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Public can chime in on Homedale library tonight

Hearing covers
new construction,
expansion and
taxing district

The options regarding the future of the Homedale Public Library will be discussed during a public hearing tonight.

The Homedale City Council will convene a public hearing during its first regular meeting of

the month, which starts at 6 p.m. today inside City Hall, 31 W. Wyoming Ave.

The council seeks public input on forming a library taxing district, remodeling the current library building or building a new library.

More than a year ago, the council donated a parcel of land east of City Hall for the location of a new library with the stipulation that grant money be secured for the

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Standout HHS student gets air time

KTVB NewsChannel 7 anchor Doug Petcash interviews Homedale High School senior Kortney Stansell for a Distinguished Student Award feature, which will air Thursday.

Kortney Stansell named KTVB distinguished student

Homedale High School's Kortney Stansell will be on television this week. The HHS senior and multisport athlete is being honored with the United Dairymen of Idaho Distinguished Student Award, and will appear on KTVB Channel 7.

The award goes out weekly to an "outstanding high school senior" from the Magic Valley,

southwestern or northern Idaho area to "highlight ... their achievements and accomplishments".

Stansell will receive a plaque to remember her award by, Homedale High School will net a \$100 scholarship for its general academic fund from Idaho's Farm Families, according to KTVB.

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Bruneau-GV schools adopt four-day week

District buildings
will be closed
on Mondays

The Bruneau-Grand View School District will operate on a four-day school week beginning next year.

Trustees voted 4-1 to adopt a four-day week during a Thursday meeting at Rimrock Jr.-Sr. High School.

The move is projected to save

the district between \$30,000 and \$100,000 for the 2010-2011 year.

"The stipulation in the motion was that all buildings be closed on that day with no other functions allowed," superintendent Vickie Chandler said. "To truly see what our savings can be, we have to completely close the buildings down."

Also in a 4-1 vote, the school board froze salaries and benefits.

— See *Schools*, page 5

Rimrock High School seniors graduate Sunday in Bruneau

The Rimrock High School Class of 2010 graduates Sunday in Bruneau.

Commencement exercises for 34 seniors are scheduled for 2 p.m. inside the Rimrock gymnasium, 39678 State Hwy. 78.

Will Goodman, who teaches Government and serves as Rimrock's athletic director, will serve as the guest speaker. Goodman also is the Bruneau-Grand View School District's IT director.

The Class of 2010 is led by valedictorian Anna Cantrell, the daughter of Ted and Sandy Cantrell of Grand View. Jackie Thurman, daughter of Doug and Lisa Thurman of Grand View, is the salutatorian.

Remaining Owyhee graduations are:

- Marsing High School, 7 p.m., Friday, May 21
- Homedale High School, 2 p.m., Saturday, May 29

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The faithful bowed their heads in prayer beneath the Homedale City Hall flag Thursday in observance of the National Day of Prayer.

Faithful gather at City Hall

Nazarene pastor leads prayer in Homedale

Prayers for the nation, our military and the strength of the family unit were offered during an observance of the National Day of Prayer in Homedale.

Mountain View Church of the Nazarene pastor Chuck Ryan led the ceremony on the lawn of Homedale City Hall. About 15 people attended the noontime event, including David Fraley, senior pastor from the Canyon Hill Church of the Nazarene in Caldwell. Fraley said the closing prayer.

“I felt good about it,” Ryan said of the National Day of Prayer observance. “We had many others contact us and want to be here.”

Ryan said this was the second time in the past 10 years that he had organized an observance. He contacted churches in Homedale, Marsing and Wilder while putting together the event.

Additionally, he said another 79 people signed up for the 24-hour prayer time that was observed between midnight Thursday and midnight Friday. Each person volunteered for a 15-minute time slot during the round-the-clock prayer marathon.

During the observance at City Hall, Ryan read from the scriptures — Psalms 33:12: “Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord” and Jeremiah 6:16 — and



Mountain View Church of the Nazarene pastor Chuck Ryan, center, leads more than a dozen people in prayer on the lawn of Homedale City Hall on Thursday.

offered ideas of what people pray for, including the government, business, the educational system, the churches, families and even the media.

Ryan said Jeremiah 6:16 is particularly of note during an election season and also in a time when congressional decisions are pivotal:

“Stand at the crossroads and look. Ask for the ancient path. Ask where the good way is and walk in it and you will find rest for your soul.”

Marriage and the military were primary focuses.

Of marriage, Ryan asked that “God will bulletproof them and that they stay committed to one another and protect their kids.”

Of the military, the prayer was profound given the setting:

“They’re in harm’s way so we can go to the park at night and stand on the steps of City Hall like we are today,” he said.

A handful of the individuals gathered for the ceremony offered prayers for the military, for the strength of family values and against abortion.

“Prayer is just a sincere conversation you’re having with God,” Ryan said.

Announcing a new educational series — The American Heritage Series — to be offered at his church on Wednesdays at 7 p.m., Ryan observed that the Founding Fathers and many signers of the Constitution were heavily involved in the Bible.

— JPB

Weather

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May 4	73	33	.00	May 8	65	46	.00
May 5	56	35	.00	May 9	68	42	.00
May 6	59	33	.00	May 10	54	45	.00
May 7	65	29	.00				

Homedale Scales and Feed hosts business after hours

The next meeting of the Homedale Chamber of Commerce’s Business After Hours networking evening will be held May 20 at Homedale Scales and Feed, co-hosted by Buttercup Soaps of Wilder.

Representatives for other local crafting businesses will be on hand.

The event will start at 6 p.m. and run for about an hour. Business owners and those involved in the local economy meet to hear a brief

presentation from sponsoring businesses at the events, and learn more about other producers and sellers in the area.

Block Party countdown under way

The annual Homedale Block Party and carnival should be making a re-appearance in the first week of June.

The Block Party, slated for June 5, will be held at Homedale City Park, and the carnival is tentatively scheduled for June 2-6 at the Homedale High School parking lot. Tickets will be available at the gate.

Dealers will not have to pay for tables at the block party, Homedale Chamber of Commerce president Gavin Parker said last week at the Chamber’s monthly luncheon, but businesses interested are asked to RSVP to Parker to ensure space.

Parker can be reached at Bowen Parker Day certified public accountants in Homedale at 337-3271.

A citywide yard sale is planned for June 5 to coincide with the block party, Parker said. Vendor tables will be set up on the park’s lower terrace, while the all-town yard sale sets up on the upper level.

He also encouraged local merchants to consider sidewalk sales events for the same day.

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Candidates face Q&A Thursday in Marsing

Hopefuls in May 25 contested races commit to attend

As the primary election season winds down, candidates will gather Thursday for another forum.

Candidates in the three contested county races will appear at the Phipps-Watson Marsing American Legion Community Center, 126 W. 2nd St. N., for a forum presented by The Owyhee Avalanche and Marsing American Legion Post 128. The event begins at 8 p.m.

Bill Chisholm, the Democratic challenger to Republican incumbent Stephen Hartgen for the District 23B seat in the state House of Representatives, has said he will be on hand.

Hartgen told the Avalanche on Monday that a prior engagement will prevent him from attending.

"I do appreciate all the people who have come out for meetings this month at the senior centers in Marsing and Grand View as well as the candidates forum in Murphy," Hartgen said.

The primary election is set for May 25 in Owyhee County. Next Wednesday at 5 p.m. is the deadline to submit to the county clerk an application for a mail-in

absentee ballot. The deadline for applying for in-person absentee voting is 5 p.m. on May 24. Absentee ballots must be returned by 8 p.m. May 25.

All contested county races will take place on the Republican primary ballot.

Incumbent George Hyer of Homedale is facing challenge for a four-year term as District 2 commissioner from Homedale businesspersons Kelly Aberasturi and Mary Tibbett.

Jaymie Mercado of Homedale is the Democratic candidate for District 2.

District 3 Commissioner Dick Freund of Murphy is seeking re-election for a two-year term. Fellow Republican Joe Merrick, a Grand View farmer, is providing the challenge.

Incumbent Charlotte Sherburn faces a challenge for the county clerk position — another four-year term — from Marsing's Debbie Titus.

Assessor Brett Endicott, Treasurer Brenda Richards and Coroner Harvey Grimme all are running unopposed on the Republican ballot. They also have no challenges on the Democratic side for the Nov. 2 general election.

The Owyhee Avalanche will publish candidates responses to a series of questions on May 19.



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Homedale students could see shorter school year

Drops in enrollment, property value compound budget crunch

Pay cuts, job cuts and fewer school days can be expected as the Homedale school system builds its budget for next year, the district’s superintendent said Thursday.

Tim Rosandick gave parents and a handful of teachers and elected officials a briefing on what the school board faces as it works up the 2010-2011 school year budget. More than 50 people attended the meeting at Homedale Middle School.

“I think it was good to hear it and see where they’re at,” parent Brandon Demond said. “I’m not sure how they’re going to go about doing it. I feel bad for the teachers.”

Demond is part of the Homedale Trojan Athletic Association that has begun a series of fundraisers to relieve the school district of next year’s \$30,000 sports transportation tab.

Rosandick’s Power Point presentation showed, however, that the transportation bill is merely a drop in the bucket for a district facing a shortfall of more than \$800,000 next year.

The school board took one of the first steps toward shoring up the situation when it declared a financial emergency during its April meeting. The Idaho Legislature passed measures to

allow districts to change staff contracts during the 2010 session after legislators reduced state funding.

The loss of state funding and a decline in enrollment this year has triggered the shortfall, Rosandick said Thursday.

The district has lost 80 students in enrollment during the current school year (1,263 in August to 1,183 in April), which amounts to more than three support units from the state. Each support unit, roughly 23 students, is worth about \$90,000 in funding.

State funding also has been reduced or eliminated in several categories, including Idaho Reading Indicator, classroom supplies, textbooks, technology, Gifted and Talented, Drug Free School, State Tobacco fund and Reading First.

With the conclusion of the federal stimulus funding cycle, Homedale faces a funding gap that is \$463,413 greater than 2009-2010.

Compounding the situation is a dip in discretionary funding from the state and salary support totaling a loss of nearly \$530,000. Rosandick pointed out that is a 12 percent drop in the state support from FY 2010.

There’s also the matter of a 5.5 percent mid-year holdback that



A crowd of parents and elected officials turned out to hear superintendent Tim Rosandick talk about the Homedale School District’s financial forecast.

the state has encouraged districts to prepare for. That would amount to \$283,000 in Homedale.

Rosandick also pointed out that revenue will dip further with falling property values. He said Canyon County assessor Gene Kuehn told him to expect a 15 percent drop in values on the north side of the Snake River. The superintendent said he hasn’t received a firm number from Owyhee County Assessor Brett Endicott, but District 2 Commissioner George Hyer said during the meeting that the drop in market value could be comparable to Canyon’s.

But the superintendent assured the audience that the Homedale education experience will remain well-rounded with no reductions planned in music or choir, athletics, high school electives or professional-technical courses

through the Canyon-Owyhee School Service Agency.

The school year could be shortened by six or seven days, and there will be fewer early dismissals, Rosandick said.

Dwindling revenue has forced the Homedale district to drain its cash reserve by nearly 50 percent since 2007. The fund balance started at \$900,000 in 2007 and is projected to be \$450,502 at the close of FY 2010. The goal is to maintain it at \$326,000 after the FY 2011 budget is finalized.

The economic outlook led two audience members at the HMS cafeteria — Dave Shenk and Paddy Doyle — to ask about the possibility of a four-day school week. The question came on the same night that the Bruneau-Grand View School District adopted the policy for 2010-2011.

“I was very pleased with

the level of participation from community members,” Rosandick said. “It reinforces that which I’ve known: The Homedale community cares a great deal about the education of their kids.

“There were some very good questions asked regarding the four-day school week. It would appear that there is some interest in that model.”

After outlining the situation, Rosandick urged the 56 people gathered to show compassion toward the district’s teachers.

“I encouraged those present to be as supportive as possible to the Homedale educators during these challenging times; especially because we will all face pay cuts,” he said.

“I’m confident that the community will rally around those that work with their kids.”

— JPB

Spray day, training set May 21

A Northern Owyhee County Weed Management Area (NOCW-MA) spray day for whitetop is scheduled for May 21.

Attendees can fill their sprayers and receive safety training and sprayer calibration information before receiving the herbicide.

Training and chemical dis-

bursement will be held in both Marsing and Homedale.

In Marsing, two times are slated for the safety training and sprayer calibration; 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. The training and chemicals will be available at the United States Department of Agriculture service center at 250 N. Old Bruneau

Highway in Marsing.

Homedale training and chemical supply will be at the Homedale Armory at 1 p.m. and 2:30 p.m.

NOCWMA meets at 7 p.m. today at the Marsing USDA service center.

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County pays west valley economic alliance dues

BOCC approves police veteran as marine deputy

Owyhee County has rejoined the Western Alliance for Economic Development. The Board of County Commissioners agreed to pay \$1,000 per year for the next three years. The action taken during a May 4 meeting in Murphy means Owyhee County will be the sponsoring agency for the WAED. The Canyon County Board of Commissioners as well as representatives from WAED and Sage Community Resources met with Owyhee’s commissioners on April 29 to convince

them to continue paying dues beyond the initial three-year agreement. The Owyhee BOCC had eliminated alliance dues from the fiscal year 2010 budget in a cost-cutting move. The objective of the alliance of eight cities and two counties is to create economic growth. Homedale, Marsing and Grand View all belong to the alliance. Each entity originally paid \$1 for each of its citizens as annual dues. Owyhee County will pay \$1,000 annually, but District 3 Commissioner Dick Freund said that the county’s contribution could increase if economic conditions improve.

Marine deputy hired
In a late development that wasn’t on the original agenda, the BOCC approved John

Zrofsky as an Owyhee County Sheriff’s Office marine deputy. Commissioners OK’d the new employee after expressing they had difficulty reading the handwriting on the pay authorization request submitted by Sheriff Daryl Crandall and were unclear about the spelling of the new hire’s name. The commissioners also were unclear on whether the deputy would be a part-timer, but a Waterways Committee allocation request from the BOCC’s April 6 meeting listed 640 hours at \$13.34 per hour for a certified marine deputy for enhanced patrol at CJ Strike Reservoir. At that time, the commissioners tabled the marine deputy request, priced at \$8,640, to get more information. In the new employee request, Crandall said Zrofsky served “30 years as

commander” with the Los Angeles Police Department. A subsequent Internet search by The Owyhee Avalanche revealed that Zrofsky served with the LAPD for decades before moving on to serve as the Shafter, Calif., police chief from 1998 to 2006. Crandall did not attend the meeting.

