Deed of Trust and Note  
dated 4/21/2006. The monthly  
payments for Principal, Interest  
and Impounds (if applicable)  
of \$520.49 due per month from  
6/1/2006 through 2/8/2007, and  
all subsequent payments until the  
date of sale or reinstatement. The  
principal balance owing as of this  
date on the obligation secured by  
said Deed of Trust is \$70,100.00,  
plus accrued interest at the rate of  
8.125% per annum from 5/1/2006  
All delinquent amounts are now  
due, together with accruing late  
charges, and interest, unpaid  
and accruing taxes, assessments,  
trustee's fees, attorney's fees,  
and any amounts advanced to  
protect the security associated  
with this foreclosure and that the  
beneficiary elects to sell or cause  
the trust property to be sold to  
satisfy said obligation. Dated:  
10/5/2006 By: First American  
Title Insurance Company By  
Allnation Default Services, Its  
Duly Authorized Agent 4665  
MacArthur Court Suite 250  
Newport Beach, CA 92660 949-  
252-2800 Les Poppitt, Sr. Vice  
President P259730  
10/18,25;11/1,08/06

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

US Ecology Idaho, Inc.  
(USEI) is hereby providing  
notice of a recent Class 3 Permit  
Modification in accordance with  
the requirements of 40 CFR  
Part 270.42(c). This permit  
modification request is to expand  
existing chemical stabilization  
capabilities by increasing  
throughput at Site B in Grand  
View, Idaho. The increase in  
throughput will be accomplished

through the installation of  
additional equipment at an existing  
permitted unit. The required 60  
day comment period shall begin  
on the date of publication of this  
notice in the Idaho Statesman. All  
comments should be addressed  
to:

Department of Environmental  
Quality, 1410 North Hilton, Boise,  
Idaho 83706-1255, Attention: Mr.  
Pete Johansen

A Public Meeting shall be held  
regarding this Class 3 Modification  
request at Rimrock Jr./Sr. High  
School in Owyhee County at 7:00  
p.m. on Wednesday, November  
15, 2006.

Copies of the request for  
modification and supporting  
documentation are available  
for viewing and copying at the  
following locations:

State of Idaho, Department  
of Environmental Quality, 1410  
North Hilton, Boise, Idaho

US Ecology Idaho, Inc., 20400  
Lemley Road, Grand View,  
Idaho

Eastern Owyhee County  
Library, Grand View, Idaho

The Idaho Department of  
Environmental Quality (IDEQ)  
contact for request for permit  
modifications is Mr. Pete Johansen  
at (208) 373-0230. USEI's  
compliance history during the  
life of the permit being modified is  
available from the IDEQ contact  
person.

If you have any questions  
regarding this Permit Modification,  
please feel free to contact the  
USEI's contact person, Mr. Matt  
Alvarado at (208) 834-2275,  
or Mr. Pete Johansen with the  
Idaho Department Environmental  
Quality for further information at  
(208) 373-0230.

10/18/06

**NOTICE**

The Idaho Horse Board  
will conduct a referendum  
to determine whether the mandatory  
assessment to fund the Horse  
Board shall be raised from one  
dollar (\$1.00) to three dollars  
(\$3.00). Voting on this referendum  
will begin October 30, 2006 and  
end at midnight on November 28,  
2006. Ballots must be completed  
and post-marked no later than  
midnight November 28, 2006 in  
order to be counted.

Horse owners who have had a  
horse brand inspected between  
October 29, 2005 and October  
29, 2006, and horse owners who  
have a lifetime brand inspection  
that was issued after July 1,  
2004, are eligible to vote. Eligible  
owners must request a ballot  
from the Board. Ballot requests  
must include the owner's name,  
address, and a copy of the brand  
inspection or the date and number  
of the inspection. Ballot requests  
must be submitted to the Board no  
later than October 30, 2006.

Ballot requests should be mailed  
to the Idaho Horse Board 803  
Canyon Road, Hailey, ID 83333.  
Ballot requests may be faxed to  
the Board at 208-788-1578.

