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Antelopes celebrate opening-round win

Adrian High School teammates celebrate their victory over Damascus Christian during Wednesday's first round of the 1A Oregon volleyball state tournament on the Antelopes' home floor. Photo by Angie

Adrian, Jordan Valley earn spots in 1A State final eight

The new format didn't make a pair of home-site rounds. any difference to the high school volleyball teams from Jordan Valley and Adrian. Both still reached the 1A Oregon state tournament.

Unlike last year when there was pool play in the 1A tournament, the 2006 state tournament at Pacific University in Forest Grove, Ore., was seeded through

Jordan Valley, which earned a free pass through Wednesday's first round of the state tournament with the District 6 championship, rebounded from a first-game loss to knock of Condon-Wheeler 24-26, 25-16, 25-23, 25-21 in the second round of the state tournament Saturday in Jordan Valley.

Adrian, the High Desert League regular-season champion, had to win two matches at the state level to earn a return trip to the two-day state tournament.

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— More on how the Mustangs and Antelopes reached the final bracket

Huskies' season ends in Orofino

Coach wants to ensure rare trip to State keeps younger players hungry

The bar has been raised at Marsing High School, regardless of how the 2006 football season ended Saturday in the first round of the 2A state playoffs.

Orofino capitalized on four Huskies turnovers in an 8-minute span of the second quarter to post a 49-14 home victory.

It was the first trip to the state playoffs for Marsing since 2001 and only the fifth state playoff game in the school's history.

"We just told them after the game, 'We haven't been here, they (the Maniacs) have," Marsing coach Don Heller said of his postgame talk. "We have something going now, and we told the young kids don't let it just fall apart.

"These seniors paved the way by busting their butts. We told the young ones, 'You've got to keep it going. If you don't, you're going to let these seniors down."

Marsing finished the season at 6-4.

Senior fullback Shea McClellin held up his end of the deal early with a 65-yard touchdown run. His first-quarter score and ensuing

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— Former Marsing coach looks back at the 1989 A-4 state finalists



McClellin caps career

Marsing High School senior fullback Shea McClellin played his final prep game Saturday in the 2A state playoffs. McClellin scored all 14 points for the Huskies, getting the game's first touchdown on a 65-yard run in the first quarter and then racing 86 yards with a kickoff return for a third-quarter TD. Photo by Gregg Garrett

2006-07 GIRLS BASKETBALL PREVIEWS

Huskies' busy Heller banks on self-starters

Don Heller began the week wishing he could have a little time off. That shows how much confidence he has in the seniors that will lead the Marsing High School girls basketball team this season.

"My seniors, they understand, and they've been doing a good job getting things going," the ultra-busy Heller said. "They've been really good at getting practice started and getting things going for us."

That's a good thing because Heller has been more than a little wrapped up in guiding the Huskies' football team through a rare visit to the 2A state playoffs.

After Marsing's 49-14 loss

to Orofino in the state quarterfinals, though, the focus shifts to girls basketball and the Huskies' season opener at home Saturday against Homedale.

Heller is looking for a little residual fan base from the football

"We're hoping," he said. "Volleyball was down a little bit. But with the success of football right now the spirit of the school's up, and maybe that will carry over and get us going with a good basketball season start."

The longtime coach also is banking on the independent start the girls had to perhaps

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Homedale coach unleashes speed

Mike Greelev encourages fans to come catch his Homedale High School girls basketball team because he expects the season to be a blur.

"I think it will be pretty fun to watch," he said.

It's not that the coach's second season at the helm is expected to whiz by like the flurry of calendar pages in those old movies. He just likes the idea that the rest of the 2006-07 Trojans will be able to keep up with speedy young guards like sophomores Hannah Johnson and Kendall Rupp.

The 5-foot-2 Johnson and 5-6 Rupp are the heirs-apparent to the point guard job that Hailee Garrett left behind when she graduated with seven other basketball

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Greeley in midseason form

Homedale High School girls basketball coach Mike Greeley gives an animated lesson during practice last week.

Sports

Late-blooming Homedale volleyball earns All-SRV nods

Junior middle hitter Rachel Wheeler was the only member of the Homedale High School vollevball team to be nominated to this season's All-Snake River Valley conference first team.

Wheeler turned it on in the middle of the season and finished with 74 kills and 77 blocks, according to Trojans second-year coach Maleta Henry.

Wheeler and her Homedale teammates finished fourth in the 3A District III Tournament. They were eliminated by eventual tournament runner-up Payette.

Another junior middle hitter, team captain Mandy Brasher, was placed on the all-conference second team.

"Mandy is kind of ferocious," Henry said. "She really motivated the girls. She was very driven and



Rachel Wheeler

very competitive within herself and with being on the team."

Brasher also uncorked 77 kills and let the team with 104

Senior setter-outside hitter Jor-

dan Warwick was placed on the all-conference honorable mention list after 180 assists and 15 aces.

Henry said Warwick grew into a leader this season after watching a slew of upperclassmen as a junior during the 2005 season.

"Last year, I had my seven seniors and Jordan was just Jordan," Henry said. "And this year, she just came out. Even at our camp, our coaches were saying we've got something going on with her. She's pretty feisty."

But Henry never tried to control the fire in Warwick, who represented Homedale in the 2A/3A District III senior all-star vollevball match Monday in Fruitland.

"She was always positive, and I really enjoyed having her on the team," Henry said. "She's one that will be missed with her setting skills."

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players in the spring.

"I think we're going to have a lot more up-tempo game because Hailee (Garrett) was quick, but we didn't have a lot of ground speed to play with her," Greeley said. "But this year, we have a lot of ground speed. We have big,

strong posts, but they can run, too.

"Our wings and guards are going to just be able to fly down the court."

The Trojans are set

for takeoff in Hannah Johnson their season opener Saturday on

the road against Marsing. Homedale's athletes stretched their legs at home Tuesday with a six-team jamboree. The Trojans played 4A teams Middleton and Caldwell in a pair of 15-minute scrimmages.

But the young Homedale squad probably benefited from facing the Vikings, the 2005-06 3A District III champions and state tournament qualifiers, and the Cougars.

"It's kind of a unique situation because I have younger, inexperienced players," Greeley said. "But they're capable of doing great things."

Unlike last year's senior-laden 12-12 squad that went four games deep into the district tournament, the Homedale roster for this season has just four upperclassmen. And, Greeley points out, all but 5-6 wing Jordan Warwick either didn't play last year or were honing their skills further on the junior varsity.

"She's going to bring knowledge, experience and leadership to the floor, and her offensive shooting," Greeley said of Warwick.

But the remaining seniors — 5-4 wing Jennifer Hall, 5-8 post Vanessa Brown and 5-7 wing-post Alisha Marks — may find themselves playing behind younger dynamos such as juniors Corey Hall (a 5-8 post), Mandy Brasher (5-9 post) and Rachel Wheeler (5-9 wing).

And the point guard position will be controlled by a sophomore a good chunk of the time. Greeley has three 10th-graders — Johnson, Rupp and 5-7 wing Mikal Mackenzie - who could see time at the point.

"All three of those sophomores can play point for me, and Jordan can play point," Greeley said, alluding to a depth that permeates every position this season.

Johnson ended her freshman season as the starting point guard on the varsity after Garrett ripped up her knee early in the district tournament, and it's likely that's where Johnson will start her sophomore season.

"Hannah helped me out at districts last year, so she's got a little bit of knowledge of what's coming at her," Greeley said. "Kendall's got the skill, but she's young and I'm looking for good things from her."

The coach said Rupp will spell Johnson at the point, but the bulk of her time will be spent as the No. 2 guard.

"Last year, I was one deep (at point guard). This year, I've got depth in all areas, and that's a luxury as a coach because I've got depth and I've got competitiveness and the people who aren't starting are going to be right there pushing the starters (for playing time)."

Mackenzie epitomizes the overall strength of the team's versatil-

"She played summer league with us as almost all the other girls, and she proved she was capable of playing against varsity players from other schools," Greeley said. "In the last three years, she's played a different position each year. She's a wellrounded player."

Greeley says the bedrock of his young and talented team comes from the middle school program and the desire of individual players to work on their own. But he can't deny that genetics play a

Brasher and Hall are sisters of Faith Brasher and Hailey Hall key players who graduated after last season.

"I think their sisters were successful, and (the younger sisters) know what it takes to be successful," Greeley said. "I'm going to give them everything I know to be successful also.

"They're bringing a wealth of information, playing with their siblings, but we're also correcting all the little things so they can become even better."

With such a young, competitive bunch, Greeley can't help but notice he's staring at a similar situation to the one he walked into when last year's seniors were ninth-graders.

But the former Trojans freshman coach says there's one difference with the new crop.

"Even though they're young, I think they have more experience at their age than those girls did," Greeley said.

"I think overall, our program is just building and there's more interest in it and kids are working more on their skills than in the past and we have some good athletes coming up."

The old rancher knows, however, that pedigree is only one aspect of raising a prize-winning team.

"But I always say that 97 percent of life is attitude. You can have all the skill in the world, but you won't get anywhere if you don't have the attitude. I just think that anything is possible at any given moment in time, and I'm just trying to pass it on to the girls.

"And I think it's showing."

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Junior varsity Saturday, Nov. 11 at Marsing, 30 minutes after freshman game ends Tuesday, Nov. 14, home vs. New Plymouth, 30 minutes after freshman game ends

Freshman

Saturday, Nov. 11 at Marsing, 4:45 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 14, home vs. New Plymouth, 4:45 p.m.

Varsity

Friday, Nov. 10, first day of practice Monday, Nov. 27, home for jamboree Thursday, Nov. 30, home vs. Marsing, 30 minutes after JV game ends

Junior varsity Thursday, Nov. 30, home vs. Marsing, 30 minutes after freshman game ends

Freshman

Thursday, Nov. 30, home vs. Marsing, 4:45 p.m.



Monday, Dec. 4 at Melba Jamboree



Sports

Rimrock girls ready for a fresh start

The Rimrock High School girls basketball team begins a new era Friday night against an old foe.

Mike Chandler takes over the coaching reins from Bob Delle with a 7:30 p.m. tipoff against visiting Cole Valley Christian in Bruneau.

Delle had coached the Raiders for eight years, many of which ended in the state tournament, but decided to retire.