New road supervisor appointed
Commissioners completed their search for a new District 1 road supervisor with the hiring of Phil Rittenhouse at a rate of \$18.15 per hour. Rittenhouse replaces Larry McDaniel. Commissioner Jerry Hoagland had served as interim road district supervisor until Rittenhouse was hired.

— JPB

Homedale postal carriers collect food for those in need

The annual United States Postal Service Stamp Out Hunger drive netted 673 pounds of food and \$48 in cash donations on Saturday, Homedale Postmaster Rob

Herndon said. “I thought the community did a very good job this year,” Herndon said. While the food drive originated for urban carriers,

rural carriers have gotten on board as well, Herndon said. “All the food was distributed locally, through El-Ada and the (Homedale) senior center,” he said. The \$48 in cash

went to the Idaho Food Bank. “People in this community have always been willing to help,” Herndon said. “They do a good job in this community.”

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✓ Library: P&Z administrator issue appears on tonight’s council agenda

construction. No grant money has been obtained yet, library director Margaret Fujishin told the council last month. A second option is expanding the existing 30-year-old library building located at 125 W. Owyhee Ave. The price tags for a new library

and expanding the current building both have been estimated at more than \$300,000. Caldwell-based R&M Steel has donated a structure for the shell of a new library. The city council also is scheduled to take up the appointment of the Planning and Zoning adminis-

trator later in tonight’s meeting. At the council’s April 22 meeting, Robert Brinegar was brought forward by Mayor Harold Wilson for appointment to the position currently held by Sylvia Bahem. When members of the P&Z board protested, Wilson asked them to bring their recommendation for

the position to tonight’s meeting. A representative of the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare will give information at tonight’s meeting regarding disposing of unwanted prescription drugs. The presentation is part of the council’s preparation for a citywide cleanup day that could take place

in the summer. A second public hearing will be held at 6 p.m. Thursday at City Hall on the proposed amendment of the city’s zoning code to make roping arenas a permitted use in industrial zones and a use requiring a special permit if built in commercial districts.

✓ Stansell: Honor Society student enrolled at ISU to study computers

In addition, Stansell has a chance at a \$5,000 scholarship to be awarded at the end of the year to one of the weekly winners. The interview took place in the HHS library, and Stansell answered KTVB anchor Doug Petcash’s questions while other students looked on. “It was pretty cool,” she said of the interview. “I was nervous,” she admitted. “I’m really a shy

person.” Homedale principal Mike Williams said he’d nominated Stansell because of her leadership qualities, and the fact that she was always helping and involved. Stansell, as one of a handful of seniors in sports heavily crewed by sophomores, has spent her senior year mentoring players, working with elementary students, helping with the Homedale Smorgas-

bord, carrying a 3.7 grade-point average, being a member of the National Honor Society, acting as a teacher’s aide in her classes, working with concessions to help raise athletic funds, working on community food boxes for the Christmas holidays, and generally being on the go 24/7. Stansell recently nabbed an academic letter for her already crowded Trojans jacket, and

serves as captain of the HHS basketball, volleyball and softball teams this year. She’s enrolled at Idaho State University for the fall semester, with her eye on a degree in computer programming — a career that attracted her after she took some Web and computer courses. While she thinks she’ll probably play intramural sports while attending school, she said she had

no plans to pursue organized competition at the collegiate level. When asked where she’ll be in 10 years, Stansell smiled. “Honestly I have no idea. I’ll probably live back here in Homedale. All my family lives here.” Stansell’s interview will be televised on Thursday at 10 p.m. and Saturday at 8 a.m.

— MML

✓ Schools: District will review new schedule after 2010-2011 school year

District staff voted to increase their health insurance premiums in an effort to preserve a higher rate of take-home pay, Chandler said. Chandler was thrilled that staff pay cuts were avoided. “I think this is absolutely wonderful because we’re not going backwards,” she said. “So many schools in the state are cutting salaries and school days to stay in budget.” Zone 5 trustee Howard Field cast a dissenting vote in both instances. A message seeking comment wasn’t returned. The action came after public meetings and a survey regarding the idea to institute a four-day week in an effort to cut costs. Ac-

cording to projections, the district could receive \$450,000 less in state funding in 2010-2011. The four-day week will be Tuesday through Friday. Chandler said a number of surveys returned by parents reflected that Mondays were big nights for family activities. The closures will affect all three campuses — Bruneau and Grand View elementaries and Rimrock — and the district office hours will be modified. As with surveys sent out before the school board voted, the public will be polled about the popularity of the four-day week after the next school year to see if the district will stay the course. Chandler said

most districts that have switched to four-day weeks stay that way. Chandler said there will be a couple of exceptions to the Tuesday-Friday format, with students attending school on Monday during the week of Thanksgiving and also during the week of the annual statewide in-service day. The school day will be lengthened by 35 minutes, and buildings will be open 162 days during the school year. The precise schedule won’t be finalized until the next school board meeting. A committee is working on the schedule this week, and it will be presented to trustees for adoption at 7 p.m. on Thursday, May 20, at Rimrock, Chandler said.

She added that sick days for staff as well as truancy and excessive absence guidelines for students will be adjusted because of the condensed school year. Each calendar day will be the equivalent of about 1.12 school days, Chandler said. Several school districts across Idaho already run on four-day weeks, including Horseshoe Bend, Council and Garden Valley, which are Rimrock rivals in athletic competition. Chandler said those districts experience anywhere from one percent to three percent savings on their annual budget compared to a five-week schedule. Four-day weeks also will help

save substitute teacher costs, Chandler speculates. The district has paid \$19,000 for substitutes this year. With a four-day week, though, teachers will require fewer personal days to take care of business, lessening the need for fill-ins. The four-day week also eliminates the need for a supplemental levy. Chandler said the Bruneau-Grand View district traditionally has been able to generate enough operating revenue without resorting to levies. “With all the dire predictions about next year, we wanted to try every option possible before considering a levy,” Chandler said.

— JPB

School menus

Homedale Elementary

- May 12: Chicken nuggets or egg rolls, rice pilaf, mixed vegetables, fortune cookie, fruit & veggie bar, milk.
- May 13: Lasagna or mini corn dogs, corn, turnover, fruit & veggie bar, milk.
- May 14: Fish nuggets or turkey sandwich, French fries, cookie, fruit & veggie bar, milk.
- May 17: Sloppy Joe or fish sandwich, tots, chocolate pudding, fruit & veggie bar, milk.
- May 18: Spaghetti or pizza hot pocket, Italian bread stick, green beans, fruit & veggie bar, milk.
- May 19: Chicken tenders or finger steaks, broccoli, cinnamon roll, fruit & veggie bar, milk.
- May 20: Turkey & noodles or tuna sandwich, peas, goldfish crackers, fruit & veggie bar, milk.

Homedale Middle

- May 12: Burrito or fish sandwich, corn, apple crisp, fruit & veggie bar, milk.
- May 13: Spaghetti or steak & cheese hot pocket, bread stick, fruit & veggie bar, milk.
- May 14: Pizza or popcorn chicken, tossed salad, cookie, fruit & veggie bar, milk.
- May 17: Chicken patty or rib-b-que, tots, cookie, fruit & veggie bar, milk.
- May 18: Wiener wrap or sloppy Joe, cake, fruit & veggie bar, milk.
- May 19: Beef or chicken taco, corn, fruit rollup, fruit & veggie bar, milk.
- May 20: Idaho haystack or split top sandwich, churro, fruit & veggie bar, milk.

Homedale High

- May 12: Spaghetti, burrito or pizza hot pocket, string cheese, French bread, fruit bar, milk.
- May 13: Chicken patty or hamburger, potato wedges, fruit & salad bar, fruit bar, churro, milk.
- May 14: Beef taco or toasted cheese sandwich, soup, corn, fruit & salad bar, milk.
- May 17-19: Cook’s choice.

Marsing

- May 12: Enchilada casserole & rice, garden salad, chicken fajita, salad & fruit bar, milk.
- May 13: Tacos, veggie, sub sandwich, salad & fruit bar, milk.
- May 14: Cook’s choice. Pizza, salad & fruit bar, milk.
- May 17: Burrito & rice, corn, hamburger, apple crisp, salad & fruit bar, milk.
- May 18: Cooks choice.
- May 19: Pizza, garden salad, cookie, egg roll, burrito & rice, salad & fruit bar, milk.
- May 20: Sloppy Joe, veggie, chicken burger, salad & fruit bar, milk.

Bruneau

- May 12: Chicken wrap, fried rice, stir fry veggie, fruit, milk.
- May 13: Spaghetti, tossed salad, fruit, garlic bread, milk.
- May 14: Weiner wrap, potato wedges, veggie, fruit, cookie, milk.
- May 17: Cook’s choice.
- May 18: Cook’s choice.
- May 19: Haystacks, refried beans, corn, cherry crisp, milk.

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The Owyhee County Planning and Zoning Commission will hold its second round of public meetings to hear comments and input regarding the proposed Owyhee County Comprehensive Plan Revision. The Planning and Zoning Commission and Comprehensive Plan Sub-committee members have completed their work revising the Comprehensive Plan and are eager to hear your input on this very important document. The proposed draft revision is available in the Planning and Zoning Office in Murphy, Homedale City Hall, Marsing City Hall, and Grand View City Hall. You can also find the proposed revised plan on the county web site at www.owyheecounty.net along with the current Comprehensive Plan as well as a copy of the plan that shows all additions and deletions.

The public meetings will be held June 8th, 9th, and 10th, at the following times and locations:

June 8th, 2010 from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM at the Rimrock High School Auditorium, 39678 State Hwy 78 Bruneau, Idaho

June 9th, 2010 from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM at the Owyhee County Court House, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, Idaho.

June 10th, 2010 from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM at the Marsing American Legion Community Hall, 126 2nd St. Marsing, Idaho

Your participation in these meetings is critical. For additional information please contact the Planning and Zoning office at 495-2095.

4/28;5/5,12,19,26;6/2/10


Obituary

Barbara June (Blair) Chynoweth

On April 30, 2010 Barbara June (Blair) Chynoweth passed away after a courageous battle with cancer. On January 25, 1940, in Pocatello, ID mom joined her sister Dorothy and brother Stan in bringing joy to her parents George & Virginia Blair. She was raised in Twin Falls graduating in 1958. In 1964, she met, fell in love and married Bob Chynoweth. Denise was born in 1966, followed by Thomas in 1970. They later divorced.

Her greatest joys were her grandkids Austyn, Avery, Jackson and Zoey.

Mom joins in heaven her parents George and Virginia Blair, Brother Stanley Blair, and Bob Chynoweth. She leaves behind her daughter Denise Chynoweth, granddaughter Austyn, Son Tom (Melinda) Chynoweth, grandkids Avery, Jackson and Zoey, all of Caldwell, Sister Dorothy (Larry) Turner, nephew Steven (Dana) Perry, son Turner, Niece Susan (Kelly) Perry, Daughter Sophia all of Las Vegas. Mother wanted a “Dancing with Jesus” celebration at Deer Flat Church, 17703 Beet Rd., Caldwell on Monday May 17th 2010, at 4 pm. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the American Heart Association or The Susan G Komen Foundation.



Homedale TOPS elects new officers

The Homedale chapter of TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) has announced recent contest winners.

Teddy Rensink of Homedale was named the biggest loser and received a lighted rose. A new biggest loser is named each month.

Margaret Huff of Parma was the New Year’s resolution contest winner, scoring 63 out of 64 and taking home a gift basket.

The Homedale chapter recently installed new officers: Darlene Merchant of Wilder, leader; Barbara Troxel, Marsing, co-leader; Nancy Belknap, Homedale, secretary; Ruby Miller, Homedale, treasurer; Rensink, weight recorder; and Huff, assistant recorder.

Miller says the local TOPS chapter puts on programs about weight loss nearly every time it meets. Weekly meetings are held at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday at the First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St. W., in Homedale.

Men, women and teens who want to lose weight are invited to attend and learn more about the organization.

Death notices

ROSALIE ANN ABADIA, 57, a 1970 Marsing High School graduate, died Aug. 25, 2009. Her will be scattered at the family ranch in Marsing. A memorial Mass will be held at 11 a.m. on Monday, May 17, 2010, at the Our Lady of the valley Catholic Church in Caldwell. A farewell luncheon will be held afterward at Txoko Ona, 333 S. Main St., in Homedale.

ELIZABETH BUTHERUS, 87, of Homedale, died on Friday, May 7, 2010 at home of natural causes. Pending arrangements are under the direction of Flahiff Funeral Chapel, Homedale.

FLOY GRIGGS LENTFER, 92, of Homedale, died Saturday, May 1, 2010 at home. A celebration of her life and love will be held Friday, May 14, 2010, at 2 p.m. in Homedale at Flahiff Funeral Chapel, 27 E. Owyhee Ave.

Senior menus

Homedale

Each meal includes beverage

May 12: Sausage & biscuits, country gravy, carrots, potato, beverage

May 13: Beef & broccoli, rice, roll, beverage

May 18: French dip sandwich, baked potato, broccoli & cauliflower, beverage

May 19: Baked fish, macaroni & cheese, beets, roll, beverage

Marsing

May 12: Spaghetti w/meat sauce, tossed salad, garlic roll, strawberry cream jello cake

May 13: Country style ribs, potatoes, green beans, tossed salad, fruit, French bread, peach cobbler

May 17: Breakfast to order: biscuits & gravy

May 18: Fried chicken, potatoes w/milk gravy, 4 bean salad, baked squash, cornmeal roll, cherry cheesecake

May 19: Fish wedges or chef’s choice, potato wedges, carrots, peas, tossed salad, orange juice, roll, rice pudding

Rimrock

May 13: Hot turkey sandwich, potatoes/gravy, broccoli, roll, tomato or V8 juice, carrot/raisin salad, peach cobbler

May 18: Fish wedges, potato wedges, carrots, peas, onions, tossed salad, lemon rolls, orange juice, rice pudding

May 20: Chicken Maxim, vegetable sticks, beets, roll, dressing in casserole, ice cream

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Calendar

Today

Homedale Senior Center board meeting
1:30 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

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

Grand View City Council meeting
7 p.m., Grand View City Hall, 425 Boise Ave., Grand View. (208) 834-2700, Monday through Wednesday

Marsing City Council meeting
7 p.m., Marsing City Hall, 425 Main St., Marsing. (208) 896-4122

Thursday

El-Ada commodity distribution
10:15 a.m., old Merc building, corner of Ruth and Belle, Bruneau. (208) 337-4812

El-Ada commodity distribution
11 a.m., Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Boise Ave., Grand View. (208) 337-4812

Senior center lunch
Noon, Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 834-2808

Rimrock quilting group
1 p.m., Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 834-2665

Owyhee Gardeners monthly meeting
1 p.m., University of Idaho Owyhee County Extension Office, 238 8th Ave. W., Marsing. (208) 896-5474

Vision Church food distribution
2 p.m. to 4 p.m., donations welcome, Vision Church, 221 W. Main St., Marsing. (208) 896-5407

Library after-school program
3:30 p.m., grades 4-6, Eastern Owyhee Library, 520 Boise Ave., Grand View. (208) 834-2785

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

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

Adrian school board meeting
7 p.m., Adrian School Library

Owyhee Conservation District board meeting
8 p.m., 250 N Old Bruneau Highway, Marsing. (208) 896-4544

Homedale AA meeting
8 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 571-4048

Candidates forum
8 p.m., Phipps-Watson Marsing American Legion Community Center, 126 W. 2nd St. N., Marsing

Friday

Owyhee Gardeners plant sale
9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Producers Supply Co-op, Hwy. 95, Homedale

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.

