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A public hearing has been called for 10 a.m. on Monday, Sept. 15, in Murphy to receive testimony

on raising by \$10 the fee charged by the sheriff's office for the

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County rate

not so bleak

Owyhee County government

will receive more money in

interest in fiscal year 2008 than

was reported in last week's article

on the FY 2009 budget, county

Treasurer Brenda Richards said

For a story in last week's edition

of The Owyhee Avalanche, county

Clerk Charlotte Sherburn said

that the county would draw less

interest in 2008 than it did on

But Richards said last week that

the gap isn't nearly as drastic as

what the Avalanche reported in its

Richards said that with two

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Commissioners is poised to bring civil process fees in line with

to rise

surrounding counties.

Homedale progress in a holding pattern?



As business closes elsewhere, airport group eager to take off

Council balks at helping grant process

Debate sparks angry reaction from airport supporters

A discussion on matching funds for a Homedale Municipal Airport grant veered off-course Wednesday as skepticism and frugality took flight at the Homedale City Council meeting.

The fireworks began after city Public Works Supervisor Larry Bauer, who also serves as airport manager, announced that the state Division of Aeronautics had unexpectedly offered Homedale a chance at up to \$187,500 in grant money to help shore up under-developed areas of the airport's tarmac.

"The FAA jumped our grant (application window) by a couple of years," Bauer said, referring to the early arrival of the funding opportunity.

Bauer told the council that the city had to put up \$62,500 in matching funds (about one-third of the grant total) — either cash or in-kind -



Homedale lumberyard closes shop

Signs on the door tell the story: Snake River Lumber on Pioneer Road has fallen victim to the downturn in the home construction industry.

SR Lumber dries up in construction drought

Homedale yard's closure blamed on lack of contractor business; buyer may be on horizon

The slumping economy has claimed an area business, but it could be making a comeback before too long.

Snake River Lumber owner Dave Holton confirmed Wednesday afternoon that the Pioneer Road business outside — See **Grant**, page 5 | Homedale has closed its doors.

A sign on the showroom doors at the Pioneer Road business said the company had been closed since Wednesday, Aug. 6.

Holton said the slowdown in the construction industry precipitated the deci-

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Moving business ahead

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plan open house Thursday

Homedale residents will get a chance to chime in on what transportation needs are important to them during an open house at City Hall on Thursday.

Project Engineering Consultants will present the open house on the Transportation Master Plan from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. at City Hall, 30 W. Wyoming Ave.

PEC civil engineer Ryan Lancaster announced the open house during Thursday's Homedale Chamber of Commerce meeting at Owyhee Lanes Restaurant.

Lancaster said input may steer how Homedale officials proceed in any future projects for road paving, drainage systems and sidewalk improvements such as American Disabilities Act-accessible ramps at intersections.

'The schools are concerned about sidewalks and safe walking paths, especially out toward Homedale Middle School," Lancaster said as an example.

— JPB

City presents transportation Rules catch farmers off-guard

A Marsing Rural Fire District official says area farmers were surprised by new field-burning regulations put in place by the state earlier this month.

Roman Usabel said the fire district received a letter from the Idaho Department of Environmental Quality dated Aug. 8, seven days after the agency began accepting burn permit registrations from farmers.

The timing couldn't have been worse, Usabel said.

Under new DEO rules, farmers must register for a permit to burn crop residue 30 days before they want to burn. The problem with that, Usabel said, is that many farmers want to burn right away to put in a new crop.

"Some of them say they want to plant alfalfa next week," Usabel said on Aug. 12. "The only good thing I can say (about the new rules) is straw's valuable, so they're not going to burn it; they're going to bale it."

Producers also must pay the \$2-per-acre burn fee at least seven days before the burn. Growers will be notified on the proposed burn date whether burning will be allowed that day.

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DEQ is expanding air quality rules statewide, with the burning seasons set to begin Sept. 2. Burn days will be limited to weekdays during daylight hours, and the agency has prohibited burning bales of old hay and straw.

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$\sqrt{\text{Fees:}}$ Commissioners set Sept. 15 for public hearing

divorce cases and lawsuits.

The hearing will take place inside Courtroom 2 at the Owyhee County Courthouse.

The fee now stands at \$45, which includes \$20 for service of the papers, a \$20 return fee and \$5 for mileage.

The commissioners will hear testimony on bumping the fee to \$55, adding \$5 to the service fee and \$5 to the mileage charge.

"We just took a bunch of other counties in Idaho and did some averaging and came up with what we want to move to," Sheriff Gary

Aman said the revenue generated by any approved increase would be "minimal" in relation to the tightening budgets he oversees.

"Costs are going up," he said, adding that the reason for the fee increase is primarily fuel costs but also is an effort to move service charges more in line with surrounding counties.

A complete copy of all fees that are earmarked for increase can be obtained from the County Clerk's office in Murphy from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

HPD searches for new officer

The Homedale Police Department will likely be adding another new face this year.

The department is taking applications for an entry-level police officer and posted the position online Aug. 12.

"We're pulling extra hours," Chief Jeff Eidemiller said Thursday, "It's a tough time right now to find a replacement officer."

The chief assured Homedale residents that they would not see a reduction in service.

Recent hire Steve Atkins will be continuing in a volunteer role, but will not be attending Idaho's Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST) Academy until the spring of 2009. Given that Atkins can, by law, only patrol with another officer, Eidemiller said the Homedale reserve officer had gone back to work part-time with his former employer, Campbell Tractor, until he could complete his Level 1 law enforcement training.

The department may face an additional personnel shortfall if Cpl. Perry Grant is reactivated for military duty, the primary reason

Grant stated for his withdrawal from the Owyhee County Sheriff's race.

In other news, the department has its new software from Computer Arts in Meridian, Eidemiller said. The instructor from Computer Arts hasn't yet made contact with the department's operator, he said.

The system software was updated this summer following several years of incomplete reports to the state's crime statistics program.

--MML

Police, fire personnel to greet children during bowling event

Fun and games planned; HPD will fingerprint for ID kits, too

Police and fire personnel from Homedale and Wilder will be on hand Saturday to help with the first Bowling Blast Off community

Conjured up by Owyhee Lanes Restaurant owners Donna and Mike Marose, the event will feature several activities geared toward youth as well as a door prize raffle with proceeds benefiting the Homedale Youth Bowling scholarship fund.

The event takes place from noon to 4 p.m. on Saturday.

"The idea behind the entire day is to have families enjoy time doing something local, fun and police department," Donna

"If we can draw kids into something positive when they are in elementary and middle school, we have a better chance of keeping them positive as they continue into high school."

Marose said the portion of North 1st Street East in front of the bowling alley will be closed to allow for an Astro Jump and other activities for the children. All activities are free, and door prize tickets are five for \$1.

Each child will be able to bowl for one hour for free with assistance from youth bowling leaders, and there also will be and to get to know the people free ice cream from Owyhee Ice involved with the fire department Cream Co., free snacks, a clown and face-painting, fingerprinting

and photos for children ID kits by the Homedale Police Department, a police dog demonstration by the Wilder K-9 unit and a Homedale fire truck open to tours.

All ages are welcome, and children will receive a punch card on which each activity is counted. Marose said children can bring the punch card back to Owyhee Lanes for the next month after the event for free bowling.

The youth bowling scholarship fund helps bring underprivileged children into the program and also heps pay for travel to state tournaments, Marose said.

Other sponsors include King Excavation, Sysco Foods of Idaho and the Homedale Youth Bowling League.

For more information on the event or sponsorship, call 337-

- JPB



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HHS graduate gets scholarship

Homedale High School graduate Joshua Myers has earned a \$2,000 scholarship from West Valley Medical Center in Caldwell.

A Trustee Scholar and Dean's List member at The College of Idaho in Caldwell (3.87 gradepoint average), Myers remains active in the Homedale Middle School's after-school program for disadvantaged students, according to a West Valley Medical Center press release.

Marsing mulls makeover for misdemeanors

Five contractors submit qualifying water project bids

Marsing's fiscal year 2009 budget was passed without comment on Wednesday evening at a city council meeting that saw no surprises.

The budget and the annual appropriations ordinance (taxes) were passed at the meeting's outset

Sgt. Gary Olsen of the Owyhee County Sheriff's Office brought a draft of an addendum to the city's law enforcement services contract with OCSO as concerned the protocol for pursuing ordinance violations in Marsing.

The proposed addendum would stipulate that the city agents responding to an ordinance violation on an investigation of a property would, in a case where they feared for their safety, be accompanied by a deputy during the examination of the property in question. Any infractions would be investigated and written up by a city agent, the usual warning letter would be sent to the property owner, and then, should the situation not be resolved, the case would go straight into the hands of the on-duty deputy, who would issue the citation to the property owner. Second or further violations by the same address wouldn't even require a city agent to perform another examination of the property. They could simply take a picture, write the citation and have the deputy deliver it.

"We just want to avoid city staff being in an unsafe position," Olsen said.

As part of this official description of process, Olsen passed along the Sheriff Gary Aman's suggestion that the many misdemeanor ordinances on Marsing's books become infractions. Mayor Keith Green and the council agreed with the suggestion and will have City Attorney Stephanie Bonney begin work on the



A different kind of iron-on

Marsing and Homedale are both adding some thermoplastic crosswalks in high-traffic areas. Marsing has laid eight of the new pedestrian crossings, outlined by the reflective thermoplastic. The sections Homedale has purchased cost \$560, with an added \$250 in shipping to get the material here from North Carolina, Homedale Public Works Supervisor Larry Bauer said during a city council meeting last week. Homedale rented the required 800-degree bonding torch from Marsing to install the stripes, meant to last 10 years, on the pavement.

Above: A Homedale crew laid two of the new thermoplastic crosswalks on Thursday, at the corner of Main Street and Idaho Avenue and one block east at the intersection of East Idaho Avenue and 1st Street East.

amendment.

That shift from misdemeanor to infraction will allow the city to lighten the load on the county court system, as well as ensuring that a larger portion of any penalty for an infraction goes to the city, the council agreed. It will also allow those facing an infraction to mail their cited penalty in, via the county officers in Murphy, rather than appear for court. In the event that an individual received multiple citations, the infractions would result in a misdemeanor and a possible court appearance, Mayor Green confirmed.

Olsen reported that 365 manhours had been expended in patrols and calls in Marsing during the preceding month, a number that he said was slightly low because of his being a man short. The department had to rotate a deputy into the jail in order to help out, given that the jail has two officers out for an extended time because of medical reasons, the sergeant said.

Departmental reports from City Engineer Amy Woodruff and Head of Maintenance Danny Martin noted that the water and sewer projects were on track and moving forward.

Five contractors prequalified for the water project's next phase, Woodruff said, and bids will open Aug. 28 on the city water tank and well installations. Final designs on the distribution plans for the system were 90 percent done, she said, and, with the bidding process upcoming, the city will

know just how much money they have to work with by the end of August.

Martin reported that all the new crosswalks were in position in Marsing. He also informed the council of a request by Larry Bauer, Homedale's Public Works Supervisor, to rent the special bonding torch used to anchor the heat-seating material used in the new crosswalks. Homedale had purchased some of the material for its own streets, but had not purchased the \$800 torch used to bond the material to the asphalt, and had instead hoped to rent one, Martin said. As it turned out, no torches were available for rent. and Bauer had inquired of Martin as to renting Marsing's torch. The council was amenable to the idea.

After some discussion over what should be charged, it was decided to offer to rent the torch for \$50 to the City of Homedale.

Martin asked the council for guidance on a request for irrigation water from a property located on Main Street in Marsing. The property owner pays irrigation water and maintenance fees, though there is no actual delivery system to bring any irrigation water to the property. Martin wanted to pass the request along, and expressed his concerns that multiple owners might all make similar requests, as many properties along north Main do have irrigation rights and pay the fees.

"When they ask, I need to know what to tell them," he said.

After discussion, the council decided to have city attorney Bonney look into the details of just what the city was responsible for, and what options were available.

During the public comment portion of the meeting, Marsing resident Jim Thomas brought up a concern with the many overhanging boughs of trees along city streets.

"I like trees, and Marsing has a lot of trees," Thomas began. He went on to point out that many of these trees are hanging low enough over streets that larger vehicles like delivery trucks or moving vans must swerve to avoid limbs. That, he said, was a chance for an accident. Mayor Green said he would look into the situation, as well as explore which ordinances might cover the problem.

Lyndell Jackson of the Snake River Scenic Byway spoke briefly. The Byway committee has managed to raise the \$12,500 needed to secure the \$50,000 matching funds grant from the state, and the project is continuing forward. She invited input on the next phase of the project, during which the locations for signs, pull-outs and restrooms along the route would be decided.

— MML

Ranchers turn out for state grazing lease meeting

Ranchers, growers and others turned out in force to give their views on state land lease applications Aug. 11 in Nampa.

Brenda Richards, Owyhee County Treasurer and Owyhee Cattleman's Association director, attended the meeting at the Nampa Civic Center.

"I went to the Department of Lands meeting, and they had a good presentation with a question and answer period," Richards wrote in a response to The Owyhee Avalanche.

The hearing saw a great turnout of those seeking to give input on the setting of standards in the lease renewal process for state grazing lands, and the room was filled to overflowing, Richards said.

"There were over 30 people in

attendance, not including the State Lands people or Clive Strong and Attorney General Wasden from the Governor's office," she said.

The Idaho Department of Lands (IDL) is reviewing the process used in renewing leases, to update that process for any contested leases and to make sure that leased

lands are bringing the best rate of return to the endowment fund as required by law, Richards said.

Comments will be taken by the IDL until Sept. 12, and the information from last week's meeting is available through to Idaho Department of Lands, Attn.: Grazing Subcommittee, P.O. Box 83720,

Boise, ID 83720-0050.

Comments may be submitted via e-mail, fax, or mail. The

subcommittee's e-mail address is grazing_subcommittee@idl. idaho.gov.





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√ County: Interest earned in current year close to 2007 county has earned more than \$178,500 in interest — \$80,000 more than originally reported.

Yet Richards said the county still

will come up short of matching 2007 returns.

"We have two months of interest left for this fiscal year, but I do not

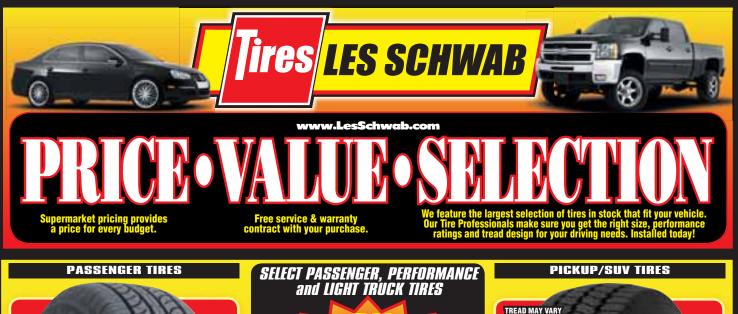
anticipate (remaining interest) to be over \$13,000 total," Richards wrote in an e-mail.

That would put the county at about \$191,500 in interest payments for FY 2008, only \$8,500 off the \$200,000 in returns for 2007.

"The longer-term investments we are able to make that are completely secure and backed are making the best rate of return," Richards said.

Those investments are drawing and average of 4.37 percent.

Lower interests are still hurting the rate of return, though. The Local Government Pool investment, which is handled through the state, paid only 2.4777 percent in July, down 47.3 percent from the rate of return a year earlier, Richards said.











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$\sqrt{\text{Grant:}}$ Doubled leases floated as an idea to beef up airport's revenue

to qualify for the full amount of the grant. He stressed that the city didn't have to accept the full amount of the grant, meaning fewer matching funds would be required for a smaller grant.

The council has until Sept. 5 to pass a resolution declaring the city's intent to pursue the grant.

Bauer said that leveling the seven acres adjacent to the airport — 3½ acres of which the council already has dedicated to airport expansion — would help generate about half of the needed capital for matching funds through the sale of excess city-owned gravel once the leveling work was complete.

The leveling project would cost about \$15,000, and Bauer recommended leveling the entire seven acres even though only half of the parcel has been earmarked for airport use at this time.

Mayor Harold Wilson suggested paying for the leveling project with part of the carryover in the economic development line item established by the council under then-Mayor Paul Fink for fiscal year 2008. City Clerk and Treasurer Alice Pegram said the city brought all but \$3,500 of that \$40,000 fund forward for FY 2009.

"It isn't like the city doesn't have the money to do it," Wilson said.

"One thing that I think that the city has gotta look at, too, (is) the rest of our town just keeps closing businesses and the airport's growing."

— Ed Leavitt

Homedale businessman, prospective airport tenant

After a long, often heated discussion involving city officials and airport business owners, Wilson's request that the council appropriate money to level the land died for lack of a motion.