The Chargers from Boise graduated from the 1A Western Idaho Conference to the 2A WIC this season.

The Raiders are coming off a season in which they finished fourth in the 1A state tournament. The



team lost seven seniors from that squad, and have the potential of returning only junior guards Shelby Chandler and Ellie Cantrell.

Mike Chandler was an assistant for Delle a year ago as the Raiders rolled up a 25-2 record, including winning the first 22 games of the season.

After opening the season against Cole Valley, Rimrock will travel to meet Castleford on Tuesday.

Gary Jones opens another season of coaching the Rimrock boys basketball team Friday with the start of preseason practice.



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help solidify the team chemistry that has been brewing since late last season. Marsing ended a turbulent 2005-06 campaign at 5-17.

"Something we really need to work on his our chemistry," Heller said. "These girls really need to focus this year and work together and get along together.

"We had some problems with that last season, we're hoping not to have that this year. They need to be consistent and trust each other."

Heller will look to three seniors to keep things together this season: 5-foot-7 post Samantha Wilson, 5-6 point guard Taryn Chenoweth and 5-6 guard Kallie Roeser.

"They work hard, and I like that they've taken initiative so far in getting stuff going," Heller said.

Wilson, Chenoweth and Roeser, all veterans of a 2005-06 team that lost seniors MJ Usabel (leading scorer and rebounder) and Mollee Nielsen (third-leading scorer), may have solidified their roles as leaders by helping kick off the practice season.

"Sam and Taryn have been with the varsity for three years, so they're experienced," Heller said. "They know what needs to be done, and they've had some good people in front of them leading the way."

There also is contemporary Elisa Moreno, a 5-2 junior guard who is the Huskies' top returning scorer after averaging 7.0 points a game as a sophomore.

Moreno will bring speed to the team, along with junior transfer Whittney Beckstead, a 5-8 wing/ post who moved to Marsing from Mountain View in Meridian. Heller said the swift Beckstead earned a spot on the Vallivue girls soccer team in the fall as a co-opera-

"She plays a lot like Elisa," Heller said. "She's quick."

Beckstead also will bring more height — in relative terms — to the Huskies along with sophomore Miranda Clausen and junior C.C. Zanardi, both of whom also are 5-8.

With the height and speed, foes can expect another pres-



Taryn Chenoweth



Kallie Roeser



Samantha Wilson

"That came from an inconsistency with players," Heller said of the high volume of turnovers, many on the fast break, a year ago.

"We had to put people in positions that they weren't used to playing. Now, those kids have had a summer of it and they've had a season of it last year.'

Heller said he's carrying only nine players on the varsity to begin the season, and one of those athletes — his 5-7 daughter Holly — will begin her junior season on the sidelines as she continues to recover from a broken bone in her back that many believe was suffered during a particularly roughand-tumble game last year.

"Holly's a physical player, and that helps make the others physical, so we'll miss that," Don Heller said. "She's not afraid to guard anybody, from guarding a guard to guarding a 6-2 post. It doesn't matter to her."

The coach expects to have that fire back December, but concedes that it could be as late as January before Holly Heller suits up.

Helping fill many roles will be 5-7 junior Amanda Staudenmier, who played all summer with the varsity players after spending her sophomore season with the junior

"Shea's versatile player for us, like Tiffany (Martinez) was for me," Don Heller said. "She's going to be my utility player. She can play anywhere from a 2 (guard) to a 5 (post)."

Even with nine players, Heller doesn't seem terribly worried about team depth, but he does admit that the team doesn't have an offensive focus yet, as was the case last year with Usabel.

"We don't have anybody this year that I think is our go-to person," Heller said. "I think we're going to have to get the season going and see who that becomes.

"We need to just feed off our press and get points that way. I think we will be stronger on defense than we were last year."

Linemen lead Trojans' all-conference picks

Before the 2006 season, Homedale High School football coach Thomas Thomas said that linemen would be the anchor for the Trojans.

At the end of the season, Thomas' counterparts in the 3A Snake River Valley conference agreed.

Two linemen — junior Terence Thomas and senior Josh Jolley were the only Homedale players to be placed on the all-conference first team.

Two other linemen made the second team, including 6-foot-1, 215-pound senior Jared Brockett on offense and 6-1, 250-pound junior Jaime Uriarte on defense.

A total of eight Homedale players were placed on the allconference second team after the Trojans' 6-3 season end with three consecutive SRV losses to Weiser, Fruitland and McCall-Donnelly.

The 6-8, 295-pound Thomas towered over most other linemen in the league, while Jolley, a 6-2, 245-pounder, was a speedy component of a Trojans defense that stifled teams early in the

Rounding out the Trojans'

representation on the allconference team were:

- Mark Vance, a 5-10, 155pound senior who was honored for his work as a running back and a defensive back. He finished as the Trojans' leading rusher with 429 yards on 86 carries. He scored three touchdowns.
- Bryan Martinat, 5-11, 160, sr., WR — Martinat probably was the quickest of the Trojans' offensive threats, but he was held back by a nagging hip ligament injury. Still, he managed an 11.3yard-per-carry rushing average and caught seven passes for a team-high 173 yards and four touchdowns.
- Linebackers Tyler Maxwell (5-9, 170, sr.), Claudio Garcia (6-0, 180, sr.), Brandian Sitko (5-8, 160, sr.) and Mike Wilhelm (6-0, 200, sr.) — This quartet showed off the speed and hardhitting power typical of secondyear defensive coordinator Dave Hart's scheme.

Thomas Thomas said the Trojans also had several honorable mention selections, but that information hadn't been supplied to The Owyhee Avalanche by press time Monday.



Saturday, Nov. 11, home vs. Homedale, 30 minutes after JV A game ends

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Marsing's return to State



Huskies charge

Marsing High School football players tangle with their Orofino counterparts during Saturday's 2A state playoff game on the Maniacs' home field. Photo by Brittany Moore



two-point rushing point-after gave the Huskies an 8-0 advantage.

But McClellin would carry the ball only 18 other times in the game and gain just 69 more yards as Orofino's defense clamped down. The Boise State-bound senior finished his final prep season with 1,881 yards rushing and 18 touchdowns in 10 games.

The fans that made the trip north for the game had grown accustomed to McClellin scoring on returns as well, and he didn't disappoint Saturday. The 6-foot-4, 230-pounder ran a kickoff back 86 yards in the third quarter for the Huskies' final score.

In between, though, Orofino had reeled off four TDs and owned a 29-14 lead heading into the final quarter.

"We're still figuring we're in the ballgame," Heller said.

The Huskies didn't give up, but were hampered by a costly holding penalty, a dropped pass and an unsuccessful fake punt attempt in the final period.

Marsing drove to the Orofino 15-yard line later in the fourth quarter, but the Maniacs recovered a fumbled pass reception to end that threat.

Marsing lost all three of its fumbles and also gave the ball away with three interceptions.

"Take those turnovers away, and it's a different ballgame," Heller said. "Plus, we're playing a 3A school that has been allowed to play in 2A. They have more students than Homedale."

The Huskies' defense also caused two fumbles, and senior Miguel Quebrado picked off a pass.

"For the first quarter and almost a half, we handled their running game pretty good," Heller said.

But Orofino senior Ben Hosley eventually broke out. Heller said he gained 100 yards in the last 4½ minutes of the first half. He finished the game with 208 yards.

"We pretty much had control of the game until 7:22 to go in the second quarter, and we had two interceptions and two fumbles," Heller said. "They had short fields on all of them and scored on three of them."

The Maniacs (9-1) have scored 44 or more points in their past three games, outscoring opponents 139-26. They meet Central Idaho Conference rival Kamiah for the third time this season in the state semifinals this weekend.

Orofino rolled up 504 yards total offense on Marsing, including 441 yards on a mind-boggling 60 rushes. The Huskies only ran the ball 30 times for 188 yards.

Aaron Salvas, a senior wide receiver, finished his career by catching four balls from Marsing freshman quarterback Tyson Heller. Salvas racked up 57 yards.

"This is probably one of the best (seasons) we've had," Heller said. "It was emotional afterwards because these seniors were on the losing end many times and for them to come out this year and have success was pretty nice."

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Marsing pass rush applies pressure

Orofino quarterback D.J. Wright fires a pass as a pair of Marsing defenders bear down on him during Saturday's 2A state playoff quarterfinal in Orofino. Photo by Brittany Moore

Flashback

Former coach recalls 1989 run

It has been 16 years since Bill Barr was associated with the Marsing High School football program, but he has never strayed far from the Huskies.

Barr, who before this season was the only man to win a postseason game at Marsing, still lives in Nampa. As an assistant coach for Nampa Christian, he watched his successor with the Huskies — Don Heller — walk off the field a winner twice this season.

The last victory, a 34-22 state play-in win, marked Marsing's first postseason victory since 1989 and pushed the Huskies into Saturday's 2A state playoff game against Orofino. The host Maniacs posted a 49-14 victory.

"Don is doing a great job with those guys, and I'm real happy for them," Barr said before Marsing's playoff game Saturday.

As an assistant with Nampa Christian, Barr witnessed a familiar sight in the Marsing football stadium on Oct. 28 when the Huskies ended the Trojans' season.

The stands were packed, the crowd was boisterous and school spirit was running high.

Just like in 1989 when Barr led a Marsing squad to the A-4, 11-man state championship game against Hagerman.

Hagerman pulled out a 16-14 victory for the title, but the experience has remained with Barr and his players — such as quarterback Jamie Wood, wingback David Cerda, fullbacks Todd Hughes and Neito Villarreal, wide receiver Corey Percifield and tailback Darren Floyd.

"There was a lot of potential there and a lot of team speed," Barr said. "I was young, and thought I could win any game we could play, and they really bought into it."

The Marsing gig was Barr's first high head-coaching job, and he dragged a floundering program straight to the top in his rookie season. He coached one more season at Marsing before moving to an assistant job at Homedale for Jim McMillan then taking a head-coaching job in Melba.

Barr says the Huskies had won just one game over the 1987 and 1988 seasons before he arrived on the scene from West Junior High School in Nampa.

But something magical unfolded during the 1989 season.

The Huskies ran through a regular season against the likes of Wilder, Rimrock, Notus (led by a young head coach named Don Heller), Garden Valley and Greenleaf Friends Academy, which was coached by future Homedale High School coach Stan Hoaglun.

