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Summer reading heats up

Readers swarm at library

Over 40 children attended the July 14 "Be Creative at the Library" summer reading program at Lizard Butte Library in Marsing.

Kids sang songs, enjoyed rhymes, listened to two stories — including the rousing tale of Fluffy the pirate poodle — learned new vocabulary words and made masks.

Parents wanting to have their children involved can contact the Lizard Butte Library, located at 111 S. 3rd Ave. W., at 896-4690.



County seeks to rein in spending amid uncertainty

Pre-approval measure could extend to FY '10

Chairman Jerry Hoagland said that a new measure requiring pre-approval from the Board of County Commissioners for purchases over \$250 will add stress to the job, but the move was necessary.

Resolution 09-22, passed at the July 13 meeting, was a step taken after it become clear that depart-

mental spending would have to be reined in if the county expected to hit the fiscal year 2009 finish line in good financial shape.

"We talked about it (pre-approved spending) way back in late May or early June," Hoagland said. "There was discussion about it, and we thought, well, maybe a discussion would send a message to the departments to take it easy and most of them did."

But after the commissioners on July 7 discussed recent bills submitted by the sheriff's of-

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Cattlemen address power line at meet

Annual summer meeting Saturday in Silver City

Ranchers will consider asking for a re-examination of the loca-

tion of a federal energy corridor when they meet Saturday for their annual summer convention.

The 131st annual Owyhee Cattlemen's Association summer meeting begins at 9:30 a.m. inside the Silver City Schoolhouse.

— See *Cattlemen*, page 5A

Eby named IFL defensive rookie of year

Homedale grad also placed on all-league squad; playoffs next

As some observers suspected, Michael Eby was named the Indoor Football League's Defensive Rookie of the Year last week.

The 2002 Homedale High School graduate was tabbed for the postseason

award after a first professional season in which he led the Billings Outlaws with 10 interceptions in 14 games. The free safety's pickoff total was tied for second in the IFL.

The son of Gary and Vicki of Homedale, Eby also was placed on the All-IFL second team.

Billings won all but two of its 14 regular-season games and grabbed home-field advantage throughout the playoffs, which begins Saturday for

the Outlaws on Saturday against the Fairbanks Grizzlies, who beat the Colorado Ice, 42-14, in an opening-round game Sunday.

The IFL commended the rookie's pass coverage ability. He also had 73 tackles in 14 games, and his 5.2-per-game average was among the top in the league, according to the IFL Web site.

The former Eastern Oregon University linebacker also had five pass breakups in his rookie campaign.



Award winner

Homedale High School graduate Michael Eby returns one of his first professional interceptions earlier this season. Photo courtesy of Billings Gazette.

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Caldwell man dies of self-inflicted wound

Owyhee County Sheriff's deputies and chief deputy coroner Aaron Tines remove the body of Caldwell resident Arden Ziegenmeyer hours after the man had shot himself at the Port of Entry on U.S. Highway 95 last Wednesday.

Man kills self at Port of Entry

Emergency crews try for more than hour to revive man near U.S. 95

A 57-year-old man died of a self-inflicted gunshot wound Wednesday afternoon on U.S. Highway 95. Owyhee County chief deputy coroner Aaron Tines identified the man as Arden Ziegenmeyer of Caldwell. Tines said Ziegenmeyer used a handgun to shoot himself in the chest. Tines told The Owyhee Avalanche that while no autopsy will be performed, a toxicology test will take place to determine if Ziegenmeyer had alcohol or drugs in his system. "We will run toxicology on him to make sure there were

no alcohol or drugs. That's just normal protocol any more," Tines said. Owyhee County Sheriff's Deputy Slade Heeb confirmed the man shot himself at the Port of Entry truck scales south of the U.S. 95-Idaho highway 55 junction before law enforcement could arrive. Sheriff's units were en route to the scene after a call came in about a man waving a gun. Heeb said two truck drivers at the scales witnessed the man's behavior. Emergency medical crews from Homedale performed CPR on Ziegenmeyer for more than an

hour while personnel from OCSO, Homedale Police Department and Idaho State Police sealed off Sommercamp Road to create a landing zone for an Air St. Luke's helicopter. Heeb said the man already had shot himself when Cpl. Kenny Hoagland arrived. The man lay in the weeds feet away from the rear of the Port of Entry parking lot, his Ford Explorer parked nearby with two passenger-side doors open. Heeb said the man was the only occupant in the vehicle. Emergency crews held up a sheet to shield their colleagues' live-saving efforts from passersby on U.S. 95.

— JPB

Frontier outage affects phone calls statewide

County callers were faced with difficulties Friday morning, as Frontier Communication users discovered their phones could not call any numbers past their local service areas. The service outage began before 10 a.m. and extended to about 11:30 a.m. while Frontier technicians searched for the problem — a failure that affected all Frontier service statewide. Local effects included the Homedale U.S. Bank limiting access to the bank's interior to small groups. With the lack of long distance connectivity, too much foot traffic was seen as a security risk, and bank personnel did most of their business through the drive-through, banker Roger Haines said. Paul's Market escaped the worst of the effects, with its credit card system staying online, though the in-store ATM was not working. Jackson's Shell station wasn't as lucky, and their credit card reader at the till stopped working for the duration, as did the one at Homedale Drug, and any shop that depended on a Frontier phone line for connectivity to a financial service. Snake River Mart in Marsing confirmed that it suffered as well, with patrons unable to use the card option on the gas pumps. The lack of long distance not only limited transactions, it interfered with doctors' and pharmacists' abilities to communicate on prescriptions, according to Homedale Drug staff. Businesses that use a satellite system, like Matteson's Owyhee Motor Sales in Homedale, had no trouble performing transactions, though service manager Mike Conant did say that the lack of long distance made it difficult to operate.

"For the parts, it's bad. It's making it difficult to service people in a timely manner when we can't order parts," Conant said during the event. The equipment failure did not impact 911 service, Richard Jayo, general manager for Frontier for Idaho, said. Homedale Ambulance officials confirmed that there was no effect on dispatch. The outage caught the company by surprise, and the unit that failed was not one that techs would have expected, Jayo said. "We lost a piece of equipment, a D4 channel bank," he said. "It totally isolated us. You could make local calls but not calls between switches or long distance calls." With the failure of the channel bank, all areas serviced by Frontier in Idaho became islands of local service without long distance — or even local calls to areas that went through a switch. "It was a very peculiar failure," Jayo said. "It looked like it took a power hit, but there was no sign that happened." The D4 has built —in redundancy, and in this case both circuits had to fail to cause the outage, something so unlikely that it took the techs a while to even examine the possibility, Jayo said. Frontier is implementing a double layer of redundancy on the McCall-based channel bank, Jayo said, to try to prevent such an outage from ever happening again. "We apologize to everyone who was impacted," Jayo said Friday evening. "We learn every time we have an experience like this," he said. "We take it very seriously, and we will do everything we can to prevent this in the future."

— MML

Marsing's annual "All Class" potluck picnic set for next month

The annual Marsing High School "all class" picnic will be held at 1 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 2, at the Marsing City Park. This is a potluck event. Participants are asked to bring drinks, table service and lawn chairs for their

own use. This year marks the 70th anniversary for the first MHS graduates — the Class of 1939, which included 10 students. Contact Jack Muldoon at 896-4220 for more information.

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BLM delays Gateway West EIS

Comments on alternate routes to be taken through Sept. 4

After months of controversy, public meetings, and initial plan dates calling for an environmental impact statement (EIS) next month, the Bureau of Land Management announced Thursday that the EIS for the Gateway West transmission line will be delayed, and that public comment on the proposed route of the project will be accepted through Sept. 4. The decision came after a request by local legislators and landowners to slow the process to allow for additional input.

The announcement, made after a meeting of ranking BLM officials from affected states, backs up the release of the EIS until next spring.

Idaho Power and BLM releases both solicited input from landowners and other members of the public. Any comment can be made directly to the BLM by e-mail to Gateway_West_WYMail@blm.gov or by regular mail to: Bureau of Land Management, Gateway West Project, P.O. Box 20879, Cheyenne, WY 82003.

The move was met with appreciation by local lawmakers (see Letters to the Editor, **Page 15A**). District 23 Rep. Stephen Hartgen (R. Twin Falls) mentioned that he will review the proposed route changes in Owyhee County at the Owyhee Cattlemens Association meeting Saturday in Silver City. The two current alternate routes under discussion both pleased Hartgen.

"New options maps, which I saw this week, show alternatives under consideration as, one, a



Marking territory?

Several survey stakes were driven into the earth in the Murphy-Oreana area to make a possible route for the Gateway West line. Scrutiny has increased on the Idaho Power Co. project since this photo was taken in the spring. Submitted photo

route plan further south in much of Owyhee County, and, two, an alternative which jumps the river east of Bruneau and comes along the river on the northside," Hartgen said in an e-mail to The Owyhee Avalanche.

"Either of these, in my view, would be way more preferable than the initial proposal, as they avoid the farm and agricultural irrigated lands of our county."

Local landowners and members of government have repeatedly expressed displeasure at and frustration with what they see as a lack of proper early public input into the project; something that many believe would have kept the initial route from crossing a high percentage of agricultural land in Owyhee and Malheur counties.

The BLM "reaffirms its obligation to obtain and consider public input and work with the project proponents, Idaho Power Company and Rocky Mountain Power Company,

to ensure alternative routes address public concerns and meet the utilities' objectives for the project," according to the BLM's release. It said "reasonable alternatives" developed by Sept. 4 "will be analyzed in the Draft Environmental Impact Statement."

Additional meetings to finalize alternative routes will be arranged in local areas by Idaho Power, Rocky Mountain Power, local governments and other groups, according to the BLM release. It added that "notices of future meetings will be announced in the local media." Meetings with tribal governments are also planned, though no dates for meetings were given.

Idaho Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter's office issued a release within hours of the BLM and Idaho Power.

Otter said the decision showed a commitment to working closely with counties, citizens' groups and private property owners to address concerns.

"What we do with Gateway West will go a long way toward showing the federal government that we can resolve our own issues here in Idaho," he said in the statement.

The Gateway West Transmission Line Project, proposed by Idaho Power and Rocky Mountain Power, would build approximately 1,150 miles of high voltage transmission lines from Glenrock, Wyo., to Murphy. The two companies applied to the BLM and U.S. Forest Service for right-of-way grants to construct, operate and maintain these transmission lines in 2007.

— MML

Post office worker finds delayed editions of Avalanche in bin

As many subscribers noticed, some of them with considerable heat, last week's issue of The Owyhee Avalanche was notable for its invisibility in mailboxes for a period of several days.

The tardiness arose when the papers were mistakenly left in a bin by Homedale Post Office workers. They were finally located on Thursday afternoon when Homedale Postmaster Rob Herndon began checking the bins – the contents of which are only visible from one of their four sides, he said.

"It was all us," Herndon said of the snafu, which also affected copies of the Owyhee Wrap-up.

The papers weren't located until Thursday in part because local postal authorities had assumed the missing bundles had gone astray in Boise, something that has

happened before. Herndon himself wasn't working Wednesday, and on finding the papers were still AWOL on Thursday morning had initially decided to drive to Caldwell to look for the papers ... but stopped to double-check his own office first.

As it happened, the papers were still in a bin that was supposed to have been empty. Workers sign off on bins, noting that they are empty, Herndon said. That system will have to be re-examined and steps taken to ensure errors like this one don't happen again, he said.

Subscribers should have received their papers by Friday. Areas affected by the error included Grand View, Bruneau, Murphy, Melba, Adrian and Jordan Valley.

— MML

Homedale firm wins \$8M contract in CDA

LarKor Construction, a Homedale-based construction company owned by Larry Landa, has landed an \$8 million contract to build an Army Reserve center near Coeur d'Alene.

Last month's award follows in the footsteps of another \$8.2 million, 25,000-square-foot Veterans Administration regional center building project in Boise, slated for completion this month.

Both projects also involve teamwork with Macro-Z-Technologies. MZT is the California-based heavy construction company owned and founded by Bryan Zatica, the son of Paul Zatica, founder of Paul's Markets.

LarKor also recently won a \$1.1 million project to install lighting and resurface/replace concrete at the Moses Lake, Wash. airport, Landa said earlier this month.

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Homedale city budget hearing set for Thursday

The Homedale City Council will hold its public hearing on the fiscal year 2010 budget Thursday at City Hall. The hearing is scheduled to start at 7 p.m. at City Hall, 31 W. Wyoming Ave.

Grants and bond money accounts for the bulk of the 117.6 percent increase in city expenses over FY 2009, City Clerk and Treasurer Alice Pegram said.

Citizens are invited to give testimony on the city's \$4,357,296 budget which includes a \$500,000 grant for downtown revitalization, two grants totaling nearly \$240,000 for airport improvements and more than \$1 million in bond money to complete water and sewer projects.

The budget hearing will take place at 7 p.m., after the regularly scheduled second council meeting of the month.

The Homedale Public Library's budget will drop from \$81,518 in FY 2009 to \$64,900 in part because last year's budget included a \$12,000 grant to update the library's computer system.