Wilson was defiant after the motion died. Before moving on to the next agenda item he said:

"Some day they'll (council members) realize that the workers down there (at the airport) are bringing money into the city."

Councilmen Dave Downum and Tim Downing voiced opposition to spending money out of the city's general fund to level the land.

"I'm against taking taxpayers' money and putting it into the airport," Downing said.

Downum suggested selling 3½ acres of U.S. Highway 95 frontage to help build money to develop the airport, which drew the ire of Kitfox Aircraft LLC co-owner John McBean, who

suggested the council opposed the development of the airport.

"The property tax from the airport goes into the general fund, and now you're saying we don't have a right to it, and that bothers me," McBean said.

Another suggestion for raising matching funds was doubling the current airport lease rate from 2.5 cents per square foot to 5 cents per square foot as well as charging at \$1,000 development fee to anyone who wants to build a new hangar on the 3½-acre expansion zone.

Wilson said, based on FY 2008 figures, doubling the lease amount would bring in \$8,000 in FY 2009. McBean and Carl Johnson—another airport businessman in attendance—said they weren't opposed to paying twice as much for their land, with McBean calling such a rate "reasonable" and probably acceptable to future lessees. McBean also said there were three "solid" parties

interested in building hangars right away and that there was little opposition to paying the development fee.

Wilson said the city would make the leveling investment back in a few years through increased lease payments and the development fee, but Downing questioned why development had to be rushed.

Downing said he talked to mayors who also have airports in their cities and he said none of those officials looked favorably upon drawing down the general fund to match a grant. He suggested waiting a few years to let the airport fund build with higher leases and development

"I find it hard to believe there will be less demand four years from now at the airport," Downing said.

"The demand will be there, but you'll lose four that are interested now," McBean countered.

In all, McBean said he has heard from as many as a dozen people interested in building hangars in Homedale.

One of the people who wants to build at the airport, Specialty Inc. Wood Products owner Ed Leavitt, also attended the meeting. He angrily rushed out of the council chamber after debating that the city's original intent in buying the seven acres was for airport expansion and for no other purpose.

Invoking the closure of Snake River Lumber and Rafter 4 Feed Store, Leavitt argued that the city's focus on where to spend development dollars was misguided.

"One thing that I think that the city has gotta look at, too, (is) the rest of our town just keeps closing businesses and the airport's growing," Leavitt said. "Where do you want to put the money? The town's dying, but the airport just keeps growing."

McBean earlier had said that his company employs 10 workers, some of whom are shopping for homes in the area and others who have placed their children in the Homedale School District.

After he asked the council earlier in Wednesday's meeting to approve \$1,000 to pay a retired engineering specialist to help Homedale pursue the feasibility of a Local Improvement District to rebuild downtown infrastructure, Wilson seemingly sided with Leavitt's sentiment:

"What's going to benefit the city more?" he asked. "Sidewalks or employing 10 people at the airport?"

— JPB

$\sqrt{\text{Snake River:}}$ Owner says lack of expansion opportunity played a part

"It's basically due to economic conditions," he said. "(The lumber yard) was primarily based for home building. Any type of building was the primary income. We haven't been able to make a profit for some time."

As many as 11 people — mostly from Owyhee County — worked at Snake River Lumber, which was formerly known as Jump Creek Lumber until about three years ago. Jobs were steadily trimmed during the past year, Holton said, until the final decision.

But the shutdown may not last long. Holton said there is a local buyer trying to make a deal for the business, and he expects resolution on the details within 30 days.

He declined to disclose the identity of the prospective buyer.

"We had been contemplating it for 90 days now, and things got to the point where we were negotiating back and forth and it didn't make sense to keep it open because we were losing too much money every month and there was no way to cut any more cost."

A 10-year Owyhee County resident, Holton bought the business about four years ago. It's located adjacent to Filler King, which owns the approximately three acres on which the yard is built.

Holton said while the yard is closed, a bookkeeper and a yard man — Paul Campbell of Mars-



Lumberyard's past still lingers

Owner Dave Holton changed the name of his business to Snake River Lumber years ago, but a storage building still bears the old Jump Creek Lumber moniker.

ing — remain on the payroll as the loose ends of business are tied up.

"Basically what we're trying to do is to finish up on all receivables and all payables and get a good count on inventory," Holton said.

He said that the inventory count could have an impact on whether the business transaction goes through. If a new buyer isn't found, Holton said the remaining inventory will be liquidated in a sale.

The disappearance of the lumberyard closes a chapter on

Homedale business that grabbed headlines beginning two years ago when then-Mayor Paul Fink proposed leasing seven acres south of Homedale Municipal Airport to Holton for an expanded lumberyard and retail operation.

Fink's proposal was met with stiff opposition from other business owners clamoring that the city had to open the seven-acre parcel to public bidding for a lease.

"We wanted to convert the organization to more of a retailtype organization, and it's pretty hard to do retail in this location (Pioneer Road)," Holton said.

"We just thought if we could get it out there that we could increase the retail by a substantial amount of business because we didn't want it to stay just primarily a construction-related-type lumber company because we didn't feel that that was a sustainable-type business. It needed to change and convert more to retail."

Holton envisioned a home improvement center catering to contractors as well as weekend home improvement warriors, citing the contractor-only angle as "too vola-

tile for long-term" viability.

He also said the makeup of

the current location was too restrictive to allow expansion to a 10,000-square-foot showroom plus lumberyard.

Holton abandoned the idea of moving to the land near U.S. Highway 95 and set his sights on a commercial-residential-mixed development on the Trout Farms property on Kansas Avenue in Homedale. The owner of Holton Homes planned to build a retail lumberyard as anchor for a commercial center built next to a subdivision that would have featured approximately 80 home sites.

Holton said the deal fell through when the two sides couldn't agree on a price for the farmland.

While Holton has shuttered Snake River Lumber, he insists there is a market for the type of business into which he wanted the yard to evolve.

"I think it's still a much-needed entity out there," he said. "It's the right location, and if there's a change in the mix of product there, I think it would be a very viable business."

In fact, Holton is rooting for the resurrection of the business.

"My hope is it's sold, and it's fired back up," he said. "It's a pretty crucial need for the community."

— JPB

Key school dates

Homedale

Aug. 22 — Early dismissal at 1:30 p.m.

Sept. 1 — Labor Day, no school

Sept. 22 — Parent-teacher conferences for high school students, 3:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Sept. 29 — Parent-teacher conferences for middle school students, 3:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Oct. 2-3 — No school

Oct. 24 — End first quarter

Nov. 5 — Parent-teacher conferences for kindergarteners, 8 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Nov. 5 — Parent-teacher conferences for Grades 1-4, 3:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Nov. 7 — No school

Nov. 24 — Parent-teacher conferences for high school students, 3:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Nov. 26-28 — Thanksgiving vacation

Dec. 22 — Christmas vacation begins

Jan. 5 — School resumes

Jan. 9 — End second quarter for elementary and middle school students

Jan. 19 — MLK Jr. Day, no school

Feb. 9 and Feb. 11 — Parent-teacher conferences for middle school students, 3:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Feb. 13 — No school for elementary students

Feb. 16 — Presidents Day, no school

Feb. 23 — Parent-teacher conferences for high school students, 3:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

March 13 — No school

March 18 — Parent-teacher conferences for kindergarteners, 8 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

March 18 — Parent-teacher conferences for Grades 1-4, 3:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

March 19 — Parent-teacher conferences for kindergarten through Grade 4, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

March 20 — No school

March 23-27 — Spring break

April 13 — Parent-teacher conferences for high school students, 3:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

April 17 — No school

May 19 — Last day of school for seniors

May 23 — High school graduation, 2 p.m.

May 25 — Memorial Day, no school

May 27 — Last day of school

Marsing

Sept. 1 — Labor Day, no school

Oct. 2-3 — No school, state teachers conference

Oct. 17 — End first quarter

Oct. 28-30 — Parent-teacher conferences (check with child's teacher for times)

Nov. 27-28 — Thanksgiving vacation

Dec. 18 — End second quarter

Dec. 22 — Christmas vacation begins

Jan. 5 — School resumes

Feb. 16 — Presidents Day, no school

March 10 — End third quarter

March 17-19 — Parent-teacher conferences (check with child's teacher for times)

March 20 — No school

March 23-27 — Spring break

May 22 — Graduation, end fourth quarter and last day of school

Bruneau-Grand View

Aug. 25 — First day of school

Sept. 1 — Labor Day, no school

Sept. 15 — No school

Oct. 2-3 — No school

Oct. 24 — End first quarter

Oct. 29-30 — Parent-teacher conferences

Oct. 31 — No school

Nov. 26-28 — Thanksgiving vacation

Dec. 19 — End second quarter; half day

Dec. 22 — Christmas vacation begins

Jan. 5 — School resumes

Jan. 19 — Martin Luther King Day, no school

Feb. 16 — Presidents Day, no school

Feb. 23 — No school

March 13 — End third quarter; half day

March 18-19 — Parent-teacher conferences

April 20 — No school

May 22 — Last day of school

Adrian

Sept. 1 — Labor Day, no school

Oct. 16 — End first quarter

Oct. 23-24 — Parent-teacher conferences

Nov. 10 — Veterans Day, no school

Nov. 27-28 — Thanksgiving vacation

Dec. 18 — End second quarter

Dec. 22 — Winter break begins

Jan. 5 — School resumes

Jan. 29 — Martin Luther King Day, no school

Feb. 16 — Presidents Day, no school

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Obituary

Marie Bradford

Marie Bradford, 84 of Wilder, died Monday, August 11, 2008 at home in Wilder of natural causes. Funeral services were held at 11:00 a.m. Friday, August 15, 2008 at Dakan Funeral Chapel, Caldwell. Interment followed at the Wilder Cemetery. The family received friends at the funeral home from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Thursday evening.

Alonia Marie Ladd Bradford, was born July 1, 1924 in Williamson County, Tennessee to Leslie and Amelia Addie Lamb Ladd. She was raised in Tennessee and later moved to California where she worked for Bell Telephone Co. She married Woodrow (Brad) Bradford July 12, 1950 and they made their home in San Bernardino, California until they retired in 1974. They then moved to Wilder where they have since resided.

Marie was a member of the Golden Gate Baptist Church, and the Order of the Eastern Star.

Surviving are her husband, Woodrow (Brad) Bradford of Wilder; children, David Kruse of California and Kaye Kruse-Menold of California and Michael Bradford of Nampa; her half brothers, Ira Loggins of Nampa and Gene and Woody Loggins



of Oregon; her half sisters, Sarah Plymesser of California, Ernestine Bishop of South Carolina and Dorothy Richey of Tennessee.

She was preceded in death by an infant child, brothers Earl and Sneed Ladd, and sister Ruby Ladd-Adcock.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests that donations be sent to: Masonic Lodge Scholarship Fund, Attn: Rob Troxel, PO Box 487, Marsing, ID 83639. Memories and condolences may be shared with her family in Marie's online guest book at www.dakanfuneralchapel.com

Birthday

Former Marsing resident Walker ready to mark 90th

The family of former Marsing resident Beth Walker is planning a 90th birthday celebration at 6 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 30, 2008, at the Vendome at 309 State St., in Weiser.

The family invites all family and friends to take part in the celebration, which will include her 12 living children, their spouses, 84 grandchildren and 244 great grandchildren. The celebration will feature light refreshments, background music and musical numbers by family members throughout the evening.

Beth was born in Glenwood, Alberta Canada, on Sept. 3, 1918. After marrying Wendell H. Walker, the couple lived in New Meadows, Meridian and Marsing, where several children graduated from high school. In 1959, the family moved to Weiser to continue its farming



Beth Walker

operation. Beth still lives in the family home in Weiser and enjoys good health. She is involved in church, family and community activities.

Death notice

JODIE STRICKLAND, 89. formerly of Bruneau, died Sunday, June 8, 2008. A memorial service will be held at 4 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 30, 2008, at the Bruneau

Your finances

Family well-being is priority over the credit sharks

Dear Dave,

I lost my job a few months ago. My wife works, but she doesn't make much money, and we also have three kids. I'm still trying to keep up my credit card payments, but next month I know I'll be late and they'll start adding fees. In all, I have about \$60,000 in debt and that includes payments on a \$20,000 car. I don't know how to handle the situation anymore.

— Geraldo

Dear Geraldo,

The first thing you need to do is sell that car. You can't afford a \$20,000 car when you're \$60,000 in debt. And really, the credit cards are the least of your worries. What you need is an overall game plan. You don't have a debt crisis as much as you have a career

You need to be delivering pizzas or throwing boxes at UPS tonight! You've got to do something to get some money going, even if it's not on the level of what you were doing before. A thousand or \$1,200 a month doesn't sound like a lot, but it'll go a long way in keeping the wolf away from the door.

And when you're not working, you need to be pounding the pavement looking for a real job. With a wife and family, you've got some big responsibilities, man. There are good jobs out there, but you've got to get out and make it happen.

What you've been doing is honorable, but right now the credit card companies can wait. They'll fuss and threaten, but your family needs to come first. Take care of the basics before anything else — food, clothing, shelter, transportation and utilities.

Then, you can take care of the credit sharks with whatever is left!

Dear Dave,

My little brother is getting married soon. Together, he and his wife will make about \$35,000 a year. The other day he told me he's working on a deal to buy a \$70,000 trailer, and has already



put \$500 toward the purchase. The deal isn't final yet, so what can I do to convince him this is a bad idea?

— Doug

Dear Doug,

Go knock him in the head and stop him!

Seriously, take this kid on a ride around town and let him have a good look at the trailers people bought in the last few years. You can practically see the money draining out of them.

A trailer is just about the largest purchase you can make that will go down in value. It's like a car you sleep in! If you bought a \$70,000 trailer three years ago, it would be worth about \$30,000 now. That's not what I call a wise investment.

If he were my little brother and I had the money, I'd pay him \$500 just to walk away from the deal. He's looking at the trailer like it's a dinky little house, but here's the difference. If he buys a small \$70,000 home, at least the thing is going to go up in value.

I'm not badmouthing people who live in trailers here, Doug. I'm badmouthing trailers. Call them trailers, mobile homes whatever. They're a bad place to stick your money!

— Dave

— Dave Ramsey is the bestselling author of The Total Money Makeover. He also is the host of The Dave Ramsey Show that airs at 6 p.m. daily on the Fox Business Channel. You can find — Dave tools to help with finances or previous columns at Davesays. org. For more financial advice, visit the Web site or call (888) 22-PEACE. Have a question for Dave? Send correspondence to syndication@daveramsey.com or write Dave \$ays, 1749 Mallory Lane, Brentwood, TN 37027

Homedale library presents Story Time on Saturday

Story Time at Homedale Public Library will feature the tale of "Chicken Little" at 10 a.m. on Saturday.

Children of all ages are invited to attend and find out if the sky really is falling. Each family will receive a free copy of the featured book to take home.

Refreshments will be served during the free event.

For more information, call the library, 337-4228 between 1 p.m. and 5 p.m.

The library is located at 125 W. Owyhee Ave.

Calendar

Today

El-Ada commodity distribution

11 a.m. to noon, Marsing Senior Center, 218 Main St., Marsing. (208) 337-4812

DivorceCare recovery support group

7 p.m., Mountain View Church of the Nazarene, 26515 Ustick Road, Wilder. (208) 337-3151

Marsing Chamber of Commerce meeting

7 p.m., Essence of Life, 107 Main St., Marsing. (208) 896-7001

Thursday

Exercise class

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

Homedale Transportation Plan open house 4 p.m., Homedale City Hall foyer, 31 W. Wyoming Ave. (208) 337-4641

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly)

5:30 p.m. weigh-in, 7 p.m. meeting, First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St., Homedale. (208) 482-6893

AA meeting

8 p.m., Homedale Senior Citizens Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave.

Friday

Celebrate Recovery 12-step program

6 p.m., Mountain View Church of the Nazarene, 26515 Ustick Road, Wilder. (208) 337-3520 or (208) 337-3151

Monday

County commissioners meeting

Courtroom 2, Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy. 78, Murphy

Tuesday

Exercise class

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

Pure Word recovery meeting

7 p.m., Snake River Valley Fellowship, 20 E. Oregon Ave, Homedale. (208) 475-3733

AA meeting

8 p.m., Homedale Senior Citizens Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave.

Wednesday

DivorceCare recovery support group

7 p.m., Mountain View Church of the Nazarene, 26515 Ustick Road, Wilder. (208) 337-3151

Thursday, August 28

Exercise class

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

Homedale City Council meeting

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

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AA meeting

8 p.m., Homedale Senior Citizens Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave.