After surfing through the regular season, the Huskies won a pair of defensive struggles against Raft River and Greenleaf

to reach the state championship game.

Hughes kicked a pair of field goals in a 12-6 victory over Raft River in the semifinal.

Then came the heartbreaking loss to Hagerman.

"We were so close," Barr said.
"Those kids were definitely state champion-caliber people."

And Barr says those athletes still are high-caliber citizens.

"Cerda is a Nampa cop, and I see him in restaurants and around town," Barr said. "I see Jamie Wood, and those kids are still in the community and raising their families."

Barr admits that he was a young, ambitious coach when he struck gold with the 1989 Huskies.

"(Marsing fans) told me it's a once-in-a-lifetime chance when we were going to the playoffs," Barr said. "And I was like, 'Not for me,' because that's what I wanted to have every year."

But 1989 was a rare time in Marsing, and history has repeated itself in 2006.

"I'm sure right now that Marsing is just enjoying the success and the momentum," Barr said Friday night. "The community gets involved more and enjoys a winning team.

"They're wearing their colors around town. Everybody wins when the team wins."

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The road to the Oregon volleyball tourney Strong offense pulls Adrian into the round of eight

The Adrian High School volleyball team picked up some revenge on their way to the 1A Oregon quarterfinals.

The Antelopes collected a pair of victories last week to earn passage into the portion of the tournament that will begin Friday morning at Pacific University in Forest Grove, Ore.

Adrian clinched a trip west with a 25-20, 25-16, 19-25, 25-21 victory on the road Saturday against Cove (18-2).

"I was really happy with the contributions from each position, and it was a great team effort," Adrian coach Aimee Goss said. "The girls have worked really hard this season and I'm pleased that they have made it to the final eight and a chance to continue playing."

Junior Paige Branstiter helped secure an extension to the season with 18 kills and five blocks against Cove. Senior Sarah McPeak added 11 kills, while Amanda Simpson fired four aces and six digs.

Other contributions Saturday came from Kat Sillonis and Kassi Daugherty (seven assists each), Jayna Witty (seven kills), Stephenie Hutchings (six kills) and Ryann Bowns (15 assists).

"We started the match with a lot of intensity and did a good job of maintaining momentum," Goss said. "We struggled in the third game, but battled back at the end to start the fourth game out on the upswing."

The Antelopes will take a 24-2 record into Friday morning's state quarterfinal against Days Creek.

After losing the District 6 tournament championship match to Jordan Valley on Oct. 28, Adrian was forced to win two home-site matches



Adrian fans turn out in force, face paint

Members of the Adrian High School student body scream their support for the Antelopes' volleyball team during Wednesday's first-round match in the 1A Oregon state tournament. Photo by Angie Sillonis

to start state play last week.

Adrian began the week with a 25-16, 25-17, 25-17 victory over Damascus Christian of the Valley 10 on Wednesday. The Antelopes had lost to Damascus Christian during a 1-2 showing in state pool play last year.

This year, the Antelopes rode strong service to a sweep of

Damascus. Branstiter fired four aces, while serving specialist Simpson racked up three more aces and senior setter Sillonis added two.

"We came out with a lot of intensity and really had great support from our community," Goss said. "I know it makes a huge difference to have a crowd that is as loud and supportive as it was (Wednesday).

"Each athlete on the team played their positions well tonight, and collectively as a team we continued to attack the ball and played well defensively."

Branstiter kicked in 11 kills and four blocks. Senior Sarah McPeak chimed in with eight kills.

Bowns had 16 assists.

"Damascus Christian did a nice job of keeping the ball in play and had some very nice serves during the match," Goss said. "We just out lasted them offensively."

Damascus Christian, which finished third in the District 3 tournament, ended its season at 16-3.

Mustangs ride comeback into quarters

It took about a quarter of a game, but once the Jordan Valley High School volleyball team found its footing Saturday a familiar result ensued.

Kelsey Prescott and Angela Larsen pounded 16 kills each as Jordan Valley came back from a narrow Game 1 loss to dispatch Condon-Wheeler 24-26, 25-16, 25-23, 25-21, in a second-round 1A Oregon state tournament game.

"The girls were a little nervous the first game and really didn't settle down until we were about 12 points into the match," Jordan Valley coach Jacque Naegle said. "They then began passing well so that we could run our offense."

The victory pushed the Mustangs into state quarterfinals, which will be held Friday morning at Pacific University in Forest Grove, Ore.

The Mustangs (16-1) earned a first-round by in the state

Jordan Valley volleyball coach tournament based on their District racked up seven kills, while Bail

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6 tournament championship, but the weeklong layoff appeared to affect the squad in the early goings against Condon-Wheeler. "Condon/Wheeler was a very good team they ran the most

"Condon/Wheeler was a very good team they ran the most effective double block that we have played against this year, they also have a pretty tough service game," Naegle said.

Prescott and Larsen spearheaded a hitting game that was spread throughout the lineup. Michelle Elsner and Chelicy Payne each racked up seven kills, while Bailey Kershner and Jessie White each had a kill.

— Jacque Naegle

Kershner was the top server with 16 points for the Mustangs, and she added 28 assists. Breann Hipwell had 18 assists.

"Everyone did a great job. All our hitters had kills, and we were really digging the ball up well on defense," Naegle said. "The setters were working hard on moving the ball around the court and making Condon's defense work for position."

$\sqrt{\text{Volleyball}}$

The Antelopes pulled off that feat, beating visiting Damascus Christian 25-16, 25-17, 25-17 on Wednesday in Adrian then knocking off host Cove on Saturday, 25-20, 25-16, 19-25, 25-21.

The Mustangs (16-1 overall) open the state tournament at 11 a.m. MST on Friday against Willamette Valley Christian (14-4).

The Warriors reached Forest Grove with a 24-26, 25-17, 25-15, 25-17 victory over North Clackamas Christian on Saturday. Willamette Valley Christian was paced by 10 kills and seven aces from Darian Ledoux and a dozen kills from Jennifer Pommerenck

Jordan Valley, coached by Jacque Naegle, was runner-up in the 1A state tournament a year ago. Durfur beat the Mustangs, 25-22, 26-24, in the 2005 final at

Springfield High School.

The Antelopes (24-2), who lost to Damascus Christian during a 1-2 pool-play performance in last year's tournament, open the 2006 bracket at 9 a.m. MST on Friday against District 4 champion Days Creek, which has won eight consecutive matches.

The hottest team coming into the 1A state tournament appears to be District 3 and Mountain West League champion Mohawk, which is 18-1 and is on a 13-match winning streak. Mohawk has lost only 10 of 67 games played in its matches this year.

In addition to High Desert League champ Adrian and league runner-up Jordan Valley, District 6 also sent Prairie City into the eight-team state tournament, which concludes Saturday.

The progression of the bracket could put Jordan Valley and Adrian in Saturday's state championship game, if both teams when their first two matches.

PREP FOOTBALL STATISTICS

Th. //	•	00
V	arsing	offense

		Fi	nal			
Passing Heller	Comp. 34	Att. 82	Int. 11	.415 49	rds YPG 95 55.0	TDs 2
Quebrado Totals	20 54	47 129	5 16		59 53.8 76.4	3 5
Rushing McClellin	G 10	Att. 243	Yards 1,881	YPC 7.7	YPG 188.1	TDs 18
Meyers	10	44	262	6.0	26.2	2
Sauer	10	56	257	4.6	25.7	1
Quebrado	10	41	156	3.8	15.6	2
Marcial	8	11	39	3.5	4.9	0
Dines	3	9	30	3.3	10.0	1
Finley	4	8	30	3.8	7.5	0
Miller Young	1 2	1 2	7 5	7.0 2.5	7.0 2.5	0
Walgamott	1	1	3	3.0	3.0	0
Martinez	1	1	2	2.0	2.0	0
Galligan	1	1	-1	-1.0	-1.0	0
Paramo	1	2	-8	-4.0	-8.0	0
Heller	9	25	-61	-2.4	-6.8	0
Totals	10	448	2,603	5.8	260.3	24
Receiving	G	Rec.	Yards	YPR	YPG	TDs
Salvas	10	26	453	17.4	45.3	3
Ineck	3	8	59	7.4	19.7	0
Quebrado	9	4	49	12.3	5.4	0
Meyers	10	6	41	6.8	4.1	1
Sauer	10	5	38	7.6	3.8	0
Martinez McClellin	2 10	1 3	35 27	35.0 9.0	17.5 2.7	1
Finley	4	1	21	21.0	5.3	0
Marcial	8	2	19	9.5	2.4	0
Totals	10	57	744	13.1	74.4	5
Scoring	G TI	D FG	PAT	2-PAT	Total	Avg.
McClellin	10 25		4	9	172	17.2
Meyers	10 3		0	2	22	2.2
Quebrado	10 3	0	0	2	22	2.2
Salvas	10 3		0	0	18	1.8
Dines	9 1		0	2	10	1.1
Martinez	2 1	-	0	0	6	3.0
Miller	5 1	0	0	0	6	1.2
Sauer	10 1		0	0	6	0.6
Galvez	9 0		3 2	0	3	0.3
Totals	10 38	3 0	2	15	265	26.5

Rimrock offense

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			Final			
Passing	Comp	. Att.	Int.	Pct. Y	ards YPG	TDs
Hofer	16	42	9	.381	177 25.3	2
Snyder	19	57	6	.333	262 29.1	3
Araujo	4	8	0	.500	188 29.5	0
Totals	39	107	15	.364	557 61.9	5
Rushing	G	Att.	Yards	YPC	YPG	TDs
Araujo	7	102	644	6.3	92.0	5
Snyder	9	116	467	4.0	51.9	6
Hofer	9	50	210	4.2	23.3	1
C. Hipwell	1	8	32	4.0	32.0	0
Schiermeier	6	6	28	4.7	4.7	0
Steiner	7	10	19	1.9	2.7	0
Salinas	2	2	4	2.0	2.0	1
Totals	9	294	1,404	4.8	156.0	13
Receiving	G	Rec.	Yards	YPR	YPG	TDs
Araujo	7	13	104	8.0	14.9	1
Snyder	9	4	89	22.3	9.9	1
Simper	5	6	134	22.3	26.8	0
Richardson	9	5	72	14.4	8.0	2
Steiner	7	2	105	52.5		1
Langfitt	3	4	40	10.0	13.3	0
T. Hipwell	2	1	8	8.0	4.0	0
Hofer	9	2	8	4.0	0.9	0
Totals	9	37	560	15.1	62.2	5
Scoring	G	TD F	G PAT	2-PA	Total	Avg.
Snyder	9	7 (0	2	46	5.1
Araujo	7	6 (0	4	44	6.3
Richardson	9	2 (0	2	16	1.8
Hofer	8	-	0	1	8	1.0
Salinas	9		0	2	10	1.1
Steiner	7	1 (0	0	6	0.9
Totals	9	18 (0	11	130	14.4

PREP PLAYOFFS **Football**

3A state playoffs Semifinal

Saturday — Fruitland (9-1) at Timberlake (10-0), 1 p.m. MST

Last week's score (State quarterfinal)

Fruitland 48, Gooding 20. Gooding (7-3) eliminated

> 2A state playoffs Last week's scores (State quarterfinals)

Orofino 49, Marsing 14. Marsing (6-4) eliminated

Kamiah 20, New Plymouth 18. New

Plymouth (7-3) eliminated

1A, Div. I state playoffs Semifinal

Saturday — Council (7-3) at Horseshoe Bend (9-0), 1 p.m.