10/4,11,18,25/06

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# Public notices

**CITY OF MARSING, IDAHO  
ORDINANCE NO. A-162**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MARSING, IDAHO REGULATING ITS IRRIGATION SYSTEM; PROVIDING FOR TITLE, PURPOSE AND INTENT, DEFINITIONS, APPLICABILITY, CONNECTION REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES, ASSESSMENTS AND FEES, TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SERVICE, PROHIBITED ACTS, ENFORCEMENT, APPEALS, CITY RIGHTS, SEVERABILITY, AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**WHEREAS**, the Marsing City Council has determined that its irrigation system should be maintained in a orderly manner, and

**WHEREAS**, the City believes adequate enforcement mechanisms and procedures to sufficiently protect the health, welfare, and safety of the residents and visitors of the city should exist;

**THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARSING, IDAHO:**

**TITLE**  
This Ordinance shall be known as the Marsing Municipal Irrigation System Ordinance.

**PURPOSE AND INTENT**  
There is hereby created the Marsing Municipal Irrigation System to exercise the rights and authorities as provided by Chapter 18, Title 50, Idaho Code. For the purpose of developing, managing and utilizing the irrigation water resources of Marsing and for distributing said irrigation water resources to users, a municipal irrigation system or systems for the development, distribution and management of irrigation water resources shall be maintained, repaired, replaced and operated by Marsing in accordance with this Chapter. The intent of this ordinance is to provide an entity with the power and capability to own, operate and maintain a separate irrigation system or systems to allow for the continued use of developed irrigation water rights and to preserve the higher quality water for human consumption.

**DEFINITIONS**  
City: The City of Marsing.  
Irrigation Commission: The Marsing City Council  
Irrigation Entity: In accordance with Idaho Code 31-3805, an irrigation entity is an existing irrigation district, or other canal company, ditch association, or like irrigation water delivery entity.  
Irrigation Purposes: Includes the use of water for lawns, gardens, pastures, parks, greenbelts, golf courses, and open space.  
Irrigation Water: Nonpotable water used for irrigation purposes.  
Municipal Irrigation Fund: In accordance with Idaho Code 50-1806, a separate fund which will be the repository for city fees, assessments, and charges arising from the operation of the Marsing Municipal Irrigation system.  
Nonpotable Water: Water which does not conform to drinking water quality standards.  
Person: Any individual, corporation, partnership, association, firm, public agency or any other legal entity.  
Potable water: Water which conforms to drinking water quality standards.  
Pressure Irrigation System: A system that delivers irrigation

water under pressure through a closed distribution piping system.  
Separate Irrigation System: A system of ditches, piping and water source(s) for delivery of irrigation water that is separate and independent of the potable water system.  
User: Any consumer of water from the Marsing Municipal Irrigation System.  
Water: When the term water is used in this Chapter without the prefix *Irrigation* or *Potable* it shall refer to both irrigation and potable water.  
Water Rights: The term water rights means the legal right to divert and beneficially use the public waters of the State of Idaho where such right is evidenced by a decree, a permit or a license issued by the Idaho Department of Water Resources, a beneficial or constitutional use right evidenced by an adjudication claim or claim based on section 42-243, Idaho Code, or a right based on federal law.  
Water Stock: The term water stock refers to the document which is evidence of ownership in an irrigation entity. This term has no application to irrigation districts because irrigation districts are quasi-governmental entities who do not offer any form of ownership to the owners of land within the irrigation district  
**APPLICABILITY**  
Every person within the Marsing Area of City Impact providing an irrigation system separate from the potable water system shall make provisions for the continued ownership, operation and maintenance of the separate irrigation system. All separate irrigation systems constructed within the Marsing Area of City Impact shall also comply with the minimum design criteria and specifications established by the Marsing City Council. This Ordinance shall apply to all users within the Marsing Area of City Impact who become part of the Marsing Municipal Irrigation System.  
**CONNECTION REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES**  
Every person providing a separate irrigation system who desires to have the system owned, operated and maintained by the City of Marsing shall:  
1. File an application with the Marsing Public Works Department containing the following information:  
a. A description of the area and property to be served by the separate irrigation system.  
b. For existing systems, a map or drawing of the system indicating the proposed location of all easements, pipes, and other system infrastructure.  
c. A description of the available surface water irrigation right and the irrigation entity which supplies the water to the system.  
d. A formal request for inclusion into the Marsing Municipal Irrigation System.  
2. The Marsing Public Works Department will prepare an agreement with the person containing at least the following provisions:  
a. Definition of ownership, operation and maintenance responsibilities.