Friday, August 29

ION Museum benefit yard sale

8 a.m., Young Field Subdivision across from Sunny Ridge RV Park, Jordan Valley, Ore. (541) 586-2818, (541) 586-2460 or (541) 586-2100

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Tuesday, September 2

County commissioners meeting

Courtroom 2, Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy. 78, Murphy

Owyhee County budget hearing

10 a.m., Courtroom 2, Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy. 78, Murphy

Exercise class

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

Marsing PTA meeting

7 p.m., Marsing High School Commons Room, 208 S. 8th Ave. W., Marsing. (208) 896-4273

Pure Word recovery meeting

7 p.m., Snake River Valley Fellowship, 20 E. Oregon Ave, Homedale. (208) 475-3733

Ridgeview Irrigation District board meeting

7 p.m., 118 S. 1st St. W., Homedale Gem Irrigation District board meeting

7:15 p.m., 118 S. 1st St. W., Homedale

South Board of Control board meeting 7:30 p.m., 118 S. 1st St. W., Homedale

AA meeting

8 p.m., Homedale Senior Citizens Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave.

Wednesday, September 3

DivorceCare recovery support group

7 p.m., Mountain View Church of the Nazarene, 26515 Ustick Road, Wilder. (208) 337-3151

Thursday, September 4

Exercise class

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

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly)

5:30 p.m. weigh-in, 7 p.m. meeting, First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St., Homedale. (208) 482-6893

Homedale Rod and Gun Club meeting

7 p.m., Owyhee Lanes Restaurant, 18 N. 1st St. E., Homedale. (208) 463-4383

AA meeting

8 p.m., Homedale Senior Citizens Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave.

Friday, September 5

Celebrate Recovery 12-step program

6 p.m., Mountain View Church of the Nazarene, 26515 Ustick Road, Wilder. (208) 337-3520 or (208) 337-3151

Saturday, September 6 **OCHS** field trip

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Monday, September 8

County commissioners meeting

Courtroom 2, Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy. 78, Murphy

Homedale School District Board of Trustees

7 p.m., district office board room, 116 E. Owyhee

Melba School District Board of Trustees meeting

4 p.m., district office board room, 600 Broadway

Submit information on upcoming fundraisers, meetings, reunions or community events to The Owyhee Avalanche by noon Fridays for inclusion in the calendar. Drop off press releases at the Avalanche office at 19 E. Idaho Ave., Homedale, mail them to P.O. Box 97, Homedale, ID 83628, fax them to (208) 337-4867 or e-mail them to jbrowneditor@cableone.net. For more information on submissions, call (208) 337-4681.

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McRae has golden memories, but no golden ticket

Kara McRae of Homedale tried her singing voice in the Salt Lake City audition for American Idol at the end of July. While she didn't make it past the first round of judges, nor get the coveted golden ticket, she has no regrets about the trip, nor does her mother, Debbie McRae.

"There were some crazies that got in — I mean some really weird ones — but the best part was when we were in line for hours and hours, there were amazing, talented musicians. People were singing and jamming, and you're thinking 'Why are we even here?' — these people are so amazing," Debbie said. "But you know what? None of them made it either."

It was an early start, though. "It went great. We headed up on

Saturday, and woke up at three in the morning, then lined up at the Energy Solution Arena at 4:30, so we were right in the front of the line, behind about 200 people," Kara said. She said that approximately 7,000 people turned up to audition

"Right about seven, the line started to move. In line, we heard a bunch of great people, like everyone was singing. It was pretty intimidating because there were a lot of people that were better than I thought that there would be," Kara said.

That first day, Monday, July 28, Kara registered. Tuesday, July 29, was another big day with a 3 a.m. wakeup call. This time they stood in line until about 9 a.m., though the wait went quickly when sur-

rounded by talented singers and musicians, she said. Since she was again in the front of the line, Kara and her mother both got to do the "welcome to the American Idol" cheering crowd scene that opens every city/season of the popular Fox television show.

"We did it, like, a hundred times, so you might see me," she said.

The contestants then joined into large groups and sang one of the mandatory songs, "Ain't No Mountain High Enough", popularized by Marvin Gaye and Tammi Terrell in 1967. Then it was time to meet with the producers.

"They'd call us by section, and luckily I was in the pregnant section, I don't know why, but our section got to go first because they were worried about the pregnant people," Kara said.

Two- or three-hundred people sang before Kara, and of those she only saw two or three go through with the coveted golden ticket in hand. Singers would sing in groups of four, each individual singing for the producers, who would then decide who would make it to the first round of the show and meet the Big Three — Simon Cowell, Randy Jackson and Paula Abdul — who await the contestants on-set in Hollywood.

"Right before I went, there was this really weird guy. I heard him sing and he was awful, and he was all dancing and he was really bad ... and he got through," Kara said. "I guess you have to be wacky to get through." Kara sang "The Way I Am" by Ingrid Michaelson.

"I thought it went pretty good, but I didn't get through, unfortunately," she said.

Still, not making it to the next round was minor compared to the fun of being at American Idol.

"It was such a good experience, and I plan on going, like, every year. My mom and I were thinking we may even have to go to two cities next year," she said. "It was so much fun — it was a blast, even though we had to wake up at three in the morning."

"We will do it again because we had so much fun standing in line," Debbie agreed. "I told Kara, 'You couldn't pay to have this much fun.'"

--MML

New teachers join Homedale schools

When school started Monday in Homedale, it was also first day for 13 new teachers.

Three teachers joined the staff at Homedale High School:

• Craig Bagley will teach Language Arts. He comes to Homedale from Bear Lake School District in extreme southeast Idaho.

He has a bachelor of the arts degree in Theatre and Media Art from BYU Idaho in Rexburg.

- David Sintay spent the past two years in the Nyssa, Ore., School District. He will serve as the band director for Homedale's middle school and high school and he'll direct the HHS choir. He has a Bachelor of Music degree from Eastern Oregon University.
- Sasha Washburn, an English and Speech teacher, has spent time in the Fruitland School District and at Nampa and Skyview high schools. She also taught two years at Kamiakin High School in Kennewick, Wash.

She earned a BA in English from the University of Maryland in 2000, and followed that with a Certificate of Education from Eastern Washington University.

New faces at Homedale Middle School include:

- Counselor Mark Biggs, who earned a Masters in Counseling in 1989 and has spent time in Alaska at the Bering Strait School District, Arizona at the Holbrook Indian School and one year at Syringa Middle School in Caldwell. He also worked for the Bureau Indian Affairs for a couple years.
- Greg Borman will teach seventh- and eighth-grade math at HMS. He majored in Mathematics at the University of Idaho and taught at the College of Eastern Utah for seven years.

Andrew Endicott begins his career at HMS as a fifth-grade instructor. He majored in Multidisciplinary Studies at Eastern Oregon and spent three months as a student-teacher in Caldwell.

• Faith Hansen will serve as

literacy coach at HMS. She has a Master's in English from the University of Nebraska and taught one year each at the University of Nebraska and Nebraska Wesleyan University. She also spent three years in the Durango 9-4 School District in Colorado.

- Jennifer Martin is in the process of obtaining a Master's in Teaching/Education from George Fox University. She will teach eighth-grade Science at HMS. She has a Bachelor's from Western Washington University (2000) and spent two months with Malheur County Head Start.
- Craig Pentecost will have a fifth-grade class at HMS. After earned a Bachelor's in Elementary Education from Central Washington, Pentecost spent one year at the Riverside Christian School in Yakima, Wash., and four years in the Zillah, Wash., district.

Homedale Elementary has three new teachers including:

• Homedale High School graduate Michelle Endicott, wife of Andrew at HMS and daughter of Gary and Vicki Eby of Homedale.

Endicott is bilingual and recently finished her Bachelor's in Multidisciplinary Studies at EOU. She'll teach first grade after two months at Lewis and Clark Elementary in Caldwell.

- Margo Phariss will teach third grade. She has a Bachelor's in Elementary Education from UI.
- Leland Savell has 23 years' experience spanning three other districts, including Caldwell and Glenns Ferry. He'll teach general music to kindergarteners through sixth-graders.

The Homedale district office also has a new face with the addition of Laura Moylan as Federal Programs/Curriculum Director.

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Grand Champion: Megan Smith Reserve Grand Champion: Annie

Grand Champion Showperson: Jackie Phillips

Reserve Grand Champion **Showperson:** Megan Smith

Rabbit

Champion Showperson: Taylor

Reserve Rabbit Showperson: Rilev Haun

Best of Show: Nicholas Munson Reserve Champion: Nicholas

Poultry

Champion Showperson: Rozin

Reserve Champion Showperson: no winner

Best of Show: Rozin Jolley

Reserve Champion Best of Show:

Dog

Champion Showman: Carlie

Reserve Champion Showman: Evon Timmons

Obedience Grand Champion: LoriAnne Ressler

Obedience Reserve Grand Champion: Janey Clay

Judging

Junior 4-H Livestock Judge: Suzi Stirm

Intermediate 4-H Livestock Judge: Bailey Helm

Senior 4-H Livestock Judge: Tyler Blackstock

Large animal round robin John Malmberg Memorial Champion Round Robin: Catie Kershner

Round Robin Runner-up: Lacey

Round Robin Participant: Morgan Nash

Round Robin Participant: Rye

Round Robin Participant: Austin

Round Robin Participant: Megan

Novice Round Robin Showperson: Michael Lejardi

Novice Round Robin Runner-up: Kasen Skinner

Novice Round Robin Participant: Sage Raine

Novice Round Robin Partici-



pant: Nick Bennett

Novice Round Robin Participant: Travis Erwin

Novice Round Robin Participant: Megan Smith

Small animal round robin Sr. Champion Round Robin Showperson: Jackie Phillips

Sr. Reserve Champion Round Robin: Evon Timmons

Round Robin Participant: Taylor Coons

Round Robin Participant: Nick Munson

Junior Champion Round Robin Showperson: Carlie Purdom

Jr. Reserve Champion Round **Robin Showperson:** Megan Smith Jr. Round Robin Participant:

Janey Clay Jr. Round Robin Participant:

Herdmanship

Overall 4-H Herdsmanship Award: South Mountain Livestock

4-H Herdsmanship Award: **Tumbleweeds Dairy**

4-H Herdsmanship Award: Barnyard Brigade Sheep

4-H Herdsmanship Award: Reynolds Creek Swine

4-H Herdsmanship Award: Jump Creek Wranglers Goat

Sportsmanship

Livestock Sportsmanship Award-**Boy:** Clay Cantrell

Livestock Sportsmanship Award-Girl: Diedre Briggs

Outstanding Livestock Award: Tyler Blackstock

Demonstrations

Club Award for Highest Number of Demonstrations: South Mountain Cowbovs

Junior I Ag Demonstrator: Michael Lejardi

Junior II Ag Demonstrator: Crystal Good

Illustrated Talk: Wade Bass **Intermediate Ag Demonstrator:** Jackie Phillips

Senior Ag Demonstrator: Tyler Blackstock

Team Demonstration: no winner Junior I FCS Demonstrator: no

Junior II FCS Demonstrator: Kellie Barraza

Intermediate FCS Demonstra-

Senior FCS Demonstrator: no winner

Clothing

Junior I Clothing Exhibitor: Megan Aman

Junior I Clothing Exhibitor Runner-up: Makenna Renteria

Junior II Clothing Exhibitor: Maggie Landrey Junior II Clothing Exhibitor:

Runner-up Lydia Aman Intermediate Clothing Exhibi-

tor: Hayleigh Green **Intermediate Clothing Exhibitor**

Runner-up: Riley Stirm Senior Clothing Exhibitor: Logan

Senior Clothing Exhibitor Runner-up: no winner Grand Champion Quilting

Exhibitor: Maggie Landrey Reserve Champion Quilting Exhibitor: Logan Stirm

Fashion Revue Sage Hen Memorial Award-Junior I Fashion: Megan Aman

Sage Hen Memorial Award -

Junior I Fashion: Makenna Rente-

Junior II Fashion Revue: Kellie

Junior II Fashion Revue Runnerup: Maggie Landrey

2008 Tie: Lydia Aman

Intermediate Fashion Revue: no winner Intermediate Fashion Revue:

Runner-up no winner

Senior Fashion Revue: Amanda

Senior Fashion Revue Runnerup: Hayleigh Green



Foods

Junior I Foods Exhibitor: Logan

Junior I Foods Exhibitor Runnerup: Seth Ramirez Junior II Foods Exhibitor: Kellie

Junior II Foods Exhibitor

Runner-up: Suzi Stirm **Intermediate Foods Exhibitor:** Tyler Jensen

Intermediate Foods Exhibitor Runner-up: Gage Ramirez

Senior Foods Exhibitor Runnerup: Chris Johnson

Senior Foods Exhibitor: Logan

Miscellaneous All Around 4-H Miscellaneous Award: Becky Carter

Outstanding Miscellaneous 4-H Project: Nicholas Munson **Outstanding Miscellaneous 4-H**

Project: Abby Clay **Outstanding Miscellaneous 4-H**

Project: Ben Bolshaw **Outstanding Miscellaneous 4-H** Project: Andrew McShane

Outstanding Miscellaneous 4-H Project: Shad Jensen **Outstanding Miscellaneous 4-H**

Project: Kendall Nash **Outstanding Miscellaneous 4-H Project:** Matt Johnson

Handwork From Our Heritage Outstanding Scrapbook Award:

Owyhee Gems **Outstanding Secretary Book** Award: ShooFly

Awards of Excellence (Judges

Choice): Travis Erwin

Awards of Excellence (Judges Choice): Johanna Mori, Annalise Mills, Kyla Mills, Hayleigh Green

Linda Cegnar Memorial All-Around FCS Award: Shad Jensen Wells Fargo Wristwatch Award:

Best Fair Theme

4-H Club Decorations - Armory

1st: South Mountain Livestock 2nd: Snake River Livestock

Logan Stirm and Matt Johnson

3rd: Owyhee Gems

FCS Judging Contest

Top Jr. 1: Makenna Renteria **Top Jr. 2:** Lydia Aman **Top Intermediate:** Riley Stirm Top Senior: Amanda Fink

Food Drive

Top Adult: Terry Reuck

1st: Dust Devils

Garden Project Awards (No last names given)

2nd: Alberto

3rd: Rodrigo and Victor

Record books **Beef** Senior: Bryce Kershner Intermediate: Courtney Bennett

Junior: Morgan Nash Swine

Senior: Josh Prow **Intermediate:** Shelby Lee

Junior II: Jackie Prow

Junior I: Michael Lejardi

Goat Junior II: Austin Williams Junior I: Krista Mayer

Dairy

Senior: Megan Harper Intermediate: Lacey Usabel Junior I: Carlie Purdom Junior II: Megan Smith

Llama Top: Kaitlin Erwin

Sheep Intermediate: Esteban Lejardi Junior II: Gauge Gerdes Junior I: Nick Bennett

Overall breeding Beef: Riley Haun Sheep and Swine: no award

> Small animals **Poultry**

Rozin Jolley **Pygmy Goat** Junior: Annie Bass **Intermediate:** Sammie Bass

Poultry Senior: Erik Munson **Intermediate:** Abby Clay

Junior: Carlie Purdom Rabbit

Intermediate: Nicholas Munson

Junior: Riley Haun



Owyhee County Fair Open Class results

Pantry Division

High Total Points: Neita Helm

Best Bread, Best Cake: Neita Helm

Best Child Fruit, Best Child Jam, Best Cookies: Bailey Helm

Best Adult Fruit: Helen Dines

Best Adult Jelly: Margaret Zaffow

Historical Division

Grand and Reserve Champion: Diane Rhoades

Superintendent's Choice: Pete Olsen

Champion and Reserve Champion: M. Elpmer

Reserve Champion: Judy Pascal

Crafts Division

Grand Champion: Sid Freeburg

Reserve Champion, Adult: James Willer

Youth Champion: Cameron Johnston

Youth Reserve Champion: Dari Paxton

Senior Champion: Amanda Lewis

Senior Champion: Jim Smith Superintendent's Choice: Ed Talburt

Needlecraft Division

Overall Grand Champion:
Barbara Lahtinen

Overall reserve Grand Champion: Peg Robinson

Youth Champion: Lavern Parraza

Senior Champion: Betty Jo King

Superintendent's Choice: J. Lootens Darlene B. **Child's**

Adult Champion: Becky Salove

Flower Division

Best of Show: Barbara Green **Youth Best of Show:** Brodie Ferguson

Judges Choice: Rigo Cardenas

Best Arrangement: Ellen Dines



And the winner is ...

Judges had the sweet duty of picking a winner amongst the rainbow of preserves, jams and jellies entered at the fair. Everything from apples to zucchini were subjected to the tightest scrutiny.