Last week's scores (State playoffs, first round)

Horseshoe Bend 28, Hagerman 22 (OT). Hagerman (7-3) eliminated. Council 26, Raft River 20. Raft River (9-1) eliminated

Volleyball

1A Oregon state tournament At Pacific University, Forest Grove Friday's first round, times MST Court 1 — Days Creek vs. Adrian, Court 2 — Griswold vs. Prairie City,

Court 1 - Mohawk vs. Powder Valley, 11 a.m.

Court 2 — Jordan Valley vs. Willamette

Valley Christian, 11 a.m. Friday's semifinals, times MST

Court 1 — Days Creek-Adrian winner vs. Griswold-Prairie City winner, 7:30

Court 2 — Mohawk-Powder Valley winner vs. Jordan Valley-Willamette Valley Christian winner, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday's matches

(Consolation bracket, times MST) Court 1 — Days Creek-Adrian loser vs.

Griswold-Prairie City loser, 9 a.m. Court 2 — Mohawk-Powder Valley loser vs. Jordan Valley-Willamette Valley Christian loser, 9 a.m.

(Consolation final, time MST) 1 p.m. on Court 2. Winner is fourthplace team, loser finishes sixth

(Third place game, time MST) 1 p.m. on Court 1. Loser finishes fifth (Championship final, time MST) Court 1 — Semifinals winners, 1 p.m.

PREP STANDINGS Girls basketball

3A SRV	Cor	Conf.		
	\mathbf{W}	L	\mathbf{W}	I
Fruitland	0	0	0	(
Homedale	0	0	0	(
McCall-Donn	elly 0	0	0	(
Payette	0	0	0	(
Weiser	0	0	0	(

This week's games Non-conference Saturday

Homedale at Marsing

Monday

Parma at Payette **Tuesday**

New Plymouth at Homedale

Weiser at Melba Columbia at Fruitland

2A WIC	Conf.		All	
	\mathbf{W}	L	\mathbf{W}	L
Cole Valley Chr.	0	0	0	0
Marsing	0	0	0	0
Melba	0	0	0	0
Nampa Christian	0	0	0	0
New Plymouth	0	0	0	0
Parma	0	0	0	0

This week's games Non-conference Friday

Cole Valley Christian at Rimrock

Saturday Homedale at Marsing Monday

Parma at Payette Gem State Adventist at Cole Valley Christian

Tuesday

Greenleaf Friends Academy at Mars-

New Plymouth at Homedale Weiser at Melba

1A WIC	Conf.		All	
	\mathbf{W}	L	\mathbf{W}	L
Gem State Adv.	0	0	0	0
Greenleaf FA	0	0	0	0
Idaho City	0	0	0	0
Liberty Charter	0	0	0	0
Notus	0	0	0	0
Rimrock	0	0	0	0
Wilder	0	0	0	0

This week's games

Friday Cole Valley Christian at Rimrock

Notus at Council

Saturday Cascade at Gem State Adventist Horseshoe Bend at Idaho City

Monday Gem State Adventist at Cole Valley

Christian Tuesday

Rimrock at Castleford Greenleaf Friends Academy at Mars-

Libety Charter at Idaho City (non-con-

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Huskies history

A look at the Marsing High School football team's experience in the state playoffs:

Orofino 49, Marsing 14

One week after securing a playoff spot by beating Nampa Christian 34-22 in a state play-in game, the Huskies were dispatched by the Maniacs in the first round of the 2A playoffs. Orofino's Ben Hosley gained 208 yards, singlehandedly out-pacing the Huskies' running attack. Marsing senior fullback Shea McClellin ended his prep career with a 134-yard outing that included a 65-yard touchdown run. He also returned a kickoff 86 yards for a score.

2001

Glenns Ferry 55 Marsing 21

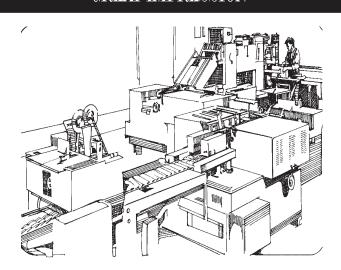
The Huskies lost a first-round 2A state playoff game to Glenns Ferry, 55-21. Cody Heller, now an assistant coach for his father, Don, with Marsing rushed for 75 yards on two carries. Korey Hall, now a standout linebacker for Boise State, rolled up 130 yards and scored four touchdowns for the Pilots.

1997

Although Marsing won the A-4 Western Idaho Conference championship, the Huskies were ineligible for the state playoffs because they were playing as an independent.

1989

Hagerman 16, Marsing 14 After beating Raft River and Greenleaf Friends Academy to reach the A-4 state championship game, the Bill Barr-coached Huskies fell 16-14 to Hagerman, which won the first of two consecutive state titles. Barr was in his first year as Marsing's head



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The Marsing Lions Optimist youth football program finished the season with a barbecue and an awards ceremony for all the players and cheerleaders. Fiftyfive football players turned out to play football, and 26 girls participated in the cheerleading program.

During the season-ending ceremony, all players and cheerleaders received a trophy for their efforts during the year.

"We had a great year. The teams played some great ball and showed a great amount of improvement," Ken Wilson, Marsing Lions Optimist Football executive director said.

"The community has really stepped up to support the Lions Football and Cheer program, and

the payoff will be in the leaders of tomorrow."

The Marsing Lions finished the season with a 4-2-1 season, losing their season 6-0 to Primo's Pizza. The Raptors finished at 7-0 following a 21-0 shutout over Re/ Max. The flag team wrapped an unbeaten 7-0 record by defeating Meridian Red.

The Marsing Lions football program is associated with the Boise Optimist Football program that includes Boise, Meridian, Eagle, Star, Kuna, Nampa, Mountain Home, McCall, Emmett, Horseshoe Bend, Wood River and Glenns Ferry. The program includes flag football for boys and girls 7 and 8 years old, full-contact football for ages 9-12 and cheerleading for ages 4-12.

Ensley makes collegiate debut

Former Homedale High School wrestling standout Jeremy Ensley struggles for position against Jason Costello of the University of Great Falls during the NWC Open in Powell, Wyo., on Saturday. Ensley lost the 125-pound match, his first collegiate action with Northwest College. Photo by Powell (Wyo.) Tribune

Sports tracker

A look at Owyhee County athletes competing beyond high school

graduate Jeremy Ensley started his collegiate career Saturday with an unfamiliar result — a loss.

A freshman at Northwest College in Powell, Wyo., Ensley lost his debut in the 125-pound class to University of Great Falls

Homedale High School wrestler Jason Costello during the NWC Open at Hank Cabre Gymnasium in Powell.

> A four-time state champion while at Homedale, Ensley had been slowed by a dislocated finger suffered during preseason practice with the Trappers.

Next up is a Thursday dual meet against Western Wyoming Community College in Rock Springs.

Northwest then travels to Laramie for Saturday's Cowboy Open at the University of Wyoming.

2006 Optimist teams



Marsing Lions and cheerleaders



Marsing Raptors and cheerleaders



Marsing Tigers and cheerleaders

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Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

November 4, 1981

Bergeson to head city P&Z

Election of chairman and vice chairman of the Homedale Planning and Zoning Commission was held during the group's first official meeting Tuesday evening, October 27. Elected chairman was Howard Bergeson, and Forrest Pierce was elected vice chairman. Mrs. Nolan Taggart is secretary.

Other members of the commission are Mike Parker, Duane Root, Herb Fritzley, and Roberta Holmes. Lots were drawn for length of term with Bergeson and Root, three years; Holms and Forrest Parker, two; and Fritzley and Mike Parker, one.

One vacancy has not been filled on the commission. Ordinance No. 224, passed October 21, authorizes seven members.

The commission voted to meet the second Tuesday of each month, except during June, July and August. This meeting date will be the regular monthly meeting as required by law.

Larry Sale, Planner from JUB Engineering of Boise, said the project of drafting a comprehensive plan and zoning ordinance will take "about a year to get done." The engineering firm has been contracted to assist the commission for a fee of \$8,500.

Sale distributed copies of "Goals, Obligations and Policies" of the commission.

Gooding falls — West Side is next

Homedale's Steve Nash broke a 28-28 tie with a nineyard run as the play began with only 26 seconds left on the clock Saturday.

The first-round A-3 playoff game with the Gooding Senators set the stage for this Saturday's game, as the Trojans face the powerful West Side team at 1 p.m.

The game will be at the Homedale Stadium.

Nash's score capped a short 19-yard drive set up by teammate Randy Deshazer, the Trojans' incomparable tailback, who ran the kickoff back 71 yards after the Senators had tied the game just seconds earlier. Deshazer finished with 193 yards rushing on 39 carries, his best total ever.

Senator fullback Doug James' 64-yard run off tackle was the game's first score in the second quarter. James, a 185pound senior, wound up with 150 yards on 22 carries.