b. Agreement to abide by the terms of this ordinance including the payment of fees.  
c. Agreement to abide by all applicable design standards and criteria established by the City.  
d. The right of the City at any time without notice to shut off the water supply for repairs, extensions, or for any other maintenance and operation procedures. The City shall not be responsible for any damage such as the breaking of any pipe or fixtures, or any other damage resulting from shutting the water off.  
e. A provision for the assignment of any water stock owned in any irrigation and canal companies who may provide water to the system and a provision for the issuance of a City water certificate. The City may also require that the agreement between the City and irrigation water user be subject to an additional agreement between the City and irrigation entity addressing the delivery of irrigation water to the user's property.  
f. A provision that the irrigation water to be delivered by the Marsing Municipal Irrigation System may be pooled for delivery.  
g. When the entity providing water to the Municipal Irrigation System is an irrigation district, the agreement between the irrigation water user and the City shall be contingent upon the execution of a contract between the City and the irrigation district which among other things provides that the water may be pooled for delivery and the means and methods of passing on district irrigation assessments.  
h. Any other terms both parties deem necessary.  
3. The Application and Agreement will be forwarded to the Marsing Council for formal adoption and approval. If the Application and Agreement are approved, the Council shall pass and publish an ordinance describing the exterior boundaries of each separate irrigation system and incorporating the separate irrigation system into the boundaries of the Marsing Municipal Irrigation system.  
**ASSESSMENTS AND FEES**  
All fees, charges and assessments received and collected under the authority of this Chapter shall be deposited and credited to funds designated as the Municipal Irrigation Fund. The accounts of said funds shall show all receipts and expenditures for the maintenance and operation of the irrigation system and any payments into a sinking fund established for the purpose of paying principal of and interest on bond indebtedness of the municipal irrigation systems which shall from time to time be outstanding. As provided by law, when budgeted and appropriated, the funds and credits to the account of the Municipal Irrigation Fund shall be available for the payment of the

requirements for the maintenance and operation, repairs and upkeep of the Municipal Irrigation System of the City, and to the extent legally available, for payment into a sinking fund established for the payment of the principal of and interest on any Municipal Irrigation Fund indebtedness of the City which shall from time to time be outstanding.  
The assessments for each irrigation system served by the Marsing Municipal Irrigation System shall be established by the Marsing Council in accordance with the provisions of Idaho Code Title 50, Chapter 18.  
a. By the 4th Monday of January of each year, the City clerk shall prepare an assessment book listing all the property to which irrigation water is being supplied by the City Municipal Irrigation System and listing the persons who own or have possession or control of the property. Both lists shall conform to the requirements of 50-1807.  
b. By the second Monday of February of each year, unless a legal holiday, then on the succeeding work day, the Mayor and City Council shall meet and make an estimate of the necessary funds for the expenses of maintaining, operating, improving, extending and enlarging the Marsing Municipal Irrigation System for the ensuing year. The estimate of the expenses and the assessments derived from the estimate shall conform to the requirements of 50-1807.  
c. By the 1st day of March of each year, the Marsing clerk must give notice in accordance with 50-1807 of the time the Mayor and Council shall meet to correct the assessments. The meeting will occur no later than March 20 and in the meantime the assessment books will be available for inspection in the office of the Marsing clerk. [50-1807] The meeting may not exceed three (3) working days, and the City clerk shall complete all corrections to the assessment books within five (5) days after the Mayor and Council adjourn and the City clerk shall certify and deliver the assessment books to the City treasurer. [50-1811]  
d. The City treasurer shall publish notice in accordance with 50-1814 that the assessments are due and payable on or before the 1st day of April of each year.  
**TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SERVICE**  
1. Payment: All service charges, fees and assessments, including any legally established franchise fees, not paid within thirty (30) days after the due date shall be considered delinquent. By the second Monday of July of each year in which the assessments