Canning Division

Best of Show: Debbie Bell Child Champion: Wyatt

Reserve Champion: Zane Helm

Adult Champion: Neita

Superintendent's Choice: Robin Aberasturi

Adult Best Canned Fruit: Neita Helm

Child Best Canned Fruit: Zane Helm

Best Jam Adult: Neita Helm Best Jam Child: Bailey Helm

Vegetable Division

Overall Premium Award:
J. Lootens

Premium Exhibitor:

J. Lootens

Child's Premium Exhibitor: Brodie Ferguson

Youth Premium Exhibitor: K.C. Salove

Overall Grand Champion: Robin Aberasturi

Child Champion: Anneliese Helm

Child Reserve Champion: K.C. Salove

Adult Champion: Ellen Dines

Adult Reserve Champion: Sid Freeberg

Superindendent's Choice: J. Lootens

Ceramics Division

Grand Champion: Charnel Cash

Reserve Champion: Junior Randell

Youth Champion: Riot Ste-

Youth Champ: Kayla Kahle Youth Champion: Jarrod Driskell

Youth Reserve Champion: Riot Stephens

Youth Reserve Champion: Kayla Kahle

Senior Champion: Deanna

Senior Champion: Norma Petterborg

Superintendent's Choice: Sharon Chrz

Photography Division Grand Champion: Cheri Hol-

Grand Champion: Cheri Holloway

Reserve Champion: Ron Kiester

Child Champion: Cameron Johnston

Child Reserve: Eli Paxton

Youth Champion: Gabby Nash

Youth Reserve: Hailee Aberasturi

Adult Champion: Jacki Ma-

Adult Reserve: Jessica Elsberry

Senior Champion: Daryce
Franzen

Reserve Senior Champion: Daryce Franzen

Professional Champion: Tiffany Hipwell

Professional Reserve Champion: Tiffany Hipwell

Pantry, Baking Division Youth Reserve Champion:

Bailey Helm
Superintendent's Choice:

Neita Helm **Grand Champion:** Neita

Helm Child Champion: Anneliese

Helm
Child Reserve Champion:

Adult Reserve Champion: Susie Schmidt

Bailey Helm

Art Division

Reserve Champion: Betty Freeburg

Grand Champion: Betty Freeburg

Youth Reserve Champion: Sarah Smith

Youth Grand Champion: Jennett Noe
Superintendent's Choice: Sar-

ah Smith

Child Champion: Kade

Linder

Fruit Division

Grand Champion: Robin Aberasturi

Champion: Robin Aberasturi **Reserve Champion:** Robert Ensley

Bountiful Harvest Contest: Neita Helm

Nature's Wonder Contest: Bill Addington

Salt Block Lick Art Contest First: Judy Pascal

Second: Jeannie Stanford **Third:** Travis Erwin

Fair and Rodeo Parade results

Floats-Community

1st: Mountain View Church of the Nazarene

2nd: Mt. Calvary Church

3rd: American Legion

Floats-Commercial

1st: Personal Ponies

2nd: Last Chance Saloon

3rd: Owyhee County Probation

Floats-Youth

1st: Dust Devils 4-H Club

2nd: Kids Campus

Buggies and Wagons

1st: Homedale Senior Center

Horses

Youth Clubs 1st: Western Riding Club

2nd: Wild Gals

Adult Clubs 1st: Ten Mile Riding Club

Youth (Horse) Pairs and/or Individuals

1st: Courtney (no last name)

2nd: King Kattle

2nd: Lee Loucks

3rd: Tamiko Grubaugh 3rd: Samantha Woods

3rd: Trinity Neeser

Adult (Horse) pairs and/or individuals

1st: Katie (no last name)

2nd: Rocky (no last name)

2nd: Cara Neeser and Donna Vaughn

3rd: Queen Natalie Bish, Miss Rodeo Idaho

Bikes & Wheels

1st: John Hefmder

2nd: Tristan Aspicau

3rd: Clyde Fillmore

— Results provided by parade coordinator Donna Marose

Old-time fun in the sun

The Jordan Valley Junior Rodeo went off without a hitch Saturday, with more than 100 local youths from age 9 to 18 competing in calf roping, cow riding, breakaway roping, team roping and barrels. Competitors received buckles, some cash prizes for older kids, tack and more.

Mtn. View Nazarene fair in chutes again

Music, roping and worship will share space Saturday, Sept. 7, at the Owyhee County Fairgrounds in Homedale for the second Mountain View Church of the Nazarene Family Fair and Roundup.

Coundup.

Admission is free.

Organizers are hoping that the team roping and breakaway roping events will be held on-site this year. A year ago, rainy weather forced the roping to Gene King's arena outside Marsing.

"We had a great turnout considering the weather," event publicist Jo Howell said. "Between 600 and 700 people came to all the different events.

The gates open at 9 a.m. with a Cowboy Church service in the rodeo arena from 10 a.m. to 12:10 p.m.

Roping sign-in will take place

between 9 a.m. to 10 a.m., with the roping events running from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

For information on entering the roping competition, call Michaelann Seiders at 989-6517.

A day of country gospel and bluegrass also is on the slate, with several local musical groups providing entertainment throughout the day.

Concessions will be sold, too, with proceeds going toward Mountain View mission work.

Chemical co.'s subsidiary buys Dairyland Seed

Homedale plant manager expects business as usual after Dow takes over

No major changes are expected at the Dairyland Seed Co. plant on West Idaho Avenue in Homedale in the wake of Dow AgroSciences gobbling up the alfalfa seed conditioning facility's 101-year-old parent company.

Indianapolis-based Dow AgroSciences announced in an Aug. 8 press release that it had acquired both West Bend, Wis.based Dairyland Seed Co., and its affiliate, Bio-Plant Research of Camp Point, Ill.

Doug Gross, operations manager at Dairyland's Homedale plant, said no changes in the local work force was to be expected. Gross has served at the Homedale plant since 2000 when Dairyland acquired the facility through the bankruptcy dispersal of AgriBioTech assets. The Homedale plant employs 16 fulltime and part-time employees.

A subsidiary of the Dow Chemical Co., Dow AgroSciences

officials said the company would continue to market seeds under the Dairyland name.

"Dairyland Seed has a product portfolio and brand that strengthens our corn, soybean and alfalfa business in the U.S. and globally," Dow AgroSciences president and CEO Jerome Peribere said in the Aug. 8 press release.

The agreement includes all Dairyland crop genetics, brands, plant breeding programs in hybrid alfalfa, hybrid corn and soybeans as well as Dairyland's research, processing and production locations.

In addition to Homedale, Dairyland also has other locations in Wisconsin, Iowa, Indiana, Illinois and California.

Dow AgroSciences said the closing of the deal is expected later this month. No other details were released.

— JPB

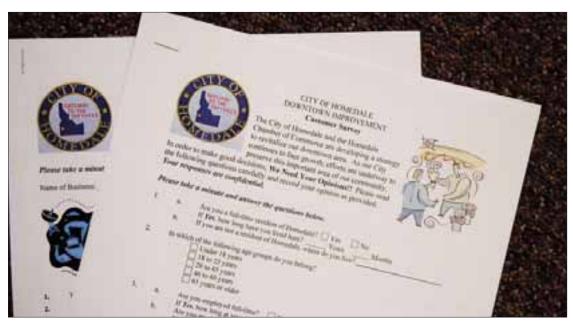


Library wraps up summer reading

Trevor Romans, an 11-year-old participant in Lizard Butte Library's summer reading program, hunts up a book on the final day. Janna Streibel, director of the Marsing library, handed out certificates of completion at the end of the "Catch the Reading Bug" summer, which ended Aug. 12. Streibel said the response to the six-week summer course has spurred her to possibly create two sessions — each for 50 children — for next summer's reading program.

Next on the library docket is a six-week "Every Child Ready to Read" course for boys and girls ages 6 and younger. The course starts on Oct. 14 and will run every Tuesday at 6 p.m. until Nov. 18.

For more information about the library and its programs, call 896-4690 or e-mail lizardbuttelibrary@yahoo.com. The library is located at 111 3rd Ave. W., in Marsing.



City requests Master Plan feedback

Sage Community Resources has developed three surveys to poll different segments of the people who visit, live or own businesses in Homedale. The surveys, available at local businesses and also being delivered to residents, must be returned to one of many collection points by Sept. 12.

Surveys will help Homedale build revitalization strategy

Development assistance group sets Sept. 12 deadline for responses

Homedale is working on a Master Plan, and last week enlisted the Chamber of Commerce's help in putting together a picture of what the future should

Pat Engel, Business and Community Development director for Sage Community Services, passed out surveys to business representatives at Thursday's monthly Chamber luncheon held at Owyhee Lanes Restaurant.

There are three surveys — business, resident and customer — that will help Sage formulate ideas for a design plan for downtown revitalization.

"It gives businesses a feel for what customers want to see downtown," Engel said.

The master plan is vital in putting Homedale in a good light for any future grant applications, Engel said

The city is preparing to apply for a \$450,000 grant from the Idaho Department of Commerce to start building sidewalks, curbs and gutters in town.

"Our job is to get you to the table and present your case and start implementing plans," Engel said of Sage's role in the grant application process.

The residential survey will be sent to residents, while business leaders at Thursday's luncheon were asked to help distribute the customer survey and fill out the business survey.

The deadline to return surveys is Sept. 12.

Engel asked businesses owners to have their upfront personnel persuade customers to fill out the surveys. Chamber president Gavin Parker suggested 10 businesses take 10 surveys each, and he also said that Chamber secretary Robin Aberasturi would e-mail copies of the survey to both Chamber and non-Chamber businesses to get better coverage for the survey responses.

The city is putting a note on residents' water bills to tackle the residential survey, and city maintenance personnel will distribute residential surveys, too.

Engel said there would be survey collection locations at Paul's Market on East Wyoming Avenue, Bowen Parker Day CPAs on East Wyoming, Owyhee Lanes Restaurant on North 1st Street West and City Hall on West Wyoming Avenue.

Engel said responses would be confidential, but stressed the importance of getting the public feedback. She mentioned the Transportation Master Plan that Project Engineering Consultants is working on for the city when stressing how crucial returning the surveys is.

"It's really important to weigh in," Engel said. "Just like the transportation thing, there will be some

Council hires retiree to gauge popularity of LID proposal

The Homedale City Council at its Wednesday meeting hired a former employee of the Caldwell engineering department to start getting a feel for downtown business property owners' support of a Local Improvement District levy.

The council approved \$1,000 to pay Gene Enebo \$20 per hour for 50 hours of work.

Enebo's contract is part of an overall plan to apply for a Idaho Department of Commerce community block grant to help finance downtown infrastructure improvements. Homedale has backed out of the grant process twice before, so the state agency is looking for private investment, officials said. An LID is one way to get that investment.

A former Caldwell engineering supervisor with 23 years' experience, Enebo said there are two ways the City Council can establish an LID:

- In what he characterized as the most favorable way, the city can acquire a petition from folks who are in favor of an LID. If 60 percent of those polled are against the district, it cannot be created.
- The council can pass a resolution of intention to enact an LID and set up a public hearing to get testimony on the plan.

decisions made that are important to downtown."

The three-page customer survey tries to get an idea of the demographics of people who shop in Homedale, including age group, whether they reside in town, how often they visit downtown and the reasons they find themselves there. The survey also asks folks to characterize their shopping experiences and also provide suggestions as to how the experience can be improved. Perhaps one of the most important questions is on the final page and deals with how the customers think other people perceive downtown.

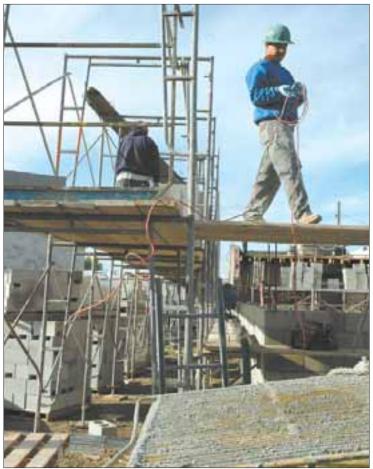
The business survey is a page shorter than the customer survey and tries to build a makeup of each business as far as who owns buildings and who leases and whether business owners live in Homedale or not.

Engel said once data is collected and disseminated, the Master Plan design phase will begin. She expects workshops to be held in September or October.

— JPB









Homedale's Owyhee Publishing finishes expansion

And the walls came down...

Top left: Crews tear down a portion of the building at Owyhee Publishing, Homedale, as the firm readied for expansion of its printing facilities. A new, larger addition replaced the old portion, originally part of the Cone Cafe, built around 1949. The Owyhee Avalanche rents the front portion of the East Idaho Avenue building being expanded.

Top right: Don Frank Construction, the contractor on the project, began laying pipe for the expansion in the second week of construction.

Left, right upper and lower: With the foundation prepped, workers raise scaffolding and begin the construction of the new expansion's walls in week three. The addition adds 1,500 square feet of space to the company's production area.

Bottom left: By week six the walls are in place and work is slated to begin on the roof. The expansion mirrors the existing press room's footprint and adds roughly 15 percent to the company's floor space.

Bottom right: Ben Krehl pilots the Lektro claw, stacking 1,600-pound rolls of newsprint in the new addition earlier this month. In the end, construction took less than three months from the initial demolition to the last touches of drywall and paint.







Avalanche Sports

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 20, 2008

Teams visit Homedale for Saturday jamboree

Football season starts Aug. 29 at Vale

Rob Kassebaum has come up including fellow 3A Snake River

with a few new twists for his second year as Homedale High School football coach.

He has consolidated all the team's fundraising efforts into one project — a full color program to be sold during home games, beginning with the home opener Sept. 5 against Nampa Christian.

And Saturday, the varsity and junior varsity teams will host the Homedale Trojan Football Jamboree.

Homedale begins the season Aug. 29 in Vale, Ore.

The jamboree features five other teams in addition to Homedale,

Let the games begin

Three Homedale High School athletic teams will get a start to the season early next week.

The Trojans' boys and girls soccer teams play in preseason 3A Snake River Valley conference tournaments Tuesday and Wednesday in Payette (boys) and Fruitland (girls).

Homedale is co-oping with Wilder, and athletic director David Hart said so far a couple Wilder boys have joined the Trojans.

Volleyball starts Tuesday with the Melba jamboree.

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Valley conference teams
Weiser and Payette. Also scheduled to attend
are 4A Emmett
and 2A Western
Idaho Conference squads
Nampa Christian
and Cole Valley
Christian.

Admission will be charged and concessions available.

Both varsity and JV scrimmages will be held beginning at 6 p.m. at Deward Bell Stadium and adjacent practice fields. The schedule is:

• 6 p.m. — Homedale vs. Cole Valley, west

side of stadium field; Payette vs. Nampa Christian, east side of stadium field; Homedale JV vs.



Trojans football coach Rob Kassebaum teaches during practice.

Emmett JV and Weiser JV vs. Cole Valley JV, practice fields

• 6:45 p.m. — Payette vs. Emmett, west field; Weiser vs. Nampa Christian, east field; Homedale JV vs. Cole Valley JV and Payette JV vs. Nampa Christian JV, practice fields

• 7:30 p.m. — Homedale vs.

Emmett, west field; Weiser vs. Cole Valley, east field; Homedale and Payette vs. Emmett JV and Weiser JV vs. Nampa Christian JV, practice fields

The scrimmage is played on a 40-yard field with each offense keeping the ball for 15 minutes based on a running clock.

The Trojans' game-day program will feature full-color photos of each Homedale player as well as a list of all donors as the Football Booster Club, general information about the school and the team and roster inserts of that night's opponent.

According to an informational handout from Kassebaum, the programs probably will be priced at \$1 on game day and will feature "first-class recognition of players and boosters."

Players are expected to sell \$200 in sponsorships, and each sponsor will received a program once it is printed.

The proceeds from the program will be used to purchase basic spirit pack items, taking pressure off family expenses; purchases home jerseys for next season to replace the home jerseys 2008 senior players will be allowed to keep; offset playoff travel costs; pay off the program's new blocking sled; and fund other items as needed.

Levels of sponsorship range from \$30 to \$400 for a full-page in the program.

— JPВ

Flag football signups planned

The second year of Homedale Flag Football is ready to go.

Signups will be taken from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Monday at Homedale Elementary School.

The program is open to boys and girls in first through fourth grade. Sponsored by the NFL, the program is administered by Homedale Youth Sports Inc.

The registration fee is \$45 per child. League coordinator Brad Dines said no age verification documents are necessary because grade levels can be checked through the school.

Dines said practice will start as soon as the teams are determined, probably Aug. 30. The first action will come Sept. 13 with a jamboree and team photos. All games will be played at Homedale Middle School again.

The league welcomes inquiries from those interested in coaching, too, Dines said.

Dines said there were about 100 children involved in the league a year ago, including teams from Jordan Valley, Wilder and Greenleaf. He said there is a chance that Parma could join the fray this year. Homedale teams comprised about 60 percent of the participation in 2007, he said.