Grand View Lions Club meeting
11:30 a.m., Salinas Raider Cafe, 330 Main Street, Grand View.

Game night
6:30 p.m., sixth-graders and older, Lizard Butte Library 111 S. 3rd Ave. W., Marsing. (208) 896-4690

Saturday

Owyhee Gardeners plant sale
9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Producers Supply Co-op, Hwy. 95, Homedale

Antique tractor drive
10 a.m., Treasure Valley Antique Power Association, \$10 entry fee, City Park, Homedale. (208) 880-4323

Sunday

Rimrock High School graduation
2 p.m., Rimrock Jr.-Sr. High School gymnasium, 39678 Hwy. 78, Bruneau

Monday

Library after-school program
Tappin’ Toes preschoolers, 2:30 p.m., K-3 students, 3:30 p.m., Eastern Owyhee Library, 520 Boise Ave., Grand View. (208) 834-2785

HTAA meeting
7 p.m., Homedale High School library, 203 E. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4613

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

Narcotics Anonymous open meeting
8 p.m., Homedale Friends Community Church, 17454 Hwy. 95 S., Homedale. (208) 442-2220

Tuesday

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

Library story time
10:30 a.m., Lizard Butte Library, 111 S. 3rd Ave. W., Marsing. (208) 896-4690

Rimrock quilting group
1 p.m., Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 834-2665

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8 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 571-4048

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.



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

Friends rally for Clover benefit

Friends and family are uniting to raise money for Kenny and April Clover, longtime Marsing residents, with a May 22 auction. Proceeds will help pay for uninsured medical costs for April, who has suffered several strokes. The event will be held at 5 p.m. at the Marsing Community Center, 126 W. 2nd St. N. Auctions, both live and silent, will be available to bidders. Those attending can sample hamburgers, hot dogs, Big John’s Beans, salads, chips, pop, beer, wine and spirits. Bracelets are available for donations made through Snake River Mart in Marsing, as well. Cash donations can be made through U.S. Bank to the Ken and April Clover Benefit Fund. Make other donations, including auction items, by contacting Dusty at (208) 573-3614 or Jeff at Snake River Mart at (208) 896-4222.

Tragic Reality of our Corrupt Legal System

I, Franklin D. Stafford Sr., will be hosting two meetings to dispute the supreme court claim that was in the Idaho Statesman on the 29th of April, 2010 that claims Judge John Bradberry was deceiving Idaho Voters.

I will be speaking out about the corruption in the Judicial System that has gone on, in my case, for 14 years. I ask people to come speak of their experiences to show why we need a complete overhaul of our Justice System.


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Crime briefs

On May 4, a man was arrested for disturbing the peace and carrying a concealed weapon at the Marsing Labor Camp. Esequiel Almeida Espinoza, 48, was arrested by OCSO Deputy Perry Grant at approximately 9:43 p.m. Homedale Police, Marsing Am-

bulance and Idaho Department of Fish and Game officer Craig Mickleson also responded. Mickleson said the call had initially been of shots fired, and given his location in Sunnyslope at the time, and the nearest backup being HPD Officer Steve Atkins, he had responded as well. As it happened, no shots had been fired, though Espinoza

was charged with a weapons violation. Espinoza was charged with aggravated assault with a deadly weapon in a Nampa case in 2003, but entered a guilty plea to a reduced charge of battery-domestic violence. He was on probation for two years following the conviction.

Deputies arrested Marsing resident Jose Luis Quebrado, 24, for DUI. Quebrado was arrested on May 2 just after 11 p.m. near the intersection of Main Street and Kerry Street in Marsing. Two more business burglaries were reported in the county, one in Melba on May 1, and the sec-

ond in Bruneau on May 3. Both incidents are active cases under investigation. While there has been some talk about wire thieves looting copper and other scrap metals in the county, Sheriff Daryl Crandall said he was not aware of any such reports.

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Coloring contest winners net Gardeners awards

The Owyhee Gardeners recently presented the fourth and fifth-grade winners of the Smokey Bear poster coloring contest with certificates. Fourth-grade winners pictured above are, from right, Adam Marcial, Montana Wasson and Juan Sierra. Fifth-grade winners, from left, are Diana Duarte, Diana Quebrado and Rosalba Zacobo. Duarte was also named the fifth-grade Idaho State Garden Club Winner.



Homedale Ag Expo

Jessica Eubanks (above) and Aubrey Nash (below) were among the many FFA members who helped educate and entertain 350 elementary school students on Friday from 8 a.m. to noon at the Owyhee County Fairgrounds. The event this year featured more than a dozen stations, which covered subjects ranging from animals to crops like mint and apples to a chance to see a tractor close up. Youngsters got to meet and pet the animals, make butter and learn about the many specialties that make up the agricultural industry.



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“Noisy Nora” read at Homedale Story Time

“Noisy Nora” by Rosemary Wells is the next featured tale for the Homedale Public Library’s next Story Time. The story will be told at 10:15 a.m. on Friday. The library is located at 125 W. Owyhee Ave.

For more information, call 337-4228 afternoons between 1 p.m. and 5 p.m. Along with the story, there will be refreshments, songs and crafts. Nora’s little brother, Jack, and

her sister are taking up their parents’ time so Nora has to wait. Nora tries to get attention but just gets in trouble so she decides to run away. “She’s left us!” moaned her mother as she sifted through the trash. Will Nora ever come back?



Caitlin Johnson (left) and Sarah Maggard are this year’s Homedale High School delegates to the Idaho Syringa Girls State conference in Nampa.

Maggard, Johnson head to Girls State

by Carolyn Grooms, ALA 32 The ladies of the American Legion Auxiliary Unit 32 of Homedale are proud to announce the names of our delegates to the 64th annual Idaho Syringa Girls State. Sarah Maggard and Caitlyn

Johnson are both juniors at Homedale High School and carry high grade point averages. Girls State will be held at Northwest Nazarene University in Nampa the week of June 13-19. The girls learn about how the city, county and state government operates. We believe these girls will be a credit to our unit and our community. Anyone who wishes to contribute to help defray their expenses can send their contribution to the American Legion Auxiliary, P.O. Box 1056, Homedale, ID, 83628. For more information, call 249-6021.

Local seniors named as DAR Good Citizens

Two Owyhee high school seniors have been selected Daughters of the American Revolution Good Citizens. Homedale’s Kindra Galloway and Kacie Hull from Marsing were among five girls selected by the Idaho Pocahontas Chapter of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution. According to a press release, each school selected a senior who best exemplifies the principles of leadership, service, dependability and patriotism. All nominees become eligible for a scholarship. Parma’s Rebecca Cox won the Pocahontas Chapter’s scholarship and finished second in the statewide contest. Other local Good Citizens included Greenleaf’s Jessica Hribik and Vallivue’s Ana Sanchez.

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New officers named, awards handed out at FFA banquet

Homedale FFA members were recognized and rewarded for outstanding efforts during the chapter's banquet May 3 in the high school cafeteria.

The 2010-2011 officers also were appointed: Ali McRae, president; Deena Emry, vice-president; Kylie Farwell, reporter; Aubrey Nash, secretary; Katie Price, treasurer; Katie Eaton, historian; and Fletcher Kelly, sentinel.

The following awards were given:

Discovery Degrees to middle school members — Katie Deal, Britt Eubanks, Karl Henry, Tell Hyer, Shelby Lee, Esteban Lejardi, Riley Maggard Qualls, Kaylee Rupp, Curtis Stansell, Jace Turner and DJ Vermeer.

Greenhand Degree for first-year high school members — Hailee Aberasturi, Taylor Coons, Shelby Criffield, Kolbie Gerdes, Kenny Harper, Fletcher Kelly, Ashley Leslie, Trevor Lootens, Mike Mavey, Shelby McRae, Miranda Miklancic, Gabby Nash, Nick Ryska, Kylie Schoonover, Erin Shenk, Cole Twedt and Carmen Zatica

Chapter Degrees given to second-year members — Casey Christoffersen, Trey Corta, Katie Eaton, Deena Emry, Kylie Farwell, Tucker Gerdes, Bodie Hyer, Clay Johnson, Raven Kelly, Lane Matteson, Laurien Mavey, Zach Mereness, Aubrey Nash, Katie Price, Kyle Purdom, Brett Ryska, Brett Shanley and Mark Williams

State FFA Degrees to third-year members who also passed a parliamentary and FFA history exam — Caitlyn Johnson and Ali McRae

Star Greenhand to outstanding Greenhand members — Fletcher Kelly and Erin Shenk

Star Chapter Farmer to outstanding chapter degree members — Deena Emry, Mark Williams and Kylie Farwell

Work Horse Award to an outstanding junior — Ali McRae

Scholarship Awards to students, sophomores or higher, that have a cumulative 3.0 GPA or higher — Kaitlyn Amos, Casey Christoffersen, Katie Eaton, Deena Emry, Jessica Eubanks, Drew Farwell, Kylie Farwell, Megan Harper, Bodie Hyer, Caitlyn Johnson, Clay Johnson, Raven Kelly, Ashley Leslie, Lane Matteson, Laurien Mavey, Alex Mereness, Ali McRae, Aubrey Nash, Katie Price, Kyle Purdom, Brett Ryska and Carmen Zatica

Letter Awards went to high point members for activity involvement, Supervised Agricultural Experience projects & Career Development Experience participation, including:

First-year recipients — Hailee Aberasturi, Trey Corta, Shelby Criffield, Kolbie Gerdes, Kenny Harper, Clay Johnson, Fletcher Kelly, Ashley Leslie, Mike Mavey, Gabby Nash, Kyle Purdom, Erin Shenk, Cole Twedt

and Carmen Zatica

Second-year recipients — Casey Christoffersen, Deena Emry, Kylie Farwell, Tucker Gerdes, Bodie Hyer, Raven Kelly, Lane Matteson, Laurien Mavey, Alex Mereness, Aubrey Nash, Katie Price and Mark Williams

Third-year recipients — Caitlyn Johnson, Ali McRae.

Fourth-year recipients — Kaitlyn Amos, Drew Farwell, and Megan Harper

Top Shop Student Award — Trey Corta

Proficiency Awards:
Sheep Entrepreneurship Award — Aubrey Nash

Star Agribusiness Award — Deena Emry

Slave Auction Top Buyer — Dennis and Debbie Turner, Dwayne and Tracy Fisher

The following scholarships were given to seniors:

Dekalb Award — Drew Farwell, \$200

Steven Harrison Memorial Scholarship — Drew Farwell, \$300

Ken Tamura Memorial Scholarship — Kaitlyn Amos, Megan Harper, and Ryan Ryska, \$200

Batt Promise FFA Scholarship — Jessica Eubanks and Carmen Zatica, \$100

The following people were given Honorary FFA Degrees: Sean and Jill Farwell, Gary and Dianne Amos, Barney and Melanie Harper and LeAnda Uranga.

The Homedale FFA would like to give a special thanks to Kiana Wilcox, past state reporter, for doing a wonderful job as the banquet's keynote speaker and Steve and Leslie Nash for cooking the tri-tip dinner.



The 2010-2011 Homedale FFA officers are, from left: Fletcher Kelly, sentinel; Ali McRae, president; Aubrey Nash, secretary; Kylie Farwell, reporter; Katie Price, treasurer; Deena Emry, vice-president; and Katie Eaton, historian. Submitted photo

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4. I will work to obtain equal Education benefits for all school children no matter what school they attend this will permit unemployed and under employed parents to choose their children's education and still make car and house payments.
5. We need to reclaim Idaho title and management of the so-called Federal Public lands. If these were properly managed, it would greatly help our school funds and our unemployed.
6. The more of God we take out of our schools, the more prisons we will have to build for our ungodly graduates. We need to return to God and his morals.
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Library talk looks at Owyhees identity

Next Wednesday's Bruneau and Beyond program will address the history that made the Owyhee country what it is today.

Dr. John Beiter, associate professor of history at Boise State University, will present the topic of "Owyhees: American Identity and the West" at the event, which follows a no-charge noon luncheon at the Bruneau Valley Library at 32073 Ruth Street in Bruneau.

In his program, Beiter will use stories to explain the formation of the Western identity, a program release said. Beiter's stories cover subjects including the cattle-sheep

wars, Indian massacres, mining claims and land disputes.

At BSU, Beiter acts as an advisor for pre-service educators. He also serves as director of the Center for Basque Studies.

This will be Beiter's second visit to Bruneau. In his first, he spoke on Basque history. He is a member of the Speaker's Bureau of the Idaho Humanities Council, one of the sponsors of the Bruneau and Beyond program.

The library requests those planning to attend to contact the library director at (208) 845-2131 or (208) 845-2345 to RSVP a spot.

Activities planned around GV car show

Seniors, 4-H plan fundraisers May 22

Classic car enthusiasts will have plenty of chrome and polished metal to look at during the Grand View Cruise Car Show, and local organizations will use associated activities as fundraisers.

Boise resident Chuck Keenan, whose daughter Patty Waltz owns Grand View's Y Bar and Cafe with her husband, Dick, is organizing a cruise from Nampa to Grand View on May 22.

Keenan has about 25 car owners signed up thus far, but he's looking for more to take part in the free event. Entrants don't have to cruise from Nampa to take part in the festivities; they can also enter their car in the Grand View events, which will include a show and shine in front of Grand View City Park, a 200-foot limited-distance dash down Main Street — which will be closed during the event — and a Backroads Old Iron Tour or a trip to the Emuseum after lunch.