are levied, the City treasurer shall enter all delinquent assessments and penalties on the assessment roll, which entry shall be dated as of the first day of July of each year. [50-1815] By the third Monday of July of each year in which the assessments were levied, the treasurer shall certify to the City clerk both the collected and the delinquent assessments. [50-1816] The City treasurer must compile an alphabetical list of the delinquent assessments by the fourth Monday of July [50-1817] and shall file a certified copy of the delinquency list with the county recorder also on or before the fourth Monday of July. [50-1818]  
2. The penalty required to be added on delinquent assessments shall be two per cent (2%) of the amount unpaid and the treasurer of such city shall collect such assessments which are delinquent with such penalty added, together with interest on the amount of such delinquent assessment at the rate of eight per cent (8%) per annum from the date of sale until redemption.  
2. **Disconnection:** The following may be a basis for the disconnection of users of the Municipal Irrigation System:  
a. Nonpayment of charges, fees, and assessments when due and owing.  
b. Illegal connection to the system.  
c. When necessary for the protection of the public health and safety.  
d. Cross connection to a potable water system.  
3. Lien: all assessments levied by the City constitute liens and shall be collected in accordance with the provisions of Idaho Code, Title 50, Chapter 18.  
4. The City Council may, by resolution, establish fees for the disconnection and reconnection of users to the Municipal Irrigation System.  
5. Users that are disconnected for nonpayment shall be placed on the waiting list for irrigation water upon payment of the delinquent assessments.  
**PROHIBITED ACTS**  
1. It shall be unlawful for any person, except one duly authorized by the City, to operate, interfere with, or connect anything with any portion of the City Municipal Irrigation System, i.e. valves, pipes, shutoff valves, ditches, pump stations. Further it shall be unlawful for any person to obstruct the access to any Municipal Irrigation System appurtenances.  
2. It shall be unlawful for any person to allow or permit the waste of irrigation water by allowing said water to flow upon or into any storm or sanitary sewer, street, alley or other public right of way, or by allowing said water to flow on or upon adjacent or adjoining property so as to cause unnecessary inconvenience or expense to the owner of such adjacent or adjoining property or by using more of said water than good husbandry requires for the maintenance and cultivation of premises being irrigated.  
3. It shall be unlawful for any person to: Interconnect or cause to be interconnected the potable and non-potable portions, distribution systems or service lines of dual water supplies or extensions thereof without the installation of an inspected and approved reduced pressure type backflow prevention device.







# Public notices

**The following application(s) have been filed to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho: 57-11688**

DWIGHT & SUSAN UHLENKOTT  
3596 INDUSTRIAL RD  
HOMEDALE ID 83628-3664  
Point(s) of Diversion L4 (NWSE) S10 T03N R05W Owyhee County  
Source UNNAMED STREAM Tributary To SNAKE RIVER  
Use: IRRIGATION 03/01 To 11/15 0.12 CFS  
Total Diversion: 0.12 CFS  
Date Filed: 04/26/2006  
Place Of Use: IRRIGATION T03N R05W S10 NWSE Lot 4  
Number of Acres 4

Permits will be subject to all prior water rights. Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Sec 42-203A, Idaho Code.