Homedale High School football players will serve as referees.

2008 prep previews

Marsing volleyball

Brutal agenda trains Huskies for tough teams

The girls on the Marsing High School volleyball team will be digging and spiking soon at a gym near you; and you'll likely to see some familiar faces, according to coach Loma Bittick.

But with just eight home dates, road trips will be the order of the season.

"I have some returning players this year — setter Kaitie Kent; hitter Miranda Clausen; defensive specialist Kaya Stahle and hitter Rebecca Cossel," Bittick said.

Cossel is a sophomore, while the other three returners are all seniors.

"They have been leaders this summer. Along with the returning players, we have some promising juniors and sophomores who played tournaments and team camp with us.

"The girls have worked hard this summer and we are eager to get teams aligned and get started this week," Bittick said.

The 2A Western Idaho Conference will likely see some challenging play this year, Bittick said.

"Nampa Christian and Melba are returning some key players and will be tough, as well as Parma, which has strong net players," she said.

The Huskies won't be hitting the floor cold, thanks in part to the Marsing Jamboree, which will start at 6 p.m. Tuesday "Our jamboree will be a good warm up for the teams — giving us a chance to get the nerves settled a bit and see some areas to work on," Bittick said.

The Jamboree also will mark the first of only eight home dates on the Huskies' schedule. Marsing will forsake home-and-home nonconference match for the most part this year in favor of intense tournaments through the season.

— MML

Marsing football

Veteran players lace up for not-so-new coach

The Marsing varsity football team looks to do well and hold its own with others in the 2A Western Idaho Conference this year, first-year head coach Jake Walgamott said Thursday.

"I feel our football team is doing very well. We got a late start this summer putting in (time on) offense and defense, but I think we are going to be able to compete with everyone we play," he explained.

The core of the team will see

nine key players returning to the gridiron for the new head coach, who takes over for his one-time boss, Don Heller, whose contract was not renewed by the Marsing school board.

Walgamott previously was a Huskies assistant under Heller.

Mike Moore, Ricky Miller, Martin Galvez, Logan Glenn, Jose Paramo, T.J. Placenia, David Rios, Ethan Salove and Sean Finley will bring savvy and experience back for the Huskies this season, Walgamott said.

Walgamott said the old hands will be joined by 10 new faces: Ty Shippy, Brian Galligan, Joey Burril, Brandon Walgamott, Taylor Morris, Sammy Olvera, Francisco Martinez, Mitch Green, Hugo Estrada, and Arnold Martinez.

The Huskies, 4--4 a year ago, will see their opener on Sept. 5 in a dogfight with the Elgin Huskies. Elgin was second in the 2A Blue Mountain League in Oregon and finished 6-5 after a first-round

loss in the state playoffs. But the other Huskies are something of a mystery as far as Marsing football is concerned.

"Elgin is an unknown opponent. I think that we are going to be able to have success against them," Jake Walgamott said.

And, after last year's lateseason win against then-unbeaten Nampa Christian, fans know the Huskies are capable of surprises.

--MML

Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

August 24, 1983

Rodeo results announced

Final results of the 1983 Owyhee County Rodeo were tabulated Monday, following the four-night competition. They are:

Tim Waldren of Boise won the overall bull riding crown, with 74 points on Mighty Mouse. Ladd Lappin of Kuna placed third with 71 aboard Modoc.

Monte Miller of Buhl won the bareback riding's second go-round with 71 points. Mark Gunning, Nampa, was runner-up with 68. Ton Stevenson of Boise led in average with 137, while Mont Russell of Nampa shared third with 134

Pat Minor, Ellensburg, Wash., captured calf roping's second go-round in :09.75. Dan Roeser of Caldwell was third in :10.10 Sam McKenzie, Rockville, topped the average with :20.64, and John Maggard, Caldwell, was fourth in :22.80.

Saddle bronc second go-round honors went to Sam Willis, Redmond, Ore., with 74 points, and George Elsner of Owyhee, Nev., led the overall average with 148. No area contestants placed in either category.

Jack Burlile and Rod Woodland, Weiser, headed team roping's second go-round in :08.61. Rod Berheim of Kuna and Craig Brasher of Marsing were No. 3 with :08.88, and No. 4 was Caldwell duo of Bob Johnson and Angel Crosswaithe in :09.01. Russ Woodbury of Caldwell also was a partner on the fifth-place team, time in :09.45.

Tim and Lowell Black of Hammett won the overall with :17.39. Berheim-Brasher again were third in average with :19.55.

Bobbie Davis edged a fellow Homedale rider, Russell Dayton, 67-66 in kids' steer riding.

Winning the girls barrel racing on the second go-round was Jean Juker of Buhl with :17.399. Patti Kaufman of Eagle captured the overall average with :35.644 over Caldwell girls Danette Hungate, :35.926, and Jackie Roeser, :35.962.

Horse class winners

In the Owyhee County Fair Horse-exhibiting competition which ended Tuesday, Josie Isaguirre, 17, Homedale won as grand champion showman.

In the other categories, all-around novice was Natalie Burrie of Melba, all around Junior (ages 11-12) was awarded to Martin Jaca of Nampa and all-around senior (age 15) was Sandy Black of Bruneau.

All-around intermediate (13-14) horseman was Danielle Ulrich of Melba. The sportsmanship award for boys went to David Bruneel of Homedale and the Sportsmanship award for girls went to Krista Bachman of Bruneau.

City council increases water user rates

The Homedale City Council voted to raise water user rates and the salary of the mayor at their regular August meeting

The council voted to raise the minimum water user fee from \$6.00 to \$7.15 per month. The rate hike will become effective Sept. 30.

The council also voted to raise the salary of the mayor to \$100 per month.

Ribbons awarded

Eunice McCool of Homedale received several red, white and blue ribbons for items displayed at the fair last week. She received a blue ribbon on a quilt and matching pillow that she helped embroider, block and quilt and gave to her daughter, Cindy Page, for graduation. Mildred Johnson assisted in the quilting. She crocheted a graduation cap and gown for a doll and it won a blue ribbon. Eunice received a blue ribbon for a crocheted flower wall hanging, a red ribbon for a crocheted couch pillow, a white ribbon on a crocheted set of pants and dress potholders, a blue ribbon on a mother-in-law tongue plant, a red ribbon for a white satin christening outfit she made for a doll.

50 years ago

August 21, 1958

Firemen fight fire at Hetrick farm

Homedale volunteer firemen fought a fire all morning last Thursday at the Ira Hetrick farm in Owyhee Heights which destroyed a hay stack, straw stack, corrals, small shed; and endangered a nearby granary. A five or six month old calf, trapped by the fire, was burned to death.

The fire is believed to have been caused by an electric fencer, according to Fire chief John Matteson. The firemen were called to the Hetrick farm Friday when the smoldering hay and straw burst into flames a second time. More water was pumped on the blaze and Mr. Hetrick obtained a water tank to keep a check on the fire after the firemen left.

Fair and rodeo officials on TV

A good presentation of officials of the Owyhee County fair and rodeo appeared on Periscope on TV channel 7 Tuesday afternoon.

Those appearing to advertise the fair and rodeo were Ed Mink, secretary-manager of the Owyhee County Fair; Roger Howard, fair board chairman; L. J. Matteson, Mac Parkins, Frank Ireton, fair board directors; Felisa Echevarria, parade hostess; Owyhee County Sheriff Jim Tucker, Rodeo board Director; and Chief Eagletail and Doc Blossom, Indians from the Duck Valley reservation.

Mr. Mink also appeared on TV over Home Town Report, when he was interviewed about the fair and rodeo.

Local softball team cops league title

Owyhee Motors-Paul's Groceteria, first half winners of the softball league, won the championship title Monday night when they beat the second half winner, Marsing Boise Payette, 7-3.

Marsing Boise Payette and the Marsing Firemen played last Monday and tied 3-3. They played off the tie the following night to determine the second half winner, and Marsing Boise Payette own 6-2.

Football practice to resume soon

Football will get underway with the first practice Friday evening at 6pm, Deward Bell, high school principal and coach announced early this week.

Equipment will be issued Thursday and Friday until practice time. Insurance arrangements may be made at this time.

Rodeo, carnival, parade, barbecue to highlight fair

The Owyhee county fair begins today with great enthusiasm and many participants working together to make this the biggest and most successful fair ever held here.

The wide variety of exhibits and entertainment offers each person an enjoyable time at the fair, which continues on through Friday and Saturday.

The three day fair will include livestock and agricultural exhibits, livestock judging and showmanship, fat stock sale Saturday, style review, home economics judging, calf and pig scrambles, parade downtown Saturday, Old Timers Day beef barbecue, canning, hobbies, flowers, cookie and clothing exhibits.

Featured throughout the fair will be George Zimmers' locally owned Arcway Show's carnival with a variety of rides for the young and old.

Night show entertainment presented by the Choraleers will climax the first fair day and will include specialty numbers, local talent and drawings. The show will be performed in the new arena using the new arena bleacher facilities and beginning at 8pm.

Completing the fair festivities Friday and Saturday night will be the Owyhee County Rodeo, sponsored by the Owyhee Wranglers and the Owyhee County Sheriff's Posse at 8pm. Bareback riding, saddle bronc riding, cow milking, team roping, calf roping, and ladies' barrel racing will take place. A group of Indians from Duck Valley reservation will perform dances during the rodeo. The fair queen will be crowned Friday night during the rodeo. Jake Pope, Twin Falls, is producing the show.

140 years ago

August 15, 1868

GRASSHOPPER RAVAGES. Jno. Farnaman, Esq, from Upper Jordan Valley informs us that grasshoppers are committing fearful depredations in that locality. The pestiferous pests made an the attack from the direction of Flint, a few days ago, in such numbers as to obscure the sun at noonday, destroying every green leaf and leaving fields and gardens desolate. Mr. Farnaman, Brainard and others had splendid looking fields of barley and other grain, almost ready for harvesting, that will not now pay for cutting. A meadow of luxuriant timothy hay, cultivated by Mr. F., is stripped of every green blade. Such an occurrence was never before heard of in this portion of Uncle Sam's dominions. What a great sin have our people committed to merit this dreadful visitation of modern locusts?

VOLUME FOUR. To-day the Avalanche enters upon the fourth year of its existence, and, to-day, begins the second year of our connection with the concern. It has been our aim to present our readers with a paper that would fairly and faithfully represent a broad the varied interest — mining and otherwise — of Owyhee County. We shall continue to be governed by the rule laid down in our first number, a year ago, namely: To conduct our paper on strictly independent principles, without reference to party or clique and avoid partisan strife of every description. As a matter of course, we have our own political views and preferences, but, as heretofore, our columns shall remain free from party politics.

To use a current expression, things looked very blue twelve months ago; but, since then business has improved wonderfully — much better, indeed, than we had expected. Our subscription list has received large additions, and our advertising patronage has visibly increased; nevertheless it must not be supposed we are getting rich rapidly. We intend to make Owyhee our permanent home and as soon as business will warrant, we propose to issue a semi- or tri-weekly, and when we are favored with telephone communication with the outside world, we will probably print a daily.

Thankful for our friends for the liberal patronage awarded us, during the past year, and to our contemporaries in the territory and elsewhere, for courtesies shown us, we will strive to merit increased favors, ever mindful of "Trust to luck, trust to luck, stare fate in the face Sure your heart must be always if it's in the right place."

GIANT POWDER. Thos. Ewing & Co., are agents here for the Giant Powder which will doubtless soon be generally employed for blasting purposes in our mines. It is used here by the Woodstock company almost to the entire exclusion of common powder. The Golden Chariot Company have also adopted it and would not now do without it, especially for sinking shafts, and in places where water is troublesome. For the benefit of those unacquainted with this new blasting agent we give a brief description of its general properties: It is ungrained, of a grayish brown color, specific gravity about 1. Insoluble in water, it is said not to be affected by time, exposure to air or moisture. It burns in the open air to ashes without exploding and produces no smoke. This powder is almost entirely free from accidents and can only be exploded by a violent explosion in it, confining it in a strong tight vessel, sufficiently, or by a percussion shock sufficient to produce heat and violence equivalent to an explosion. Cartridges are made of various sizes. Less than ordinary sized holes are required. The hole is charged in the usual manner, the fuse inserted into a large percussion cap which is then inserted into a piece of priming cartridge and all put into the hold on top of the charge. No tamping is required, but when practicable the hole is filled with water. Much less time required in preparing a blast than with common powder, which together with its greater effectiveness and freedom from accidents will no doubt bring it into general use. The Giant Powder can be had at Thos. Ewing & Co's store, also pamphlets containing directions for suing it &c.

Commentary

Baxter Black, DVM

On the edge of common sense



A Korean beef

Juxtaposed on opposite pages of the BBC International newspaper were two stories: "... thousands of people (in Seoul, South Korea) protesting against resumption of U.S. beef imports ..." and "The U.S. announced that it will send half a million tons of food aid to North Korea."

How can two so closely connected groups of people hold such strong opposite opinions about the safety of U.S. food exports? Easy. It's the haves vs. the have-nots. South Korea is a strong democratic nation, our ally, who owes its existence to the U.S. and the United Nations. It has the luxury to be choosey. Their protest against American beef, as stated, is the fear of Bovine Spongiform Encephalopathy (BSE), but it is really to protect their highly subsidized isolationist agricultural trade policy. That's not a crime, but they should not hide behind food safety as a reason.

Whereas North Korea, an oppressed country led by a dictator, lost an estimated 1 million people to starvation in the 1990s and is facing another famine. The government has nuclear weapon intentions, a cruel disregard for its own people, and has been threatening invasion against South Korea since we pushed them back in 1951. More than 33,000 American soldiers died protecting South Korea.

So the question that bubbles up like acid indigestion in many of us when we hear South Koreans shouting, "We don't need U.S. troops and we don't need U.S. Mad Cows!" is, "Why did we help the ingrates in the first place?"

Four days after Sadaam's statue was pulled down in Baghdad, there were anti-U.S. Iraqis protesting. I realize now they were Sadaam's cronies, but still. When the French politicians curse us, the British press demeans us, and when our closest friends, the Canadians, accuse the U.S. Department of Agriculture of conspiracy to falsify our BSE findings ... it all hurts.

So much of our blood and our wealth has been spent protecting freedom on this planet. One cannot imagine a world today if the U.S. had refused to intervene. Paris would be a German suburb, South Korea would be a Japanese or Communist slave state, and Abu Ghraib would still be the real torture chamber it once was under

Why is such a powerful country, the United States of America, so generous in spite of such deliberate insults and bashings? In my opinion, it is directly related to the strong religious beliefs of our founding fathers, in which we still abide.

We do not do good deeds to "show off". We help the downtrodden, be it the homeless in San Francisco or the starving in North Korea, because Christ said, "As you do for the least of these my brethren, you do unto me." And we turn the other cheek to the "What have you done for me latelys," because we are directed to show forgiveness and mercy to all who offend.

It is the embodiment of God's grace. And the saving grace for all the Frances, South Koreas and Iraqs of the world who are free people today because America believes.

Wayne Cornell

Not important ...

but possibly of interest

Memorable marching melodies

When I hear the music, those memories from 42 years ago come flooding back.

I am a child of the Rock & Roll Generation. But not all Rock & Roll is created equal. And the songs people like or dislike often are tied to what they were doing when those songs were popular.

There are several songs from the distant past that cause me serious flashbacks. All of them were popular during a 10-week period in July, August and early September 1966.

I was 21 that year. The summer of '66 was the hottest, and driest in the Seattle region since the 1890s. And I was a member of the first basic training company to train at Ft. Lewis, near Tacoma, since World War II.

Military trainees today are as isolated as we were back then. There were no weekends off during Basic. And we weren't allowed to associate with members of the other training companies because of a meningitis outbreak. There wasn't any TV. Our only link with the outside world was the Seattle radio stations — the most popular being KJR.

There were two types of songs played on KJR. One was the "sitting around the barracks in the evening thinking of home" songs like "God Only Knows (How Much I Love You)," by the Beach Boys. And there was "Distant Drums" by Jim Reeves — "Oh, won't you marry me? Let's not wait. For the Distant Drums might change our wedding date." Those songs made you think of home. And thinking of home wasn't a good idea.

But the most memorable tunes were the marching songs. Some had been sung by our fathers and uncles when they were training during World War II. But other songs were popular rock tunes. If a Top 40 hit had a good rhythm it could help keep you in step, take your mind off the heat and the dust (and home), and make the time go faster.

It's a day in early August. The 192 members of B Company, 1st Battalion, 1st Training Brigade are returning from the firing range, which is a couple of miles from our barracks. The temperature is hovering around 95 degrees with at least 45 percent humidity. Our platoon is near the head of the column. The platoons farther back are eating a lot of dust.