Keenan said many enthusiasts will meet for breakfast at the Canyon Creek restaurant in Nampa, but the group will stage at Dan's Ferry Service on Idaho highway 45 later in the morning for the formal cruise down Idaho 78 to Grand View the morning of May 22. Vehicles are expected to arrive

in Grand View by noon. The Y Bar and Cafe will serve an \$8 all-you-can-eat barbecued ribs lunch.

Keenan said Grand View Mayor Paul Spang will be among those displaying their cars. Spang owns a 1969 Corvette, and Keenan drives a 1956 Chevrolet 210 coupe.

"We're still trying to trump up things in Grand View," Patty Waltz said. "I hope it brings the kids and dads out to look at the fancy, hot cars."

Grand View organizations will be holding fundraisers during the car show.

The Country Critters 4-H Club will sell lemonade and cookies in the park during the car show.

An ice cream social and silent auction also are planned at the Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., next to the park from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. on May 22.

Several organizations, businesses and individuals have donated items for the auction, including quilters from the center's Tuesday Quilters group.

Verla Robinson is the silent auction chair and can be contacted at (208) 834-2419. Anna Hency and Willie Roby are the co-chairs for the ice cream social.

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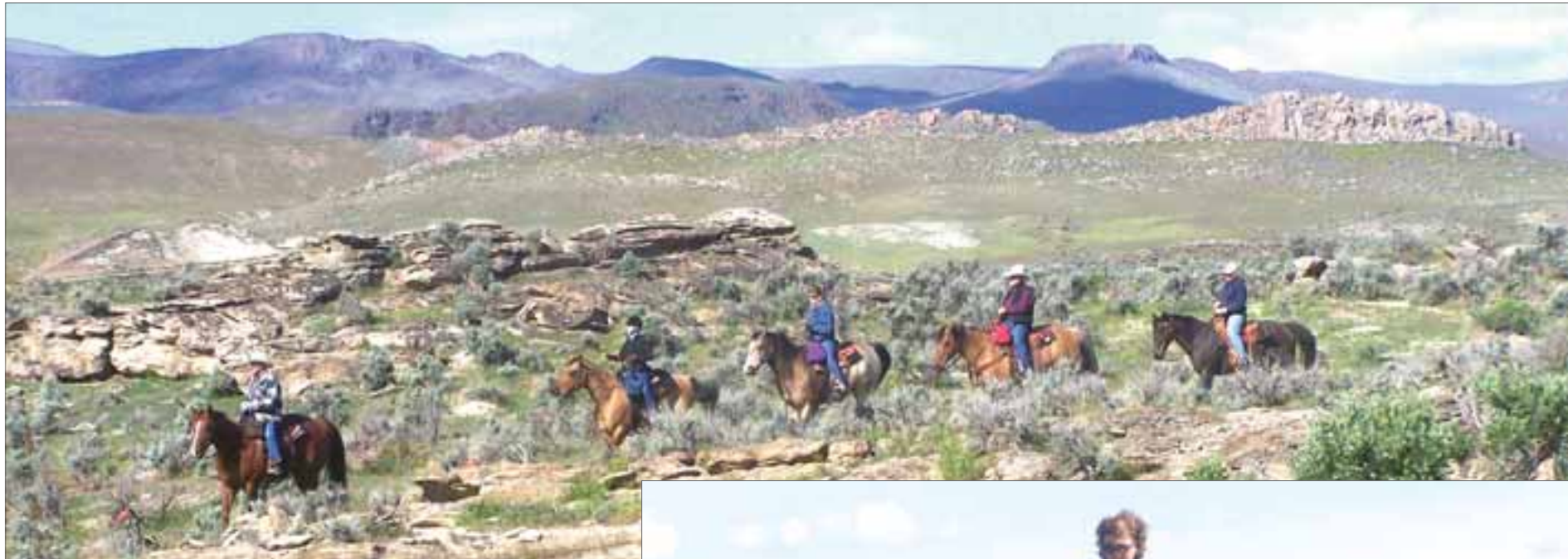
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Wilson Butte 4-H annual trail ride sees big turnout



Blackstock Ranch saw 138 riders attend the seventh annual Wilson Butte 4-H Cowboy trail ride on April 24.

Cowboy Beans and cowchip cookies were served up as the Sevy Family band entertained and played country music.

Lacey Usabel won the “fun run” event, and chose a western etched mirror as first prize. Jan Maxie took second, winning a headstall.

Young cowhands came to the ride dressed up in their western attire to compete in the best-dressed little buckaroo contest. Lacy Sevy and Cooper Griggs won the crowd vote to win the contest trophies.

Top ticket sales went to club members Megan Smith, Kate Blackstock and Joseph Ineck.

Cecily Vietti and Val Brisbin won the western quilts in the ride raffle. Sandi O’Dell won the \$100 gas card, Joy Monson the western pillows and Laura Maupin the wildflower birdhouse.

Mary Blackstock, event orga-

nizer, extended thanks to Dan Sevy and his crew for their musical efforts. “They’ve supported us for the last seven years, and it adds so much to the western day,” Blackstock reported. “We all come together, head to our stations; everything runs smooth and we have fun.”

The Wilson Butte 4-H club extended thanks to all its supporters, including Dave and Teresa Prow, the Ada County Farm Bureau, Bass Auto Body, Essence of Life, Melissa and Leslie Jayo, Connie Doan, WSI, The Spot pizza, Bolhkie Angus, Wildflower Cottage, Benson Truck Wash Out, Rubin and Margarita Bendiola, Janet Cooney, David and Sharon Van-Wassenhove, Simplot Grower Solutions, Rock and Laurie Smith, Lil’ Oasis-Volker’s Family, Jerry and Judy Ralls, Dan’s Ferry Service, Steve Reagan, Idaho Army Guard-SSG Matt Wilson, Farm Bureau Canyon County, Lath and Stacy Calloway and the Snake River Mart.



Top: Riders traverse the springtime Owyhee country. Above: Riders rumble over the bridge challenge at the ride. Below, left: Lacy Sevy and Cooper Griggs show off their duds and their trophies for winning the best-dressed little buckaroo contest. Submitted photos



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WEDNESDAY, MAY 12, 2010

Homedale soars to co-title in golf

Big winds didn't faze Reece Landa in the final conference golf meet of the season.

The Homedale High School senior was the only player on the Scotch Pines Golf Course to break 40, and his 3-over-par medalist score of 39 pushed the Trojans to a co-championship in the 3A Snake River Valley conference.

The Trojans tied Payette for the regular-season crown after dusting the field by 14 strokes May 3 in Payette. Fruitland was second with a 179, while Payette was 15 shots back in third place.

Fellow senior Cody Johnson scored a 40 as Homedale posted its fourth consecutive team victory and captured its sixth tournament of the season despite winds that gusted to 40 mph at times.

Homedale posted a 165 team score.

"I'm real proud of them," first-year coach Greg Kilmer said. "They played well in horrible conditions."

Freshman Reed Maggard turned in another impressive round with a 41, while senior Ryan Ryska carded a 45.

The Trojans were back at Scotch Pines on Tuesday after deadline for the 18-hole 3A District III Tournament.



Idaho Fish and Game Officer Brian Marek, Wilder, holding up AJ's first fish. Submitted photo

Young anglers fish with Smokey

Young anglers enrolled in Head Start preschool programs in Marsing and Wilder got a chance to fish with a famous bear on Saturday.

The Marsing Head Start Spring Fling at Marsing Pond ran from 10 a.m. to noon, and there was more than just fishing on hand. Events included face painting, a bubble station and a visit from Smokey

Bear.

The Spring Fling was held for children attending Head Start preschool in Marsing and Wilder. Students were from Marsing, Homedale, Parma and Wilder.

About 90 youngsters learned fishing basics at the event, Idaho Department of Fish and Game senior conservation officer Craig Mickleson said. Approximately

50 adults were also present at the event.

Officers from Idaho Fish and Game, the Bureau of Land Management and the Wilder Police Department assisted young anglers at the event. Volunteers from IDFG and the Owyhee County Sheriff's Posse also taught first time anglers how to fish, Mickleson said.

Jordan Valley hosts Big Loop this weekend

Buckles and a saddle are up for grabs this weekend in the 52nd annual Jordan Valley Big Loop rodeo.

An afternoon team roping performance and the Big Loop competition takes place on Friday.

The rodeo begins at 1:30 p.m. on both Saturday and Sunday at the Jordan Valley Rodeo Arena.

Admission is \$7 for adults and \$3 for children 13 and younger. Pat Stanford will serve as the rodeo announcer again.

The Big Loop grand prize is a saddle donated by the Jordan Valley Rodeo Board, Intermountain Community Bank, Pruett Tire and Lumber, Walt Morgan Memorial, WT Bruce Photography and MGM Contractors.

Other events for the weekend rodeo include saddle bronc riding, calf roping, senior barrel racing, bull riding, stock saddle bronc, team roping, cow riding for ages 15-18, junior barrel racing for children 14 and younger and junior steer riding for ages 10-14.

First-place buckles made by Homedale's Delwyne Trefz will

be awarded. George Michel and Tex and Agnes Payne donated the all around trophies.

Rodeo stock will be provided by King Cattle Co., Blossom Ranches and Tom Davis Livestock, and the announcer once again will be Pat Stanford.

For more information on the Big Loop, visit www.biglooprodeo.com.

HHS tennis drops two heading into district

Homedale High School makes a quick turnaround to visit Parma again this week for the 3A District III Tennis Tournament.

The Trojans closed the 3A Snake River Valley conference season Thursday with a 10-2 set-back at the hands of the powerful Panthers.

Juniors Tanner Lair and Jordan Meligan won the top two boys'

singles matches for Homedale's only victories.

The district tournament begins Thursday at Parma. Matches start at 4 p.m., followed by 9 a.m. starts Friday and Saturday.

Meligan and Lair have been the consistent winners for coach Mark Weekes' squad this season, but the Trojans' top mixed doubles team — Jordan Brady and Sarah Mag-

gard — got in on the winning May 4 at home against Weiser.

Brady and Maggard rallied from a second-set loss to beat the Wolverines' Darin Thomas and Mckenzie Messick, 6-1, 5-7, 6-3, in the No. 2 mixed doubles match. The Wolverines prevailed, 9-3, in conference dual meet.

Lair (No. 1) and Meligan (No. 2) continued their control of the

court with boys' singles victories in both of the Trojans' tilts.

Lair beat Parma's Steen Miller, 6-4, 6-0, on Thursday. Meligan triumphed over the Panthers' Kirk Rohrbacher, 6-1, 6-1.

On May 4 against Weiser, Meligan stopped Thomas Sharp in straight sets, 6-1, 6-1. Lair did the same against Austin Winegar, 6-0, 6-1.

Trojans split final SRV baseball games

Shanley's grand
slam helps HHS
pound M-D

The final week of the regular season was one of soaring highs and fantastic lows for Homedale High School baseball.

In the span of 24 hours, the Trojans won and lost 3A Snake River Valley conference games via the 10-run rule.

Brett Shanley ripped a grand slam and drove in six runs as Homedale crushed McCall-Donnelly, 18-3, in five innings in Owyhee County on May 4.

On Wednesday, Payette collected a lopsided victory with the mercy rule, prevailing, 24-5, at Harmon Killebrew Field.

Wednesday: Payette 24, Homedale 5 (5) — The host Pirates scored all their runs in four at-bats, including 12 in the bottom of the fourth.

Nine of Payette's 11 hits were singles. The Pirates scored 14 times against starter Zac Lowder and tagged Shanley with 10 runs in the fourth. Only eight of the team's runs were earned as Homedale committed eight errors.

Homedale sophomore shortstop Trey Corta was 3-for-3 with a triple from the top of the order.

May 4: Homedale 18, McCall-Donnelly 3 (5) — Shanley's afternoon at the plate gave senior left-handed pitcher Jose Gonzalez more than enough breathing room.

Gonzalez struck out nine over five innings for the easy win.

The Trojan, playing as visitors at home, scored 12 times in the top of the fifth inning to put the game away. Shanley crushed his grand slam, and Zac Lowder had a bases-clearing triple in the uprising.

With the Vandals committing five errors, Homedale needed just nine hits to fuel its successful offense.

Shanley scored three times, while leadoff man Corta went 3-for-4 with three runs scored and two RBI and a double.

Third baseman Alex Harden scored twice and knocked in a pair of runs.

Sports

Leroy Breshears Fishing Day returns to Island Park

Young anglers will have a chance to fish free at the 11th annual Leroy Breshears Memorial Fishing Day at Marsing's Island Park on June 5. Breshears was a longtime sheriff's Posse member and Hunter Education instructor, and the event is held yearly in his memory by the Owyhee County Posse and the Idaho Department Fish and Game.

Fishing will be held from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Safari Club International will have a trailered airgun shooting range on hand as well, IDFG officer Craig Mickleson said. Organizers ask those attending to bring one can of food per fisherman as a food drive donation.

The event welcomes children from kindergarten through sixth grade. Youths need to be accompanied by an adult (18 or older), and organizers ask that participants bring their own fishing tackle. While there will be some rods and reels available for those in need of gear, supplies will be limited.

Craig Mickelson and Posse president Doug Hipwell are heading up the effort this year. Last year's event attracted more than 200 children and their parents.

The state Fish and Game department will plant several 12- to 14-inch trout for the fishing day, and some larger trophy fish have been purchased from a private hatchery by the Posse. Mickelson said there will be some rainbow trout in the two- to three-pound range, and some golden trout weighing about a pound apiece.

There are several prizes up for grabs, including for first fish caught by a boy and a girl, largest



Cheyenne Davis, 8, and her 2009 prizewinning trout

fish caught by a boy and a girl and first limits taken by a boy and a girl. The contest applies to trout, and all grass carp caught during the day must be returned to the pond.

Posse members and Fish and Game personnel will be on hand to help with all the elementary details of fishing. Lunch and ice cream also is being provided for participating youngsters.

Although young anglers can sign up at the park when the event

begins, pre-registration is recommended. Registration sheets are available at Matteson's Owyhee Auto Sales in Homedale, Snake River Mart in Marsing and Gus' Gas in Grand View.

The pond will open for fishing for everyone else, with all laws and regulations to be observed, after 1 p.m.

Businesses wishing to make donations can contact Posse members, Mickleson said. In the Homedale area the contact is Kent Curtis, Tony Malmberg in Marsing, and Doug Hipwell in south and central Owyhee County.