Any protest against the approval of this application must be filed with the Director, Dept. of Water

Resource, Western Region, 2735 Airport Wy, Boise ID 83705 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before 11/6/2006. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

KARL J DREHER, Director  
10/18,25/06

**The following application(s) have been filed to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho: 57-11690**

CITY OF MARSING  
PO BOX 125  
MARSING ID 83639  
Point(s) of Diversion L1 (NWNW) S3 T02N R04W Owyhee County  
Source GROUND WATER  
Point(s) of Diversion L1 (NWNW) S3 T02N R04W Owyhee County  
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Source GROUND WATER  
Point(s) of Diversion L1 (NWNW) S3 T02N R04W Owyhee County  
Source GROUND WATER  
Use: MUNICIPAL 01/01 To 12/31 1 CFS  
Total Diversion: 1 CFS  
Date Filed: 07/14/2006  
Place Of Use: MUNICIPAL

Remark: Municipal use is for applicants service area.

Permits will be subject to all prior water rights. Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Sec 42-203A, Idaho Code.

Any protest against the approval of this application must be filed with the Director, Dept. of Water Resource, Western Region, 2735 Airport Wy, Boise ID 83705 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before 11/6/2006. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

KARL J DREHER, Director  
10/18,25/06



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**The Owyhee County Sheriff's** Department is accepting applications for the position of Patrol Deputy in the Grand View/Bruneau and the Marsing areas of Owyhee County. Applicants must be able to meet minimum P.O.S.T. standards, pass a written and oral exam, a polygraph and an extensive background check. Applicants must be willing to live in the Grand View/Bruneau area. Beginning salary is \$12.53/hr to \$12.99/hr D.O.E. Applications may be picked up at the Owyhee County Sheriff's Office in Murphy. Completed applications must be received at the Sheriff's office by Saturday, November 11th, 2006. Owyhee County is an equal opportunity employer.

## HELP WANTED

**Owyhee Publishing Co.** is now accepting applications for part-time help. Some lifting and willingness to learn required. Please apply in person, 19 East Idaho, Homedale.

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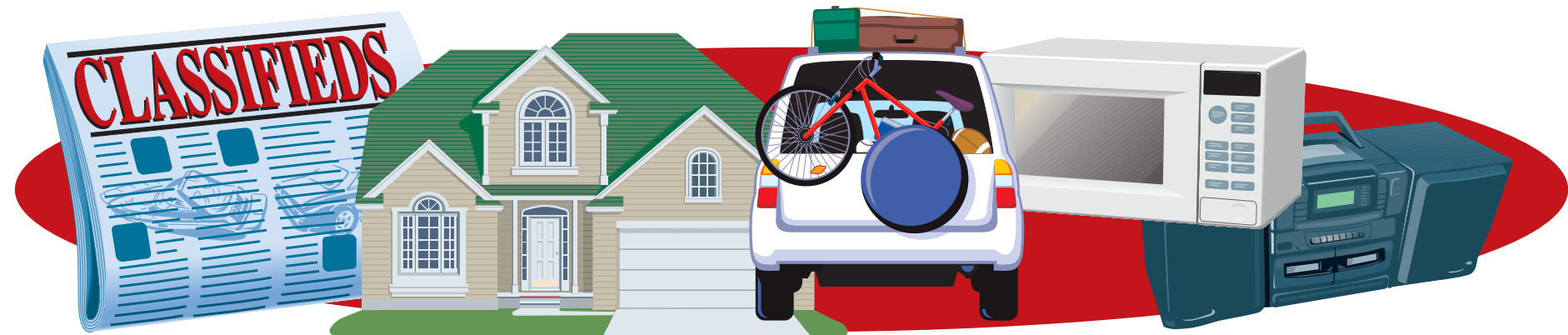
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# Sports

## Marsing athletes scale to top of PPK competition

The Marsing Lions Optimist Football program played host to the Sectional NFL Pepsi Punt Pass and Kick competition at the Marsing High School football field Saturday.

Two Marsing athletes were among the champions as Isiah Corrales won the boys 10- to 11-year-old division championship, and Peyton Kinney came away with the crown in the 14-15 girls category.

Thirty-three local winners attended Saturday’s competition, which tested the kills of boys and girls ages 8-15 in punting, passing

and place-kicking. Scores were based on distance and accuracy.