After Deshazer's tying touchdown, the Senators struck again. This time it was a 35-yard strike from quarterback Bob Hays to wide receiver Brad Tinker, who grabbed the ball in traffic then ran past two amazed Trojan defenders into the end zone for the go-ahead touchdown.

Homedale made it 13-12 early in the third quarter after Stuart Emry blocked a Gooding punt on the Senators' 12-yard line, and three carries by Deshazer produced six points.

Gooding's Rick Beck came back with a 75-yard touchdown return on the kickoff, and the Senators still led, now 20-12

Nash then directed the Trojans on their longest drive of the game, 65 yards, hitting a key 25-yard pass to David Kubosumi along the way. Deshazer ran in both the touchdown and two-point conversion to tie the game 20-20, near the end of the third quarter.

Homedale quickly scored again, and when Mike Collins tackled the Senators' Craig Bevercombe in the Gooding end zone with 4:00 remaining in the game, it looked like the Trojans had a lock on things.

Then the Senators, finally got the ball back on their own 25 with just 1:17 to go. On the next play, Hays hit Tinker at the 40 and when the Homedale defender fell down Tinker was off to the races again.

James ran in the two-point conversion after a pass interference penalty on Kubosumi gave the Senators a second chance, and the game was tied again with 45 second remaining.

Deshazer grabbed James' kickoff at his own 10 and raced 71 yards before he was finally brought down on the 19. Three plays later, Nash made the winning drive.

50 years ago

November 8, 1956

JayCees to sponsor 'Laff-O-Rama' here Nov. 16-17

The Homedale Jaycees will sponsor a "Laff-O-Rama" (hometown circus) Friday and Saturday, November 16-17, at the Homedale High School auditorium for the benefit of the fund to light the athletic field.

The event is being coordinated by Miss Kitten Kling, who has had special training in planning and presenting this type of entertainment.

Advertising and promotion of the affair is being arranged this week by Miss Kling, working with Jaycee members including Rich Taylor and other committee members.

Laff-O-Rama is an arena presentation and the whole floor of the auditorium will be employed.

Clowns will be portrayed by members of the Jaycee organization, including Keith Eachus, Jack Thomas, Jim Miklancic, Ray Mansisidor, Merrill Tallman and Vic Uria.

Children of various age groups, both boys and girls, will perform in the various acts.

Local businessmen will impersonate various movie and stage stars dressed as bareback riding beauties.

Eisenhower, Church easy winners in Owyhee Co.

Owyhee County voters trooped to the polls Tuesday to help re-elect President Dwight D. Eisenhower, who received an overwhelming vote throughout the United States. Adlai Stevenson, his opponent, conceded defeat in the early evening hours.

Frank Church climaxed his long campaign by piling up a large majority over present U.S. Senator Herman Welker. Hamer Budge won re-election as congressman in the second district by defeating John W. Reynolds.

In two close county races, Ted Blackstock beat Everett A. Colley for state senator by 41 votes to gain his fifth term. Fred Hale defeated county commissioner Frank P. Kushlan by 21 votes.

Trojans continue victory drive with win over Adrian

Homedale's unbeaten Trojans clinched a tie for the Snake River Valley B-league championship here Friday afternoon with 31-6 conquest of Adrian's Antelopes. It was the eighth straight for the Trojans and an expected win over Wilder next week will give Homedale the championship.

Bill Carson scored three touchdowns and passed for another to lead the Trojans over the Antelopes without too much difficulty.

Carson raced 70 yards for the first touchdown in the opening period and made the conversion to put Homedale ahead 7-0. Junior Uranga went 12 yards for the second one before the first quarter ended.

Carson scored again on a six-yard sprint and passed to Uranga for 50 yards and another score. He also added the final tally on a 30-yard run.

Adrian's Ed Nelson intercepted a Homedale pass in the second quarter and ran 12 yards for the Antelopes' only touchdown.

Homedale locals

Mrs. Pearl Matteson, LaGrande, Ore., arrived here Friday afternoon to visit with her mother and step-father Mr. and Mrs. John McGuire for a few days and with other relatives. Sunday, Mrs. Matteson and Mr. and Mrs. McGuire along with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stutheit, Mrs. Hattie Pierce and Susie Eismann were dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Lena Stutheit at Wilder.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Zillig and Mrs. Carl Rowen attended the Home Services card party at the IOOF hall in Caldwell Saturday night from which all proceeds are applied to Christmas gifts for the residents of the Oddfellows home.

Members of the Ora Friel family enjoyed an early Thanksgiving dinner Sunday with a turkey and all the trimmings. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Friel and two sons of Boise and Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Yost and family.

140 years ago

November 3, 1866

PURSUANT TO CALL, a meeting of the members of the Union Church Society was held in the church building on Sunday afternoon, the 28th inst. A statement was made by M.H.R. Styles, Chairman of Board of Trustees, showing the financial condition of the Society, which was duly accepted and his action endorsed.

Resolutions expressing appreciation of and thankfulness for the services of the Rev. Leander Case as pastor, as well as regret at the necessity of his severing his connection with the Society were adopted by the Board of Trustees and presented.

Resolutions of thanks to the proprietors of the Owyhee Avalanche for favors extended to the Society during the past year, were adopted and ordered to be entered in full on the Secretary's book.

On motion of Mr. Styles, the number of Trustees was increased from five to seven, and an election was gone into with the following result: Trustees for the year ending November 1st, 1867: M.H.R. Styles, J.K. Eastman, Wm. H. Davenport, C. W. Moore, John Wasson, W. B. Crane and Geo. Carter.

The new Board of Trustees went into an election for officers. Capt. Styles declining reelection as President owing to his contemplated absence in the States, Judge Wm. H. Davenport was chosen as his successor. J. K. Eastman was reelected Treasurer and W. B. Crape was chosen Secretary.

Business of importance was transacted and much good feeling existed and was evinced at the success of the Church Society.

Remarks complimentary to the pastor, Rev. L. Case, were made by several gentlemen present, and the man wished for his future welfare and happiness were sincere and heartfelt.

THE JORDAN VALLEY RUMOR. Upon the authority of Wm. H. Angel and A. J. Stucker, of this place, two gentlemen of unimpeachable integrity, as we are assured by those who have known them for years, we make the following statements for the information of those who may have read the letter of our "White Horse" correspondent, "Chivington," as well as of those who have heard other rumors which are right down the valley in relation to the death of John Dixon, an account of which as given by Dr. Inskip — we published two weeks ago. Mr. Angel has resided at the Inskip Ranch all summer and is familiar with the books and business relations of Inskip and Osgood and knows that the charge in "Chivington's" letter, to wit: That Dixon had loaned them money, could not be so, as Dixon had no money to loan. He also knows that there was Indian sign in abundance at the place where Dixon's body was found, having seen it himself. Mr. Stucker knew Dixon in California, where he worked all fall, winter and spring before starting up here for a person who failed to pay him. Consequently he arrived here without means. This he told Stucker here in town when he first arrived; therefore, there could be no such inducements for foul play as charged in "Chivington's" letter. These are the statements of the parties, which we give, unsolicited, as an act of justice. The well known character of our correspondent for truth and fairness induced us to publish his letter. We are inclined to the belief now, however, that he was smarting under some real or imaginary insult received at the ranch on his way out to White Horse that caused him to write in such bitter terms.

WOODSTOCK. We made a call at this ledge last week and found the owners at work in good earnest. Their discovery is down the mountainside, and they have thus far been expending their labor mostly upon building a road to the one leading in the Poorman. They now have it in a passable condition and are at work upon the mine, from which they expect to crush ore soon. While at the works we were shown some rock very rich in free gold and silver sulphurets.

Commentary

Baxter Black, DVM

On the edge of common sense

The E. coli bandwagon

Combine E. coli 0157:H7, "naturally" produced spinach, food poisoning, an organic foods purveyor and author, cows and the New York Times and you get ... guess what? That's right, evil factory farming! No surprise.

I have compassion for the ill and also for the California spinach growers. Like lots of farmers who are doing the best they know how, the roof still caves in on them. General Motors understands every time they have to recall a vehicle.

It's the same for the organic food producers who have found a profitable niche market. Nor can I hold New York Times responsible. They print opinion pieces by all manner of partisans who pretend to know what they're talking about and do not question their veracity.

I could blame the author of the misleading, op-ed piece in the New York Times in which she promotes her organically correct New York City grocery store and new book by blithely stating that the E. coli 0157: H7 food poisoning outbreaks could be prevented if we just stop "feeding grain to cattle." In her article, she selectively quoted a research paper done in 1998 that examined E. coli bacteria shedding in cattle. They ran a study wherein grain was removed from the diet of cattle toward the end of the feeding period. A reduction in the shedding of E. coli was noticed, and the scientist postulated that this process could potentially be beneficial to food safety.

In the ensuing years, several studies have been done to "test" this hypothesis. To date, the results have been conflicting at best — to the point that the scientist who did the original work said he would not be confident recommending it.

It took me several days, lots of phone calls, serious scrutiny of the data, and a veterinary degree to interpret the facts. The facts contradict the simplistic solutions of the writer. But she has a personal and financial bias and cherry picks what she wants to promote.

I do not know if she has the educational background to evaluate the information scientifically. If not, she cannot be held accountable. She can literally plead ignorance. If so, does that make her a bad person? Is a used car salesman bad for selling you a car he knows nothing about? No, they are not bad people. They are just part of the many who have added to the collective ignorance of the gullible and the dumbing-down of us all.

What unfortunately is unspoken is that the search to discover the real answers for E. coli food poisoning and its prevention is ongoing and eventually will succeed. But, by that time this same writer will have moved to another car lot maybe touting the benefits of unpasteurized milk or raw eggs. Who knows? As Barnum used to say — "There's a sucker born every minute."

Wayne Cornell

Not important ... but possibly of interest

The great Coca-Cola crossing guard caper

I was a senior in high school. Norm, Gary, Earl and yours truly were sitting around in study hall trying to come up with something to do that night, which happened to be Halloween. We hatched a prank that we felt would amaze the good citizens of our community.

We rendezvoused at about 10 p.m. It was a clear, crisp evening. We hung around for a while on Main Street trying to get a handle on the patrol schedule of the town's only policeman. Gus the Cop was actually a pretty nice guy but wasn't overly ambitious, spending most of his time parked in his patrol car where he could watch the business district. Even on Halloween, Gus didn't seem inclined to move from his regular spot, next to Bowering's gas station and store. The coast appeared clear.