Pegram also said that the deadline for contractors to turn in bids for the upcoming sewer force main rehabilitation project is 2 p.m. on Aug. 5. An early legal notice received by The Owyhee Avalanche stated the date incorrectly.

Before the public hearing, the council will hold its second meeting of July. The council meeting starts at 6 p.m. and is scheduled to include the following topics:

- A Chamber of Commerce presentation rescheduled from the July 8 meeting.
- A discussion of dogs running at-large in town.
- A possible vote on the vendor registration free tabled from the June 25 meeting.
- Reports from city departments, the Homedale Public Library board, and Mayor Harold Wilson updating the quest to replace the City Hall roof.

Marsing school district refinances bond, saves \$100K

Taxpayers in the Marsing School District will save slightly more than \$100,000 over the next two years following the refinancing of the district's 1998 bonds, business manager Debbie Holzhey said last week.

The move was announced at the school board meeting on July 14, and saw the bond debt moved to Seattle Northwest Securities, resulting in an estimated savings on interest of \$53,000 for 2009-10 and \$51,000 in the following year, Holzhey said.

Holzhey said the district was pleased with the deal and hoped taxpayers would be as well. "Especially at this time, everybody can use every bit," she said. "This was definitely the time to do it."

In other budgeting news, the board approved the application for an Idaho Council for Technology in Learning (ICTL) grant, which would provide \$20,000 based upon enrollment numbers, and approximately \$19,000 more based on the Average Daily Attendance (ADA) for the year, if secured.

Grant funds are meant to address "ongoing school district technology expenditures, personnel costs associated with school district information technology, staff support, and \$160,000 for ICTL staff support and ICTL related expenses," according to the organization's Web site.

The funds are part of approximately \$9.8 million earmarked to ICTL by the Joint Finance and Appropriations Committee this year. Of that money, slightly more than \$4 million are slated for disbursement through the Public School Technology Grant Program overseen by ICTL.

In other business, the board reorganization was performed — though no one switched positions and the board remains as during the previous year, with Joe Usabel as chair, David VanWassenhove as vice chair, and Betty Ackermann and Clay Sauer as board members. Jamie Wood, trustee for zone 4, stepped down from his board position, as he will be the assistant coach for both Marsing High School football and boys' basketball. Holzhey said a replacement will be appointed by the board, though that person has not yet been specified. The individual fulfilling Wood's term will do so until the 2011 election.

Marsing will also see a new literacy and technology teacher come aboard during the 2009-10 year. James Sangster will be the new Marsing Middle School literacy and tech instructor. Superintendent Harold Shockley described him as having "exceptional qualities in both literacy and ESL."

Sangster, a Washingtonian, is coming to Marsing following a year teaching in London, and five years teaching in Germany.

The hire brings the district back to a fully-staffed level, she added.

With eighth-grade classes at or near maximum size, the district also announced the suspension of open enrollment for new applications. The incoming eighth-grade class is the largest in the district, followed by the incoming fifth-grade group, Holzhey said.

The vocational and exceptional child program agreement with the Canyon Owyhee School Services Agency (COSSA) was approved for the 2009-10 year. The programs give students options to pursue trade training as well as additional scholastics.

— MML

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Shanley re-appointed Homedale school board chair

Quintana sworn in; athletic director announces deficit

Kurt Shanley was re-elected chairman of the board last week during the Homedale school trustees' annual meeting.

Zone 2 Trustee Tim Quintana also was sworn in for his next four-year term at the July 13 meeting. Zone 3 Trustee Kevin Miyasako will continue as vice chairman after his election last week.

Longtime Homedale school bus driver Cheryl Burril was honored upon her retirement. Shanley, who represents Zone 1, presented her with a glass plaque similar to those given to retiring teachers during the May year-end school luncheon.

Burril, who also has painted Silver City settings used for Silver City Fire and Res-

cue Inc. benefit Christmas cards, began driving school bus for the Homedale district in 1976. In all, she worked more than 20 years for the district.

Transportation/maintenance director Tom Muir announced that the heating and cooling system project for the Homedale High School gymnasium had been completed. He also said that Dan Mathews of Total Systems will conduct an energy audit as part of a program funded by federal stimulus money to check all public schools for efficient use of energy.

Trustees also hired two new teachers for the high school, with Amber Ford coming aboard as a Language Arts instructor, and Casey Grove poised to teach Business Education.

Athletic director David Hart reported that the high school athletics budget wound up in the red for the previous fiscal year. A call to Hart seeking more details on the

state of the budget was not returned by press time Monday.

Hart also reported to the trustees on the new ways to enhance funding for athletics that were discussed with coaches at the July 7 Homedale Trojans Athletic Association board of directors meeting.

Among those ideas:

- Two fundraisers held each year with the help of coaches at the HTAA. A golf tournament was suggested before the beginning of the school year as well as a springtime dinner and live and silent auction.
- Begin to charge admission for baseball and softball games to help offset the cost of umpires.
- Create an annual family pass to sell with the individual season sports passes that already are available.
- Make student passes available to middle school and elementary school students. Hart stated in his report that meeting

attendees felt the passes, suggested at a fee of \$10, could help parents' bottom line and bring more families to games.

- With approval, the HTAA could sell extra food items at games.
- Sell food during the Halloween celebration in City Park.

Schools superintendent Tim Rosandick said the school board took no action on any of the suggestions.

In other athletics news, Kathy Deal was hired as junior varsity volleyball coach. She's the wife of Trojans varsity baseball coach Burke Deal. Joleene Maxwell was named freshman volleyball coach. At Homedale Middle School, Wayne Skeen will coach seventh-grade volleyball.

Finally, Rob Kassebaum's resignation from the high school became official. He has accepted multiple coaching positions at South Albany in western Oregon.

— JPB

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✓ Spending: New rule won't affect operational or emergency spending

fice related to meals purchased during training in California — including a \$62 seafood dinner for two deputies in Fort Bragg, Calif. (a charge that Sheriff Daryl Crandall told commissioners he has addressed with the sergeants responsible for credit card usage) — and the Idaho Sheriff's Association meeting in Sun Valley, the conversation opened anew.

The resolution isn't directed exclusively at Crandall, Hoagland said, acknowledging that he has allowed some non-essential spending in the road districts, such as buying surplus tires from the federal government for about one-fourth of full price.

"It's kind of all the departments," Hoagland said. "Most are aware and watching pretty close, but for those that don't, this is what we have to do now."

On July 13, Hoagland and District 2 Commissioner George

Hyer approved the resolution. District 3 Commissioner Dick Freund was out of town tending to family business.

Executing the resolution may be easier said than done, however. Hoagland said that spending for emergencies, such as a road crew stranded on a remote project because of equipment failure, as well as the day-to-day operation of a department — such as fuel for department vehicles and chemicals for the Weed Department — wouldn't require pre-approval.

He also said that elected officials and others who are holding county credit cards will have be more aware of what they're spending and keep the commissioners in the loop.

"I think that's another thing we need to make clear — the credit card expenditures for any purchase," Hoagland said. "If they're going to go on a training

thing, they need to let (the BOCC) know and project the costs."

Hoagland said county finances are relatively sound, but the resolution is an attempt to make sure that the picture remains positive and that the departments have enough money to make it through the first quarter of fiscal year 2010. If the poor revenue stream continues, the commissioners may consider extending the pre-approval resolution into FY 2010, he said.

State funds related to highway user fees and sales tax revenue sharing don't hit county coffers until after the first three months of the new fiscal year (or around January 2010).

"Really, we're in good shape, but these people got to realize that we have to operate not only 'til the end of the fiscal year, but to the end of 2009 until we get any of that revenue," Hoagland said.

Recent revenue-sharing returns have the commissioners worried about the amount of support that will come from the state in the future, the District 1 commissioner said.

Budget carryover has dwindled the past two years, and shrinking state revenues have compounded the financial dilemma as work continues to formulate the next county budget.

"We're really concerned that the revenues may not be there because we did have some carryover from last year in 2008, and there's a whole lot less carryover in 2009 for 2010, if we stay at this rate," Hoagland said.

"And that's what we're dealing with. And the projections and the forecasts for next year are not probably as good as this year for revenues, so we're probably going to be really tight."

He said commissioners will

have a better idea of the challenge they are facing when third-quarter revenue numbers arrive in Murphy this week.

Hoagland said that the county may have to use federal Payment in Lieu of Taxes payments again this year — totaling about \$400,000 — to make ends meet with the budget. Compensation for lost property tax revenues because of the vast tracts of exempt public lands in the county, the PILT money usually is funneled into a trust for capital improvements, but the past two years money has been placed in the budget.

He also said that commissioners must find a way to trim \$600,000 from the FY 2010 budget requests made by department chiefs in order to present a balanced budget for next month's public hearing.

— JPB

✓ Cattlemen: Sheriff scheduled to speak at 131st OCA summer meeting

Registration opens at 9 a.m.

In the afternoon, the OCA membership will consider a resolution that asks the Bureau of Land Management and other federal entities to take a look at conflicts arising from the location of the West Wide Energy Corridor (WVEC), part of which is plotted through Owyhee County and on portions of which Idaho Power Co.'s proposed 500-kilovolt Boardman-to-Hemingway (B2H) transmission line will run.

"Basically, it's going to say there was no public contact, no scoping occurred during the creation of the corridor," former OCA president Frank Bachman said. "The WVEC was drawn in with very little public input."

The resolution also suggests the siting process begin anew for the WVEC with public comment to find a route with the least impact. The WVEC project began

in 2005 as a way to provide an alley for utilities such as electric transmission lines and natural gas pipelines.

The Environmental Impact Statement on the corridor was finalized in November.

Bachman is part of the Public Advisory Team (PAT) that is meeting to advise and propose routes for the B2H line and the planned Gateway West 500Kv line.

In addition to the resolution, ranchers will hear myriad presentations and updates during Saturday's meeting:

- The day starts with the membership silver bit drawing, and president Bodie Clapier will make introductions and give his report.
- Past president Dana Rutan then will moderate the election of new board of directors. Clapier said that Kit Bachman will replace Winston Gammett, and Kenny Kershner

will succeed Brenda Richards.

- The first round of updates begins at 10:45 a.m. and includes Traci O'Donnell of the Idaho Beef Council; OCA ex-officio board member Dr. Chad Gibson on the Owyhee Initiative; Adena Green from the Owyhee Watershed Council; and Owyhee County Sheriff Daryl Crandall.

More updates and reports will be given after the potluck lunch, which will feature meat provided by the Idaho Beef Council:

- Chris Collett discuss the progress of the Owyhee Cattlemen's Association Heritage Fund Dodge pickup raffle.
- A representative from the Idaho Department of Lands will address land exchange issues.
- Species conservation also will be addressed as OCA member and Bruneau/Grand View-area rancher Donna Bennett will give an update on conservation efforts

by the Owyhee Sage-grouse Working Group, of which she is the chair. Rayola Jacobson will give an update on the Bruneau Hotspring snail.

- Past OCA president Charlie Lyons will give a report from the Idaho Cattlemen's Association, of which he is the vice-president.
- Idaho state veterinarian Dr. Bill Barton is scheduled to speak on horse slaughter, and Phil Dunn of Traverse City, Mich.-based Land Services Inc. will address Idaho Power Co.'s quest to survey private ground for the Gateway West line.
- After a 3:30 p.m. break, the traditional deck o'cards raffle will be held and new business covered.
- The OCA sponsors the 5 p.m. social, and a dinner catered by H&M Meats and featuring barbecue tri-tip will be served beginning at 6 p.m. Cost is \$18 per person.

The first day of the meeting concludes with a dance to the music of Relative Rock at 9 p.m. Cost is \$7 per person and \$12 per couple.

Sunday begins with breakfast from 7 a.m. to 9 a.m. at the Idaho Hotel. Cost is \$9 for adults and \$5 for children 10 and younger.

The OCA board of directors meet at 10 a.m. Sunday at the Nettleton Horse Corral.

— JPB

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Obituary

Irene M. Markley

Irene M. Markley, 90, passed away peacefully on Friday, July 17, 2009 at home in Homedale, Idaho.

Irene was a “true Idahoan.” She was born on her parents’ ranch in the Wilson Community in the heart of Owyhee County on December 8, 1918. She was the sixth of eight children. Irene’s ranching heritage ran deep, with her father, Charles Johnston being born at Reynolds Creek and becoming a successful rancher in Owyhee County. Her grandfather played his fiddle at the first public dance held in Silver City.

Growing up, Irene attended the Wilson schoolhouse through 8th grade with her brother and sisters and approximately 30 other community children. She later graduated from Melba High School. In 1936, Irene met a young farmer named Harold Markley. They were married May 19, 1937 and farmed in the Melba area until 1941. The Markleys then moved to Homedale where they continued farming on their place west of town along Succor Creek. In 1955, they purchased their home place, a cattle ranch in the Ridgeview area (further up the creek) on the Oregon/Idaho state line between Homedale, Idaho and Adrian, Oregon, where they spent the remainder of their lives. They were married for nearly 61 years at the time of Harold’s death in March of 1998.