Corrales, Kinney and the other winners at the Marsing Sectional competition will have their scores compared with other Sectional champions from the Pacific Northwest. The top scorers from the pool of Sectional champions will advance to compete at a Seattle Seahawks game next month. The winners of the Seattle Team Championship will be compared to the other team winners across the nation to determine who will compete at Super Bowl XLI in February in Miami.

The Marsing Sectional standings included:

**Boys**

**8-9** — 1. Ian Courtney, Eagle, 162 feet; 2. Michall Lycan, Nampa, 153; 3. Devin Herberg, Weiser, 150

**10-11** — 1. Isiah Corrales, Marsing, 201 feet, 2 inches; 2. Dane Crook, Hidden Springs-Boise, 196-2; 3. Flint Hickman, Weiser, 157-8

**12-13** — 1. Dakotaha Bledsoe, Horseshoe Bend, 257-4; 2. Tyler Brodt, Hidden Springs-Boise, 233-0; 3. Joshua Watts, Wilder, 230-1

**14-15** — 1. Reed Johnson, Fruitland, 372-7; 2. Cliff Bledsoe, Horseshoe Bend, 369-7; 3. Robert Hickman, Weiser, 257-2

**Girls**

**8-9** — 1. Lillian Boggin, Caldwell, 89-9; 2. Jessica Akers, Horseshoe Bend, 73-7; 3. Kimberly Vasquez, Caldwell, 67-1

**10-11** — 1. Krista Cole, Hidden Springs-Boise, 116-8; 2. Brittni Brothers, Horseshoe Bend, 113-1; 3. Mariah Kinney, Marsing, 96-5

**12-13** — 1. Krissa Zieman, Hidden Springs-Boise, 180-1; 2. Laura Winslow, Hidden Springs-Boise, 149-3; 3. Rachel Dustin, Caldwell, 107-8

**14-15** — 1. Peyton Kinney, Marsing, 229-5; 2. Allecia Thowless, Hidden Springs-Boise, 112-10

Marsing football teams steam along

The Marsing Lions shut out the Warriors, 14-0, to raise their record to 4-1-1 in the 11- to 12-year-old tackle division.

The Marsing Raptors, a 9-

10 tackle squad, scored in the final three minutes of their game against Silverhawk Realty to post a 6-0 victory and remain unbeaten at 6-0.

The flag football Marsing Tigers improved to 6-0 with an easy victory over Nampa Paving. Optimist League rules prohibit reporting flag football results, according to Marsing officials.

With one week left in the season, Marsing Lions Optimist Youth Football will stage a team party for players, cheerleaders and their families at 6 p.m. Tuesday.

### √ Football

and running back Kyle Rogers, Jordan Valley steams into Friday’s 7 p.m. kickoff in pretty good shape roster-wise.

“A few minor injuries have kept various players out of action at different times,” Jordan Valley coach Jeremy Chamberlain said. “This Friday night, we should be close to full strength.

“We may have a couple of players that may be limited due to injury or illness, but for the most part I think we are healthy.”

The Mustangs beat Mitchell-Spray 26-24 without the services of starting quarterback Tim Eiguren and freshman fullback Dusty Easterday last week. Chamberlain said Eiguren had missed two games with a knee injury, while Easterday was out of action Friday because of West Nile Virus.

Chamberlain has been head coach at Jordan Valley for four years, and he has been on staff for five seasons. Line coach Mike Quintero also has been on staff for five seasons, while secondary and linebackers coach Ben Williams is in his first season with the Mustangs.

Chamberlain and Quintero have been around enough to know that, while this is the first time in a long time that Adrian and Jordan Valley have met as league rivals, there is a strong history (usually leaning in the Mustangs’ favor) to this matchup.

The two teams squared off twice a year occasionally because of district playoffs. Chamberlain said the Mustangs always were able to come out on top.

Until last year, that is.

The Antelopes beat the Mustangs 38-0 in the 2005 non-league opener for both teams. It was the first win in seven meetings for Adrian.