Free fishing day 2010

The following Saturday, June 12 is Free Fishing Day statewide, and IDFG extended an invitation to veteran and novice anglers of all ages, residents and nonresidents alike, to celebrate the day by fishing anywhere in Idaho without a license.

Though fishing license require-

ments are suspended for the 12th, all other rules, such as limits or tackle restrictions, remain in effect.

"Free fishing day provides a great opportunity for novices to give fishing a try and perhaps develop it into a life-long pursuit," Fish and Game regional fish manager Jeff Dillon said. "Parents are encouraged to bring their children out for a day of fun fishing excitement."

At special locations around the southwest region, equipment will be available for use and fishing experts will be on hand to help novice anglers learn the ins and outs of fishing. In addition, all these locations will be stocked with hatchery rainbow trout prior to the special day. Specific locations have not yet been released.

For more information regarding Free Fishing Day, contact the Fish and Game Nampa office (465-8465) or the McCall office (634-8137).

Homedale Youth Bowlers send 19 to state

The budding bowlers of the Homedale youth league saw 19 of 25 compete at the Idaho State youth tournament on May 1-2, bringing home \$1,450 in scholarship funds for their educational futures.

Bowling boss Aaron Hergesheimer was thrilled by the results, and enjoyed working with the young bowlers.

"It was a blast; seeing their faces. You won't understand it until you're right there," he said of watching children score their first 100 game, or first 200. "Our youngest bowler, a 5-year-old, made it to state. I was so proud of them." Scholarship winners included Dan McGee (\$300), Dusti Marose (\$300), David Clappitt (\$600), David Christensen (\$150) and Danny Gomez (\$100).

Homedale's Youth Bowling League provided \$1,200 of scholarships itself in the past year, Hergesheimer said.

Hergesheimer, who was at a tournament of his own in Reno during the league's efforts in Twin Falls, said he was getting updates via his cell phone as he was bowling. He was focused on how well the Homedale bowlers were doing.

"I didn't really care how I did," he said. He said he owed thanks to all the parents, coaches, donators, supporters and volunteers who made the team's year possible.

"If it wasn't for them, it wouldn't be going as well as it is," he said.

Hergesheimer is already looking ahead to next year's youth league. He said the Bowling Blast Off at Owyhee Lanes is slated for August, with the league starting to roll in the second week of September. Parents with young bowlers-to-be can contact Owyhee Lanes at (208) 337-3757 for more information as the season approaches.

TROJAN SPRING SPORTS

Go Trojans!

Baseball

Varsity

Wednesday, May 12, home for 3A District III Tournament, if nec., 3 p.m. or 5 p.m.

Thursday, May 13, home for 3A District III Tournament, if nec., 4 p.m.

Softball

Varsity

Thursday, May 13, home for 3A District III Tournament, Sundance Park, 1 p.m., 3 p.m. or 5 p.m.

Saturday, May 15 at 3A state tournament play-in game, Mountain Home, if nec., time TBA

Golf

Varsity

Monday, May 17 at 3A state tournament, if nec., The Links Golf Course, Post Falls

Tuesday, May 18 at 3A state tournament, if nec., The Links Golf Course, Post Falls

Tennis

Thursday, May 13, at 3A District III Tournament, Parma, 4 p.m.

Friday, May 14, at 3A District III Tournament, Parma, 9 a.m.

Saturday, May 15, at 3A District III Tournament, Parma, 9 a.m.

Track & field

Wednesday, May 12 at 3A District III championships, Weiser, 4 p.m.

Thursday, May 13 at 3A District III championships, Weiser

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Sports

Sunny weather at Sundance



Saturday saw a packed house at Sundance Park in Homedale as youth sports teams gathered from around the area and managed to squeeze in a tournament before the weather took a turn for the gloomier.

Crappie slow, rainbows remain reliable at CJ

CJ Strike Reservoir

Yellow perch: Fishing for yellow perch has been poor. If you go for them anyway, use small pieces of cut bait and to fish close to the bottom. Sooner or later they will have to come in shallow to spawn, hopefully this month some time.

Smallmouth bass: Fishing is fair, changing frequently during the week. Fish rocky shoreline areas that have direct sun where the water should be the warmest most of the day. Use plastic baits (tubes, grubs, etc.) in dark colors. Experienced bass fishermen are lucky to catch five or six per day right now.

Rainbows: Most of the fish are being caught from the bank on worms and marshmallows fished on the bottom. Right now, rainbows are being caught more consistently than anything else.

Bluegill: Not happening.

Crappie: Pretty tough sledding right now for about 95 percent of the anglers seeking them. The catch rates for crappie were better in February and March than they were in late April. The most consistent crappie catches are coming from the river right below CJ Strike Dam between 9:30 p.m. and 6:30 a.m. You better really want crappie to fish those hours.

Catfish: The Bruneau Arm is beginning to produce a few bull-

heads here and there, but channel cats have not shown up yet. Fish around Cottonwood or Jacks Creek.

Snake River

Channel catfish: Not yet. Fish are still few and far between. Still a little early.

Smallmouth bass: A few are being caught here and there. Anglers should use the same lures and techniques as mentioned above.

Sturgeon: Like everything else, really hit or miss. Folks who are patient should find a bite or two. Most anglers are using chunks of crappie.

Bruneau River

Although the fishing regulations state that the river is open from the mouth in CJ Strike Reservoir to the Hot Springs Bridge south of Bruneau, the portion that runs through the CJ Strike Wildlife Management Area is not accessible because of the annual nesting closure in the management area.

Upcoming CJ Strike bass tournament:

Date: Saturday
Location: Black Sands boat ramp
Sponsor: Wyoming Bass Federation
Time: 5 a.m. to 5 p.m.
30 persons/15 boats maximum
Catch and release

PUBLIC NOTICE OF INTENT To Propose Or Promulgate New Or Changed Agency Rules

The following agencies of the state of Idaho have published the complete text and all related, pertinent information concerning their intent to change or make the following rules in the latest publication of the state Administrative Bulletin.

The written comment submission deadline is May 26, 2010 unless otherwise listed. (Temp & Prop) indicates the rule is both temporary and proposed.

IDAPA 05 - DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE CORRECTIONS PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0285

05-0101-1001, Rules Governing Contract Providers. Clarifies the obligations contract providers have to notify parents of juveniles in the Department's custody of any incident that occurs regarding their child and the timelines for providing notification.

IDAPA 16 - DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND WELFARE PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0036

16-0308-1001, Rules Governing the Temporary Assistance for Families in Idaho (TAFI). Aligns rule with federal regulations and Department rules on excluded resources and special immigrants; aligns Career Enhancement (CE) services with Emergency Assistance services by: removing the requirement for a job search assistance plan; removing restriction from CE services for anyone who received emergency assistance payments in the past 12 months; and removing housing and utility costs from prohibited supportive service expenditures.

16-0310-1001, Medicaid Enhanced Plan Benefits. (Temp & Prop) Aligns current rules with both federal regulations and the CMS-approved HCBS waiver requirements to safeguard the provision of services.

16-0612-1001, Rules Governing the Idaho Child Care Program (ICCP). (Temp & Prop) Exempts income earned for temporary work done for the Census Bureau on the 2010 census from countable income. For ICCP participants, the temporary employment income cannot exceed six months.

ADOPTED AS TEMPORARY RULES ONLY:

Endowment Fund Investment Board
32-0101-1001, Rules Governing the Credit Enhancement Program for School Districts

SCHEDULED NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING MEETINGS:

Department of Health and Welfare
16-0206-1001, Rules Governing Quality Assurance for Idaho Clinical Laboratories
16-0213-1001, Rules Governing Certification of Idaho Water Quality Laboratories

Please refer to the Idaho Administrative Bulletin, May 5, 2010, Volume 10-5, for notices and text of all rulemakings, public hearings and negotiated meeting schedules, Governor's executive orders, 2010 House and Senate concurrent resolutions affecting rules, the omnibus rulemaking notice of all final and extended temporary rules, and agency contact information.

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Send inquiries to the Office of the Administrative Rules Coordinator, Dept. of Administration, PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0306 or call 208-332-1820.

MARSING HUSKIES SPRING SPORTS SCHEDULE

Baseball

Thursday, May 13, 2A District III Tournament, Nampa Christian H.S., if nec., 2 or 5 p.m.
Friday, May 14, 2A District III Tournament, site TBA, if nec., 5 p.m.

Softball

Thursday, May 13, 2A District III Tournament, New Plymouth, 2:30 p.m., 4:15 or 6 p.m.
Friday, May 14, 2A District III Tournament, New Plymouth, if nec., 2:30 p.m., 4:15 or 6 p.m.
Saturday, May 15, 2A District III Tournament, New Plymouth, if nec., 10 a.m., 11:45 a.m. or 1:15 p.m. Friday, May 7 at Moke Strong Canyon County Classic, Caldwell, 3 p.m.

Track & Field

Friday, May 14, at 2A District III championships, New Plymouth, 4 p.m.
Saturday, May 15, at 2A District III championships, New Plymouth, 10 a.m.



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Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

May 15, 1985

Bell opts for another year as superintendent

Homedale superintendent Deward Bell reported that he will serve as administrator of the Homedale School District for one more year, until July 1986. Several board meetings ago, Bell told the trustees that we would consider remaining with the district with their support. The board members voted unanimously to retain him in the position.

Bell announced his intention to retire this summer at a February 12 district meeting. He added that the trustees are involved in more professional training in the realm of improving the district, a development that prompted him to postpone retirement.

The question of building improvements for the Homedale School District was brought up at the Monday meeting. Chairman Kirt Weimer listed three classrooms on the side of the junior high, superintendent’s and clerk’s offices, and a parent-teacher conference area to be used as a board room. The present room would be converted to an area for computer studies. The three classrooms would be added between the science wing and the media center.

Trustee Gary Garrett said he felt the media center would be fine for a board room, if needed. He asked Weimer if enough money existed to fund the projects. Weimer answered that there was and the improvements would finish all the smaller projects before asking the patrons for a bond levy for the grade school in the future.

Marsing school budget viewed

A budget of \$1,217,765 for the Marsing School District was presented to the trustees on Thursday night for inspection. An official budget hearing will be held on June 13 for public input. The \$1.2 million figure is around 4% higher than last year’s.

Superintendent Duane Root outlined the budget proposal. “It’s a tight budget. We are stable, but not flush,” he explained. Last year, the district counted on 35 teaching units for income, but only received 34.4, because of several students leaving school. Root said this year’s budget would adhere to the 34.4 unit mark.

Elementary and secondary teachers will receive a total of \$585,000, up approximately \$25,000 from last year. The transportation allocation last year was set around \$81,000 but actually spent \$71,000, so that will be the level established this year. The trustees were asked to review the proposal for the next meeting and offer any changes at that time.

Army reserve constructs building

The 321st Engineering Battalion of the Idaho Army Reserve arrived in Murphy last Sunday, May 11 to begin construction on a new exhibit building for the Owyhee County Museum. They will spend their annual two-week training session in Murphy, as well as several weekend sessions during the summer months.

The museum is building a replica of a stamp mill which was used on War Eagle Mountain near Silver City. Stamp mills were one of several methods used by miners to release gold and silver ore from the worthless rocks and less valuable minerals. The first stamp mill in the county, the Minear Mill, was built and put into operation in 1864, just one year after the discovery of gold along Jordan Creek.

The equipment for the museum’s stamp mill was donated by Richard Leonard of Boise. Leonard’s father had purchased the equipment about 1909 from another mill, and set up a short distance above Silver City near the workings of the former Poorman Mine and Mill. Members of the Leonard family operated the mill until 1949.

News of Jordan Valley and Pleasant Valley

May 11 at 7:30pm was graduation for the eighth grade at Arock. Those receiving diplomas were Tricia Carson, Jason Eiguren, Mary Swisher and Heather Sternhagen. On Friday, May 10th the Arock community had a potluck supper for Duane and Linda Sternhagen who have taught school in that community for the last two years. The will be moving to Oregon coast where Duane will be teaching next year.

50 years ago

May 12, 1960

Airport day set for Saturday

A work day will again be held at the Homedale airport Saturday, May 14 to re-gravel the strip and do leveling and fill-in work in the area back of the hangars, now a swamp.

Ray Mansisidor, chairman, said graders, loaders and dump trucks have been arranged for the day, but two more “cats and cans” are needed to do the fill-in work.

He said only one “cat and can” has been lined up, but he has a promise of two graders, two or three loaders and five or six dump trucks. A few more dump trucks could also be used.

He also said women volunteers are urgently needed to help serve the lunch at noon, which will be held at the field in one of the hangars instead of at the city park as it was two years ago when the airport was originally built.

Water pipes broken

The city water crew has been busy this week repairing a break in a water line in the street in front of the Homedale Auto Supply. Another break developed in the street next to the St. Hubert’s Catholic church.

Women bowlers, sponsors enjoy banquet Tuesday

The Women’s Bowling association banquet held Tuesday evening at the legion hall was attended by about 190 bowlers and sponsors and their wives.

City Association officers elected for the coming year are: president, Lois Manning; vice-president, Mary Evans; secretary, Verna Costely; treasurer, Geri Martinat; sergeant-at-arms, Bette Uda.

Citizen of the week

Jim Hill, who served on the Homedale police force for 12 years, eight years as the chief of police, has been a resident of Homedale for the past 23 years. Hill is now employed at the Home Lumber company.

He was born March 28, 1900, at Welch, Okla. His parents had settled in what was known as the Indian Territory and later moved to Nebraska and Wyoming. He received most of his schooling at Torrington, Wyo.

When only 16 years old he rode his first bucking brone and for 10 years after that followed the rodeo circuit, participating in all events.

He married Iva Trussell in Orchard, Neb., March 24, 1926. They have five children, Lester, living at Adrian; Mary Lou (Mrs. Robert) Hays, living south of town; Marvin, local barber; Clyde, living at Nampa, and Donna (Mrs. Russell) Hulse, Idaho Falls. All are married and have given the Hills 10 grandchildren.

When the family first moved here he worked for Guess Huff and Ike Law, near Wilder and later for Frankie Brown, near Homedale, before taking the police force job.

When he finds time for them he enjoys hunting and fishing.

Trojans take top honors at track meet Saturday

Homedale’s Trojans, on the flying heels of sprinter Larry Smith, ran away with the teams honors Saturday afternoon in the District Three class B track meet at Nampa’s Bulldog bowl. The Trojans, who won the meet for the second straight year, compiled 50 points to out-distance their other class B rivals.