Having suffered polio in high school which severely affected her right side, it was a real



blessing being a busy farmer and rancher’s wife. Milking cows by hand proved to be the very best therapy for her arms. She regained muscle strength which may have otherwise been lost. She was even able to learn to bowl left-handed and joined a bowling team. She also loved to go fishing or dancing with Harold when time allowed.

Irene was always at Harold’s side, whether on a cattle drive, doctoring cattle, irrigating, repairing farm equipment, driving tractor, attending a family birthday party or a sporting event for one of the grandchildren. It was not uncommon to see her driving a stock truck full of cattle or horses or operating the International loader while grandkids picked up rocks. She not only taught most of her grandchildren how to trap gophers, but also how to welcome and feed an army of ranch help or visiting guests. No one ever left her home hungry! Although a hard-working ranch wife, she was always classy and well-dressed when a social occasion arose. She

set a quiet example for her family on how to love and accept, serve, remain positive, never complain and enjoy life.

Irene is survived by three daughters and sons-in-law, Darlene and Kenne Metzger, Charlene and Rufus Jr. Uranga and Judy and Bill Purdom, all of Homedale. She also leaves two sisters, Anna Mary Curtis and Beatrice Boston, as well as one brother, Calvin Johnston. Survivors include 11 grandchildren, Randee (Metzer) Garrett, Lori (Uranga) Badiola, Julie Uranga, Teri (Metzer) Uria, Diana (Uranga) Maxwell, Christi (Purdum) Smith, Lynne (Metzer) Murphy, Steve Purdom, Teresa (Uranga) Ryska, Greg Purdom and Kellie (Purdum) Trout as well as 26 great grandchildren, three great, great grandchildren, four very special step-great grandchildren and six step great, great grandchildren.

Irene was preceded in death by her husband Harold, son Robert Harold, her parents Charles and Mary Johnston, brothers, Ed and Tom Johnston and twin brother and sister Walter and Berniece Johnston.

Viewing will be held from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, July 22 at Flahiff Funeral Chapel in Homedale.

Services will be held at 2:00 p.m., Thursday, July 23 at Mountain View Church of the Nazarene, near Homedale, where Irene attended.

Irene left the legacy of a very large and close-knit family; most who choose to remain in the Homedale area where they gather together often. She rarely missed a family or community function and has left her mark on the hearts and lives of so many that she loved and accepted unconditionally. Mom and Grandma — such a wonderful matriarch of our entire large family — we love you — “In Our Hearts Forever!”

Death notices

RUTH DREES, 88, of Homedale, died Saturday, July 18, 2009 of natural causes at her home. Services are pending at Dakan Funeral Chapel in Caldwell. 459-3629.

Weather			
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July 14	78	43	.00
July 15	84	44	.00
July 16	91	45	.00
July 17	95	52	.00
July 18	96	51	.00
July 19	92	56	.00
July 20	96	47	.00

Swine flu, West Nile confirmed in county

Southwest District Health has issued an alert about health risks in Owyhee County related to the H1N1 swine flu and West Nile Virus.

SWDH spokesperson Laurie Boston told The Owyhee Avalanche on Monday that a mosquito trapped within the Bruneau town-site last week had tested positive for West Nile Virus.

Boston said the district will distribute flyers in the Bruneau area alerting residents of the discovery.

Southwest District Health currently has traps in the Homedale and Marsing areas, and will be setting a trap at CJ Strike Reservoir this week, Boston said.

Also last week, a second confirmed case of swine flu was reported in Owyhee County. A female in her 20s didn’t require hospitalization and is recovering at home, Boston said.

“We feel there are a lot more cases that haven’t been confirmed,” she said. “But we have 28 total cases in our six-county area.”

The first Owyhee County case was reported on the afternoon of July 2 and involved a 3-year-old boy who recently had traveled to Utah. Like the second patient, the boy wasn’t hospitalized and recovered at home.

Other SWDH cases have been confirmed in Canyon, Gem and Adams counties.

Youth Horse 4-Hers score well in state

Owyhee County was well represented at the 2009 Idaho 4-H Youth Horse Council contests. The contests were held at Capital High School in Boise on July 6-7.

Shelbi Ferdinand from Pony Express placed fifth in the Senior Division Illustrated Talk/Demonstration Contest, according to a release from ’Dre Castaneda of the Owyhee County University of Idaho Extension office. The Owyhee County Horse Judging

Team also “did very well” with Carlie Purdom of the Dust Devils just missing placement in the top 10 individually after to a three-way tie score, Castaneda said.

Purdum, daughter of Homedale’s Steve and Tina Purdom, received the team’s highest score, Wilson Butte 4-H members Stephanie Hylton and Evon Timmons — recent Owyhee County 4-H horse judging team member at nationals in Jackson, Miss. — followed not far behind.

Farm Service committee nominations open

Nominations will be taken until Aug. 3 for the upcoming County Committee election, the Owyhee County Farm Service Agency announced last week.

Nominations are begin taken for Local Administrative Area No. 2, including Reynolds Creek, Murphy and Jordan Valley. Ballots will be mailed Nov. 6 to all eligible voters, who then have until Dec. 7 to return their vote to the U.S. Agriculture Department Service Center, 250 N. Bruneau Hwy., in Marsing. Terms of office begin Jan. 1.

FSA county committees help local farmers through their decisions on commodity price support loans, conservation programs and disaster programs, and by work-

ing closely with county executive directors.

People can nominate themselves or others. FSA encourages beginning farmers and ranchers, as well as minorities and women, to nominate themselves.

To be eligible to hold office as a committee member, people must participate or cooperate in a program administered by FSA, be eligible to vote in a county committee election and live in the local administrative area where they are running. A complete list of eligibility requirements, more information and nomination forms are available at <http://www.fsa.usda.gov/elections>.

For more information, call (208) 896-4384, ext. 100.

Senior menus

Marsing Senior Center
July 22: Tamale pie, spinach, tomatoes, corn chips, custard.
July 23: Ham, baked potato, peas, carrot/raisin salad, fruit cobbler.
July 27: Breakfast to order.
July 28: Chicken & dumplings, yams, salad, muffin, cookie.
July 29: Liver & onions or chefs choice, salad, muffin, carrot cake.

Homedale Center
July 22: Ham & cheese sandwich, veggie sticks, 2 slices or bread, beverage.
July 23: Tuna salad, ½ hard boiled egg, lettuce & tomato, bread, beverage.
July 28: Roast beef, mashed potatoes/gravy, carrots, roll, beverage.
July 29: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, broccoli, roll, beverage.

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Calendar

Today

Tappin’ Toes and free lunch
11 a.m., ages 1-4 plus adult or caregiver, free; free lunch for ages 1-18 follows at 11:30 a.m., Eastern Owyhee County Library, Grand View. (208) 834-2785

Line dancing lessons
1 p.m. to 2 p.m., free, Homedale Senior Citizens Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

Marsing Lions Club meeting
8 p.m., Phipps-Watson Marsing American Legion Community Center, 126 2nd St. N., Marsing. (208) 896-4204

Thursday

Senior citizens lunch
Noon, Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View

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

Dinner and a Book
6 p.m. to 6:30 p.m., free meal for ages 1-18, \$3 for adults, Eastern Owyhee County Library, 520 Boise Ave., Grand View. (208) 834-2785

Summer youth reading program
6:30 p.m., “Be Creative @ Your Library”, ages 5-12, free, Eastern Owyhee County Library, 520 Boise Ave., Grand View. (208) 834-2785

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

Narcotics Anonymous book study
8 p.m., Homedale Friends Community Church, 17454 Hwy 95 S., Homedale

Friday

Story Time at library
10:15 a.m., children’s story, activity and refreshments, Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228, afternoons 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Saturday

Owyhee Cattlemen’s meeting
9 a.m., 131st annual summer convention, Silver City Schoolhouse

Monday

Narcotics Anonymous open meeting
8 p.m., Homedale Friends Community Church, 17454 Hwy. 95 S., Homedale

Tuesday

Senior citizens card games
1 p.m., bridge and pinochle, free, Homedale Senior Citizens Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

Mental health support groups
6 p.m., Marsing Nazarene Church, 112 W. 2nd Ave., Marsing. (208) 896-5630

Senior citizens dinner
6 p.m., Rimrock Senior Citizens Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 834-2808

Teen night and dinner
6:30 p.m. dinner, free to ages 1-18, 7 p.m., activity, ages 13-18, free, Eastern Owyhee County Library, 520 Boise Ave., Grand View. (208) 834-2785

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AA meeting
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Narcotics Anonymous book study
8 p.m., Homedale Friends Community Church, 17454 Hwy 95 S., Homedale

Friday, July 31

Story Time at library
10:15 a.m., children’s story, activity and refreshments, Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228, afternoons 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Saturday, Aug. 1

Senior center dance
6 p.m. to 9 p.m., live music, \$4 and finger food, Homedale Senior Citizens Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

Sunday, Aug. 2

Owyhee County Rodeo
10 a.m., ICA slack and jackpot team roping, Owyhee County Fairgrounds

Marsing High all-year reunion
1 p.m., Marsing City Park. (208) 896-4220

Monday, Aug. 3

Owyhee County Fair
8 a.m., Owyhee County Fairgrounds, Homedale. (208) 337-3888

Narcotics Anonymous open meeting
8 p.m., Homedale Friends Community Church, 17454 Hw 95 S., Homedale

Tuesday, Aug. 4

Owyhee County Fair
8 a.m., Owyhee County Fairgrounds, Homedale. (208) 337-3888

Board of County Commissioners meeting
9 a.m., Courtroom 2, Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy. 78, Murphy

Senior citizens card games
1 p.m., bridge and pinochle, free, Homedale Senior Citizens Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

Senior citizens dinner
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AA meeting
8 p.m., Homedale Senior Citizens Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave.

You can find a comprehensive listing of local events online at www.theowyheeavalanche.com. Click of the “Calendar of Events” link on the left-hand side of the page.

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

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



Bet You Didn’t Know Chicken cannon tests planes’ ability to withstand bird strikes

How’s this for different? The National Research Council of Canada recently developed a cannon that can fire four- to eight-pound chickens at speeds up to 620 mph. This device is used to test airplane windshields and other parts of aircraft that are subject to being struck by flying birds. Test officials also say the cannon will handle synthetic chickens as well.

Speaking of unusual cannonballs ... in the war between Brazil and Uruguay in the 1800s a Uruguayan ship ran out of cannonballs. The captain of the ship, one Captain Coe, loaded the cannons with hard round Dutch cheeses. The cheeses missed their mark the first few times then finally hit the mainmast and shattered into thousands of pieces. The cheese shrapnel killed two Brazilian seamen. The captain of the Brazilian ship gave up.

The distance between San Francisco and Cleveland is about 2,160 miles. If we took the moon and sat it on the Earth, it’d fit just fine in that space.

Phobias you don’t hear too

much about:

Amaxophobia — the fear of riding in a vehicle

Skokophobia — the fear of spies

Triskaidekaphobia — the fear of the number 13.

The first almanac is thought to have been written about 1200 B.C. Besides the usual stuff about astrology and the weather ... It’s advice for the day was ... “Do nothing at all this day.”

Jack Nicklaus, the great golfer, won’t go to a tournament without having three pennies in his pocket. He always marks his ball with his marker tails up. Thinks these little things bring him good luck ...

Speaking of famous people ... W.C. Fields ... was alleged to have been looking through the Bible while he was on his deathbed in 1949. It was said that he told visitors ... “I’m looking for a loophole ...”

— *For more information on Peary Perry or to read more of his writings or to make a comment, visit www.pearyperry.com*

Cowgirl, bison at public library

Story time will feature “Cowgirl Rosie And Her Five Baby Bison” by Stephen Gulbis at 10:15 a.m. Friday at the Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave.

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Owyhee County Rodeo entry books open Monday

Advance tickets on sale for Aug. 5-8 event

The entry books for the Owyhee County Rodeo open Monday for both local and Idaho Cowboys Association events.

Secretary Ilene Canning will take local entries at (208) 459-2055 from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. on Monday and Tuesday and after 1 p.m. next Wednesday. The books will remain open through Aug. 1.

Local entries include local team roping, ranch hand bronc riding, wild cow milking, the wild horse race, kids’ steer riding and mutton bustin’.

Mutton bustin’ is open to children ages 5-7, and the winner gets a belt buckle and prize money, while the top three go to the Idaho Cowboys Association Finals (which

was won last year by Jaylen Eldridge, who qualified through the Owyhee rodeo event); steer riding is open to ages 10-14 with a buckle and prize money up for grabs; no team entered in the local team roping can be rate over a No. 3, and the top team gets custom belt buckles; and the ranch hand bronc competitors will vie for a custom belt buckle and \$2,000 added money.

ICA entries can be booked by calling (208) 366-2326 between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. on Monday. Entries also can be made by fax at (208) 366-7967 or e-mail at icarodeo@gmail.com.

The pro events include bull riding, saddle bronc riding, bareback riding, barrel racing, tie down roping, team roping, steer wrestling and breakaway roping.