In those days, the Coca-Cola Company supplied schools with signs that could be wheeled into the middle of the street during school hours to warn motorists to slow down. The metal signs were nearly life-sized representations of a smiling, blue-uniformed traffic cop with one hand raised in the air. The smiling traffic cop was mounted on a weighted base so he wouldn't blow over in the wind. In our town, there was one Coca-Cola guard in front of the high school and one at the elementary school.

The grade school was relatively easy because it was on the edge of town, out of the public eye. We hoisted the sign to the peak of the gymnasium roof, where, when the sun rose in the morning, the cop would be smiling and waving at passersby.

The high school traffic sign was more difficult. The only way to get to the school roof was to go around to the back of the building and climb up the outside of a ventilator shaft. This was further complicated by the fact that Gus was parked maybe 50 yards away. Fortunately, he was looking the opposite direction.

We rolled the guard sign up next to the front of the building, attached a rope and tossed the weighted loose end up on the roof. Then we went round to the back and climbed up the ventilator without arousing any response from Gus. Then we hauled the sign up.

The plan called for placing the traffic cop on top of the attached gymnasium. The gym had a tarpaper roof, rounded like a Quonset hut. The slope was very gradual but was covered with a skiff of ice. Earl volunteered to climb to the top and determined if it would be practical to get the sign up there.

A few minutes later, Earl came sliding down the roof in an excited state. He said there were several county and state police cars parked on the far side of the gym with their lights off. On hearing that news, we slipped over and peered down at the front of the building. More police cruisers. A check of the back of the building where we had climbed up revealed more cops with guns drawn!

Shivering, we sat down on the roof to consider our situation. We were amazed that trying to put a Coca-Cola smiling policeman on the school gym roof would cause such a commotion. But, there seemed to be no options so we stood up to surrender.

Looking down, we discovered none of the cops were looking our direction. They all were focused on the door of the ag shop, which opened at that moment and two men appeared with their hands in the air. Officers quickly cuffed the men, and tossed them in the back of a cruiser. Then everybody disappeared — leaving us with no one to surrender to!

We later learned the two gentlemen had picked that night to try to steal tools from the shop. A citizen saw some unusual activity around the school (probably us) and called in the cops. When the burglars saw the place was surrounded, they naturally assumed they had been spotted and gave up!

In those days, teenage boys had a guardian angel that looked out for them.

I forget what happened the smiling Coca-Cola crossing guard. He may have still been on the roof when they demolished the school.

William Pendley Perry

Summary Judgment

Bush proposes massive land grab

Days ago, in a proposal unnoticed by the media, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) announced the largest land grab since President Clinton designated massive national monuments across the West.

When Clinton decreed 1.9 million acres of federal land in Utah as the Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument to kill a vast underground coal mine that would have employed 1,000 locals in the most economically depressed region of southern Utah, generated \$20 million in annual revenue, and produced environmentally compliant coal for generating electricity, there were protests across the West.

When the Bush Administration published its plans, there was barely a ripple of protest.

There should have been a tidal wave of opposition! What Bush officials propose would make Clinton and his Interior Secretary, Bruce Babbitt, proud indeed. While Clinton's national monument proclamations — including the Owyhee Canyonlands that spurred the Owyhee Initiative Implementation Act now in the U.S. Senate — affected only federal land, the Bush plan affects primarily state-owned and privately owned land. Moreover, while Clinton designated a total of 5.9 million

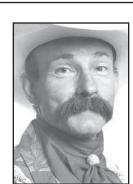
acres to receive special federal protection as national monuments, the Bush plan would impose a protective federal overlay upon 11.5 million acres (18,000 square miles) or an area the size of the states of Massachusetts and Maryland combined.

Formally entitled "Revised Designation of Critical Habitat for the Contiguous United States Distinct Population Segment of the Canada Lynx" and published in the Federal Register on Nov. 9, 2005, the plan results from a March 2000 ruling by a federal district court in the District of Columbia. There, after 10 years of litigation, a host of environmental groups succeeded in efforts to require the FWS to use the Endangered Species Act (ESA) to protect the Canada lynx (Lynx canadensis) in the contiguous United States.

That was only the beginning. After the FWS placed the lynx on the ESA list in July 2003, Defenders of Wildlife urged the federal court to order the FWS to designate critical habitat in the lower 48, notwithstanding that the lynx's natural habit is in Canada — hence its name. In

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Commentary

From Washington

Idaho veteran reflects on his service in Iraq war

by Sen. Mike Crapo

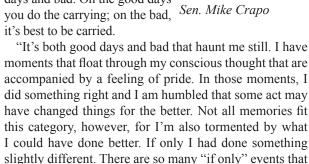
This Veterans Day, I'm honored to share the words of recent veteran, Idaho Marine Reservist Staff Sgt. Luke Miller. Miller earned the Non-Commissioned Officer Association Military Vanguard Award for saving fellow Marines' lives.

"Growing up, I never thought I'd find myself looking at the world through the eyes of a 'veteran.' I never imagined that I would willingly enlist in the military and serve in a combat zone. Yet I joined out of high school, and there are very few things in my life of which I'm prouder.

"Because of my military experiences, I find myself today with memories of combat, memories of nearly a year spent away from my wife and family. There are events that unfold in my mind's eye every day, without fail. It's this way for every brave veteran of our country. Each of us has memories and likely some scars, some visible from wounds received at battle. Other scars are deeper, and not so visible. This is why we have Veterans Day. We remember that we owe a debt of gratitude for their service to our country and we acknowledge these scars and their sacrifice.

"As I reflect on what it means to be a veteran, I think of my fellow Marines and military personnel with whom I shared those experiences. They are like brothers to me; we

are bonded forever by the events that we went through together. But it's more than simply a shared experience. The bond of military camaraderie goes deeper because we relied on each other to get through those experiences. It's impossible for two people to carry each other at the same time. What we did instead was take turns carrying each other. All veterans experienced good days and bad. On the good days it's best to be carried.



accompany any war. It's these moments, these decisions,



often made in a fraction of a second, which haunt all veterans.

"The opposition to our current war in Iraq seems to be growing of late. Of course it's because of our freedom — won by veterans — that people can stand opposed. This opposition, however, saddens something deep inside of me. As an Iraq war veteran, the things that I saw and did need to be for something. I submit to you that you cannot take at face value all the media feeds. There is so much good being done in Iraq that goes unreported, and I've seen it with my own eyes. I have stories of good that fill my heart with pride that our country, collectively, is living out one of those moments where right prevailed over an 'if only.'

"I hope that this Veterans Day, my fellow veterans feel the same pride that I feel. If you wore a uniform for our country, take a moment to pause and be proud. What you did mattered and matters still. If you are not a veteran, take pride in the men and women of our Armed Services. Shake the hand of a veteran and thank them. The sacrifice was great, but the reward of living in a country such as ours is greater still."

— Mike Crapo is a Republican U.S. senator from

Accuracy In Media

Other 'news' overshadows spy scandal

by Roger Aronoff

Convicted "sex teacher" Debra Lafave has been all over the news, complete with commentary about her light sentence of probation. But how many know of the lenient treatment that was given a Pentagon analyst for betraying our country to the communist Chinese? Alone among the Washington press corps, Washington Times reporter Bill Gertz has been there to bring us the horrifying details.

Gertz, who has covered national security matters for decades, regularly uncovers significant developments, such as his story that the Pentagon had activated its missile defense system in preparation for a North Korean missile

But Gertz's recent story about a former Pentagon analyst pleading guilty to "unlawful retention of classified documents" also deserves coverage and comment. It seems at first glance like a relatively minor charge, but in fact the analyst had provided many classified documents and information to Chinese military intelligence officers. According to the U.S. attorney, Neil Hammerstein, who handled the case in the U.S. District Court in Alexandria, Va., Ronald Montaperto had met more than 60 times with two of the Chinese officers, and had provided them with both secret and top secret information.

Hammerstein asked for at least a two-year sentence, according to Gertz, because Montaperto had "repeatedly placed in jeopardy sensitive sources and methods pertaining to our national security." A source told Gertz that the prosecution was hampered because the FBI was unable to identify the specific documents that Montaperto had admitted turning over to the Chinese, after repeatedly being told to end his unauthorized contacts.

One of the operations that Montaperto apparently compromised was tracking Chinese missile sales to Iran and Saudi Arabia. Within weeks after he passed along information to the Chinese in 1988, they were able to determine how the U.S. was learning of their activities, and "the links were lost." According to Gertz, officials told him that "the compromise

has allowed China to counter U.S. protests about Chinese missile transfers that violated Beijing's numerous pledges not to sell weapons to rogue states and unstable regions." Montaperto was employed at the Pentagon from 1981 until 2003, when he was finally dismissed.

Amazingly, Montaperto was sentenced to just three months house arrest and five years probation. The judge who sentenced him, Gerald Bruce Lee, said that despite the "very serious charges," he was influenced by letters of support from military and intelligence officials who wrote letters on Montaperto's behalf. Reacting to that support, Rep. Peter Hoekstra (R-Mich.), chairman of the House Intelligence Committee, said he was very concerned: "You would think that the intel community would set the standard for holding people accountable for mishandling and passing of classified information to our enemies."

Montaperto had been caught in a sting operation, after being told that he would lead a U.S.-Chinese intelligencesharing program, but first he had to reveal his Chinese intelligence contacts, and take a polygraph exam.

Gertz put the story in perspective by comparing Montaperto's sentence to the 12-year prison sentence given earlier this year to Larry Franklin, another Pentagon official, convicted of providing classified information to officials of AIPAC, the America Israel Public Affairs Committee. They, in turn, have been accused of passing the information on to Israel, a staunch American ally.

The New York Times carried no mention of the Montaperto case, and the Washington Post carried one AP story, 170 words, upon sentencing. We found no coverage of the case on national television.

Katie Couric could bring some needed attention to her broadcast if the CBS Evening News would cover a story like this. It's far more important than what Tom Cruise's

- Roger Aronoff is a media analyst with Accuracy in Media, and is the writer/director of "Confronting Iraq: Conflict and Hope."