Smith was the outstanding competitor of the afternoon as he won four events and set one of the seven new records. His wins came in the 100, 220, 440 and broad jump. In the 220 he posted a new mark of 22.9.

Finishing second to the Trojans was Kuna, which scored 33½ points. Then came Marsing and Riggins, 22 points each, Middleton 21, Melba 8, Cambridge and Donnelly-McCall 7 each, Cascade 4 and New Plymouth 1½.

Marsing and Middleton each cracked a record. In the high hurdles, Robert Walker of the Huskies won with a new standard of 16.3. Middleton’s mark came in the 880 relay, the Vikings winning in 1:37.9.

144 years ago

May 12, 1866

INTERESTING. The annual round of the tax assessors and collectors is an interesting period to all. The best way to dispose of these publicans is to be prepared with lawful statements and make them on demand. The assessor and collector are unwelcome guests, yet their mission is necessary, lawful and upon them obligatory. Glancing over our exchanges it is alarming to read how numerous are the frauds upon all kinds of revenue. Papers chronicle seizures, confiscations, indictments and imprisonments almost without number, because of frauds in this particular. Why it is, we won’t pretend to explain, but it is true that men who bear irreproachable characters in other respects, will commit perjury every time they are called upon for a true list of taxable property. This is a sweeping declaration but as true as gospel. Let all men carefully read the law, review their tax lists as sworn to, and then each ask himself, Have I not withheld goods, chattels or moneys? Or undervalued them? When making my return. Blackstone says in substance that he who withholds any part of a tax due the public commits the same crime as he who puts his hand in the public purse and steals a like amount. Every violation of the revenue law, local or otherwise, is a criminal offence, and if the offender is not punished he’s none the less a criminal, and his escape is attributable to his skill in covering up the fraud or the laches of the officers whose duty it is to enforce the law and enforce the law and punish its violators. Tax-payers should remember their liabilities and calculate that officers and grand juries may do their whole duty. We make these statements because the various assessors and collectors are on duty and making “calls.” Those who can’t stand the assessments had better sell out and go where — if on earth — no taxes are required.

SCHOOL HOUSE. It is next to decide by the new Board of Trustees that rooting a school room is bad policy — therefore one must be built. At present, there are not children enough to make two schools, nor funds to pay two teachers — though the latter might be raised. We understand the Board to favor building a house west of Jordan Creek and north of Bloom & Herd’s office. This location would best accommodate all and remove the school a little out (now) of town, which is good policy. We would respectfully suggest that in building a house, the modern style of furnishing be adopted. The cost will be no more and the room much better. It should be finished with a view to accommodate the various ages of pupils — not grown persons; also, have the building and furniture adapted to school purposes and none other. If to be used for other purposes, require the temporary occupants to accommodate themselves to the furniture — and not have children punished from day to day and month to month on any account. Bear in mind that a school house is for children’s benefit — not for elections, town meetings, &c. If used for the latter, a short inconvenience is nothing compared to the pupils’ ease and comfort.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS’ PROCEEDINGS. Monday, May 7th, 1868.

Court met pursuant to adjournment. Present — D.H. Fogus and George Carter, Commissioners, and Gilmore Hays, Clerk of Board.

Petition of Bloom and others to declare the road from Minear’s Mill up Jordan Creek to Bloom’s Mill, a public highway, was received and ordered filed for further consideration.

Petition of A. M. McMillan and others for survey of town of Silver City, was received and ordered filed for further advisement.

The bond of Ezra Mills, County Assessor, in the penal sum of five thousand dollars, was presented, approved and ordered filed and recorded.

Claim of O. A. Palmer for \$30, for horse-hire in running road, is allowed, and ordered paid out of moneys not otherwise appropriated.

Commentary

Baxter Black, DVM



On the edge of common sense Letter to Norm 'bout spring gather

Dear Norm,

I just wanted you to know we're still punchin' cows here on the S X. Not much has changed. The Beacon well is working again. It's opened up the west side for us. We're trying to get the stragglers all into the Kline pasture to finish branding. This morning, three of us rode the Black. I dropped two cowboys at the road gate then drove on to the corrals.

I parked far enough back, unloaded Chaco so I could sneak up and maybe catch 'em in the trap. No luck. I started west to the old railroad bed, then swung back north. Wind was blowin' like a banshee outta the west. I think the high temp was 45 degrees! Warm gloves, wool shirt (with rubber bands around wrists to keep wind from blowin' up my sleeve), scarf, leggin's and lined canvas brush jacket. I was plenty warm till I turned into the wind!

Riding in the big arroyos, it was calmer but the clouds were dark and low on the mountaintops. The sky was the color of the floor in a truck stop shop! Chaco and I made a big circle, never saw a fresh track, except a single day-old bull track headin' north. At least he was going the right direction.

Met up with Frank and Pancho at Black corrals. They headed cross country north. I loaded my horse and hauled three miles back to the Kline where I mounted up and rode to the north fence, then back to the east and eventually turned south to the lower drinker. I saw the occasional fresh track, cows and calves moving toward the drinkers. No cows at the lower drinker, so I swung west into the brush and eased up on the middle drinker ... Ten of 'em! After five hours in the saddle ... ten of 'em. That's not a bad bunch when you're doin' clean up.

I stayed beyond the edge of their nervous zone. Frank called on the walkie-talkie. They were already at the Kline corrals with seven head. I told them I'd hold the bunch at the middle drinker. Twenty minutes later, the boys rode quietly in. Soon as I saw them, I swung wide to the opposite side and we started them up the water line trail. You know how hard it is to keep 'em together on that final drive, 'specially into a stiff breeze! It makes everybody antsy. But it went as smooth as silk and not a word had been spoken. I'm workin' with top hands out here.

Well, seventeen head to the Kline gathered out of 10,000 acres of rough country on a day when stunt doubles and daredevils would have just stayed home. A good day's work here at the ranch. Only thing missing was you, ol' friend. But I could see your tracks everywhere I went. You were there in spirit, at least. I thought of ya when that jack rabbit shot out of the brush, spooked ol' Chaco and slid me sideways far enough I grabbed the horn! I could see ya outta the corner of my eye. You were there alright, keepin' me on my toes.

Take care, amigo, we're thinkin' of you.

— *Baxter Black is coming to Owyhee County. He'll make an appearance at 6 p.m. on Friday, June 4, in Murphy in the run-up to the 41st annual Outpost Days for the Owyhee County Historical Society. Tickets are on sale for \$30 through the county museum, (208) 495-2319. Visit his Web site at www.baxterblack.com for more features, merchandise and his latest book, "The Back Page".*

Michael Lane, reporter

Eyes on Owyhee Northern exposure redux



Rumors of my demise are exaggerated.

Well, unless one counts moving as a "demise", which I don't. But in order to be with my family, which was unable to relocate to the U.S. of A. I'm relocating — back to the land of poutine and caesars come June. Both of which are consumable, at least in small quantities.

(For those not familiar with Canadian cuisine, poutine is basically fries smothered in gravy and cheese curd, also known as "bucket o' heart attack" and a caesar is a mysterious cocktail involving vodka, worchestershire sauce, Clamato, pickled asparagus and celery salt.)

While thrilled to finally be reunited with my family, I'll miss the many good people I've met in the county, and am vaguely annoyed that I won't be on hand to watch the final

decisions on Idaho Power transmission lines and other issues I've followed for two years. I also had my eye on a particularly nice spot near Adrian, but oh, well.

It's tempting to try and paint a thumbnail picture of Owyhee County after two years, but that's a bit difficult. Not as much for me as for some, I suppose, having lived and worked in areas that weren't all that different; Wallowa County and John Day in Oregon come immediately to mind. I grew up in Eastern Washington, where rain is scarce and you can't go deer hunting without seeing someone's cattle (though there are a few more trees there, in spots). I've lived the bulk of my life near barbed wire, sagebrush,

— See *Northern*, page 19

Wayne Cornell

Not important ... *but possibly of interest*



A new bird flies onto the scene

I was in the back yard when I heard the flutter of wings and sort of a high-pitched "screeeee" sound — more like some sort of electronic feedback sound than a bird call. I looked up in the nearby flowering pear tree. It was filled with birds that were eating the berries off the tree branches.

Since we moved to our present home in 1991, I have become a big fan of birds. I like to watch the hundreds of quail who call our subdivision home. One of the things I miss now that I am retired is watching the swallows that nested under a bridge near the business where I worked for the past 14 years.

I have lived in southwest Idaho my entire life. I thought I was pretty well up on the types of birds that call the area home. But the ones in the pear tree were new to me. They appeared to be about two-thirds the size of robins. They had short tails like starlings. Their heads were crested, which is unusual for local birds. Their breasts appeared to have yellow coloring, and their wings were brownish-gray. That was about all the detail I was able to see before the flock,

which was quite large, took flight and disappeared.

Several days passed. I was working on the lawn when I saw something on the ground in front of the picture window. A closer look revealed a bird similar to the ones I had seen in the pear tree. It had apparently broken its neck flying into the window.

The dead bird had a rust-colored head and what looked like a black mask around its eyes. On each wing tip was a small cluster of bright red feathers. The coloring was about the prettiest I had ever seen on a local bird.

Now my curiosity was really aroused. I shot a picture of the bird and posted it on an online camera forum I frequent. Then I started doing some searching on my own.

An Internet search for "Birds of Idaho" brought up lots of birds, but unless I got lucky I might have had to look at dozens to find the right one. And some of the listings didn't include photos. On a hunch, I tried to narrow it down by searching for "Crested Idaho Birds." That brought up

— See *Bird*, page 19

Letters to the editor Sherburn has proven skill, efficiency as county clerk

After serving six years as an Owyhee County Commissioner, I came to believe that the position of County Clerk is one of the most demanding and critical positions in County Government.

For four of the years I served as Commissioner, Charlotte Sherburn served as County Clerk. She performed the job admirably.

In preparing the budget, Charlotte was always fair. When cuts were necessary, she always offered up her office. She was willing to make the hard decisions and take the heat that always followed.

In clerking for the Board of Commissioners, Charlotte was the model of preparedness. The Commissioner's job is a nightmare if the County Clerk is not prepared with an organized, efficient agenda and the supporting information. Charlotte excelled in this regard.

As for Charlotte's supervisory ability, one only has to look at the top quality people that work for her both in the Clerk's office and the Courts. This is a reflection not only

on the individual, but on the supervisor as well.

In bringing the bills before the Commissioners, I could always expect that Charlotte had gone through them with a fine-toothed comb. She is a budget hawk. It is a very difficult and often unpopular job, but in this economy it is even more critical than in years past.

In short, I would be hard-pressed to come up with one area where Charlotte Sherburn was lacking as County Clerk. That is why she has my vote and whole-hearted support in the upcoming election.

Chris Salove
Marsing

Sherburn's experience can help in down economy

I am writing this letter in support of re-electing Charlotte Sherburn for Clerk.

I worked for Charlotte as her deputy auditor for six years and can tell you the finances of the county are a top

— See *Letters*, page 19

Commentary

Financial management

Time for husband to get moving on finding a new job

Dear Dave,
My husband was laid off three months ago, and I'm afraid we're about to lose our home. I've been working three part-time jobs to help keep our heads above water, but he says the economy's bad, and he's waiting for the "right" job. The bills are piling up, and I don't know what to do.
— Paula

Dear Paula,
When a guy loses a job it's a devastating blow. Many guys are task-oriented, and define themselves by what they do rather



than who they are. That's not a good thing.
When I went broke several years ago, I had to re-define myself in my own mind. I lost my business, and in many ways I looked at that company as who I was. My identity was suddenly gone. Lots of guys go through that

when they lose their jobs, and in the process they can lose the courage to go fight again.
I think you two should sit down with your pastor or a good marriage counselor, and talk through this thing. I also think your husband needs a good friend — someone he admires and respects — to verbally knock him around a little and put the fight back into his spirit. Three months of a guy sitting on his butt in this situation is unacceptable. I don't want to hear a bunch of stuff about the economy, a career path, or that he's overqualified. It doesn't

matter if you're delivering pizzas or mowing yards, you're never "overqualified" to be a man and take care of your responsibilities!
Sometimes people need a little time to get their heads together when something traumatic happens. I went through some of that, too. There were times when I was just no good to anyone. But at the end of the day I didn't lose my home because I was sitting around doing nothing. Even when I lost all my confidence and felt like a dog, I still got out there and did stuff to put food on

the table.
It's time for your husband to get out and do something!
— Dave

— Dave Ramsey is the best-selling author of *The Total Money Makeover*. 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

✓ Bird: Pastime returns with start of retirement

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two or three including a winner. My bird turned out to be a Cedar Waxwing.
Further research revealed that the Cedar Waxwing is a very interesting bird. They can be found all over North America. They spend their winters farther south and migrate to the northern U.S. and southern Canada in the summer. They apparently pass through this area every year, although I had never seen them before.
The Cedar Waxwings usually are in flocks of several hundred. Their diet includes berries/fruit off bushes and trees and insects. I found it interesting that they apparently are known for hurting or killing themselves by flying into windows.
According to several online accounts, if there are a

number of berries on the end of a branch where normally only one bird at a time can reach them, the Cedar Waxwings will line up on the branch and pass down the berries, beak-to-beak, so every bird gets a share. Their high-pitched call is easy to miss if there's a lot of other background noise.
So, I managed to learn something new. And I have something to look forward to in the fall and the spring when the Cedar Waxwings pass through. I wish they would stay around all summer. I would love to see them do the "pass the berry" routine.
I'm pretty easy to entertain these days.
— Go to www.theowyheeavalanche.com to link to some of Wayne's previous columns on his blog. You'll find the link in the bottom right-hand corner of the home page.

Primary election letters deadline is Friday

Letters to the editor pertaining to the May 25 primary elections until noon on Friday.
The usual letters to the editor guidelines apply — 300-word limit, must include contact information.
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.