Both rough stock and timed events stock are being provided by Homedale-based

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The rodeo runs Aug. 5 through Aug. 8, but there will be an ICA slack session on Aug. 2. Admission is free for slack, which will feature tie down roping, breakaway roping, team roping and barrel racing.

After slack on Aug. 2, a jackpot team roping will be held. Registration will be taken for that contest the day of the event.

This is the first year that the Owyhee County Rodeo will be sanctioned by the Northwest Professional Rodeo Association (NPRA). Canning said the Owyhee County event is the only NPRA rodeo in the state this year. Owyhee also is an event on the Professional Western Rodeo Association (Pro-West) circuit.

Advanced rodeo tickets are available at Owyhee Auto Sales on the corner of Idaho

Avenue and Main Street in Homedale.

Admission for the Aug. 5 opening night is \$10 for adults and \$7 for seniors. It’s Family Night, so children 12 and younger get in free.

Everyone is encouraged to wear pink for the Aug. 6 Pink Night, which will be held to raise awareness of cancer. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$7 for seniors and children.

Admission for the Aug. 7 show is \$12 for adults and \$7 for children.

The top performers from the early go-rounds will qualify for the Aug. 8 championship night, which will be taped by KTRV Fox Channel 12 and rebroadcast on Sunday, Aug. 16. Tickets for the finals are \$12 for adults and \$7 for children.

The gates open at 7 p.m. Aug. 5-8, with the rodeo action starting at 8 p.m.

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Mussel enforcement means more calls for sheriff

State says inspectors shouldn't be calling on every violation

With the opening of the county's lone mussel inspection station at the intersection of U.S. Highway 95 and Idaho 55, the Owyhee County Sheriff's Office has had to deal with additional calls as inspectors report drivers with boats jumping the station.

The inspections and the creation of the nine stations began following the passage of the Invasive Species Act of 2008 earlier this year.

The calls have raised a few questions with law enforcement personnel as to what laws are violated by boat owners who do not stop, and what grounds officers have to stop vehicles. The same questions were examined this past week by the staff of the Invasive Species Program of the Idaho Department of Agriculture and the Attorney General's office.

As it turns out, the legal question is perhaps the most easily answered. Under Idaho Code, anyone failing to stop at a state inspection point — failing to comply with road signs — is committing a misdemeanor offense, punishable by a fine of up to \$3,000, a year in jail, and civil penalties as high as \$10,000 per offense.

With the law as given in the statutes, law enforcement has to respond to any calls reporting such misdemeanor behavior — which is where the problem has arisen. No initial guidelines were given to law enforcement on how to handle reported "skips" at the check stations when the Act became law.

Last week, Deputy Jeff Wasson and Sgt. Perry Grant were collecting information on the statutes involved and the Act in general, and were forwarding their findings to Sheriff Daryl Crandall. OCSO dispatch confirmed that the calls had been arriving, but had not been numerous yet; just "One or two" in a week's time, according to head dispatcher Jessica Egurrola-DeGeus.

Crandall did not return e-mails or calls on the issue.

Brian Oakey, Deputy Director of the Idaho Department of Agriculture, said that the boat inspection program, still in its early phases, needed to address procedural mechanics.

"We need to work those details out with the county," he said last Wednesday. "I had a call with them this morning, in fact, asking that question (how enforcement would work). We need to work out if they need a delegation of authority from the department, or if that authority exists in the absence of any delegation. It's something we're researching right now.

How the application of those laws will be paid for is another question. With additional enforcement, Owyhee County could face additional expenditures.

Section five of the Act states that the Department of Agriculture "may enter into cooperative agreements with persons and entities" including county governments. Such agreements, according to the Act "may include provisions for funding to imple-

ment agreements."

Enforcement costs may fall under the umbrella of cooperative agreements. Oakey said the Department of Agriculture was examining that question.

"It (enforcement costs) hasn't necessarily been (funded) up until now, but it would be something that — if the county needed some help and it's a high priority for this program — then yes, we'd be willing to sit down and talk to them," he said.

"What we need to work out is how often law enforcement gets involved. I think one of the issues we have right now with the inspections stations is that, obviously, the law requires every boat to stop, and there's slow compliance right now," he said. "I don't want to get out too far ahead — I haven't had a chance to sit down with the sheriff yet — but from our perspective, certainly what we're not going to be asking them to do is to chase down every boat that goes by. If there is some enforcement presence, maybe once a week or on a random basis where they're there and available to help us chase a boat down; yes, we'd probably be willing to help out with some costs. If they're just in the area, doing the patrol areas they'd be doing anyway, those are the types of law enforcement activities that we all get through our taxpayer dollars."

What constitutes appropriate response is what will have to be addressed, he said. At present, the program's lack of concrete framework for enforcement procedures is resulting in more calls than Oakey thinks are needed.

"One thing where I think we've got our lines crossed in this is what we (Oakey and OCSO) talked about this morning; that we don't necessarily want our contractors who are running that station to call every time a boat goes past down there. I'm not sure that's the best use of the sheriff's time, and we want to be respectful of and sensitive to the resource needs of the law enforcement community down there in Owyhee County."

— MML

Law enforcement briefs

The incident logs for the Owyhee County Sheriff's Office show five arrests of wanted subjects during the past week; no names or charges were provided. Two arrests occurred on July 13, one on July 14, and one arrest each on July 18 and 19.

A juvenile male was reported to be involved in an ATV accident on the Silver City road near Murphy on Thursday at 6:49 p.m. Grand View Ambulance responded, and air ambulance was dispatched. Sheriff Daryl Crandall responded. No other details were available.

A Homedale Police officer, one deputy, and three HPD reserves responded to an alarm at the Homedale Pruett Tire Center on U.S. 95 on Saturday at 11:52 p.m. No details were available to explain the large response.

Two juvenile male shoplifters were charged with burglary following an attempted theft at Paul's

Market in Homedale early last week. The burglary charge was filed after both suspects admitted they had entered the store with no money and the intent to steal, according to the log. One suspect was caught and held at the store, while the other fled, pursued by store manager Kevin Tycz. While the second suspect escaped Tycz and HPD reservist Andrew Arnold, his mother later turned him in.

A domestic battery arrest was made by HPD officer Jeff Jensen just before 9 p.m. on July 14 on Washington Avenue in Homedale. No names were provided.

Police are looking for James Slaughter of Greenleaf in connection with a vandalism call reported Thursday. Slaughter reportedly punched a hole in a door on Montana Avenue in Homedale.

An outboard motor was reported stolen on Friday, the second motor to go missing in the past month.

The motor was taken from an address on Cascade Drive in Homedale, and was described in the log as a black 20-horsepower Evinrude Tracker. The gas tank was also taken. The motor's owner had been out of town for a week, so the date of the theft is not known.

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Children get ready for the fair

More than 30 children turned out Saturday for the 22nd annual Buckaroo Jamboree at the Jordan Valley Rodeo Grounds. **Front row, from left:** Becky Mackenzie, Baylee Davis and Natalie Waddington. **Back row, from left:** Janey Clay, Bailee Jewett, Carter Clay, Abby Clay, Kiana Quintero, Lewis Rutan, Riatta Rutan, Dally Rutan, T. J. Davis, Lyndsey Salutregui, Adrianna Salutregui, Sage Raine, Shelbie Dines, Curtis Waddington, Abby Waddington, Abe Cunningham, Nathan Elsner; Andrea Greeley, Cheyenne Davis, Caleb Cunningham, Tom Nelson, Warren Dalley, Kyla Jewett, Sammie Jewett and Skyler Forsythe. Submitted photos

Youngsters tune up for fair at Jordan Valley horse jamboree

More than 30 local children participated in the 22nd annual Buckaroo Jamboree on Saturday in Jordan Valley.

Various classes were represented at the Jordan Valley Rodeo Grounds as the participants prepare for the 2009 Owyhee County 4-H Horse Fair, which kicks off the Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo on Aug. 3.

Saturday’s judges included Vale, Ore.’s Jennifer Kalifatic for the horse show and Jordan Valley’s Chris Elsner for the trail course. Classes included showmanship, reining, trail, western equitation, bareback equitation and qualification for cow work and boxing.

Organizers call the Buckaroo Jamboree a unique horse show where the main focus is on teaching and preparing the kids for the fair. Classes were divided by experience level, rather than by age alone, and children weren’t required to belong to a 4-H club to participate.

The Buckaroo Jamboree is held every July in Jordan Valley.



From left: Ria Kent, judge Jennifer Kalifatic and Shelbie Dines.

Assessment appeals, denials up this year

Landowners can appeal to state and, in turn, property valuations.

“From what we’re hearing, prices are crashing all over the place, but we’re stuck on that law,” Hoagland said. “The other fact is if we start trying to reduce those values to what we think is fair, the state will be here in a second and they will take over and they will set those valuations at what they think is back in line.”

Susan Renfro, Board of Tax Appeals director, said second-tier appeals are lodged through the county where the original denial took place. Appeals forms are available through the county clerk’s office in Murphy, Endicott said. The state board hears the bulk of appeals between October and January, and Renfro said her office wouldn’t have a grasp on county-by-county appeals numbers until September.

Fourteen of the 64 cases heard by the county BOE resulted in adjusted property values after assessor-recommended reductions and, in one case, an error. Endicott said the error occurred because a county appraiser counted a right-of-way for a boat ramp as a taxable piece of the property.

“We feel it should have a lesser value,” Endicott said.

Five appeals were withdrawn before a hearing, and 31 appellants didn’t show up, a 67.7 percent increase over last year’s 10 no-shows. All but one of the ’09 hearings with no testimony resulted in upheld assessments.

— JPB



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Avalanche Sports

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22, 2009

Record field swings for fences in Percifield Tourney

Annual memorial softball gathering begins Friday in Marsing

Defending champions are among a record number of entries at the 27th annual Percifield Memorial Softball Tournament in Marsing this weekend.

Caba's I, which won the Upper Division a year ago, and Lower Division champ Idaho Auto Center will duke it out in the A Division this year.

Amy Chadez, one of the tourney organizers, said a record 32 teams have signed up to play in three divisions of the double-elimination coed tournament.

The action begins Friday night on fields near the Marsing High School football field. Proceeds from the tournament, which began in 1983, benefit Marsing City Recreation and athletic programs at Marsing High School.

"It is our hope to start a Percifield Memorial Scholarship to be given away in the spring of 2010," Chadez said, adding that the tournament is expected to raise between \$6,000 and \$8,000

Percifield details

Format — Double elimination coed

Number of teams — 32

Friday — Games run from 5:15 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Saturday — Games run from 8 a.m. to 5:45 p.m. Home run derby, 7:45 p.m.

Sunday — Games start at 8 a.m. Championship in the afternoon with second title games, if necessary, starting at 5:45 p.m.

Defending champions — Upper Division, Caba's I. Lower Division, Idaho Auto Center. **Note** — Only two divisions were contested last year.

this year.

The tournament is named in memory of Tim and Mike Percifield. Since 1991, the Kim Pan-

zeri Award has honored another person who had strong ties to the softball community. The Panzeri Award goes to the best overall player from the tournament.

The tournament starts at 5:15 p.m. Friday, with competition starting at 8 a.m. on Saturday and Sunday. The championship games are scheduled for late Sunday afternoon with the if-necessary title games for the double-elimination tournament slated for 5:45 p.m.

A male and female MVP from each division will be named, and there also are hitting and fielding awards in all three levels. There are also a sportsmanship award and a community supporter award.

After Saturday's action, home run derbies will be held for both men and women. The entry fee is \$5, and there is a championship prize donated by the Villanueva family.

Off the field, a couple of raffles also quicken the pace for the weekend. For \$50 each, folks can buy tickets for a drawing with prizes such as a 32-inch

LCD HD TV/DVD combo, a barbecue grill, four passes to Roaring Springs Water Park, two sets of \$50 gift certificates to the Sandbar Riverhouse Restaurant and two movie tickets. There also will be a drawing for an autographed Boise State football.

Food and drink will be available for purchase throughout the weekend, too. The menu includes chorizos, hamburgers, cheeseburgers, nachos, popsicles, Coke products, Gatorade, water and beer.

— JPB

Percifield teams	
A Division	Solid Rock Homes
Panzeri Livestock	Nobody
Idaho Auto Center	I'd Hit That
Cowell Properties	John Wayne Construction
Caba's I	Triple-D Hauling
Game Time Sports	Caba's II
BAMF	Valley Hydro
Wicked	Dan's Auto Body
Office Bro's and Ho's	Beer Pressure
Get Bent	
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	Bell Key
B Division	Specialty Inc.
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Team "E"	Mitts Fits
Idaho Pizza Co.	Wilke Farms
Happy Valley	CKT Trucking
Newfoundlands	Snake River Co.