A Drill Instructor counts cadence to try to keep all the left feet hitting the road at the same time:

"Yo lep, yo lep Yo lep, right lep Lep yo lep now pick up the step Yo lep yo right yo lep!"

KJR hit:

One of the marchers chimes in with material from a

"Hot town, summer in the city Back of my neck getting dirty and gritty Been down, isn't it a pity Doesn't seem to be a shadow in the city"

"Ain't no use in goin' home Jody's got your girl and gone," chants the Sergeant.

Another trainee picks up the count with the aid of the Rolling Stones:

"Under my thumb The girl who once had me down Under my thumb The girl who once pushed me around" "Hup towp threep fourph"

"Lep, right, lep," barks the D.I.

And as we pass another training company's area, we all sing out:

"Everywhere I go There's a Bravo Man there Everywhere I go There's a Bravo Man there Bravo Soldier Bravo Soldier Everywhere!"

"Hold your head and hold it high B-1-1 is passin' by It's the Ft. Lewis Boogie It's a crazy song."

It was both the worst and the best time of my life.

I suppose today's soldiers sing, too. But I can't for the life of me understand how you could stay in step while singing rap or hip-hop.

— Go to www.theowyheeavalanche.com to link to some of Wayne's previous columns on his Internet blog. You'll find the link in the bottom right-hand corner of the home page.

Accuracy In Media ABC drops ball on Dems' deceptions

by Cliff Kincaid

ABC News "chief investigative correspondent" Brian Ross has been reporting on John Edwards' adultery, but seven months ago Ross was telling the American people that the story of Edwards' cheating was a campaign "dirty trick" by sinister and unknown forces.

By including it in a January ABC story on political "dirty tricks," Ross was saying that he believed Edwards had been unfairly targeted and accused. Ross, who is well-respected in the business and has broken some important stories, has egg all over his face on this one.

The Brian Ross story about the Edwards allegations being a political "dirty trick" may help explain why so many reporters in the mainstream media shied away from it. After all, if Brian Ross wasn't going to take it seriously, why should they?

Edwards, who endorsed Barack Obama for president after dropping out of the race, covered up the affair for two years, even while appearing as a family man on the

campaign trail. This reflected confidence on his part that the affair could be concealed with the help of the major media. The National Enquirer, which broke the story last year, cornered Edwards at a hotel in July before a secret meeting with his mistress. It then published a "spy photo" of him holding his alleged "love child." This forced Edwards to admit at least some of the truth.

With Edwards now admitting the affair, reporters and commentators in the mainstream media are acknowledging that they were deceived and blew it. But why is it that they always seem to miss big scandals involving Democrats? In this context, why haven't they yet reported on the relationship that Obama had with a Communist Party USA (CPUSA) member by the name of Frank Marshall Davis, a subject of an FBI investigation and several official inquiries into Soviet-sponsored activities in the U.S.? Davis was so deeply involved in the CPUSA that he recruited

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Commentary

Letters to the editor

Sali stays on course as a fiscal watchdog in House of Reps

As state treasurer for the state of Idaho, I am encouraged by the fiscally responsible role Rep. Bill Sali has taken in U.S. Congress. Is attempts to reign in wasteful government spending and eliminate the deficit have not gone unnoticed by me as a taxpayer.

In Bill's 18 years as an elected official, he has never voted in favor of a tax increase. Low taxes are meaningless in the long term unless we also cut government's insatiable appetite for spending our money. That is why Bill Sali has my enthusiastic endorsement and will get my vote in November.

As a member of the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, Bill has consistently fought for the small government principles he promised to champion when we first elected him. He has called for an end to secret earmarks and he has sought to hold Congress accountable for the big-spending agenda of Speaker (Nancy) Pelosi (D-Calif.) and the Democratic leadership.

In politics, actions speak much louder than words. Rep. Sali's legislative record is absolutely consistent with promoting fiscal responsibility and it serves as a beacon of hope for those who wish to see government return to a manageable size.

Ron Crane Idaho state treasurer Nampa

Former school staffer grateful to be a part of Homedale High

It is with mixed emotions that I find myself not involved in the beginning of a new school year for the first time since the fall of 1984 — just yesterday! But I have some very fond memories to keep me company.

At the time of my retirement last fall, I could not have imagined the two wonderful surprises that were yet to come my way. First was the tremendous honor of being asked to speak at the graduation ceremony in May for the Class of 2008, for the second time of my school career. And second was the unbelievable full-page tribute featured in the 2008 yearbook, which came to my attention during the summer, prohibiting me from being able to say "thank you" to the yearbook staff.

I cannot express adequately in words my utmost appreciation to all of the students involved in the above gestures. No plaque, trophy, certificate nor other material acknowledgement could have been more meaningful than the honors bestowed upon me by the students who were and are the ultimate reason for a school's existence.

Many, many thanks to the entire community of Homedale for the numerous years I was allowed to serve you and your students in the education environment of the school district. I always did and forever will consider your children my own.

Patti Zatica

Former Homedale High School secretary and bookkeeper

Homedale

Election letters

The Owyhee Avalanche will accept letters to the editor for the Nov. 4 general election until noon on Oct. 24.

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

Submit letters in one of four methods:

- E-mailed to jbrowneditor@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.

$\sqrt{\mathbf{Dems}}$: Mainstream bias blatantly obvious

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members for the Moscow-funded and controlled party and had personal connections to other top party members such as Harry Bridges and Paul Robeson.

The John Edwards affair is a chilling reminder that Democratic cover-ups can succeed, with the help of the media, and that even the most sophisticated "investigative" reporters are prepared to overlook potential Democratic scandals. Edwards is out of the race, but Obama is running ahead in most polls for the highest office in the land and seems confident that the media will not blow the whistle on his Marxist associate.

Obama's cover-up

The implication of the Edwards scandal is that, if ABC News's top investigative reporter could take Edwards' side, without any serious checking of the facts, then other candidates may be concealing scandals and hoping and planning to get away with it. That is certainly the case with Obama, who is far more of a media favorite than Edwards ever was and has, with the help of the influential Associated Press (AP), carefully concealed his relationship with an identified CPUSA member.

Obama's communist connection, which he failed to disclose in his 1995 book, *Dreams From My Father*, by referring to Davis only as "Frank" and ignoring his communist affiliation, is a far more serious scandal than an Edwards "love child."

Controversy over the Obama-Davis relationship is growing, at least in the conservative-oriented media. Rush Limbaugh, who on Aug. 7 commented on our exposure of the dishonest Associated Press story about Davis, put a link to the AIM column on this matter on his Web site.

Also heavily drawing on our material, *Investor's Business Daily* published an Aug. 5 editorial, "Young Obama's Red Mentor." The paper noted that the "cryptic references" in Obama's book to this communist mentor "were — and still are — designed to protect Obama's background from the scrutiny it deserves."

Two recently published books, *The Obama Nation* by Jerome Corsi and *The Case Against Barack Obama* by David Freddoso, also include information about the Frank Marshall Davis story.

If the major media do not follow-up, perhaps the Enquirer ought to do so. At least this would give the Frank Marshall Davis story some needed national attention. But any such story from the Enquirer might be dismissed, as were the Edwards allegations, as coming from a supermarket tabloid and being, therefore, inherently unreliable and unbelievable.

But, in the wake of the Edwards' admissions, the Enquirer has proven itself, once again, to be both reliable and believable. Indeed, it looks like ABC may want to replace Brian Ross with someone from the National Enquirer, which broke the Edwards story in October and published a follow-up story on Dec. 12, 2007. This demonstrates how long the rest of the media were twiddling their thumbs. It looks like they didn't want to know if the story was true.

No dirty trick here

At AIM, we didn't dismiss the charges against Edwards. Roger Aronoff and I noted in a Jan. 7 column that while Edwards had denied the Enquirer story, this didn't mean that the allegations were untrue.

Our column criticized Brian Ross's ABC 20/20 story insisting that this was shaping up as possibly the dirtiest presidential campaign in history, and that one of the dirty campaign tricks was the National Enquirer account of Edwards allegedly fathering a "love child" out of wedlock.

"Grocery store check-out lines," Ross said, showing the supermarket tabloids. "There have been National Enquirer headlines claiming a love-child scandal involved Senator John Edwards or a member of his staff, forcing Edwards to issue a strong public denial." Ross showed Edwards saying, "The story is false, it's completely untrue, ridiculous." It is clear that Ross believed the denials coming from Edwards, his staff and other Democrats.

Now who looks ridiculous? In addition to Edwards and his lackeys, the list includes Brian Ross and all of the other reporters in the liberal media who took Edwards at his word.

Same story, different election cycle

The lesson, which is learned and relearned every elec-

tion cycle, is that the major media are easily manipulated by Democratic Party politicians.

The "love child" story clearly did not belong in a report on alleged "dirty tricks" because it was not known at the time whether it was true or not and where the story had come from. It may have come from associates of Edwards' mistress, who wanted public accountability and truth from Edwards and were astounded by the media's eagerness to believe Edwards' lies.

By refusing to investigate the story immediately and thoroughly, the major media were covering up for an adulterer and a liar, who happened to be a major Democratic presidential candidate and could have become the Democratic presidential nominee.

Media failure

Consider the magnitude of the deception. Ross was quick to accept Edwards' denial. But what had Ross done at that point to investigate the charges? It looks like nothing at all. He had simply assumed it was false. He had taken the Democrat's word. This is what is called media bias. But it benefits all of the major Democratic candidates, including and especially Obama.

The labeling of the "love child" story as a dirty trick was provided in the context of Ross acknowledging that he had been used by the Republicans in 2004 to publicize documentary evidence that Democratic presidential candidate John Kerry had given back some of his Vietnam War service medals, despite Kerry's previous denials. Why was it a "dirty trick" to provide this truthful information? All that Ross could come with was that the Republicans didn't want their role in providing the information to be publicly acknowledged. But the story was true and exposed Kerry as a liar. Ross should have been able to dig up the information on his own. Perhaps he had no interest in doing so.

The media have a well-documented political bias, and it shows through in Ross's amateurish handling of the allegations against Edwards. Simply put, he was a tool of the smooth-talking Edwards, who made a fortune by manipulating juries as a trial lawyer. However, Obama is a far better talker than Edwards. That helps explain why he is poised to accept the Democratic presidential nomination.

Now the truth

Yet, Brian Ross just keeps reporting the Edwards story as if his credibility has not suffered a lick. On Aug. 8, Ross was on ABC World News Tonight reporting on Edwards' admission of infidelity and his interview with Bob Woodruff of Nightline about his deception. It would have been appropriate at that point for Ross to have apologized for his report that claimed the Enquirer story about Edwards was a dirty trick. But no apology was forthcoming.

Edwards "repeatedly lied" about the affair, Ross and his colleagues are now reporting. Yes, but seven months ago these lies were called a "strong public denial" in the face of sensational allegations from a questionable supermarket tabloid.

It looks like the Enquirer has a better "nose for news" than "investigative" journalist Ross, who labeled the Edwards adultery story a political dirty trick.

More lies?

Edwards told ABC that he knew the child was not his because of "the timing" of the pregnancy and the affair. And he claims that he didn't know that a campaign aide was paying his mistress to live with her child in a mansion.

Edwards' 2008 national finance chairman Fred Baron has acknowledged providing "assistance" to the mistress, Rielle Hunter, and others. But if it's not Edwards' kid, then why is Baron paying for these other unnamed "individuals?"

The Dallas Morning News reports that Baron, who is based in Dallas, is now raising money for Barack Obama.

Brian Ross should get to the bottom of all of this. But he should first apologize for putting his trust in Edwards.

In addition to clearing up the Edwards mess, Ross should subject Obama to the scrutiny he deserves and bring the Frank Marshall Davis connection to national attention. Otherwise, his title of "chief investigative correspondent" will become nothing more than a joke.

— Cliff Kincaid is the editor of Accuracy in Media, and can be contacted at cliff.kincaid@aim.org.

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OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISIONERS MINUTES AUGUST 4, 2008 OWYHEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE MURPHY, IDAHO

Present were Commissioner's Hoagland, Freund, and Tolmie in the a.m., Clerk Sherburn, Assessor Endicott, Sheriff Aman, Fred Grant, and Jim Desmond.

Amendments included: letter to Wellman, recertification of the landfill manual, and an amended MOU with BLM on quarterly coordination.

A letter was sent to Theresa Phifer re: manufactured home.

Approved payment of all bills from the following funds: Current Expense \$42,891, Road & Bridge \$5,750, District Court \$9,341, Probation \$8,365, Indigent & Charity \$8,133, Pest \$1,353, Revaluation \$5,708, Solid Waste \$557, Tort \$1,100, Weed \$131, 911 \$1,042

Connie Brandau requested authorization to gift deed property to MRW. No action was taken.

Approved a letter to Southwest District Health regarding recertification of the manual for Bruneau-Grandview Landfill.

A lien was approved for indigent and charity case 08-28

A letter was sent to Public Defender William Wellman on his fee for 2009

Approved an amendment to the MOU concerning monthly coordination meetings with the BLM.

Lou Sanchez, and Mike Kaes with Paragon Engineers presented cost proposals for repair of Juniper Mountain Road.

Approved the Owyhee County manual for Highway Standards.

Approved the 2009 tentative budget in the amount of \$7,480,164.

Approved a letter to Chad Nettleton on a road approved by

Approved a letter to the Probation Department regarding

Recessed until 8:00 a.m. August 2008 for a public hearing in Homedale, relating to roads open to all terrain vehicles.

The complete minutes are on file in the Clerk's office.

/s/ Jerry Hoagland, Chairman Attest: /s/Charlotte Sherburn 8/20/08

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Please be advised a public hearing will be held before the Owyhee County Commissioners on September 15th at 10:00 a.m. in Courtroom 2 in the Owyhee County Courthouse in Murphy, idano The Commissioners will take public comment on an increase of sheriffs fees described in Idaho Code 31-801. A complete copy of all fees can be obtained in the Clerk or Sheriff's offices from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The public is invited to comment.

Charlotte Sherburn, Clerk, **Board of County Commissioners** 8/20,27/08

BEFORE THE OWYHEE COUNTY PLANNING & **ZONING COMMISSION**

On September 3rd, 2008 beginning at 10:00AM the Owyhee County Planning and Zoning Commission will hear testimony at the Annex Building of the Owyhee County Courthouse in Murphy, Idaho on the following matters at the times listed below. After the hearings, the Commission will take up

administrative matters as time permits.

10:00AM The Commission will hear file application 06-24 Sunset Meadow Subdivision final plat application for a previously approved subdivision filed by Allen and Debra Lindner. Sunset Meadow Subdivision is a 43 acre parcel subdivided into 15 lots, 3 acres in size. Subject property is located south of Marsing in a Residential Zone off Highway 78 in Section 26, Township 2 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho.

10:30AM The Commission will hear file application 06-25 Hidden Valley Estates Phase 4 Subdivision final plat application for a previously approved subdivision filed by Jess Van Hall. The subject parcel is 37.2 acres subdivided into 19 residential lots located in a residential zone south of Marsing in Section 23, Township 2 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County,

11:00AM The Commission will here file application 06-17 River Shore Estates final plat application for a previously approved subdivision filed by Kastera Development LLC. River Shore Estates is a 106 acre parcel subdivided into 28 residential lots, three (3) to (5) acres in size, plus two (2) common lots. Subject property is in an Agricultural Zone, northwest of Homedale, off River Road and Northside Road in Section 19, Township 4 North, 5 West, and Section 20, Township 4 North, Range 5 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho.

1:00PM The Commission will hear file application 06-29 Dickerson Investment Group, preliminary plat application, for a commercial subdivision to be named Owyhee Commercial Park. Owyhee Commercial Park Subdivision is a 30 acre parcel subdivided into six commercial lots, three (3) acres in size. Subject property is in an Agricultural Zone, southwest of Marsing, off Highway 95 and Poison Creek Road in Sections 18 and 19, Township 2 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho.

For additional information on any of the above matters, please contact the Planning and Zoning office at 495-2095.

8/20/08

NOTICE INVITING BIDS

The Homedale Highway District is calling for bids for the seal coating of approximately 13 miles in the district. The bids must be delivered to the secretary on or before August 20, 2008 by 8 p.m., either personally or by mail: PO Box 713, Homedale, ID 83628. The sealed bids will be opened at a special meeting at the Homedale Highway District office scheduled Wednesday, August 20, 2008 at 8 p.m., 102 East Colorado Avenue in Homedale.

For more information call Rob Atkins at 337-3500. The Board of Commissioners reserves the right to accept the bid deemed best or to reject any or all bids and to waive any technicality.