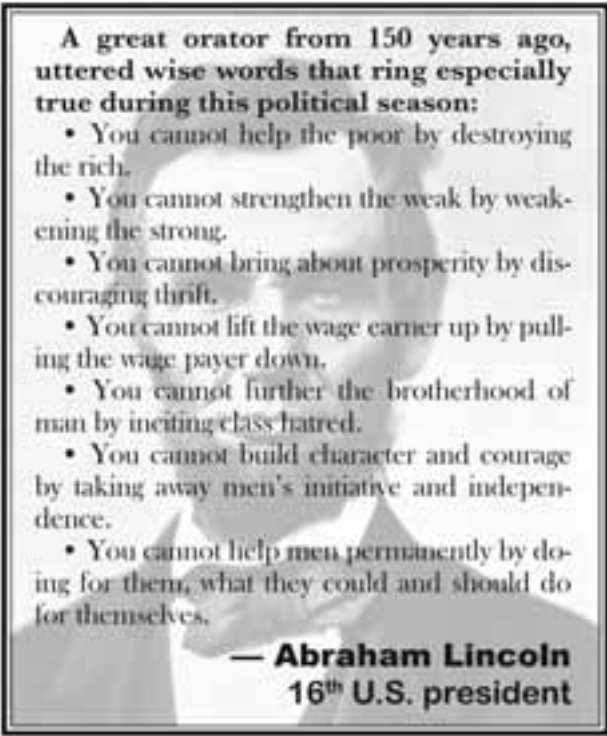
✓ Letters to the editor

From Page 18
priority with her.
The experience and knowledge Charlotte has for budgeting and financial balancing has everything to do with how well Owyhee County do in these difficult economic times.
Keep Charlotte in this very important position. It is crucial for a more stable Owyhee County.
Annie Campbell
Marsing

Uninsured patients must be held responsible for bills

I have recently noticed some letters to the editor in local papers. The concern has been about what happens to people that have no insurance and are treated in an emergency room at one of our medical facilities.

Perhaps some of you have noticed the big write offs that St. Luke's and St. Al's have each year. These are some of the bills that uninsured don't pay to get emergency treatment because they don't have health care insurance. This debt expense is passed on to those of us who do have insurance. We pay for them, which makes our health care premiums higher than they should be.
Now if the politicians of the State of Idaho (and the governor) get their wish that no one take insurance if offered to them from the Feds if they don't want to, I respect their right to do that. However, if they refuse insurance then I suggest that they be required to sign a waiver stating that they are personally responsible for their own care.
If they can't pay, then they must accept a lien against their property including personal property. If this won't cover the bill for their care they simply won't get the needed care. Sorry, it is their choice.
Fred Christensen
Caldwell (Sunny Slope)



✓ Northern: Life's journey is about people known, not places lived

From Page 18
lodgepoles and highly annoying horses.
You can contrast rural cattle areas with other places I've lived, like Tokyo, but that's not especially useful. It's like comparing bobcats and blue whales. They're both mammals, but you're not going to find a lot more in common above a cellular level.
On that "cellular level", one thing that can be said of everywhere I've lived is that, while each community or culture sees itself as unique, they're really pretty much of a muchness. People are, in the end, people. They like to work, play, spend time with family and complain about the weather. The particular details of each locale are different,

but the guts of any community are, basically, the same. In Tokyo it's your ku, your district. In rural Japan it's your township. Here, your county, ditto Wallowa and Grant. Most people define themselves by a geographic area bounded largely by shared culture, but if you take away the window dressing, we all live in the same town/city/remote ranch. What we do for fun and how far we drive to see our friends are the only major differences I've ever noticed.
So, in the end, it's all about people, not places. I find it almost impossible to make other comparisons, having worn off my hometown loyalties many thousands of miles and more than a few years ago. I tend to judge places by

how well people act, how they get along, and what they say versus what they do.
For the most part, Owyhee County folks rate pretty well on my scale.
To shamelessly rip off J.R.R. Tolkien's great farewell speech: Two years is too short a time to live among such excellent people. I know less than half of you half as well as I should like, and like less than half of you half as much as you deserve.
— Michael Lane has been a valuable part of the Avalanche staff since the summer of 2008. He'll be leaving at the end of the month, and we wish him much success.
— Ed.

Public notices

**SYNOPSIS OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISSIONER MINUTES
APRIL 27, 2010**

Approved payment of bills: Current Expense \$12,751, Road & Bridge \$552, District Court \$399, Probation \$325, Museum \$737, Indigent & Charity \$279, Solid Waste \$235, Weed \$956
Executive Session 67-2345 (a),(f) personnel and possible litigation.

Approved letter to Sheriff on personnel issue.

Approved ballot for re-appointment of Roberge & Michael to Southwest District Health Board.

Sent letter of intent to Owyhee Soil Conservation District.

Approved purchase of server for the Courthouse.

Letter of Appreciation approved for former State BLM Director Tom Dyer.

Board of Equalization: review of exempt property & agriculture exempt property.

Approved alcohol beverage licenses.

Approved Final Plat for Owyhee Legends Subdivision.

Indigent & Charity: 10-14, 10-15, 10-16 liens. 10-13 denied, 10-12 approved.

Presentation by DEQ of Ground Water Studies.

Meeting regarding the Western Alliance.

Executive Session 67-2345 attorney memos.

Recess for Wings & Roots meeting.

The complete minutes can be viewed online at owyheecounty.net or in the clerk's office.

5/12/10

PUBLIC NOTICE OF 2010 PRIMARY ELECTION IN OWYHEE COUNTY

The Owyhee County Primary Election will be held Tuesday May 25th 2010 from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm at the following precinct polling places:

Precinct 01 North Homedale – Senior Citizens Center, 224 W. Idaho Avenue Homedale

Precinct 02 South Homedale – Homedale City Hall, 31 W. Wyoming Avenue Homedale

Precinct 03 North Marsing – Marsing Community Center 126 2nd St. N. Marsing

Precinct 04 South Marsing – Extension Office, 238 W. 8th Ave. Marsing

Precinct 05 Pleasant Valley – Mail Ballot

Precinct 06 Wilson – Wilson Fire Station, 10427 Johnston Lane, Wilson

Precinct 07 Murphy – Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy 78 Murphy

Precinct 08 Oreana – Community Hall, 18092 Oreana Loop Road, Oreana

Precinct 09 Grandview – Eastern Owyhee Library, 520 Boise Ave GrandView

Precinct 10 Bruneau–American Legion Building 32536 Belle Ave. Bruneau

Precinct 11 Riddle – Mail Ballot

Precinct 12 Three Creek – Mail Ballot

Precinct 13 Absentee - Courthouse 20381 State Hwy 78 Murphy

5/12,19/10

ATTENTION ALL OWYHEE COUNTY LAND OWNERS AND CITIZENS BEFORE THE OWYHEE COUNTY PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION
The Owyhee County Planning

and Zoning Commission will hold its second round of public meetings to hear comments and input regarding the proposed Owyhee County Comprehensive Plan Revision. The Planning and Zoning Commission and Comprehensive Plan Subcommittee members have completed their work revising the Comprehensive Plan and are eager to hear your input on this very important document. The proposed draft revision is available in the Planning and Zoning Office in Murphy, Homedale City Hall, Marsing City Hall, and Grand View City Hall. You can also find the proposed revised plan on the county web site at www.owyheecounty.net along with the current Comprehensive Plan as well as a copy of the plan that shows all additions and deletions.

The public meetings will be held June 8th, 9th, and 10th, at the following times and locations:

June 8th, 2010 from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM at the Rimrock High School Auditorium, 39678 State Hwy 78 Bruneau, Idaho

June 9th, 2010 from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM at the Owyhee County Court House, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, Idaho.

June 10th, 2010 from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM at the Marsing American Legion Community Hall, 126 2nd St. Marsing, Idaho

Your participation in these meetings is critical. For additional information please contact the Planning and Zoning office at 495-2095.

4/28;5/5,12,19,26;6/2/10

NOTICE OF HEARING ON NAME CHANGE

CASE NO: CV-2010-1507H

A Petition to change the name of Alan Dean Nelson Jr., born 12-6-92 in Tucson, AZ, residing at 519 W. Arizona Ave, Homedale, has been filed in Owyhee County District Court, Idaho. The name will change to Alan Dean Kennedy. The petitioner's mother is living and her address is 519 W. Arizona Ave, Homedale.

A hearing on the petition is scheduled for 10:30am on June 2, 2010 at Owyhee County Courthouse in Homedale, Idaho. Objections may be filed by any person who can show the court a good reason against the name change.

Date: April 21, 2010

Charlotte Sherburn, Clerk of the District Court

By: Jan Fink, Deputy Clerk

4/28;5/5,12,19/10

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Tsg 00063/4990804927MAA Loan No. 0059480517 T.S. No. 057-005416 On 8/25/2010, at 11:00 A.M. (recognized local time), at the following location in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho: Owyhee County Courthouse 20381 State Hwy 78 Murphy, ID, TRANSNATION TITLE AND ESCROW INC., as Trustee on behalf of UTLS Default Services, LLC will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following real property, situated in the County of Owyhee State of Idaho, and described as follows: This parcel is Lots 5 and 4 and a portion of Lot 3 of Block 27 of the Amended Plat of Homedale, Idaho, situated in the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 4, Township 3 North, Range 5 West of the Boise Meridian, Owyhee

County, Idaho and is more particularly described as follows: COMMENCING at the Northeast corner of said Block 27; thence North 89° 12' 13" West along (he North boundary of said Block 27 a distance of 72.89 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING, said point lying 2.19 feet East of the Northwest corner of said Lot 3; thence South 00° 50' 22" West a distance of 124.99 feet to a point on the South boundary of said Lot 3; thence North 89° 12' 21" West along the South boundary of said Lot 3 a distance of 1.99 feet to the Southeast corner of said Lot 4; thence continuing North 89° 12' 21" West along the South boundary of said Lots 4 and 5 a distance of 50.09 feet to the Southwest corner of said Lot S; thence North 00° 46' 23" East along the West boundary of said Lot 5 a distance of 124.96 feet to the Northwest corner of said Lot S; thence South 89° 12' 13" East along the North boundary of said Lots 5, 4 and a portion of Lot 3 a distance of 52.24 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 307 W MONTANA , HOMEDALE, ID 83628 is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by RUSSELL D. WADE, A MARRIED MAN, AS HIS SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY as Grantor/ Trustor, in which MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., is named as Beneficiary and PIONEER TITLE OF CANYON COUNTY as Trustee and recorded 11/9/2006 as Instrument No. 258782 in book , page of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Owyhee County, Idaho. Please Note: The above Grantors are named to comply with section 45-1506{4}(A), Idaho Code, No representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for this obligation set forth herein. The Default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust and Note dated 11/7/2006. The monthly installments of principal, interest, and impounds (if applicable) of \$966.62, due per month for the months of 7/1/2008 through 4/12/2010, and all subsequent installments until the date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$86,687.08 together with interest thereon at the current rate of 7.50000 per cent (%) per annum from 6/1/2008. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges, and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. Date: 4/13/2010

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Please be advised that a public hearing will be held before the City Council of the City of Homedale on Wednesday June 9th, 2010 at 6:00 p.m. at Homedale City Hall, 31 West Wyoming, Homedale, Idaho for the purpose of gathering public testimony regarding a proposed rezone of certain properties in the City of Homedale, as set for in the proposed following ordinance.

The Public is invited to attend and offer input.
Alice E. Pegram, City Clerk/Treasurer
City of Homedale (208-337-4641)

ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE AMENDED OFFICIAL ZONING ORDINANCE MAP OF THE CITY OF HOMEDALE, IDAHO BY REZONING CERTAIN PROPERTIES NOW ZONED AS INDUSTRIAL TO EITHER COMMERCIAL OR RESIDENTIAL, REZONING ONE PROPERTY FROM RESIDENTIAL TO COMMERCIAL, PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND SEVERABILITY.

WHEREAS, there are numerous properties within the City Limits of the City of Homedale, Owyhee County, Idaho, west of Highway 95, that are zoned Industrial; and

WHEREAS, some of these properties are properly zoned as Industrial; and

WHEREAS, many of these properties are residences for which the proper zoning is Residential; and

WHEREAS, many of these properties are commercial businesses for which the proper zoning is Commercial; and

WHEREAS, there is one property that is currently zoned Residential that should be zoned Commercial.

BE IT ORDAINED, BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HOMEDALE, COUNTY OF OWYHEE, STATE OF IDAHO:

Section 1: That the Official Amended Zoning Map is amended by changing the following addressed properties to the zoning designated in the column entitled "New Zoning."

ADDRESS	NEW ZONING
302 E. Owyhee	Commercial
2 S. 2 nd St. W.	Residential
125 W. Wyoming	Residential
117 W. Wyoming	Residential
112 S. Main	Commercial
111 S. Main	Commercial
16 E. Wyoming	Commercial
226 E. Colorado	Commercial
232 E. Colorado	Commercial
122 W. Colorado	Residential
112 W. Colorado	Residential
115 S. Main	Commercial
9 Kansas	Commercial
24 E. Colorado	Commercial
309 S. Main	Commercial
301 S. 3 rd St. E.	Residential
608 2 nd St. E.	Commercial

Section 2: That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication, according to law.

Section 3: That should the Court having jurisdiction declare any part of this Ordinance invalid, unauthorized or unconstitutional or in conflict with any other part of the Ordinance, then such unconstitutional, unauthorized or invalid part shall be stricken from this Ordinance, and shall not affect any other part whatsoever of this ordinance. The Mayor and City Council of the City of Homedale, Idaho, declare that it would have passed this Ordinance, and each part hereof, irrespective of parts declared invalid, unauthorized or unconstitutional.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HOMEDALE, IDAHO, THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2010.

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF HOMEDALE, IDAHO, THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2010.