Homedale kids shine in junior golf at Lions Tourney



Youths tee up for annual Lions tourney
*The 10th annual Lions youth golf tournament was held Friday at River Bend Golf Course in Wilder. **Front row, from left:** Gracie Dines, Daniel Uranga, Spencer Duncan and Megan Maxwell. **Middle row, from left:** Kyler Landa, Hayden Krzesnik, Reed Jeppe, Reed Maggard, Savannah Duncan and Madelon Maxwell. **Back row, from left:** Ryan Ryska, Riley Maggard Qualls, Jonathan Stacey, Brett Ryska, Nick Ryska, Parker Lewis and Seth Duncan. All participants were from Homedale except for the Duncans and Lewis, who are from Parma. Submitted photo*

With the junior golf season winding down, River Bend Golf Course played host to the 10th annual Lions Junior Tournament on July 16.

Twenty-one golfers from

Homedale, Parma and Caldwell converged on the Wilder golf course for one of the final tournaments of the year. A Parent-Junior Tournament was held July 17, and the junior club championship tour-

nament will be contested Friday.

Most young golfers hailed from Homedale, with four coming away with championships:

- Jonathan Stacey, a 16-year-old, won the nine-hole boys' 15-17 flight by two strokes over another Homedale resident, 17-year-old Ryan Ryska, who shot a 42. Brett Ryska, 15, was fourth with at 52, while Parma's Trevor Kiser grabbed third place with a 46.
- In the all-Homedale boys' 14 flight, Reed Maggard fired a nine-hole 39 to beat Hayden Krzesnik (47) and Nicholas Ryska (61).
- Madelon Maxwell, 13, picked up a 75 to win the girls' 12-13 championship.
- Daniel Uranga's five-hole score of 22 brought home the boys' 8-10 title. Uranga is 8 years old.

Other Homedale results, included:

- In the 12-13 flight, Riley Maggard Qualls was second after tying after nine holes with Parker Lewis.

Lewis won in a putt-off after both players carded 60s in regulation.

- Megan Maxwell, 10, was second in the girls' 10-11 flight after a 36 over five holes.
- Emma Parker became runner-

up in the girls' 6-7 flight after winning a putt-off over Gracie Dines. Both girls carded 30s in three holes, which was one shot behind flight champion Alex Massoth of Caldwell.



Homedale finishes second
*Homedale's GALs League U-16 softball team was runner-up in a recent tournament played in Nampa. The team includes: **Front row, from left:** Aubrey Nash, Caitlin Johnson, Ashlynn Uria and Marissa Ensley. **Back row, from left:** Assistant coach Barney Harper, Raven Kelly, Megan Harper, Carmen Zatica, Jessica Westergard, Taylor Thomas, Brooke Fry, Katie Eaton and coach Roger Westergard. **Not pictured:** Justine Calzacorta. Submitted photo.*

Bruneau cowboy makes it to finals at Snake River Stampede

Bruneau cowboy Shawn Morehead reached Saturday night's finals at the Snake River Stampede in Nampa. Morehead scored an 83 to win the Wednesday night performance at the Idaho Center, but he got a no-score ride Saturday. His 83 was tied for the seventh-best score of the first go.

On Friday, Adrian, Ore.'s Noah Bayes was fifth in the bareback

bronc performance with a 62.

Jordan Valley's Jason Eiguren teamed with Nampa's Jason Duby to grab fifth place during Saturday's team roping matinee. The pair stopped their animal in 15.5 seconds.

Also during the Saturday matinee, Adrian's Abby Davis clocked an eighth-place, 21.52-second run through the barrels.

Based on the most recent Idaho Cowboys Association standings (posted July 14), Owyhee competitors are having strong summers:

- **Saddle bronc** — 2. Frank Tobias, Oreana, 2132.65; 4. Bryan Martinat, Marsing, 1556.38; 11. Daniel Richards, Reynolds Creek, 282.72; 12. Sam Mackenzie, Jordan Valley, 114.50; 14. Kalon Lord, Homedale, 28.50
- **Tie down roping** — 15. Kirby Cook, Marsing, 743.29; 25. Kelsey Cook, Mars-

ing, 173.58

- **Steer wrestling** — 1. Matt Cupp, Marsing, 3899.01; 10. Carl Seiders, Adrian, Ore., 620.26
- **Breakaway roping** — 20. Marissa Black, Bruneau, 644.13; 21. Stephanie King, Homedale, 644.10; 25. Maddy Pendergrass, Adrian, 432.48
- **Barrel racing** — 7. Bobby Jean Coyler, Bruneau, 1163.48; 9. Abby Davis, Adrian, Ore., 1008.04; 10. Karen Ewy, Homedale, 969.95
- **Team roping, heading** — 11. Cupp, 904.69; 18. Jason Eiguren, Jordan Valley, 696.0; 21. Richard Eiguren, Jordan Valley,

487.20; 26. Mike Pendergrass, Adrian, Ore., 225.36

- **Team roping, heeling** — 15. J. Eiguren, 706.66; 17. Shawn Lequerica, Arock, Ore., 487.20; 19. Shane Smith, Jordan Valley, 450.72; 21. Kirby Cook, Marsing, 413.60; 24. Mike Eiguren, Jordan Valley, 225.36
- **Stock saddle bronc** — 2. Daxton Jim, Owyhee, 256.00

Kirby Cook also has popped up in the Professional Western Rodeo Association standings, which were last updated on July 10. He's 21st in tie down roping and 31st as a heeler in team roping.

Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

July 25, 1984

Town buzzes following accident

An accident involving a truck load of bees left the town of Marsing buzzing last Saturday morning, according to the investigating officer, Dick Freund of the Owyhee County Sheriff’s Department.

The R. I. Robins Honey Company truck out of Nampa was enroute to Nampa from Grand View with a cargo of from 60-70 colonies of bees when it overturned just south of Marsing on Highway 78 at 6:58am Saturday.

The truck was driven by Bret Hamilton, 18, accompanied by his father, Thomas Hamilton, 39, both from Nampa, when it went out of control after going into the loose gravel at the right side of the road and taking out a highway marker sign. Hamilton over-corrected at this point, skidding sideways to the left shoulder, wiped out a power pole containing a transformer, slid into a ditch, overturned completely and landed up right.

The passenger, Thomas Hamilton, was able to get out of the 1979 1700 model International truck immediately, but the younger Hamilton was trapped, necessitating the assistance of the Marsing Fire Department and Ambulance crews for the extrication.

Firemen misted the bees with light fog spray from their truck throughout the extrication process to quell the angry swarm. Even so, most of the rescuers as well as the accident victims sustained stings from the bees.

Bee experts were called out for their assistance and the use of their protective equipment during the extrication.

Development group continues search for industry

Since the promotion for the first townsite at Homedale, there has been an interest to attract new business and industry to the area and a certain amount of active effort toward that aim.

In recent years the Homedale Chamber of Commerce has not only expressed this as a high priority, it has seen fit to invest in the venture of courting industry to this area, though to no avail as yet. Still the effort has seemed well worth making to the struggling and apparently threatened business district of Homedale.

The economic exhilaration that the right kind of industry could bring in the form of new jobs, new construction, housing, taxes and trade paints a captive picture of renewed hope for hometown merchants and businessmen.

Accomplishing creditable strides along these lines in the past, though seemingly overlooked in recent years is an existing certified corporation titled the Homedale Development Company.

Chartered in 1960 for the purpose of obtaining a potato processing plant in Homedale, a group of Homedale businessmen organized, purchased 51 acres of land (where Hoff now sits and part of which is owned by JC Jackson) and worked ardently toward promoting an industry.

Among the founders, directors and sixteen original stockholders were Henry Quast, Les Carter, Richard Eismann, Orville Soper, Spud Murphy, Herman Koenig, Clarence Cook, Robert Kniefel, George Wolff, Everett Colley, Russ Immisch, Joe Turner, Paul Zatica, Jim Duncan, Norm Tolmie and Ed Manning. Also active at the onset of the company and serving as officers were Frank Matteson, Harp Saunders and Ray Tolsma.

When the organization was unable to institute the potato processing plant, the land they had purchased was leased for a short time, then sold to JC Jackson.

In 1963 an interest in this area was expressed by Tom Arvin who operated a wood products plant in California with an office based in Reno, Nevada.

The Homedale Development Company put together a package deal for the repurchasing of the land from Jackson and capital for building the plant through a \$360,000 SBA loan of which the Homedale Development Company raised 10 percent or \$36,000 by the sale of bonds to local businessmen. In 1967 fifty-four bonds were issued in increments from \$100 to \$1,000 on which interest has been paid annually.

50 years ago

July 23, 1959

Sheds report on early potatoes

The Watson packing shed reports it ran several samples of early potatoes Tuesday morning. Manager Ernie Bales said the potatoes looked pretty good and shipping will start the latter part of this week.

Rodger Nash, shed foreman at the Western Idaho Potato Growers said a fair sized crew started running red potatoes Monday morning and that they plan to start shipping White Rose potatoes today. Micheo Takasugi is the grower.

Telephone pole blaze causes a commotion

A burning telephone pole at the west end of Idaho avenue near the railroad tracks caused quite a commotion Monday, but no serious damage was done, according to Bruce Smith, assistant fire chief.

Workers burning weeds along the railroad right-of-way had the fire well under control, but the fire department was called out just in case.

The new fire alarm is an up to date convenience for the local fire department. Seven phones belonging to the firemen in Homedale ring each time an alarm is turned in. Before, they had to rush downtown to start the alarm. Now they push a button on the phone and the alarm automatically goes on, rings for two and one half minutes, and automatically turns off.

Club donates to nursing home

The Come and Help club of the Northside community gave a beautiful new redwood table and benches to the patients at the Homedale nursing home last week.

Mrs. Charles Mayberry, Notus and Mrs. Lois Sewell and son Stephen, Portland, Ore., visited with Charles Mayberry at the home.

Guy Wherry, a patient at the home returned to his home in Grand View July 20.

Mrs. John Kratcher and her granddaughter from Washington, former residents of Homedale, visited Mrs. Margaret Payne last Thursday.

4-H livestock club meets in armory

The regular monthly meeting of the Homedale 4-H Livestock club was held July 12 at the armory.

A jamboree was planned for August 10 at 9am at the Owyhee county fairground.

It was decided that the club would again sponsor a queen candidate for the fair this year. Bob Wason, Mike Middleton, James McClure, Doralee Jemmett, and Mary Jo McClure were appointed on the committee to choose the candidate.

Outdoor breakfast held at Mrak home

An outdoor breakfast was held at the Anton Mrak home Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kushlan and family, Springfield, Ore., Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kushlan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Kushlan and family, Mrs. Harry Parker and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Richards attended.

Corky Vaught, Bruneau, killed in navy jet plane

Lieutenant Vaught died when his aircraft stalled at 1500 feet over the Formosa strait and crashed into the water. Neither his remains nor the aircraft was recovered. Military rites and a requiem mass were held aboard the carrier USS Shangri-La.

Lieutenant Vaught was born April 8, 1933, at Mackay, and was graduated from Bruneau high school in 1951. He received a degree in animal husbandry from the University of Idaho in 1955 and joined the Navy air service in July of that year. He took his initial flight training at Pensacola, Fla., and Corpus Christi, Tex. He was commissioned an ensign in January 1956, and received his wings in March, 1957. He underwent training in jet aircraft at Miramar, Calif., and joined the Seventh Fleet in March of this year.

He was married to Jenee Faircloth of Pensacola in August 1956. In addition to his wife and parents, he is survived by two children, Vicki Ann, two years, and Scotty San, two months.

140 years ago

July 17, 1869

LOST HIS DOLLAR. Two of our citizens were standing on Washington street a few days since, conversing, when their attention was attracted to a miserable, low, contemptible specimen, bearing the semblance of a white man, who smokes opium and cohabits with the Chinese citizens, coming along the street, dressed in Celestial toggery, when the following dialogue took place.

Mr. L (Conservative) – Is it true that that creature lives and cohabits with the Chinese?

Mr. K (Radical – very emphatically) – Yes, it is; and I’ll bet a dollar, without any foreknowledge of the fact, that he is a Democrat.

Mr. L – I know nothing about his political sentiments; but I’ll take that bet.

The money was accordingly staked and the pair approached the gentleman of moon-eyed proclivities.

Mr. L – If I may be permitted to enquire, what ticket do you vote?

Opium Smoker (with perceptible indignation that his position was for a moment questioned). Yes, sir; I vote the Union Republican ticket.

Finale – Mr. K. going up street, on double-quick.

JUDGE BOWERS’ ORATION. Our neighbor of the *Wave* rants at Judge Bowers for converting the oration he delivered in Boise City on the 4th, “into a sort of Confederate address,” and claims to have derived his information of its character from the *Statesman*. Our recollection of the *Statesman’s* article on the subject is, that it did not so class it, but characterized it as an eloquent and able address, containing some things that its editor, as a Republican, could not endorse, which was very natural. It would be unreasonable to suppose that Judge Bowers “or any other man” could deliver a truly sound and patriotic address without trampling on the chorus of the *Statesman* editor; but our neighbor, who did not hear a word of the address, ever true to his distorting proclivities, must need ring out his denunciations loudest of all. If the Boiseites had formed a procession on that day, and given the negroes and Chinese prominent places in it, and instead of Judge Bowers, imported Bill Stewart or Parson Benton to deliver an abolition harangue against white men and white principles, then would the editor of the *Wave* be happy, and eloquent in the bestowal of encomiums.