$\sqrt{\mathbf{Summary}}$

January 2004, the court issued that mandate and set a deadline of Nov. 1, 2006 (last Wednesday). After issuing its plan a year ahead of schedule — when was the last time that happened? — in August 2006, the FWS released its "Economic Analysis of Critical Habitat Designation for the Canada Lynx." A month later, the FWS published its "Draft Environmental Assessment: Designation of Critical Habitat for the Contiguous United States Distinct Population Segment of the Canada Lynx," then opened the matter up for public comments, which ended last month. There is much that is worthy of comment, mostly of the negative variety.

Under the plan, 8.4 million acres of private land would be included, at a cost, over 20 years, of \$889 million. Although the plan includes Washington, Idaho, Montana, Minnesota and Maine, its greatest impact is on the latter three with 1 million acres affected in both northwestern Montana and northeastern Minnesota and 6 million included in northern Maine. Thousands of landowners will find their ability to use their private property greatly constrained, if litigious environmental groups have anything to say about it, and they will.

Worst of all, the FWS admits that, because the historic range of lynx only marginally includes the lower 48, the designation of critical habitat will achieve little, if anything.

For radical environmental groups, however, designation of critical habitat for the Canada lynx will achieve one thing: it will provide them with another tool to bar the use of private property coveted by the groups. In one troubling action, the federal court that ruled on the lynx has retained jurisdiction, apparently to preside over the implementation of the habitat rule. That is very bad news for landowners, those who respect private property, and those who love freedom. No wonder scores of members of Congress, in rare bi-partisan agreement, have introduced bills to reform "critical habitat" authority.

Unfortunately, such reform will come too late for those facing the Bush administration's most audacious land

— William Pendley Perry is president and chief legal officer of Lakewood, Colo.-based Mountain States Legal

Public notices

CITY OF CD AND MEW

BEFORE THE OWYHEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

On November 27, 2006, at 1 PM in Courtroom 2 of the Owyhee County Courthouse, Murphy, Idaho, the Owyhee County Board of Commissioners will hear an appeal of Owyhee County Planning and Zoning Commission denial of a conditional use permit application filed by Phil Hudson. The application requests permission to divide a seventy nine acre farm located in the Agricultural Zone into three parcels and change the use to residential Subject parcel is located south of Homedale off of Graveyard Point and Johnstone Roads in Section 28, Township 3 North, Range 5 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho. Any exhibits to be submitted for this appeal must be filed by Noon on November 20, 2006. Questions regarding marking and submittal of exhibits should be directed to Kay Kelly at 495-2095. 11/8/06

NOTICE

Owyhee County will be accepting a 3-year municipal lease bid on 3 law enforcement vehicles. Vehicle description to be bid is for 3 vehicles. Vehicles will be year for 3 – 2007 or newer 3/4 ton extended cab pickups.

Owyhee County will make 3 annual payments on the total vehicles. The first payment will be made within 30 days of delivery of the vehicles and annually thereafter. Vehicles must be delivered to within 50 miles of Murphy, ID. All vehicles will be inspected prior to Owyhee County taking delivery.

All vehicles shall have the standard manufacturers warranties for parts and labor. Owyhee County shall have the option of purchasing extended warranties or factory incentives. Standard warranties shall be a minimum of 36 months and/or 36,000 miles. Defects, hidden body damage caused in transit, items failing to meet specifications and other such items found after delivery shall be the responsibility of the successful vendor to correct at their expense. Warranty shall activate upon the date the vehicle is placed in service.

All vehicles shall be serviced and inspected by the dealer and an inspections sheet shall accompany the vehicle. All fluids shall be filled to the manufacturers recommended levels and the gas tank shall contain a minimum of ½ tank of fuel.

Heavy Duty as used in the specification sheet means the items shall exceed the usual quantity, quality or capacity supplied with the standard production models and shall be capable of withstanding unusual strain, exposure, temperatures, wear and use.

Sealed bids must be delivered to the Owyhee County Sheriff's Office c/o Sheriff Gary Aman no later than 5 pm. on November 24, 2006. Bids will be opened on November 27, 2006 at approximately 10:30 a.m.

Vehicle specifications may be seen at the Owyhee County Clerks office or by calling Sheriff Aman at 208/495-1154.

11/8,15,22/06

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Please be advised that a public hearing will be held before the City of Homedale, Mayor and Council on Nov. 20, 2006 at 6:00 pm at Homedale City Hall, 31 West Wyoming Ave., Homedale, ID. The subject matter of the public hearing will be:

1. Vacation of Public Right of Way filed by Paul Zatica on behalf of Paul's Market. The platted alley runs North/South between East Colorado Ave and East Wyoming Ave.

2. Application for Special Use Permit filed by Michael Munster to conduct the business of a tattoo shop at 20 W Idaho Ave.

3. The increase of irrigation rates for the 2006/07 billing year.

The public is invited to attend and offer input.

Alice E Pegram, City Clerk City of Homedale 11/1,8/06

NOTICE TO CREDITORS CASE NO. CV2006-05692 IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF OWYHEE

MAGISTRATE DIVISION
In the Matter of the Estate of:
ROBERT CHESTER CARTER,
Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of the above entitled estate. All persons having claims against the said deceased are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must either be presented to ROBERT D. CARTER, the personal representative of the estate, or the office of Wiebe & Fouser, P.A., Attorneys at Law, 702 W. Chicago, P.O. Box 606, Caldwell, Idaho, 83606-0606, this being the place fixed for the transaction of the business of said estate, or filed with the Court.

Dated this 18th day of October,

/s/Robert D. Carter Personal Representative 4302 W. Pershall Marsing, Idaho 83639 11/1,8,15/06

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

T.S. NO.: 06-5503-ID On 02/28/2007 at 11:00 AM (recognized local time), At the entrance to the Owyhee County Courthouse 20381 State Hwy. 78 Murphy, ID 83650. 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

CITY OF GRAND VIEW, IDAHO
QUARTERLY EXPENDITURE REPORT
FOR 3 MONTHS PERIOD ENDING
AS REQUIRED BY IDAHO STATE CODE 50-1011
ENDING 9/30/2006
4TH QTR -FY 2006

DUDGET 0/

<u>CITY OF GRAND VIEW</u>	EXPENDITURES	BUDGET %
ADMINISTRATION – PAYROLL	\$2,695.12	28%
AUTO MAINTENANCE, FUEL, & OIL	\$928.68	8%
BACKHOE / MOWER / TRACTOR MAINT	\$0.00	0%
CAPITAL OUTLAY	\$0.00	0%
CITY & CITY PARK MAINT	\$1,552.77	104%
CONTINGENCY FUND	\$0.00	0%
DUES	\$75.00	9%
ELECTIONS	\$0.00	0%
ENGINEERING & SURVEYING	\$0.00 0%	
FIRE HYDRANTS & SUPPLIES	\$0.00	0%
INSURANCE & BONDS	\$578.54	19%
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSE	\$10.00	1%
OFFICE SUPPLIES, POSTAGE, & S.D. BOX FE	EE \$173.34	12%
PROFESSIONAL SERVICES: AUDIT / LEGAL	\$216.00	14%
PUBLISHING'S	\$259.09	17%
SEMINARS	\$0.00	0%
UTILITIES	\$751.23	27%
CITY OF GRAND VIEW - STREET & ROAD	EXPENDITURES	BUDGET %
PAYROLL - SUPERVISOR & MAINTENANCE	\$3,401.40	22%
AUTO MAINTENANCE, FUEL, & OIL	\$0.00	0%
BACKHOE / MOWER / TRACTOR MAINT	\$0.00	0%
CAPITAL OUTLAY	\$0.00	0%
CONTINGENCY FUND	\$0.00	0%
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSE	\$306.99	61%
PROFESSIONAL SERVICES: AUDIT / LEGAL	\$0.00	0%
REPAIR & MAINTENANCE – STREETS	\$0.00	0%
STREET SIGNS	\$0.00	0%
SURVEYING	\$0.00	0%
TOOLS & EQUIPMENT	\$0.00	0%
UTILITIES - STREET LIGHTING	\$387.99	19%
Citizens of Grand View are invited to inspect the o	letailed records of the	e financial statements at:
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Grand View City Hall - 425 Boise Ave., Grand View, Idaho - Monday - Wednesday - 8:00 am to 5:00 pm

(208) 834-2700 Phone / Fax Helana (Lani) Race Grand View City Clerk

Date: Quarter Ending Date September 30, 2006

11/8/06

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 2/28/2007, 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: 10/27/2006 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 P261866

11/8,15,22,29/06

HOMEDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT #370 HOMEDALE, IDAHO COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUE & EXPENDITURES

WITH CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - ALL FUNDS 2005-06 2005-06 Budget Account Actual REVENUE RECEIPTS Local Sources 1,394,561 1,492,277 County Sources State Sources 6,623,234 6,467,143 Federal Sources 1,519,093 1,350,392 Other Sources TOTAL REVENUE 9,368,187 9,478,513 Transfers IN 54,500 55,102 Total Revenue & Transfers 9,422,687 9,533,615 **EXPENDITURES** Instructional Services 6,274,050 5,824,247 2,518,707 2,624,983 Support Services Non-Instructional Services 479,004 479,104 304,220 191,949 Facility Acquisition Services 389,548 **Debt Services** 389,142 TOTAL EXPENDITURES 9,965,123 9,509,831 Transfers OUT 54.500 55 102 9,564,933 Total Expenditures & Transfers 10,019,623 Excess (Deficiency of Revenues over Expenditures & Transfers (31,318)Fund Balance at July 1, 2005 1,729,036 Adjustments Adj. Fund Balance July 1, 2005 1,729,036 FUND BALANCE at June 30, 2006 1,697,718

Copies of the School District budget and the annual report are available for public inspection in the administrative office of the school district.