HAROLD WILSON, Mayor
ATTEST: ALICE E. PEGRAM, City Clerk
City of Homedale

5/12,19,26/10

TRANSNATION TITLE AND ESCROW INC. By: Lynn Darling, Assistant Vice President
THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY

INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. ASAP# 3533406
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

T.S. No. ID-09-233861-TD On 8/5/2010, at 11:00:00 AM (recognized local time), at the following location in the County of OWYHEE, State of Idaho: In the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse located on the corner of Highway 78 and Hailey Street, known as 20381 Highway 78, Murphy, ID 83650, Pioneer Title Company of Ada County dba Pioneer Lender Trustee Services as Trustee by Quality Loan Services, as Attorney in Fact, as Trustee on behalf of CitiBank NA, as trustee for WaMu Series 2007-HE3 Trusti will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following real property, situated in the County of OWYHEE State of Idaho, and described as follows: THE EAST HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 12, IN TOWNSHIP 1 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, BOISE MERIDIAN, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 7823 SOMMERCAMP ROAD, MELBA, ID 83641 is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by MICHAEL J COOK, AN UNMARRIED MAN as Grantor/Trustor, in which WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, is named as Beneficiary and LENDER SERVICES DIRECT INC. as Trustee and recorded 2/28/2007 as Instrument No. 260008 in book -, page - of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of OWYHEE County, Idaho. Please Note: The above Grantors are named to comply with section 45-1506(4)(A), Idaho Code, No representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for this obligation set forth herein. The Default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust and Note dated 2/14/2007. The monthly installments of principal, interest, and impounds (if applicable) of \$1,825.01, due per month for the months of 9/1/2008 through 2/6/2009, and all subsequent installments until the date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$239,049.16 together with interest thereon at the current rate of 8.3000 per cent (%) per annum from 8/1/2008. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges, and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee’s fees, attorney’s fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder’s sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be

entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee, or the Mortgagee’s Attorney. Date: 4/6/2010 By: Pioneer Title Company of Ada County dba Pioneer Lender Trustee Services as Trustee by Quality Loan Services, as Attorney in Fact, as Trustee Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington, as Agent 2141 5th Avenue San Diego, CA 92101 Tara Donzella, Assistant Vice President ***For Sale Information Call: 714-730-2727 or Login to: www.fidelityasap.com If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holder’s rights against the real property only. THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. As required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. ASAP# 3522378
4/21,28;5/5,12/10

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on August 17, 2010, at the hour of two o’clock p.m. of said day, on the steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse, located at the corner of Highway 78 and Hailey Street, Murphy, Owyhee County, Idaho, the Trustee, Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in lawful money of the United States of America, 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 5, Block 2, as shown on the plat known as Plat Showing Silver Sage Subdivision No. 1, filed May 29, 1998 as Instrument No. 225021, records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

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 101 SILVER SAGE PLACE, HOMEDALE, IDAHO, may sometimes be 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 STACEY J. BERRY, as Grantor, and STEWART TITLE OF BOISE, INC., as Trustee, said Trustee having been replaced by ALLIANCE TITLE & ESCROW CORP. as Successor Trustee, and CAMPBELL FAMILY TRUST, as Beneficiary; said Deed of Trust having been filed of record on May 8, 2006, as Instrument No. 256256, Official Records of Owyhee County, Idaho. The naming of the above Grantor(s) is done to comply with Idaho Code Section 45-1506(4)(a); no representation is made as to the responsibility of Grantor(s) for this obligation.

The default for which the sale is to be made is that no monthly installment payments under a Deed of Trust Note dated

LEGAL NOTICE SOUTHWEST DISTRICT HEALTH PURSUANT TO IDAHO CODE §39-423

PUBLIC HEARING: Residents of Adams, Canyon, Gem, Owyhee, Payette, and Washington Counties are invited to comment on the proposed county contributions to the Southwest District Health Fiscal Year 2011 budget. Such hearing will be held on Tuesday, May 18, 2010, 11:00 a.m., at Southwest District Health, 920 Main, Room 206, Caldwell, Idaho.

At the conclusion of this hearing, the estimated cost to each county for FY2011 will be submitted to the Budget Committee by the District Board and approval of a final budget of county funds will be requested, as determined by the provisions of §39-424, Idaho Code.

BUDGET COMMITTEE: The Southwest District Board of Health and Budget Committee will meet in open public forum on Tuesday, May 18, 2010, at 11:30 a.m. (or directly following the Public Hearing) at Southwest District Health, 920 Main, Caldwell, Idaho, for the purpose of finalizing the budget of county funds for Southwest District Health’s Fiscal Year 2011 budget.

The following tables set forth the amounts of county funds to be appropriated and contributed by each county within the boundaries of said district, and the amounts expended for “salaries & wages, and other expenses,” during each of the three previous county fiscal years by said department.

AMOUNT TO BE APPROPRIATED BY COUNTY, FY 2011				
Adams	\$ 23,600			
Canyon	806,586			
Gem	75,558			
Owyhee	51,714			
Payette	99,999			
Washington	48,970			
Total	\$ 1,106,427			
	FY2008	FY2009	FY2010	FY2011
	Budget	Budget	Budget	REQUEST
Salaries & Wages	\$ 805,651	\$ 829,820	\$ 829,820	\$ 829,820
Other Expenses	268,550	276,607	276,607	276,607
Total	\$1,074,201	\$1,106,427	\$1,106,427	\$ 1,106,427

The proposed budget offered by the District Board of Health may be examined at any of the Southwest District Health offices located at: 920 Main Street, Caldwell; 824 S. Diamond, Nampa; 1008 East Locust, Emmett; 1155 Third Avenue North, Payette; 46 West Court, Weiser; or 24 West Idaho, Homedale.
5/12/10

May 1, 2006, in the amount of \$322.70 for October 2007, and in the amount of \$563.37 per month for November 2007 and each month thereafter have been made, together with accruing late charges, plus any other charges lawfully due under the note, deed of trust, and Idaho law.

The balance owing as of the date hereof on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is the amount of \$66,932.22 in principal; plus accrued interest at the rate of nine and one-half percent (9.5%) per annum from March 22, 2008; plus default interest pursuant to the Note at the rate of seven percent (7%) per annum from March 30, 2010, until the default is cured; plus service charges, late charges, and any other costs or expenses associated with this foreclosure as provided by the Deed of Trust or Deed of Trust Note, or by Idaho law.

Dated this 14 day of April, 2010.

MARK D. PERISON, P.A.,
By: Mark D. Perison – of the Firm, Attorneys for Trustee, P.O. Box 6575, Boise, ID 83707-6575 (208) 331-1200
4/28;5/5,12,19/10

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

TS No. 10-0044975 Title Order No. NWT002949 Parcel No. RP02N04W263080A The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, In the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse located on the corner of Highway 78 and Hailey Street, known as 20381 Highway 78, Murphy, ID 83650, on 08/23/2010 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 02/27/2009 as Instrument Number 267581, and executed by DAVID LOEFFLER, AND KAREN LOEFFLER, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Grantor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary, to RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Owyhee County, state of Idaho: A tract of land being a portion

of the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter and a portion of Government Lot 2 of Section 26, Township 2 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, more particularly described as follows: COMMENCING at the Southwest corner or said Government Lot 2, bring the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING; thence running South 90°00’00” East a distance of 200 feet; thence North 05°11’40” West a distance of 251 feet; thence North 90°00’00” West a distance of 911.77 feet to a point on the Northeasterly right of way line of Highway 78; thence along said highway right of way on a curve to the left, the long chord of which bears South 18°45’23” East a distance of 263.99 feet to a point on the South boundary of the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of said Section 26; thence North 90°00’00” East along said South boundary a distance of 649.61 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of, 8026 STATE HIGHWAY 78, MARSING, ID 83639-8258 is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier’s check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. 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 that certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 11/01/2009 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 5.500% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$242,762.94, plus

interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and /or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys’ fees, Trustees’ fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. 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. DATED: 04/13/2010 Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 80028-1821 PHONE: (800) 281-8219 RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. Successor Trustee /S/ Deedra Williams ASAP# 3529797
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Assembly of God Church Homedale 15 West Montana, 337-4458 Pastor George Greenwood Sunday School 9:30am Sunday Morning Worship 10:30am Sunday Evening Service 6:00pm Wed. Bible Study 7:00pm	Friends Community Church Wilder - Homedale 17434 Hwy 95, 337-3464 Pastor Carl Bennett Sunday School 9:30 am Worship Services: 10:45 am Sundays Wednesday Prayer Meeting: 5:30 pm Wednesday CLC: 3:15 pm	Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church 1122 W. Linden St., Caldwell 459-3653 Mass: Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 9:30 am Spanish Mass: Saturday 7:00 pm Spanish Mass: Sunday Noon
Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church Homedale - 337-4248 Sunday Services 10am Rev. Ross Shaver, Pastor Youth and Adult Sunday School 9-9:45am Wed. Adult Bible Study 7-8:30pm Visitors Always Welcome!	Chapel of Hope Hope House, Marsing Look for the Blue Church South Bruneau Hwy at the Hope House Welcoming Families, especially those with special needs children. Keith Croft, Pastor 880-2767 Jake & Alisha Henriouille, Youth Pastors 761-6747 Sunday Services at 10 am	Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Homedale 708 West Idaho Ave 337-4112 Bishop Alan McRae Bishop Ronald Spencer Sunday 1st Ward 9am Sunday 2nd Ward 12:30pm
Homedale Baptist Church Homedale 212 S. 1st W. Sunday School 10am & 11am Sunday Evening 7pm Wednesday Evening 7pm Pastor James Huls	Wilder Church of God Wilder 205 A St. E, 482-7839 Pastor Ray Gerthung Sunday School 9:45am Sunday Service 11am Sunday Eve. 6:00pm Wed. Eve. 7:00pm	Mountain View Church of the Nazarene 26515 Ustick Road, Wilder 337-3151 Sunday School 9:30 Worship 10:30 Adult & Youth Bible Class: Wednesday 7:00 pm Bible Based Recovery: Friday 7:00 pm
 MARSING APOSTOLIC ASSEMBLY Asamblea Apostolica de Marsing 107 W. Main • Marsing, Idaho Pastor Jose Gutierrez 208-461-9016 or 880-6172 Sunday School 10:00 am Sunday Service 1 pm • Wednesday Service 7 pm Bilingual Services/Español	Iglesia Evangelica Wilder 317 3rd st., Pastor Ramiro Reyes 10 am Sunday School 11 am Service 482-7484 Bilingual	Marsing Church of Christ Marsing 932 Franklin, Marsing Minister Gib Nelson Sunday Bible Study 10am Sunday Worship 11am
Christian Church Homedale 110 W. Montana, 337-3626 Pastor Maurice Jones Sunday Morning Worship 11am Church school 9:45	Bible Missionary Church Homedale West Idaho, 337-3425 Pastor Ron Franklin Sunday School 10am Worship 11am Sunday Evening 7pm Wednesday Evening 7:30	Assembly of God Church Marsing 139 Kerry, 965-1650 Pastor Rick Sherrow Sunday School 10am Sunday Worship 11am & 6 pm
Lizard Butte Baptist Church Marsing Pastor David London 116 4th Ave. W., 859-2059 Sunday worship: Morning: 11am-Noon• Evening: 6-7pm Sunday school 10 am-10:55am Wednesday evening 6pm-7pm	Nazarene Church Marsing Pastor Bill O'Connor 896-4184 12 2nd Avenue West Worship Services - Sunday 11am and 6pm Teen Services Sundays 7:00 pm Sunday School - 9:45am Mid Week TLC Groups	Trinity Holiness Church Homedale 119 N. Main Pastor Samuel Page 337-5021 Sunday School 10am Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday Evening 7pm Thursday Evening 7:30pm
Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Marsing 215 3rd Ave. West, 896-4151 Sunday 1st Ward, 9:00 a.m. Bishop Jensen Sunday 2nd Ward, 12:30 p.m. Bishop Parry	Vision Community Church Marsing 221 West Main Marsing, Idaho 208-896-5407 Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Sunday Service 10:30 a.m. Adult, Kids & Youth Meetings Wed. 7:00 p.m.	United Methodist Church Wilder Corner of 4th St. & B Ave. 880-8751 Pastor June Fothergill Sunday Services 9:30am
First Presbyterian Church Homedale 320 N. 6th W., 337-3060 Pastor Marianne Paul Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday School 11am	Calvary Holiness Church Wilder Corner of 3rd St. & B Ave. Sunday School: 10:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Evening: 7:00 p.m. Food Pantry Open Fridays 10 am - Noon	Seventh Day Adventist Homedale 16613 Garnet Rd., 880-0902 or 453-9289 Pastor Chuck Dimick Sabbath School Sat. 9:30am Worship 11am Tuesday Prayer Mtg. 7:00 pm
Iglesia Bautista Palabra de Esperanza Homedale 711 W. Idaho, 463-9569 Pastor Jose Diaz Servicios: Los Domingos 11:00 am	Our Lady Queen of Heaven Catholic Church - Oreana 2010 Mass Schedule - the following Saturdays at 9:30am March 13 - April 10 - May 22 - June 26 - July 24 - Aug. 14 Sept. 11 - Oct. 23 - Nov. 27 All are welcome! For more information, call St. Paul's Church, Nampa 466-7031	Amistad Cristiana de Wilder UMC Esquina de 4 y calle B Domingos Servicio: 12:00 pm El Ropero (Banco de ropa) Miercoles 12- 2pm Martes y Jueves: 6:30 pm Ingles Sabados: 12:00 pm Arte Infantil Todo en Espanol, Inf. 989 7508



NOTICE

Pet Haven Thrift Store is now accepting donations. For free pick up call 455-1303 or drop off at 619 Main St, Caldwell.

Business After Hours! Attention Business Owners!! Come to Homedale Scale & Feed Thursday, May 20th from 6pm to 7pm. Enjoy some refreshments and get to know other businesses in our community!!

Homedale Scale & Feed Greenhouse Salsa Garden Drawing. Come in & enter to win! Roma tomato, 2 bell pepper & 2 Jalapeno plants! Drawing May 15th.

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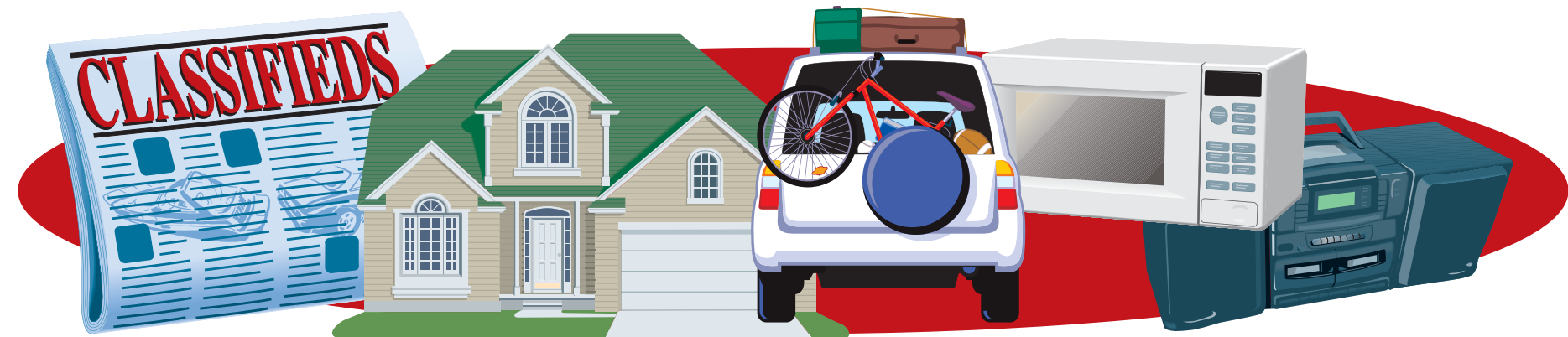
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