FINE GRAIN. We received this week samples of barley, wheat and oats from our friend Mr. Sterling Hill, grown this season upon his ranch in the beautiful little valley of Trout Creek, which proves conclusively the richness of the soil in that locality. We exhibited the samples on the street to several parties and all pronounced them the finest they had ever seen in any country. Bar the grasshoppers, and the valleys of Idaho will yield more grain to the acre than any portion of the Pacific Coast. Mr. Hill has a good ranch and is displaying commendable taste and energy in its improvement. He informs us the hay crop, owing to the ravages of grasshoppers, will be very light this season. We propose visiting Trout Creek and Jordan valleys within a few days, so don’t scold us any more, Mr. H, ef-you-please; go after the *Wave* editor, he is big enough to stand it.

SCHOOL RETURN. Mr. O. H. Purdy, School Marshal for District No. 1, has completed his return, from which it appears that there are 103 scholars in the District, which embraces the entire county, but nearly all the scholars belong to Silver City. The law requires the Marshal to return all white persons between the ages of 4 and 21 years, in consequence, a few married ladies are included in Mr. Purdy’s return. There is another feature connected with the matter which should cause a broad smile to illumine the countenance of bachelordom: the girls predominate, there being 55 representatives of the fair sex to 48 young “lords of creation.”

Commentary

Baxter Black, DVM



On the edge of common sense

The virus formerly known as swine flu

When the Asian Flu hit the country in 2003, were people warned to stay away from Chinese restaurants and Japanese cars? When the West Nile Virus was diagnosed in humans did the Health Department tell us to avoid going to Egypt? How 'bout small pox? Were there Dwarf Warnings posted? Does riding Tennessee Walkers give you a charley horse? Do you catch the swine flu by eating barbecued spare ribs?

The answer to all the aforementioned questions is NO.

So why has the demand for pork in supermarkets and restaurants plummeted? Because it is very easy for a logical but simple mind to say, "I've got the blues. I better quit eating blueberries!" Just connect the dots, they think. It's easy to explain to a child that the tooth fairy gives them teeth, the stork gives them a little sister, and smoking Regular instead of King Size will stunt their growth.

Truly, somewhere, sometime in a land far, far away, a human may have contracted the virus from a pig. But how many people that have been subsequently diagnosed with swine flu have been within 10 miles of a pig in the last 10 days, or 10 years? People catch the virus by coming in contact with an infected human. From a person! That's right! Maybe someone you know, like a friend, relative, classmate or subpoena server, but not from giving CPR to a pig. You will not be exposed to the virus by hanging out with Miss Piggy, pork, bacon, chops, ham, hocks, ribs, bellies, pickled feet, University of Arkansas rooters, or an overbearing bore.

What does it matter, you say, if you're just playing it safe? Nothing, if you are also playing it safe by reducing your family's exposure to places where kids and people congregate like schools, malls, churches, picnics, Disneyland, Starbucks or the county jail.

But discontinuing your family's BLTs or ham and cheese, or pulled pork or Chile Verde, has no more effect on their chances of catching swine flu than giving them a haircut or getting a tattoo!

It is the pork producers' misfortune that the illness was tagged with the name swine flu, because rumors ride in the Diamond Lane and facts putter along behind. The official name of this disease is the H1N1 viral flu. I wish it were more catchy, maybe the Gopher flu, or the Ragweed flu, or the Spotted Owl flu. If it was, it might give us more incentive to eradicate the source!

— *Can't get enough Baxter? Visit his Web site at www.baxterblack.com for more features, merchandise and his latest book, "The World According to ... Baxter Black Quips, Quirks & Quotes".*

Michael Lane, reporter

Eyes on Owyhee

It would be nice

I've been asked on several occasions why The Owyhee Avalanche doesn't put more information into the weekly law enforcement briefs.

It would be nice.

Several people have noted that the entries on the Homedale Police Department seem to be growing in size, and have asked if the coverage of Marsing and the rest of the county could expand similarly.

It would be nice.

Following a year-long battle with its computer system, the Homedale Police Department is finally on the map, and — though this week responding from the middle of the desert while on his active duty maneuvers — HPD Chief Jeff Eidemiller has been available for comment; if not in the office, then by cell phone. This week's report is slightly sketchy, as Eidemiller is not in touch with the week's calls, and acting chief Mike McFetridge could not be contacted by office or cell number on Monday.

This week in the county, there have been multiple arrests, an injury accident involving a child on an ATV, and a public suicide by gun at the Marsing Port Of Entry.

It would be nice to have some context for these events, and a way to perform due diligence; to ensure the accuracy of events reported, the identities of those arrested, the state of cases.

The Owyhee County Sheriff's Office has been making advances, and both Sheriff Daryl Crandall and Chief Bill Deputy Detweiler have been forthcoming when they are available, but that availability has eroded to the point that information is again becoming vague or nonexistent. Between business and phone service interruptions, none of the Friday news conference calls with OCSO have occurred in July. E-mail inquiries are largely unanswered. Phone



calls are rarely returned.

It would be nice if OCSO could have one person on duty during business hours who was able to answer basic questions without referring everything to the sheriff or his chief deputy, both of whom are, no doubt, busy with a variety of cases. And — not to throw the baby out with the bathwater — last week was an example of how well it works when an officer can spend the four minutes to quickly go over questions and details arising from the incident log, with Detweiler's pithy observations on the rescue of a lost Nampa man in the Owyhees.

Let me stress that this isn't a constitutional demand for transparency in county records, or Internet postings of every detail of every call for every deputy in the county. It is, instead, a request for basic accessibility — for the communication that Crandall included as part of his election platform.

If the ranking heads of OCSO are busy — and it's no surprise that they are — then they need to put in place protocols for other OCSO members to allow them to answer simple, routine questions. Things like "was anyone seriously injured" or "is there an investigation going on at present" — the basic facts that people in the county who pay the bills should know.

If a citizen calls OCSO, checking on the status of a relative injured, missing or arrested, and they received an answer that no one was available who could answer the question — or who knew the answer — they would come away from the exchange unsatisfied, at the very least.

How OCSO should do this is up to them; but people do want to know what's going on, and if the office heads are too busy to address the questions, it would be nice if someone else could.

Wayne Cornell

Not important ... *but possibly of interest*

The lessons of a first hunt

We were up long before dawn. I had been too excited to sleep much. We loaded our gear into Dad's 1955 Volkswagen. Mom told us to be careful. It was Saturday morning, Sept. 27, 1958. I was going on my first deer hunt.

I don't remember what we talked about as we drove through the darkness. I do remember as we followed the road along the south side of Lake Lowell, our headlights illuminated several deer. Dad said he hoped they weren't the only deer we would see during the day.

Dad wasn't a guy who lived and breathed huntin' and fishin'. But over the years he had been in the outdoors enough to know his way around. His last hunting trip had been about 10 years earlier when he brought a near-record size bull elk out of the mountains between Lowman and Stanley.

Father and Mother operated a weekly newspaper. The paper had to be printed and distributed every week of the year — no exceptions. That meant they seldom got a full day off. The fact that Dad was devoting an entire day to taking me on my first deer hunt made the event very special.

We crossed the Snake River at Marsing and followed U.S. 95 toward Jordan Valley. At Sheaville, Ore., we turned left onto the Cow Creek Road, which took us back into Idaho.

It was beginning to get light enough to see our surroundings when Dad turned south and followed a hint of a road up to near the top of a ridge.

There was a nip in the air and frost on some of the vegetation as we unloaded our gear. Before moving off,



Dad opened the bolt on his 1917 Enfield 30-06 rifle and inserted several shells in the magazine. The cold made it difficult for me to push shells into the loading gate of the 1894 lever action 30-30 Winchester "Long Tom" rifle I was carrying. Dad reminded me not to put a shell in the chamber yet.

We walked up a draw, topped a ridge and went down a draw on the far side a few yards. "This should do," Dad said. He sat down and rested his back against a tree trunk.

I suggested to my father that we should keep moving. How would we find any deer sitting under a tree a five-minute hike from the car? "We'll let the other hunters drive them to us," he said.

Somewhat disgusted, I sat down on a big flat-topped rock. From my vantage point I could see down the draw. I also could see lights on Highway 95 — probably seven or eight miles from our position. I asked Dad if he was sure we were in Idaho, not Oregon? He said he was sure.

Boom! A rifle shot echoed somewhere off to our left. The sun was just rising over a ridge behind us, but its rays had not yet reached our position. There was another shot then another — each seemingly coming from a different location and distance.

"Time to put a shell in the chamber," Dad said. I worked the lever on the 30-30. When the shell was loaded, I carefully lowered the hammer to safe position. It sounded like World War III in the surrounding hills with shots fired

— *See Lessons, page 15A*

Commentary

Financial management

Parents’ benevolent dictatorship keeps kids spending wisely

Dear Dave,
We follow your plan and give our kids commissions for working around the house. We also try to teach them about spending, saving and giving. Still, it bugs us when they blow their money on junk, or on things we don’t approve of, and immediately start worrying about the next thing they can buy. Should this bother us, and what can we do?

— Mike

Dear Mike,
Of course it should bother you. It bothers me just to hear about it!
It sounds like you’re on the right track when it comes to handling money, but your kids are badly in need of adult leadership. There are some things that are just a bad idea because they’re getting ripped off with low-quality stuff. But give them enough rope to hang themselves once in a while,



too. That way, when they buy something cheap that breaks in a few days, you can say, “I told you so.” Only don’t use those exact words, although you’ll be tempted. Just remind them of the principle involved.
Don’t be afraid to draw the line and let them know that there are things you don’t want in your house. If there are video games or music that you feel are inappropriate, then they don’t get to buy that stuff — period! If they put trash, filth, and nastiness into their minds and spirits, they’re going to become trashy, filthy and nasty. It’s not anarchy; it’s responsible parenting! You guys

are the leaders of a benevolent dictatorship, and the kids should learn to appreciate that fact and be grateful when you’re benevolent.

— Dave

Dear Dave,
I’m a big fan of your work, but I have to ask one question. Why do you advocate belief in religion for dealing with financial hardship, even for those who don’t believe in religion?

— Daniel

Dear Daniel,
First, I don’t believe that religion is the answer. I do, however, advocate God. I believe with all my heart that there is a God. I also believe that He’s in control, and that He’s crazy about us and wants good things for us. That’s my value system. It’s how I approach every equation, whether it’s financial or not.

I’m not mad at people who don’t feel this way. When someone who’s in debt or behind on their mortgage asks advice, I don’t tell them the answer is to go read their Bible. I give them financial advice. If they speak in Christian terminology, I answer in Christian terminology because I’m a believer. I know how to speak the language and can connect with them. But you’ll never hear me beat someone up just because they’re not a person of faith. At the same time, I’ll never back away from the idea that God is real just because someone else isn’t a believer!
Personal finance is 80 percent behavior, and 20 percent head knowledge. I’ve said that for years. If people can grasp that one statement, I can teach them lots of great stuff. Yet it would be naïve to try and have a discussion about behavior modification without including relationships, emotions,


psychology, and spirituality. That’s not just my opinion. It’s a logical, well-rounded view of the facts.
But when it comes right down to it, I advocate a belief in God and study of the Bible as the answer to almost every question, because they will take you places you need to go!

— Dave

— Dave Ramsey is the best-selling 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. He also has a radio call-in show. You can find 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 Says, 1749 Mallory Lane, Brentwood, TN 37027

√ Lessons: Patience amid chaos can bring bountiful opportunities

From Page 14A
every few seconds. I was getting disgusted. Here we were, sitting on a hillside doing nothing while the hunters who were moving around were ...
Bark! Bark! Somewhere down the draw, a dog was barking. Then I heard voices. Great! I turned to Dad. I was getting ready to ask how we would ever find a deer in this situation when I saw him put his finger to his lips, then pointed past me. I looked where Dad was pointing. Not more than 40 yards away, four deer were coming up the draw toward us. All four were looking behind them in the direction where I could still hear the dog and voices.
To be continued next week
— 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.



Something on your mind?
We welcome
letters to the editor
The Owyhee Avalanche
P.O. Box 97 • Homedale ID 83628
jon@owyheeavalanche.com

Letters to the editor

Tired of at-large dogs? Take issue to Homedale City Council

To all Homedale residents: If you are having problems with all of the dogs running at large, then you must be as upset as I am.
I am tired of them getting into everyone’s garbage, doing damage in my yard and their big “piles” in my yard! But, most of all, I have become afraid to go outside of my fence to get my paper, take garbage out, or check the water weir while irrigating, as I have had them come at me growling and teeth showing.
This week a neighbor lady who was walking was attacked.
So please come to the city council meeting July 23 at 6 p.m. Let’s see if we can make a difference.
Lin Lentfer
Homedale

Legislators: Delay to consider Gateway alternates good move

We appreciate the decision of the BLM and the involved public utilities to consider alternative routes for the proposed Gateway West 500kv line project. We hope this means that the involved agencies and utilities will now strive further to place this project on public lands to the degree possible, rather than across private agricultural lands in Idaho.
As legislators from District 23, which covers all of

Letters to the editor

All letters to the editor submitted to The Owyhee Avalanche must be no longer than 300 words, signed and include the writer’s address and daytime phone number.
The deadline for submitting letters is noon on Friday. Letters can be submitted in the these ways:
• E-mailed to jon@owyheeavalanche.com
• 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.