/s/James R. Duncan
Business Manager
Homedale Jt. School District #370
Homedale, ID 83628
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CITY OF GRAND VIEW, IDAHO and STREET / ROAD As required by Idaho State Code 50-1011 October 1, 2005 to September 30, 2006 All Fiscal Quarter - FY 2006

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<u>City - Budget Line Items</u>	Budget	Expenditures
Administration – Payroll	\$9,600.00	\$10,072.53
Auto - Purchase, Maint, Fuel & Oil	\$1,100.00	\$998.39
Backhoe / Mower / Tractor Maint	\$600.00	\$244.06
Capital Expense	\$1,500.00	\$0.00
City & City Park Maint	\$1,500.00	\$1,926.46
Contingency Fund	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
Dues	\$800.00	\$616.25
Election - Supplies, Publishing's	\$900.00	\$53.90
Engineering & Surveying	\$2,500.00	\$0.00
Fire Hydrants & Supplies	\$800.00	\$0.00
Insurance & Bonds	\$3,000.00	\$828.54
Miscellaneous Expense	\$700.00	\$757.12
Office Supplies - Postage, S.D. Box Fee	\$1,500.00	\$416.89
Petty Cash	\$100.00	\$100.00
Professional Services-Accounting&Lega	al \$1,600.00	\$1,391.00
Publishing's	\$1,483.00	\$649.42
Seminars	\$200.00	\$0.00
Utilities	\$2,800.00	\$3,335.98
Total	\$32,683.00	\$23,390.54
City of Grand View - Street & Road	Budget	Expenditures
Payroll - Supervisor & Maintenance	\$15,200.00	\$13,268.24
Auto Maintenance, Fuel & Oil	\$1,000.00	\$0.00
Backhoe, Mower, Tractor Maintenance	\$1,000.00	\$0.00
Capital Outlay	\$5,000.00	\$0.00
Contingency Fund	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
Miscellaneous Expense	\$500.00	\$352.07
Professional Services: Accounting/Legal	\$1,300.00	\$875.00
Repair & Maintenance – Streets	\$3,578.00	\$0.00
Street Signs	\$1,000.00	\$0.00
Surveying	\$2,000.00	\$0.00
Tools & Equipment	\$500.00	\$0.00
Utilities - Street Lighting	\$2,000.00	
Total	\$34,078.00	\$15,495.31
Citizens of Grand View are invited to		

Citizens of Grand View are invited to inspect the detailed records of the financial statements at:

Grand View City Hall - 425 Boise Ave., Grand View, Idaho - Monday - Wednesday - 8:00 am to 5:00 pm (208) 834-2700 Phone / Fax Helana (Lani) Race

Grand View City Clerk Date: 10-31-06 11/8/06

> NOTICE OF REVISED BUDGET HEARING MELBA SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 136 CANYON, ADA, & OWYHEE COUNTIES, IDAHO

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the Melba Joint School District No. 136J, Canyon, Ada, and Owyhee Counties will hold a revised budget hearing at 4:00PM at the regular board meeting on November 13, 2006 at 4:00PM at the District Office located at 520 Broadway Ave, Melba, Idaho. Copies of the revised budget are available for inspection during the regular business hours of 8:00AM and 4:00PM Monday through Friday, as provided by law. This budget hearing is called pursuant to ID CODE Section 33-801, as amended. Norman L. Hogg, business manager, Melba School District no. 136J, Canyon, Ada, & Owyhee Counties, Idaho.

, , ,	General Fund		All Other Funds		
	Adopted	Revised	Proposed	Revised	
	Budget	Budget	Budget		
	2006-2007	2006-2007	2006-2007	2006-2007	
REVENUES:					
Beginning Balance			19,337	743,304	
Local Tax Revenue	440,696	316,743			
Other Local Revenu	e 16,000	40,818			
County Revenue					
State Revenue	3,480,313	3,711,536	436,596	800,991	
Federal Revenue			334,103	558,649	
Other Sources	231,066	316,806	493,291	29,970	
Transfers-In			226,752	226,752	
Total Revenues	4,168,075	4,385,902	1,510,079	2,359,666	
EXPENDITURES:					
Salaries	2,594,505	2,645,822	239,357	275,265	
Benefits	828,568	861,037	107,761	127,945	
Purchased Services	404,536	474,746	220,171	288,078	
Materials & Supplie		255,865	50,428	50,050	
Capital Outlay	63,000	98,000	282,999	1,006,965	
Debt Retirement			418,042	418,042	
Insurance Adjustmen					
Transfers-Out	35,432	35,432	191,320	191,320	
Contingency		15,000			
Unappropriated Bala	ance				
Total Expenditures	4,168,075	4,385,902	1,510,079	2,359,666	
11/8/06	-				

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Assembly of God Church

Homedale

15 West Montana, 337-4458 Pastor George Greenwood Sunday School 9:30am Sunday Morning Worship 10:30am Sunday Evening Service 6:00pm Wed. Bible Study 7:00pm

337-4248 or 454-1528

SE corner Idaho and West 7th

Sunday School: 9:00 to 9:45 am

Services: 10:00 am

Wednesday Night Adult Bible Study:

7 to 8:30 pm

Crossroads Assembly of God Wilder

Hwy 19 & 95, 482-7644 Sunday School 10am Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday Evening Worship 6pm Wed. Bible Study 7pm

Our Lady of the Valley **Catholic Church**

459-3653 Mass: Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 9:30 am

1122 W. Linden St., Caldwell

Spanish Mass: Saturday 7:00 pm Spanish Mass: Sunday Noon

Friends Community Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church Homedale

Wilder - Homedale

17434 Hwy 95, 337-3464 Pastor: John Beck Worship Services: 10:45 am Sundays Sunday School: 9:30 am Wednesday Prayer Meeting 6:30 pm CLC - Wednesdays at 3:15

Church of Jesus Christ of **Latter Day Saints**

Homedale

708 West Idaho Ave 337-4112 Bishop Alan McRae Bishop Dwayne Fisher Sunday 1st Ward 9am Sunday 2nd Ward 12:30pm

Homedale Baptist Church

Homedale 212 S. 1st W.

Sunday School 10am & 11am Sunday Evening 7pm Wednesday Evening 7pm Pastor James Huls

Wilder Church of God Wilder

205 A St. E, 482-7839 Pastor Ray Gerthung Sunday School 9:45am Sunday Service 11am Sunday Eve. 6:00pm Wed. Eve. 7:00pm

Mountain View Church of the Nazarene

26515 Ustick Road, Wilder 337-3151 Sunday School 9:30 Worship 10:30 Adult & Youth Bible Class: Wednesday 7:00 pm Bible Based Recovery: Friday 7:00 pm

MARSING APOSTOLIC ASSEMBLY Asamblea Apostolica de Marsing

221 W. Main • Marsing, Idaho Pastor Ricardo Rodriguez 896-5552 or 371-3516 ay School 1:30 pm • Sunday Service 3 pm y Service 7 pm • (Bilingual Services/Españo

Iglesia Evangelica Wilder

317 3rd st.. Pastor Ramiro Reyes 10 am Sunday School 11 am Service 482-7484 Bilingual

Marsing Church of Christ Marsing

932 Franklin, Marsing

Minister Gib Nelson Sunday Bible Study 10am Sunday Worship 11am

Christian Church Homedale

110 W. Montana, 337-3626 Pastor Maurice Jones Sunday Morning Worship 11am Church school 9:45

Bible Missionary Church Homedale

West Idaho, 337-4437 Pastor Paul Miller Sunday School 10am Worship 11am Sunday Evening 7pm Wednesday Evening 7:30

Assembly of God Church Marsing

139 Kerry, 896-4294 Pastor Rick Sherrow Sunday School 10am Sunday Worship 11am & 6 pm

Lizard Butte Baptist Church Marsing

Pastor London 116 4th Ave. W., 859-2059 Sunday worship 11am-12pm Sunday school 10 am-10:55am Sunday evening 7pm-8pm Wednesday evening 7pm-8pm Every 3rd Sat. family video at 6 pm

Nazarene Church Marsing

Pastor Bill O'Connor 896-4184 12 2nd Avenue West Worship Services - Sunday 11am and 6pm Teen Services Sundays 7:00 pm Sunday School - 9:45am Mid Week TLC Groups

Trinity Holiness Church

Homedale 119 N. Main Pastor Samuel Page 337-5021 Sunday School 10am Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday Evening 7pm

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints

Marsing

215 3rd Ave. West, 896-4151 Bishop Streibel Sunday 1st Ward 9am Sunday 2nd Ward 12:30pm Primary 11am

First

Presbyterian Church

Vision Community Church Marsing

221 West Main Marsing, Idaho 208-896-5407 Sunday Service 10:30 a.m. Adult, Kids & Youth Meetings Wed. 7:00 p.m.

United Methodist Church Wilder

Thursday Evening 7:30pm

Corner of 4th St. & B Ave. Pastor Carolyn Bowers Sunday Services 9:30am

Calvary Holiness Church Wilder Corner of 3rd St. & B Ave., • 761-7843

Homedale Pastor Matthew Hunt Sunday School: 10:00 a.m. 320 N. 6th W., 337-3060 Sunday Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m. Pastor Marianne Paul Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m. Sunday Morning Worship 11am Wednesday Evening: 7:00 p.m. Sunday School 11am Food Pantry Open Fridays 10 am - Noon

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Homedale

16613 Garnet Rd., 880-0902 or 453-9289 Pastor Chuck Dimick Sabbath School Sat. 9:30am Worship 11am

Iglesia Bautista Palabra de Esperanza Homedale

711 W. Idaho, 463-9569 Pastor Jose Diaz Servicios: Los Domingos 11:00 am

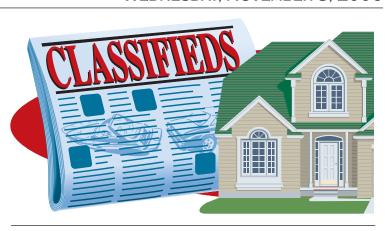
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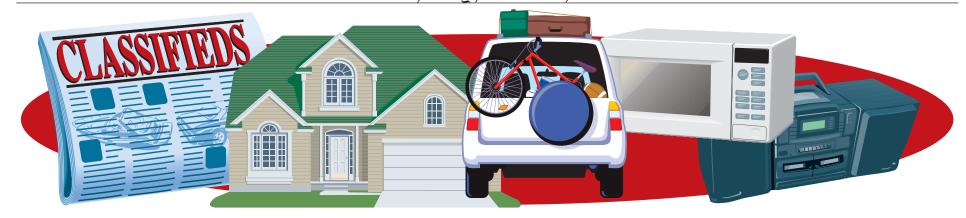
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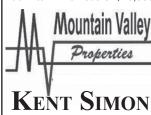
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