/s/Terri Uria, Secretary 8/13,20/08

NOTICE OF FILING DEADLINE

Notice is Hereby Given: That declarations of candidacy for the Office of Supervisor of the Owyhee Conservation District must be filed with the district administrative assistant whose address is: USDA Service Center, 250 N. Bruneau Hwy, Marsing, ID 83639 no later than 5:00pm on September 2, 2008.

Such declarations are available at the Owyhee Conservation District Office (USDA Service Center) 250 N. Bruneau Hwy, Marsing, ID 83639

Individuals who run as a writein candidate must file a declaration of intent no later than 5:00pm on the 25th day Prior to the election.

Owyhee Conservation District Administrative Clerk, Gina Millard

250 N. Bruneau Hwy Marsing, ID 83639 208-896-4544 ext 102 8/20,27/08

PROPOSED CHANGE OF WATER RIGHT

Richard and Connie Brandau of 9902 Wilson Cemetery Lane, Wilson ID 83641 filed Application No. 73770 to transfer a water right with a 1916 priority date from Reynolds Creek totaling 0.20 cfs. The purpose of the transfer is to add a new diversion point for more efficient irrigation of 10 acres. The new diversion will be near the point where Hwy 78

crosses the creek. For specific details regarding the application, please contact the Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) Western Region at 208-334-2190 or visit www.idwr.idaho.gov with detail provided under "new water right applications." Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Sec 42-222, Idaho Code. Any protest against the proposed change must be filed with the Director, IDWR Western Region, 2735 Airport Way, Boise ID 83705-5082 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before September 8, 2008. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

DAVID R. TUTHILL, JR., Director 8/20,27/08

PROPOSED CHANGE OF WATER RIGHTS

Greg Obendorf of 26496 Deb Lane, Parma ID 83660 filed Application No. 73952 to transfer two water rights with 1963 and 1976 priority dates from ground water totaling 4.83 cfs to irrigate 317 acres. The source is a low temperature geothermal well locally known as the Mather Well. The purpose of the transfer is to retire 78 acres of irrigation and use that portion of the rights to keep proposed wildlife ponds icefree. Wildlife storage will be year around, but diversion from the well to the ponds will be limited to October 1 through May 31. Wildlife uses will be limited to 1.39 cfs and 138 af of storage.

The well will continue to cover the 239 acre balance of the irrigation rights. The ponds will cover about 83 acres and will be filled from surface water proposed in Applications 51-12999, 51-13000 and 51-13001. The site is about 0.75 miles northwest of Hwy 51 and Tindall Road.

For specific details regarding the application, please contact the Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) Western Region at 208-334-2190 or visit www.idwr.idaho.gov with detail provided under "new water right applications." Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Sec 42-222, Idaho Code. Any protest against the proposed change must be filed with the

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The Board of Commissioners for the Marsing-Homedale Cemetery Maintenance District have tentatively adopted a budget for the 2009 fiscal year, for said district, as set forth below. A public hearing will be held for the enactment, of said budget, at the office for the Marsing-Homedale Cemetery, located at 4410 Cemetery Road, Marsing, ID 83639 at 8:00pm on the day of September 1, 2008. The budget s available for public inspection between the hours of 9:00am to 4:00pm, Monday through Friday, at the cemetery office

PROPOSED BUDGET DATED AUGUST 4, 2008 **OCTOBER 1, 2008 TO OCTOBER 1, 2009**

Fund Balance Carry Forward	\$16,000
Revenue:	
Burial Lots	9,000
County Warrants	30,302
Farm Rental	3,812
Labor (opening & closing)	11,000
Total Revenue	54,114
All Total	\$70,114
Anticipate Disbursement	
Salaries:	
Sexton	\$27,000
Farm Oversight	5,500
Part-time Help	3,500
Total	\$36,000
Expenses:	
Gar & Oil	\$2,500
Idaho Power	1,500
Irrigation	2,100
Repair Grounds	2,000
Repair Equipment	3,500
Telephone	950
Sanitation	550
Property Insurance	1,200
Bond Insurance	125
Payroll Taxes	2,000
Legal Notices	1,100
Travel & Meals	450
Office Supplies	1,000
Workman's Comp	1,200
Chemical & Fertilizer	1,500
PERSI	3,200
Deeds	200
Bar Wright Tax	100
Total	\$25,175
Salaries	\$36,000
Capital Expenditures	\$8,939
All Total	\$70,114
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Marsing-Homedale Cemetery Maintenance District 8/13,20/08

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Homedale Highway District Board of Commissioners will meet September 3, 2008 at 8 p.m. at 102 East Colorado Avenue, Homedale, Idaho to consider and adopt a final budget for 2008-2009. The proposed budget is available for the public to inspect at the office of the district, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Terri Uria, Secretary-Treasurer HOMEDALE HIGHWAY DISTRICT – PROPOSED BUDGET OCTOBER 1, 2008 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2009 ANTICIPATED INCOME

Beginning Fund Balance	266,428.99
Highway Users	409,000.00
Ag Replacement Tax	2,492.00
Property Taxes	59,034.00
Sales Tax/Surplus	12,000.00
Misc. Revenue	2,000.00
Interest Income	5,000.00
Total Anticipated Income	\$755,954.99
ANTICIPATED EXPENSES	
Commissioners Salaries	14,688.00
Salaries	95,604.00
Payroll Benefits and Taxes	39,000.00
Utilities	3,210.00
Professional Fees	5,000.00
General Supplies and Misc.	3,500.00
Repairs & Maintenance	5,000.00
Gas, Oil and Tires	20,000.00
Materials/Construction	300,000.00
Insurance (General)	7,198.00
Office Supplies	600.00
Weed Control	25,000.00
Equipment	50,000.00
Phone Expense	2,000.00
Contingency Fund	37,500.00
Transfers and Adjustments	10,000.00
Misc. Expense	1,500.00
Ending Fund Balance	136,154.99
Total Anticipated Expenses	\$755,954.99
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Director, IDWR Western Region. 2735 Airport Way, Boise ID 83705-5082 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before September 8, 2008. The

protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant. DAVID R. TUTHILL, JR.,

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Director 8/20,27/08

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NOTICE

1990 S - 15G M C Vin#1GTDT142XL2513448; $V\ a\ n$ 1997 Ford Vin#1FTCA14UXH2B80124; 1995 Chev Cavalier Vin#1G1JC52465715024D. Sale will take place 8/26/08 at 2:00pm, 3622 Industrial, Homedale, ID 83628. Vehicles can be previewed one hour prior to sale. 8/13,20/08

The following application(s) have been filed to appropriate

the public waters of the State of Idaho: 51-12999

GREG OBENDORF, 26496 DEB LN, PARMA ID 83660 Point(s) of Diversion NESE S12 T07Ś R04E OWYHEE County Source UNNAMED DRAIN

Tributary To JACKS CREEK Point(s) of Diversion SESE S12 T07Ś R04E OWYHEE County Source UNNAMED DRAIN

Tributary To JACKS CREEK Point(s) of Diversion L3 (NWSW) S7 T07S R05E OWYHEE County Source UNNAMED DRÁIN

Tributary To JACKS CREEK Use: WILDLIFE 01/01 To 12/31 2 CFS

Use: WILDLIFE STORAGE 01/01 To 12/31 138 AFA Use: DIVERSION TO STORAGE 01/01 To 12/31 2

Total Diversion: 2 CFS Date Filed: 02/03/2006 Place Of Use: WILDLIFE T07S R05E S7 SWNW Lot 2 SENW NESW NWSW Lot 3 Place Of Use: WILDLIFE **STORAGE**

T07S R05E S7 SWNW Lot 2 SENW NESW NWSW Lot 3

Remark: Use is for wildlife ponds covered by Applications 51-12999, 51-13000, 51-13001 and Transfer 73952. 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 09/08/2008. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

DAVID R. TUTHILL, JR., Director 8/20,27/08

The following application(s) have been filed to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho: 51-13000

GREG OBENDORF, 26496 DEB LN, PARMA ID 83660 Point(s) of Diversion L2 (SWNW) S7 T07S R05E **OWYHÉE County Source** UNNAMED DRAIN Tributary To JACKS CREEK

Use: WILDLIFE 01/01 To 12/31 2 CFS

Use: WILDLIFE STORAGE 01/01 To 12/31 138 AFA Use: DIVERSION TO STORAGE 01/01 To 12/31 2 CFS

Total Diversion: 2 CFS Date Filed: 02/03/2006 Place Of Use: WILDLIFE T07S R05E S7 SWNW Lot 2 SENW NESW NWSW Lot 3 Place Of Use: WILDLIFE

STORAGE T07S R05E S7 SWNW Lot 2 SENW NESW NWSW Lot 3 Remark: Use is for wildlife LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special meeting of qualified voters of the Lizard Butte Library District will be held on the twentyfirst of August from 4:30 to 6:00pm at the Lizard Butte Library in the said library district, Marsing, Idaho, at which time there will be a public hearing on the maintenance and operation budget for the forthcoming year.

This special budget hearing is called pursuant to section 33-2725 of

the Idaho Code as amended.

Budget **Lizard Butte Library District** October 1, 2008 to September 30, 2009

October 1, 2008 to September 30, 2009						
Revenue	2007-2008	2008-2009				
Property Tax	\$49,918.00	\$53,245.00				
State Funds & other						
Grants & Matching	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 5,000.00				
Carry Over						
Total	\$54,918.00	\$58,245.00				
Expenditures						
Rent	\$ 3,500.00					
Plant Operations	\$ 9,300.00	\$16,000.00				
Library Supplies	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,500.00				
Book Purchase	\$ 9,336.00	\$ 4,488.00				
Insurance	\$ 750.00	\$ 857.00				
Election/Legal	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00				
Summer Reading/						
Story Time	\$ 800.00	\$ 800.00				
Salaries	\$18,432.00	\$22,500.00				
FICA	\$ 4,500.00	\$ 5,000.00				
Building Fund	\$ 3,000.00					
Literacy	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 5,000.00				
Total	\$54,918.00	\$58245.00				
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ponds covered by Applications 51-12999, 51-13000, 51-13001 and Transfer 73952. 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 09/08/2008. The protestant must also send a copy

of the protest to the applicant. DAVID R. TUTHILL, JR., Director 8/20,27/08

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

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Tributary To JACKS CREEK Point(s) of Diversion L3 (NWSW) S7 T07S R05E OWYHEE County Source UNNAMED DRÁIN

Tributary To JACKS CREEK Point(s) of Diversion L4 (SWSW) S7 T07S R05E **OWYHÉE County Source** UNNAMED DRÁIN

Tributary To JACKS CREEK Use: WILDLIFE 01/01 To 12/31 2 CFS

Use: WILDLIFE STORAGE 01/01 To 12/31 138 AFA Use: DIVERSION TO STORAGE 01/01 To 12/31 2 CFS

Total Diversion: 2 CFS Date Filed: 02/03/2006 Place Of Use: WILDLIFE T07S R05E S7 SWNW Lot 2 SENW NESW NWSW Lot 3 Place Of Use: WILDLIFE

STORAGE T07S R05E S7 SWNW Lot 2

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DAVID R. TUTHILL, JR., Director

8/20,27/08

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE SALE NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S

SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST Title Order No: W831353 Loan No.: 0092745553 T.S. No.: T08-38267-1D NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC an Idaho limited liability company, as Trustee CIO CR Title Services Inc., the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on 10-31-2008 at 11:00 AM, of said day, at IN THE LOBBY OF THE OWYHEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE. LOCATED ON THE CORNER OF HIGHWAY 78 AND HAILEY ST, 20381 HIGHWAY 78, MURPHY, IDAHO 83650, 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, to wit: LOTS 7, 8 AND 9 OF BLOCK 72 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 purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of: 18 EAST WASHINGTON AVENUE HOMEDALE, ID 83628, 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: NICHOLAS A. ELORDI AND SELENA

BUDGET

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a public meeting will be held on the 28th day of August, 2008 at 7:00 PM at the Bruneau Valley Library in said Library District at Bruneau, Idaho, at which meeting there will be a public hearing on the maintenance and operation budget for the forthcoming year. The budget hearing is called pursuant to Section 33-2713A Idaho Code as amended. A regular meeting of the Board will follow

BRUNEAU VALLEY DISTRICT LIBRARY OCT. 1, 2008 - SEPT. 30, 2009

2007		2008-2009		
Balance to be levied or	n \$9,223	Balance to be levied on	\$9,628	
Sales Tax Revenue	2,000	Sales Tax Revenue	1,900	
AEPTR	936	AEPTR	936	
Unencumbered Funds	100	Unencumbered Funds	100	
Budget	\$12,259	Budget	\$12,564	
Payroll Expenses	6,383	Payroll Expenses	6,724	
Utilities	1,850	Utilities	2,600	
Insurance	850	Insurance	915	
Continue Ed/mileage	150	Continue Ed/mileage	0	
Election	200	Election/Legal Notices	200	
Expendable/Supplies	500	Expendable/Supplies	500	
Postage	150	Postage	100	
Maintenance/Repairs	1,000	Maintenance/Repairs	500	
Books	500	Books	250	
Dues/Subscriptions 5	0	Dues/Subscriptions	25	
Internet Fees	600	Internet Fees	600	
Misc.	26	Summer Reading	150	
Total Expenditures	\$12,259	Total Expenditures	\$12,564	
Dated this 24th day of	of July 200	08.		
By Order of the Board of Trustees				
Bruneau Valley District Library				
Ginny Roeder, Clerk / Kathy L. Mori, Chair				
8/20,27/08				

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The Commissioners of GEM HIGHWAY DISTRICT, Marsing, Idaho, Owyhee County, Idaho have tentatively adopted the 2008-2009 budget for said district as set forth below. A public hearing will be held for the adoption of the budget at the Office of the District at 1016 Main Street at 8:00 PM on Friday, August 29, 2008. The budget is available for public inspection at the District Office between the hours of 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM Monday through Friday. Call 896-4581 for an appointment.

Dated this 7th day of August, 2008

Proposed Budget Oct. 1, 2008 – Sept. 30, 2009 Beginning balance 475,912.00 Property Tax including penalties & interest 4,200.00 Highway Users Fund 319,300.00 County Adjustment & Transfers (4,000.00)Sales Tax 9,100.00 9,000.00 Ag Equipment Replacement Tax 2,112.00 Miscellaneous 3,176.00 Anticipated Revenue \$ 856,800.00 **Expenditures** \$ 78,000.00 Labor & Salaries Legal & Accounting 15,000.00 Repair & Maintenance 14,000.00 25,000.00 Gas, Oil & Tires Construction & Materials \$525,000.00 Payroll Taxes & Benefits 16,000.00 Utilities 5,000.00 2,200.00 Insurance & Bonds 20,000.00 2,000.00 Office Expense Dues & Publications 1,600.00 Weed Control 23,000.00 60,000.00 Reserve Fund 70,000.00 Equipment **Anticipated Expenditures** \$ 856,800.00 Stella J. Bush, Secretary-Treasurer

AND WIFE, As grantors, To: taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC an Idaho limited liability company, as Trustee, As successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of ARGENT MORTGAGE COMPANY, LLC, As Beneficiary dated 01-16-2006 recorded 01-23-2006, as Instrument No. 254942, records of OWYHEE County, Idaho. PLEASE NOTE: THE ABOVE GRANTOR(S) ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE, NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLÝ RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS **OBLIGATION SET FORTH** HEREIN. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of this Notice is: \$115,028.29. All delinquencies are now due,

R. ELORDI, HUSBAND together with unpaid and accruing attorney's fees, costs and advances made to protect the security associated with this foreclosure. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. DATED: July 03, 2008 PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC an Idaho limited liability company, as Trustee CIO CR Title Services Inc. 888-485-9191 Kara Lansberry, Assistant Trust Officer FOR SALES INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT AGENCY SALES AND POSTING AT WWW.FIDELITYASAP.COM OR 714-730-2727 ASAP# 2816203

7/30;8/6,13,20/08

NOTICE

Natural Volcanic Spring Water 707-355-1481 7/16-9/10/08

Public notices

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Tuesday, December 9, 2008, at 2:00 p.m., on the steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse, located on the corner of Highway 78 and Hailey Street, Murphy, Owyhee County, Idaho, Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., as Successor Trustee (the "Trustee"), will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described Real Property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows:

All that portion of the South 250 feet of the North half of the Southeast Quarter lying North of the County Road (River Road), as now constructed, in Section 25, Township 5 South, Range 3 East, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, (the "Real Property")

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-described Real Property but for purposes of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of 25918 Pheasant Lane, Bruneau, ID 83604, may sometimes be associated with said Real Property.