Owyhee County and much of Twin Falls County, we have been very concerned that this proposed project would have negatively affected numerous farming and ranching operations.
New alternative routes options, which for the most part bypass private lands, are needed, and we are pleased that the agencies and public utilities involved have heard the repeated concerns expressed by many, many people in public meetings.
We believe that the proposed Gateway West project should be placed on public lands to the degree possible and we look forward to working to achieve that goal.
Sen. Bert Brackett, R-Rogerson
Rep. Jim Patrick, R-Twin Falls
Rep. Stephen Hartgen, R-Twin Falls

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SYNOPSIS
OWYHEE COUNTY
COMMISSIONERS
MINUTES
JULY 6TH & 7TH
Board of Equalization Appeals 09-29 to 09-62.
Approved Supplement Agreement # 1 on Reynolds and Jordan Creek Bridges.
Approved application on mitigation plans for Reynolds and Jordan Creek Bridges.
Approved payment of all outstanding bills: Current Expense \$62,776, Road & Bridge \$59,800, District Court \$5,818, County Fair \$34, Fair Grounds & Bldgs \$5,577, Probation \$1,411, Health District \$4,234, Museum \$75, Indigent & Charity \$12,134, Pest \$1,249, Revaluation \$578, Solid Waste \$13,490, Weed \$3,077, 911 \$6,522.
Approved purchase of radios for Homedale Police Department and batteries for MRW.
Approved letter to Snake River Water Trail Coalition.
Discussion on 911 System with State Director Eddie Goldsmith.
Approved catering permit for Owyhee Cattlemen's.
Executive Session 67-2345 (1), (a),(b),(d),(f).
Board of Equalization Appeals 09-10, 09-24-09-30.
The complete minutes can be viewed at owyheecounty.net or in the Clerk's office.
7/22/09

NOTICE
The Owyhee County Transportation Plan is being prepared under the collaborative effort of 4 local entities; Owyhee County, Gem Highway District, Homedale Highway District and the City of Grand View. These entities all share a common desire to improve the transportation facilities within Owyhee County. Together, they agree that the overall purpose of the planning process is to effectively understand, plan for and implement improvements to the transportation facilities within their respective jurisdictions to meet the system and user needs over the next 20 years.
To fund the planning process, Owyhee County and Gem Highway District successfully applied for and received a transportation planning grant from the Local Highway Technical Assistance Council (LHTAC). With these funds, they have contracted with PARAGON Consulting, Inc., to complete the transportation study. When completed, the transportation plan will provide both guidance and justification for future funding requests to support implementation of the Plan's recommendations.
In order to ensure the final Plan meets the needs of Owyhee County residents we are requesting that you take a moment and share with us your thoughts on the existing condition of the roads and the service they provide as well as your thoughts on what you believe the roads and transportation system for Owyhee County should provide in the future.
On behalf of the local highway jurisdictions in Owyhee County, we appreciate your comments and interest in planning for continued improvements throughout the County.
To provide input on the Owyhee County Transportation Plan, please go to the following web address:
<http://owyheecounty.net>
Hard copies of the survey are available by contacting the Owyhee County at the

following:
Owyhee County, Attn: Charlotte Sherburn, Clerk, P.O. Box 128, Murphy, Idaho 83650 (208) 495-2421
7/1,8,15,22,29/09

ELECTION CANCELLED
The Gem Highway District Election scheduled for August 4, 2009 has been cancelled. Pursuant to Section 34-1407, Idaho Code, this determination was made following the deadline for the Declaration of Intent to be a write-in. Morris Giedd and Jeff Percifield will remain in office for the next four year term.
Stella J. Bush
Secretary/Treasurer
7/22/09

INVITATION TO BID
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That the Board of GEM HIGHWAY DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS invites bids for the following:
Furnishing road oil for approximately twelve (12) miles of seal coating. Gem Highway District will furnish cover material in stockpile. Bids should state cost per mile. Work to be completed before September 1, 2009. All bids must be filed with the Secretary of the Board of Gem Highway Commissioners, P.O. Box 453, Marsing, Idaho 83639-0453, on or before 5:00 PM the 24th day of July, 2009.
The right is reserved to reject all proposals, or to accept the proposal or proposals deemed best for the Gem Highway District, and to wave any technicality. Bid packets are available by calling RICK MEADE, Road Superintendent, Phone 896-4581, Cell phone 880-8215.
Dated July 1, 2008
Stella J. Bush, Secretary-Treasurer
7/15,22/09

ANOTHER SUMMONS
CASE NO. CV09-01104
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL
DISTRICT OF THE
STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND
FOR THE COUNTY OF
OWYHEE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, acting through the UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, RURAL DEVELOPMENT, Plaintiff,
Vs.
UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF EDD RIPPEE and CHARLOTTE I. RIPPEE; TOM RIPPEE, a single person; KATHY HOLLANDWORTH, a single person; STATE OF IDAHO; and RONI M. ATKINS, a personal representative of the estate of EDD RIPPEE and CHARLOTTE I. RIPPEE, Defendants.
NOTICE: YOU HAVE BEEN SUED BY THE ABOVE-NAMED PLAINTIFF(S). THE COURT MAY ENTER JUDGMENT AGAINST YOU WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE UNLESS YOU RESPOND WITHIN 20 DAYS. READ THE INFORMATION BELOW.
TO: UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF EDD RIPPEE and CHARLOTTE I. RIPPEE; TOM RIPPEE; KATHY HOLLANDWORTH
YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED That in order to defend this lawsuit, an appropriate written response must be filed with the above designated court within 20 days after service of this Summons on you. If you fail to so respond, the court may enter judgment against you as

Notice of Public Hearing
FY2010 PROPOSED BUDGET
Proposed Budget for Fiscal Year 2009-2010 (FY2010)
CITY OF HOMEDALE

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing pursuant to Idaho Code 50-1002, will be held for consideration of the proposed budget for fiscal year beginning October 1, 2009 through September 30, 2010 (FY2010). A proposed Budget Hearing will be held at Homedale City Hall, 31 W Wyoming at 7:00 p.m. on July 23, 2009. Copies of the proposed city budget with details are available for review at Homedale City Hall during normal business hours. All interested persons are invited to appear.

	FY 2008 2007-2008 <u>ACTUAL</u>	FY 2009 2008-2009 <u>ACTUAL</u>	FY 2010 2009-2010 <u>PROPOSED</u>
Expenditures			
01 General	\$547,546.00	\$543,000.00	\$1,105,868.00
02 Streets & Highways	\$162,171.00	\$188,057.00	\$203,771.00
03 Parks	\$88,765.00	\$126,295.00	\$130,070.00
04 Library	\$68,390.00	\$81,518.00	\$64,900.00
06 Law Enforcement	\$313,513.00	\$328,154.00	\$328,679.00
25 Water	\$2,301,985.00	\$310,500.00	\$909,600.00
26 Sewer	\$823,300.00	\$211,100.00	\$1,145,811.00
27 Sanitation	\$87,000.00	\$96,000.00	\$96,850.00
30 Airport	\$5,115.00	\$5,160.00	\$256,030.00
60 Irrigation	\$109,640.00	\$111,967.00	\$115,717.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES (all funds)	\$4,503,425.00	\$2,001,751.00	\$4,357,296.00

	FY 2008 2007-2008 <u>ACTUAL</u>	FY 2009 2008-2009 <u>ACTUAL</u>	FY 2010 2009-2010 <u>PROPOSED</u>
Revenue			
General Fund	\$252,300.00	\$259,000.00	\$265,000.00
Library	\$21,200.00	\$26,000.00	\$26,780.00
Park & Rec	\$14,500.00	\$14,900.00	\$14,900.00
Total Property Tax:	\$288,000.00	\$299,900.00	\$306,680.00
Revenue Other Sources			
01 General	\$295,246.00	\$284,000.00	\$840,868.00
02 Streets & Highways	\$162,171.00	\$188,057.00	\$203,771.00
03 Parks	\$72,265.00	\$111,395.00	\$115,170.00
04 Library	\$45,190.00	\$55,518.00	\$38,120.00
06 Law Enforcement	\$313,513.00	\$328,154.00	\$328,679.00
25 Water	\$2,301,985.00	\$310,500.00	\$909,600.00
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30 Airport	\$5,115.00	\$5,160.00	\$256,030.00
60 Irrigation	\$109,640.00	\$111,967.00	\$115,717.00
Total Other Sources	\$4,215,425.00	\$1,701,851.00	\$4,050,616.00
TOTAL REVENUE (all funds)	\$4,503,425.00	\$2,001,751.00	\$4,357,296.00

Alice E. Pegram
Homedale City Clerk-Treasurer

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demand by the plaintiff(s) in the Complaint.
A copy of the Complaint is served with this Summons. If you wish to seek the advice of or representation by an attorney in this matter, you should do so promptly so that your written response, if any, may be filed in time and other legal rights protected.
An appropriate written response requires compliance with Rule 10(a)(1) and other Idaho Rules of Civil Procedure and shall also include:
1. The title and number of this case.
2. If your response is an Answer to the Complaint, it must contain admissions or denials of the separate allegations of the Complaint and other defenses you may claim.
3. Your signature, mailing address and telephone number, or the signature, mailing address and telephone number of your attorney.
4. Proof of mailing or delivery of a copy of your response to plaintiff's attorney, as designated below.
To determine whether you must pay a filing fee with your response, contact the Clerk of the above-named court.
DATED This 10th day of June, 2009.
CHARLOTTE SHERBURN, Clerk
By: Trina Aman, Deputy Clerk
Susan E. Wiebe, Attorney at Law, 802 Arthur, PO Box 606, Caldwell, ID 83606. 208-454-8771 Fax 208-454-9075. ISB No. 3919, Attorney for Plaintiff
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Public notices

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

Notice of Trustee’s Sale Idaho Code 45-1506 Today’s date: July 2, 2009 File No.: 7023.04036 Sale date and time (local time): November 02, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, Idaho 83650 Property address: 112 S. 9th Ave W. Marsing, ID 83639 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: Keith E. Burson and Lori Denise Burson, husband and wife Original trustee: Pioneer Title Company Original beneficiary: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., solely as nominee for Academy Mortgage Corporation Recording date: July 15, 2005 Recorder’s instrument number: 252606 County: Owyhee Sum owing on the obligation: as of July 2, 2009: \$106,584.73 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: Lot 12 of Bosma’s First Addition to the Village of Marsing, Owyhee County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof filed February 5, 1940 as Instrument No. 59073 in the office of the recorder for Owyhee County, Idaho. 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# 7023.04036) 1002.127281-FEI 7/15,22,29;8/5/09

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

Notice of Trustee’s Sale Idaho Code 45-1506 Today’s date: June 30, 2009 File No.: 7261.26243 Sale date and time (local time): October 30, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, Idaho 83650 Property address: 741 Audrey Dr 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: Francisco J. Castellanos and Juanita Castellanos, Husband and Wife Original trustee: Pioneer Title Company Original beneficiary: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. solely as nominee for Ownit Mortgage Solutions, Inc. Recording date: July 17, 2006 Recorder’s instrument number: 257325 County: Owyhee Sum owing on the obligation: as of June 30, 2009: \$90,686.52 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: Lot 11 of Block 2 of Owyhee Addition to Homedale, Idaho, No. 2, Owyhee County, Idaho. 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# 7261.26243) 1002.127100-FEI 7/15,22,29;8/5/09

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

Loan No. xxxxxx1418 T.S. No. 1216757-09 Parcel No. rpa00100310140a **NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE** On **October 27, 2009**, at the hour of 11:00am, of said day, at in the lobby of the Owyhee county courthouse, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, Id 83650, Murphy, Idaho, First American Title Insurance Company, as trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, cashier’s check drawn on a State or National Bank, a check drawn by a State or Federal Credit Union, or a check drawn by a State or Federal Savings and Loan Association, Savings Association, or Savings Bank, 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 14, block 31, amended townsite plat of Homedale, Owyhee county, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof filed august 9, 1911 as instrument no. 7284, on file in the office of the recorder for Owyhee county, Idaho. * deed re-recorded 4/13/2006 inst# 255955** Commonly known as 306 West

California Avenue, Homedale, Id 83628. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by Timothy Clark, A Single Man as Grantor, to Pioneer Title, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as Beneficiary, recorded March 16, 2006, as Instrument No. 255587 *, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho. **THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.** The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due February 1, 2009 of principal and interest and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said deed of trust. The estimated balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$69,233.48, including interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligation thereunder or in this sale, and trustee’s fees and/or reasonable attorney’s fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. First American Title Insurance Company C/o Cal-western Reconveyance Corporation P.O. Box 22004 El Cajon Ca 92022-9004 (800)546-1531 Dated: June 24, 2009 Signature/By First American Title Insurance Company. R-241304 7/15,22,29;8/5/09

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

Trustee’s Sale No. ID-USB-094822 **NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that, PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on November 13, 2009, at the hour of 11:00 AM, of said day, ON THE STEPS OF THE OWYHEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, LOCATED AT THE CORNER OF HIGHWAY 78 AND HAILEY STREET, MURPHY, ID, 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 and personal property (hereafter referred to collectively as the “Property”), situated in the County of OWYHEE, State of Idaho, to-wit: LOT 2 IN BLOCK 1 OF SHARI HILL ESTATES PHASE 1 SUBDIVISION, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT RECORDED AS INSTRUMENT NO. 211614, RECORDS OF SAID COUNTY RECORDER,

BUDGET HEARING NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a special meeting of the qualified voters of the Eastern Owyhee County Library District will be held on the 11th day of August 2009 at 4:00pm at the Eastern Owyhee County Library in said library district at 520 Boise Avenue, Grand View, ID. at which meeting there will be a public hearing on the maintenance and operations budget for the forthcoming year. This special meeting is called pursuant to Sec. 33-2713-A IC as amended.