“I think the game this season is the first time I have felt like there is a rivalry that is any different from any other game,” Chamberlain said. “Right now, I feel like we are the underdogs and have something to prove.”

— JPB

## Rays of promise peek through Huskies’ gloom

Marsing High School’s winless volleyball season continued last week, but coach Loma Bittick has found some silver lining along the way.

With senior Kortni Scott out for Thursday’s 2A Western Idaho Conference match against New Plymouth because of illness, Kaitie Kent emerged to pilot the offense in a 25-14, 25-13, 25-14 loss on the road.

Kent had four assists and three digs. Jessica Elsberry added nine

service points.

“Kaitie Kent stepped into the setter position in (Scott’s) place, and she played a gutsy match,” Bittick said.

The Pilgrims were paced by seven kills from Macee Cole and four service aces and nine assists from Alisha Shipman.

After an 0-10 conference campaign, the Huskies (0-15 overall) began the 2A District III Tournament on Tuesday in Caldwell.

First-round results weren’t available at press time.

Cole Valley def. Marsing 25-19, 25-21, 25-12

Scott set 11 assists and picked up six digs Oct. 10, but visiting Cole Valley Christian collected a sweep in Marsing.

Jenn Pfeifer served three aces for Marsing, while teammates Samantha Wilson and Taryn Chenoweth had four kills and three kills, respectively.

NCHS def. Marsing 25-20, 25-15, 25-22

The week began Oct. 9 with a strong Marsing performance against the powerful conference leader in Nampa.

“The team competed well with the league leader,” Bittick said. “Our defense played better.”

The spotlight of the defensive effort fell on Cristina Cuevas, who came away with eight digs.

Scott carded seven assists and a kill, while Kent served two aces.



### Homedale grad shines on collegiate circuit

Wade Hyer, a 2006 graduate of Homedale High School, prepares to take down his animal during steer wrestling at last week’s Northwest Region rodeo in Ontario, Ore. Marsing’s Scott Roeser, left, is hazing for Hyer. The Owyhee County cowboys are teammates on the Treasure Valley Community College rodeo team. Hyer is sixth in the regional steer wrestling standings after two rodeos. Photo by WT Bruce Photography

### √ Volleyball

from that competition will move on to the 1A state tournament.

The Antelopes (18-1 overall) were 7-0 after last week’s HDL victories over Prairie City and Ukiah. Coach Aimee Goss’ team played league matches against Mitchell and Spray on Tuesday night. Results weren’t available

at press time.

Jordan Valley, coached by Jacque Naegle, has won 32 of its previous 33 matches stretching back to the start of the 2005 season. The Mustangs’ only loss in that time came in the state championship match against Dufur last November in Springfield, Ore.

Adrian and Jordan Valley shared the same floor Saturday when the two clubs played league contests

against other opponents in a tri-meet on the Mustangs’ court.

Friday’s match between the Antelopes and Mustangs begins at 5:30 p.m. inside the Antelopes’ bandbox of a gymnasium.

Jordan Valley is led by returning second-team all-state player Angela Larsen, who is one of 11 seniors on the Mustangs’ roster.

Adrian also qualified for the state tournament a year ago, but

didn’t make it out of pool play. The Antelopes’ Paige Branstiter, a 6-foot junior this year, was a first-team all-tournament player at State a year ago.

The junior varsity squads from Jordan Valley and Adrian already squared off Saturday on the Mustangs’ home floor. The Antelopes came back from a first-game loss to win the match 16-25, 25-21, 20-18.

## JVMS gets grid win

by Koehl Trautman, JVHS

The Jordan Valley Middle School football team learned quite a few lessons Friday in picking up its first victory of the season in a road game against Harper — just as the coach planned it.

The Colts (1-3) have 17 players on the roster: Five eighth-graders, four seventh-graders, seven sixth-graders and a fifth-grader. According to coach Ben Williams, the Colts are a unique team because they are a very young team.

With only two games left in the season, Williams’ plan is to focus on positions and control of the score. His goals for this season are to create a love for the game and to teach his players the fundamentals before they reach high school.