The Trustee's sale shall be made pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust (defined below) to satisfy the obligation secured thereby. The sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrance. The Deed of Trust referred to herein was executed by ALFRED R. BOWENS and SANDRA A. BOWENS, as Grantor, to Pioneer Title Company of Canyon County, as original trustee, for the benefit and security of Syringa Bank, as Beneficiary, dated November 5, 2007 and recorded November 8, 2007, as Instrument No. 262998, and Modification of Deed of Trust dated November 29, 2007 and recorded December 4, 2007, as Instrument No. 263255, official records of Owyhee County, Idaho, (collectively the "Deed of Trust"). Alliance Title & Escrow Corp. has been appointed as Successor Trustee, pursuant to Appointment of Successor pursuant Trustee dated June 13, 2008, and recorded July 11, 2008, as Instrument No. 265592 records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

THE ABOVE GRANTOR IS NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4) IDAHO CODE. RÉPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THE GRANTOR IS, OR IS NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE OBLIGATION.

The defaults for which this sale is to be made are failure to pay:

(i) the regular monthly interest payments, as set forth and required by the Deed of Trust and Note, due on March 5, 2008, and thereafter on the 5th day of each month until the date of sale or reinstatement;

(ii) late fees; and

(iii) foreclosure costs, trustee's fees and attorneys fees incurred by Beneficiary.

In addition, the Grantor has: (i) failed to pay taxes encumbering the Real Property.

The original loan amount was \$77,591.38 (as modified) with interest due thereon at the rate of 9.00% per annum, as evidenced by the Promissory Note dated November 5, 2007 and Debt Modification Agreement dated November 29, 2007 (collectively

the "Note"), executed by Grantor payable to Beneficiary. The principal balance due on the Note as of June 12, 2008 is \$77,106.24.

The balance owing as of June 12, 2008, on the Note secured by the Deed of Trust (collectively "Loan Documents") is \$79,022.65, including accrued principal, interest, late charges, but excluding Beneficiary's collection costs, delinquent property taxes, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations under the Loan Documents or in connection with this sale, such as trustee's fees and/or reasonable attorney's fees, as authorized in the Loan Documents.

DATED this 11th day of July,

ALLIANCE TITLE ESCROW CORP. Successor Trustee By: /s/Melissa Ambriz Its: Asst Secretary Sheila R. Schwager

HAWLEY TROXELL ENNIS & HAWLEY LLP, PO Box 1617, Boise, ID 83701. Phone (208) 344-6000

8/13,20,27;9/3/08

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Notice of Trustee's Sale Idaho

Code 45-1506 Today's date: July 21, 2008 File No.: 7104.27247 Sale date and time (local time): November 20, 2008 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, Idaho 83650 Property address: 16 W Kansas Homedale, ID 83628 Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: Wendy L. Brown and Stephen A. Brown, wife and husband Original trustee: Stewart Title of Boise, Inc. Original beneficiary: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., solely as nominee for Fieldstone Mortgage Company Recording date: June 8, 2006 Recorder's instrument number: 256702 County: Owyhee Sum owing on the obligation: as of July 21, 2008: \$59,109.10 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: A parcel of land situate in the West half of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter, Section 9, Township 3 North, Range 5 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Southeast corner of the West half of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 9, Township 3 North, Range 5 West, Boise Meridian; thence running North along the East line of said West half of the Southeast Quarter of the

Northeast Quarter a distance of

255 feet to the South line of the "C" Canal right of way; thence Northwesterly along the South line of said right of way 186 feet; thence Southerly 385 feet to the South line of said West half of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter aforesaid; thence East along the said South line of said land 136 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING. EXCEPTING THEREFROM the following described premises: Beginning at the Southeast corner of Block D of Taylor Addition to the City of Homedale, Idaho, as shown on the official plat thereof, on file and of record in the office of the County Recorder for Owyhee County, Idaho; thence North 155 feet; thence West 50 feet; thence South 155 feet; thence East 50 feet to the PONT OF BEGINNING. ALSO EXCEPTING THEREFROM the following: Beginning at a point 155 feet North of the Southeast corner of Lot D of Taylor Addition to the Homedale, Owyhee County, Idaho; thence North to the South boundary of the "C" Canal right of way 60 feet; thence in a Northwesterly direction parallel to the "C" Canal 186 feet; thence South 205 feet to a point on the West line of Lot D and 155 feet North of the South line of Lot D; thence East 136 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7104.27247) 1002.78046-FEI

8/13,20,27;9/3/08

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S **SALE**

Idaho Code 45-1506 Loan No.: 233300 T.S. No.: 10078.1198 TSG No.: 200805129

On 10/21/2008 at 11:00 AM (recognized local time), At the entrance to the Owyhee County courthouse located at 20381 State Hwy 78, Murphy, ID 83650. In the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, Pioneer Lender Trustee Services, LLC as Trustee on behalf of the beneficiary 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:

See legal description attached hereto and made a part hereof.

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: 11886 Hwy 78, 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: William D. Hall Jr. and Sandra L. Hall, husband and wife, As grantors, To: Pioneer Lender Trustee Services, LLC, As successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of Roger D. Freeman Sr., As Beneficiary, dated 8/16/2007, recorded 8/21/2007, as Instrument No. 262153, and rerecorded on 10/22/2008 as instrument No. 26263 Official records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

Please Note: The above Grantors are named to comply with section 45-1506(4)(A), ID 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 8/16/2007. The monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds (if applicable) of \$1,010.45, due per month from 3/1/2008 through 10/15/2008, 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 \$164,000.00, plus accrued interest at the rate of **6.2%** per annum from 3/1/2008. 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: June 17, 2008 By: Pioneer Title Company of Canyon By: Pioneer Lender Trustee

Services, LLC, Its agent.
Amy L. Bowles, Assistant

Trustee Officer Exhibit A

A parcel of land being a portion of the Southeast Quarter of Section 21, Township 1 North, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, and more particularly described as follows

BEGINNING at a Brass cap marking the Southeast corner of the Southeast Quarter of Section 21, Township 1 North, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho; thence along the Easterly boundary of the said Southeast Quarter of Section 21,

North 00° 19'54" East 318.48 feet to an iron pin, said iron pin being the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING; thence continuing along said East boundary,

North 00° 19'54" East 327.00 feet to an iron pin; thence leaving said Easterly boundary

North 89° 48'00" West 761.75 feet to an iron pin on the Easterly right-of-way of State Highway 78; thence along said right-of-way South 29° 44'40" East 377.38

feet to an iron pin; thence leaving said right-of-way

South 89° 48'00" East 572.63 feet to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING.

7/30;8/6,13,20/08

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No.: ID -124849-C Loan No.: 7470424672 A.P.N.: RPA00100350160A NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on 10/27/2008 at 11:00 AM (recognized local time), In the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse located on the corner of Highway 78 and Hailey St., known as 20381 Highway 78, Murphy, Owyhee County, ID, 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 and personal property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows: LOT 16 IN BLOCK 35 OF AMENDED PLAT OF HOMEDALE, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLATTHEREOF, OFFICIAL RECORDS OF OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO 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 sometimes associated with said real property is: 202 WEST ARIZONA ÁVENUE HOMEDALE, ID 83628 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: OLITA POPE AND ARTHUR L. POPE, WIFE AND HUSBAND, as grantors, to ALLIANCE TITLE, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of "MERS" MORTGAGE ELÉCTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., SOLELY AS NOMINEE FOR LENDER HOMECOMINGS FINANCIAL NETWORK, INC., as Beneficiary, dated 8/28/2006, recorded 8/30/2006, as Instrument No. 257931 and re-recorded RERECORDED 1-28-2008 #263788, records of Owyhee County, Idaho, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by MORTGAGE **ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION** SYSTEM, INC.. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRÉSENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The Default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust and Note dated 8/28/2006. The monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds (if applicable) of 533.10, due per month from 9/1/2007 through 10/27/2008, 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 \$56,752.50, plus accrued interest at the rate of 7.875% per annum from 8/1/2007. 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. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Dated: 6/24/2008 FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY Dee Ortega, authorized signatory C/O Executive Trustee Services, LLC at 2255 North Ontario Street, Suite 400 Burbank, California 91504-3120 Sale Line: (714) 730-2727 ASAP# 2804848 8/13,20,27;9/3/08

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No.: ID -133200-C Loan No.: 7442415535 A,P.N.: RP01N03W063487A NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, FIRST AMERICAN TITLÉ INSURANCE COMPANY the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on 10/20/2008 at 11:00 AM (recognized local time), In the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse located on the corner of Highway 78 and Halley St., known as 20381 Highway 78, Murphy, Owyhee County, ID, 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 and personal property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows: Parcel 1 A parcel of land being a portion of Government Lot 4 and 5 lying in Section 6, Township 1 North, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a brass cap marking the Southwest corner of said Government Lot 5, thence along the Westerly boundary of said Government Lot 5 and the centerline of State Highway No 78, North 00° 17' 00" West 619 10 feet to a railroad spike; thence leaving said Westerly boundary of Government Lot 5 and said centerline of State Highway No. 78, North 89° 11' 40" East 388 01 feet to an iron pin marking the Real Point of Beginning; thence North 00° 17' 00" West 1188.87 feet to an iron pin; thence South 68° 15' 00" East 231.28 feet to an iron pin; thence South 67° 21' 00" East 14.65 feet to an iron pin; thence South 00° 17' 00" East 746.58 feet to an iron pin; thence South 88° 33' 30" West 10.47 feet to an iron pin; thence South 55° 51' 14" West 69.51 feet to an iron pin; thence South 25° 30' 13" West 26.97 feet to an iron pin; thence South 15° 59' 50" West 105.56 feet to an iron pin; thence South 05° 17'47" West 62.01 feet to an iron pin; thence South 41° 59' 41" West 166.98 feet to the Point of Beginning Parcel II A parcel of land being a portion of Government Lot 5 lying in Section 6, Township 1 North, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a brass cap marking the Southwest corner of said Government Lot 5; thence along the Westerly boundary of said Government Lot 5 and the centerline of said Highway No. 78, North 00° 17' 00" West 619.10 feet to a railroad spike; thence leaving said Westerly boundary of Government Lot 5 and said centerline of said Highway No. 78 North 89° 11' 40" East 388.01 feet to an iron pin marking the Real Point of Beginning; North 41° 59' 41" East 166.98 feet to an iron pin; thence North 05° 17' 47" East 62.01 feet to an iron pin; thence North 15° 59' 50" East 105.56 feet to an iron pin; thence North 25° 30' 13" East 26.97 feet to an iron pin; thence North 55° 51' 14" East 69.51 feet to an iron pin; thence North 88° 33' 30" East 10.47 feet to an iron pin; thence South 24° 50' 03" East 380.72 feet to an iron pin; thence South 89° 11' 40" West 386.08 feet to the Real Point of Beginning Parcel III Together with and reserving therefrom a 30 foot wide ingress-egress easement lying 15.00 feet left of and 15.00 feet right of the following described centerline. Beginning at a brass cap marking the Southwest Corner of Government Lot 5 of Section 6, Township 1 North, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian; thence along the Westerly boundary of Section 6, said Westerly boundary also being the centerline of State Highway No. 78 North 00° 17' 00" West 634.10 feet to a point; thence leaving said Westerly boundary and centerline, North 89° 11' 40" East 33.00 feet to a point on the Easterly right-of-way of said State Highway No. 78 said point being the Real Point of Beginning; thence leaving said Easterly rightof-way, North 89° 11' 40" East 368.76 feet to an iron pin; thence North 41° 59' 41" East 146.54 feet to an iron pin; thence North 05° 17' 47" East 62.01 feet to an iron pin; thence North 15° 59' 50" East 105.56 feet to an iron pin; thence North 25° 30' 13" East 26.97 feet to an iron pin; thence North 55° 51' 14" East 69.51 feet to an iron pin; thence North 88° 33'30" East 859.67 feet to an iron pin; thence North 84° 43' 16" East 395.72 feet to a point of ending in the above described 30 foot wide Ingress-Egress easement 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 sometimes associated with said real property is: 7967 OWYHEE VIEW LANÉ MELBA, Idaho 83641 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: SHAWN M MYERS, A MAŘRIED MAN, AS HIS SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY, as grantors, to ALLIANCE TITLE, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of "MERS" MORTGAGE **ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION** SYSTEMS, INC., SOLELY AS NOMINEE FOR LENDER ACADEMY MORTGAGE CORPORATION, as Beneficiary, dated 12/12/2006, recorded 12/19/2006, as Instrument No. 259198 and re-recorded, records of Owyhee County, Idaho, the beneficial interest in which Is presently held by MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEM, INC.. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRÉSENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The Default for which this sale Is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust and Note dated 12/12/2006 The monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds (if applicable) of 1325.81, due per month from 11/1/2007 through 10/20/2008, 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 \$184,263.27, plus accrued interest at the rate of 6.875% per, annum from 10/1/2007. 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. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation, Dated:

6/16/2008 FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY Dee Ortega, authorized signatory C/O Executive Trustee Services, LLC at 2255 North Ontario Street, Suite 400 Burbank, California 91504-3120 Sale Line: (714) 259-7650 ASAP# 2799347 8/6,13,20,27/08

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December, 2008, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a.m. of said day at the front steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse, on the corner of Hwy. 78 and Hailey St., Murphy, in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, Charles W. Fawcett, as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

LOT(S) 3 AND THE EAST ONE-HALF (1/2) OF LOT 4 OF BLOCK 31 OF THE AMENDED TOWNSITE PLAT OF HOMEDALE, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO, A C C OR DING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF ON FILE AND OF RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER FOR OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO.

The Successor Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113, <u>Idaho Code</u>, the Successor Trustee has been informed that the street address of 307 W. Arizona Ave., Homedale, Idaho, is sometimes associated with said real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by PHILLIP B. LAGERBERG II and ROBIN L. LAGERBERG, Husband and Wife, Grantor, to Charles W. Fawcett, Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of ACCUBANC MORTGAGE CORPORATION db a ACCUMORTGAGE CORPORATION, recorded

December 19, 1996, as Instrument No. 220541, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho; and assigned to the Idaho Housing and Finance Association by Assignment of Deed of Trust recorded on December 19, 1996 as Instrument No. 220542, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTOR IS NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506 (4)(a), <u>IDAHO</u> CODE. NO REPRÈSENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, monthly installment payments under the Deed of Trust Note dated December 17, 1996, in the amount of \$628.00 each, for the months of March through July, 2008, inclusive; and for each and every month thereafter until date of sale or reimbursement. All delinquent payments are now due, plus accumulated late charges, plus any costs or expenses associated

with this foreclosure. The accrued interest is at the rate of 6.95% per annum from February 1, 2008. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$63,848.59, plus accrued interest at the rate of 6.95% per annum from February 1, 2008.

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Adult Bible Study: Wednesday, 7 p.m.

Knight's Neighborhood:

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Friends Community

Church

Wilder - Homedale

17434 Hwy 95, 337-3464

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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

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Sunday worship:

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Western Family



ea. 15 oz.

59¢ ea.

\$179 ea.

\$119 ea.

Taco Bell 1.25-1.4 oz. **Seasoning Mixes** **Coca Cola Products**

12pk 12oz Cans

3 \$4 **Coke Products**

89¢ ea.

MGD Beer



Meadowgold

Potato Chips

Ice Cream Cups

\$339 ea.

6pk 12oz Bottles Miller Chill

Gallon **Western Family Butter Quarters** 16 oz. Western Family

Cresent Rolls

Salad Dressing

8 oz.

\$**^**49

69¢

\$219 ea.

3 \$ 5

Maxwell House & \$**9**29 ea. **Yuban Coffee** 33-36 oz. Kraft \$289 ea.

16 oz. Rice-A-Roni & 1 39 ea. Pasta Roni Asst'd

Home Pride White or Wheat Bread \$269 ea. 20 oz.

Hostess \$279 ea. **Boxed Cakes** 10-12 ct. **Post Cereals** \$339 ea. **Asst'd Varieties**

Shasta Soda 6 Pack Cans

Vita Snacks

3 oz.

Western Family \$**1**69 **Instant Mashed** Potatoes 13.75 oz.

2 Liter Bottle

Powerade

32 oz. A-1 Steak Sauce

\$289 10 oz. \$299 ea. **Cooking Spray**

5-6 oz. Jif \$259 ea. **Peanut Butter** 18 oz.

Western Family \$279 ea. **Duo Cookies** 17-18 **FRP Frozen**

Stir Fry Vegetables 16 oz.

18pk 12oz Cans or 20pk Bottles

12 ct. Meadowgold \$359 ea. **Ice Cream** 56 oz. Hefty \$239 ea. **Foam Plates** 25-55 ct. Lay's

11.5-12 oz. SRM COUPON NO LIMIT • PER VISIT • 8/20-8/26/08

HOURS: Mon. - Sat. 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. - Sunday 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. **Marsing, Idaho**

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