Proposed Budget:

EASTERN OWYHEE COUNTY LIBRARY OCT. 1, 2009 – SEP. 30, 2010		
REVENUES	2008-2009	2009-2010
Property Taxes	\$28,377.00	\$29,558.00
New Construction	100.00	100.00
Sales Tax	9,000.00	8,000.00
Equip. Replacement	2,616.00	2,616.00
Memorials, Gifts & Grants	807.00	800.00
Miscellaneous	200.00	100.00
TOTAL	\$41,100.00	\$41,174.00
EXPENDITURES		
Salaries	\$16,300.00	\$16,500.00
Books	7,000.00	6,774.00
Supplies	1,000.00	900.00
Technology	1,400.00	1,400.00
Contingency	800.00	800.00
Election & Expenses	400.00	400.00
Equipment	1,000.00	1,000.00
Fixed Charges	3,900.00	4,200.00
Insurance	1,800.00	1,800.00
Legal Service	200.00	200.00
Maintenance	2,000.00	2,000.00
Operation of Plant	4,900.00	5,000.00
Travel & Training	400.00	200.00
TOTAL	\$41,100.00	\$41,174.00
Dated this 14th day of July, 2009 Eastern Owyhee County Library Kathy L. Chick, Clerk of the Board Frances Field, Chairman of the Board 7/22/09		

OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO. EXCEPT THE MOBILE HOME(S) LOCATED UPON THE LAND. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced Property but, for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 of Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of RT 1 BOX 456 , MARSING, ID 83639, 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 WAYNE L DIXON AND VICKIE L DIXON, as Grantor, to STEWART TITLE, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of PRIMARY RESIDENTIAL MORTGAGE, INC., as Beneficiary, dated 12/9/2002, recorded 12/31/2002, under Instrument No. 242075, Mortgage records of OWYHEE County, IDAHO, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4) (A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which is sale is made is the failure to pay when due under the Deed of Trust Note dated 12/9/2002, THE MONTHLY

PAYMENT WHICH BECAME DUE ON 10/1/2008 AND ALL SUBSEQUENT MONTHLY PAYMENTS, PLUS LATE CHARGES AND OTHER COSTS AND FEES AS SET FORTH. Amount due as of July 10, 2009 Delinquent Payments from October 01, 2008 10 payments at \$777.12 each \$7,771.20 (10-01-08 through 07-10-09) Late Charges: \$186.48 TOTAL: \$7,957.68 All delinquencies are now due, together with unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee’s fees, attorney’s fees, costs and advances made to protect the security associated with this foreclosure. The principal balance is \$96,117.71, together with interest thereon at 6.500% per annum from 9/1/2008, until paid. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Anyone having any objection to the sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to be heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the same. SALE INFORMATION LINE: 714-730-2727 DATED: 7/10/2009. PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES AS TRUSTEE BY ASSET FORECLOSURE, SERVICES, INC., AS AGENT By: Lilian Solano, Trustee Sale Officer c/o ASSET FORECLOSURE SERVICES, INC. 22837 Ventura Blvd., Suite 350 Woodland Hills, CA 91364 Phone: (877)237-7878 ASAP# 3181601 7/22,29;8/5,12/09

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE
ATF4990905376-BO Title No.
4990905376-BO Customer
Ref No. 1251582

On **Monday, November 2, 2009** at the hour of **10:30 o’clock A.M.**, of said day, on the steps of **The Owyhee County Courthouse** located at **20381 State Highway 78 Murphy, ID 83650.**

Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., as successor trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, cashiers check, certified check or tellers check, (from a bank which has a branch in the community at the site of the sale), money order, State of Idaho check or local government check, or cash equivalent in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the same time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit:

A parcel of land located in the Northwest Quarter of Section 17, Township 1 North, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho. Being further described as follows:

Basis of Bearings:
The North line of the Northwest Quarter of Section 17, Township 1 North, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian, derived from found monuments and taken as

North 89°26’21” East with the distance between monuments found to be 2648.04 feet.

Beginning at a point on the Westerly Right-of-Way of Highway 78 from which the Northwest Section Corner of said Section 17, Township 1 North, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian bears

North 89°43’29” West a distance of 2353.69 feet; thence along said Right-of-Way

South 36°13’42” East a distance of 372.00 feet; thence leaving said Right-of-Way

South 29°59’00” West a distance of 380.00 feet; thence

South 81°57’23” West a distance of 425.00 feet; thence

North 14°17’51” West a distance of 705.00 feet; thence

North 89°26’21” East a distance of 565.00 feet to the Point of Beginning.

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: **10723 State Highway 78, Melba, ID 83641**, MAY SOMETIMES BE ASSOCIATED WITH SAID REAL PROPERTY.

If the successful bidder cannot provide the bid price by means of one of the above means of payment, the sale will be postponed for 10 minutes only to allow the high bidder to obtain payment in a form prescribed herein above. If the high bidder is unsuccessful in obtaining payment as directed within 10 minutes, the sale will be re-held immediately and any bid by the high bidder from the previous sale, will be rejected, all in accordance with Idaho Code 45-1502 et. Sec.

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 Roger Fannin, a married man, as Grantor to Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., as Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of Pioneer Federal Credit Union as Successor Beneficiary, recorded May 31, 2007 as Instrument No. 261167, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

The default for which this sale is to be made is failure to:

1. pay, when due and before delinquency, the entire balance of principal and interest as set forth on said Deed of Trust and Promissory Note. The original loan amount was \$427,000.00 together with interest thereon at the variable rate of 6.25% per annum, as evidenced in Promissory Note dated May 30, 2007. The loan matured on November 29, 2008 and is now in default. 2. pay, when due, and before delinquency the real property taxes for the first half of 2008 together with penalty and interest. The principal balance as of March 19, 2009 is \$440,962.24 together with accrued and accruing interest thereon at a variable rate which is currently 6.25% per annum. The per diem is \$75.51. In addition to the above, there is also due any other real property taxes which may become delinquent during this foreclosure; and late charges, advances, escrow collection fees, attorney fees, fees or costs associated with this foreclosure.

The balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$440,962.24, excluding interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder or in this sale, as trustee’s fees and/or reasonable attorney’s fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust.

Dated: June 29, 2009
Alliance Title & Escrow Corp.
By: Bobbi Oldfield, Trust Officer
Phone: 208-947-1553
7/8,15,22,29/09

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

On October 22, 2009, at the hour of 11:00 o’clock AM of said day, at the steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse, Highway 78, Murphy, ID, JUST LAW, INC., 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 22, Block 1, WHISPERING HEIGHTS SUBDIVISION No. 2, Owyhee County, Idaho, filed for record November 8, 2000 as Instrument No. 234317 and Affidavit to correct recorded November 22, 2000 as Instrument No. 234425, Owyhee County records.

The Trustee has no knowledge

of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed the address of **5964 Whispering Hills Dr., Marsing, ID aka 5964 Whispering Hills Pl., Marsing, ID**, is sometimes associated with the said real property.

This Trustee’s Sale is subject to a bankruptcy filing, a payoff, a reinstatement or any other conditions of which the Trustee is not aware that would cause the cancellation of this sale. Further, if any of these conditions exist, this sale may be null and void, the successful bidder’s funds shall be returned, and the Trustee and the Beneficiary shall not be liable to the successful bidder for any damages.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possessions or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by Barry D. Kendall and Heidi A. Kendall, husband and wife, as Grantor(s) with Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as the Beneficiary, under the Deed of Trust recorded June 1, 2005, as Instrument No. 252054, re-recorded June 3, 2005, Instrument No. 252080 in the records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay the amount due under the certain Promissory Note and Deed of Trust, in the amounts called for thereunder as follows: Monthly payments in the amount of \$1,609.06 for the months of October 2008 through and including to the date of sale, together with late charges and monthly payments accruing. The sum owing on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$154,920.10 as principal, plus service charges, attorney’s fees, costs of this foreclosure, any and all funds expended by Beneficiary to protect their security interest, and interest accruing at the rate of 6.00% from September 1, 2008, together with delinquent taxes plus penalties and interest to the date of sale.

The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation.

Dated this 19th day of June, 2009.

Sumerli Lynch, Trust Officer for JUST LAW, INC., P.O. Box 50271, Idaho Falls, Idaho 83405. (208) 523-9106 FAX (208) 523-9146

For information concerning this sale please contact Just Law, Inc. at www.justlawidaho.com or Toll Free at 1-800-923-9106, Thank you.
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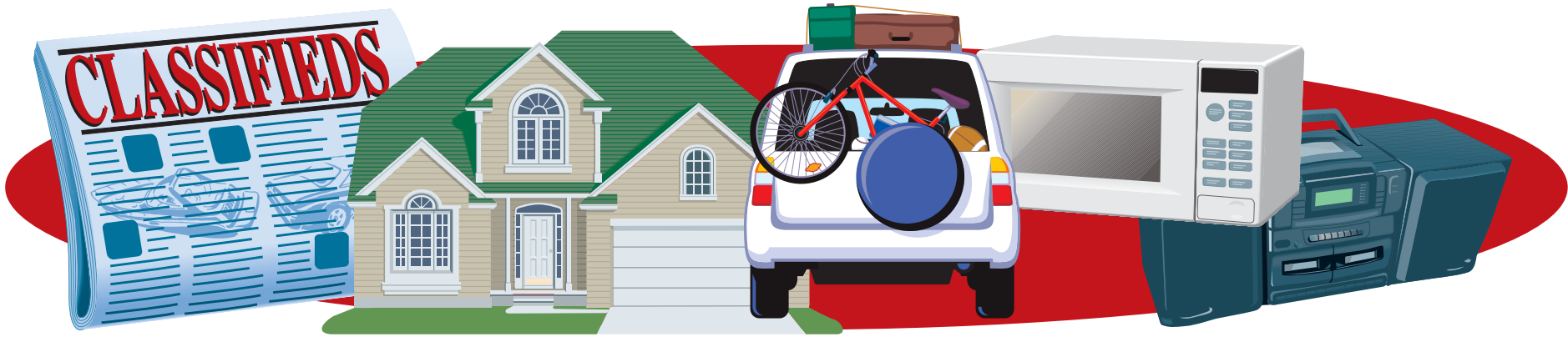
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Western Family
Real Margarine Quarters 16 oz. **79¢** ea.
Western Family
Sour Cream 16 oz. **\$1.19** ea.
Western Family
Milk 2%, 1%, Skim Gallon **\$2.39** ea.
Dole
Pineapple 20 oz. **2 for \$3**
Manwich
Sloppy Joe Sauce 15.5-16 oz. **\$1.59** ea.
Bush's
Baked Beans 28 oz. **\$2.19** ea.

Western Family
Pork n Beans 15.5 oz. **69¢** ea.
Kraft
Salad Dressings 14-16 oz. **\$2.59** ea.
Kraft
BBQ Sauce 18 oz. **\$1.39** ea.
Western Family
Dill Pickles 46 oz. **\$2.29** ea.
Betty Crocker
Suddenly Salad 6.2-8.3 oz. **\$1.59** ea.
Jet Puff
Marshmallows 16 oz. **\$1.89** ea.

SOBE
20 oz. **\$1.49** ea.
McCormick
Grillmates 7.1-1.25 oz. **89¢** ea.
Chinet
Paper Plates 15 ct. **\$2.99** ea.
Western Family
Plastic 16oz Cups 20 ct. **\$1.59** ea.
Western Family
Lemonade & Limeade Frozen 12 oz. **99¢** ea.
Marie Callender's
Pies 36-45 oz. **\$6.59** ea.

Corona Beer
12pk 12 oz Bottles **\$13.99** ea.
Wonder
Hamburger & Hot Dog Buns 8 ct. **99¢** ea.
Propel
710 ml. **\$1.19** ea.
Dole
Fruit Salad 15.5 oz. **\$1.39** ea.
Doritos & Tostitos
Tortilla Chips 14.5-15 oz. **\$3.49** ea.
Lay's
Potato Chips 11-11.5 oz. **\$2.59** ea.

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