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*"You never leave Homedale behind you.
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Father and son heading to Iraq

Three months ago there was a lot of speculation from guardsmen that the 116th Cavalry Brigade Combat Team would be mobilized and deploy nearly 2,700 soldiers to Iraq from Idaho, Montana and Oregon.

When Homedale Police Chief Jeff Eidemiller got the official word, he was relieved yet apprehensive about the task at hand. Having served in the Idaho National

Guard for nearly 15 years, this will be his first deployment overseas.

"It came as a sense of relief," Eidemiller said. "All that speculation about if we were going was over. We now had a mission."

His oldest son, James, 24, of Caldwell will also be deployed with the guardsmen heading

to Iraq. James joined the Idaho Guard two years ago. He will serve in a different unit than his father.

"It is mixed feelings," Jeff Eidemiller said. "I'm very proud of him and very proud that he is serving. But as a father you don't want to see your kids put in harm's way."

— See *Eidemiller*, page 5

School trustees cancel levy try

Money from
federal jobs
bill heading to
Owyhee districts

Anticipating federal aid, the Homedale School District board of trustees canceled the supplemental levy election that had been scheduled for Thursday.

By a vote of 3-0, the school board took the action during a special meeting Thursday night. Chair Kurt Shanley, vice-chair Kevin Miyasako and Zone 4 Trustee Todd Kelly attended the meeting. Trustees Tim Quintana

(Zone 2) and Shane Muir (Zone 5) were absent.

"It makes perfect sense," Miyasako said before voting. "We shouldn't ask for more money than we need."

The board took action after superintendent Tim Rosandick reported how much the district would receive from the \$51 million in federal funding heading to Idaho schools with the passage of the educational job-saving bill.

Friday, the state Department of Education announced Homedale would receive an estimated \$232,723, the most of the county school districts receiving funds.

— See *Levy*, page 5

George Hyer back in commissioners race as write-in

Incumbent lost
GOP nomination
in May primary

George Hyer has launched a write-in bid to retain his job as District 2 commissioner.

The Homedale Republican filed his petition early last week, he told The Owyhee Avalanche on Wednesday.

The Owyhee County native, who is still recovering from a severely broken pelvis suffered in a roping accident, said several people had asked him to consider



George Hyer

the write-in campaign.

"After the election, it was so close I had made up my mind (to) just let it go because of the injury and everything," Hyer said.

"But I am floored how many people have asked me to do this, and they haven't talked to other people. They're just real worried

— See *Hyer*, page 5

Crew to film at city airport

Utah production company
set to shoot next month

Abruzzo Productions, LLC has been granted permission by the City of Homedale to use the airport for an upcoming film they are working on.

The Utah-based company is set to arrive in Homedale toward the middle of next month. They are working on a film titled "Three of a Kind".

According to Catrine McGregor who works for the production company filming the movie "people from Homedale will recognize the airport in the scene."

McGregor said the scene for the movie will be

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*Homedale Municipal Airport development
infuses dollars into local economy.*

shot in the morning, and will contain an airplane landing and then taking off. The plane will explode above the airport. The explosion will be computer-generated.

"This airport had the look the director was looking for," McGregor said. "The main character is a pretty evil guy. He has a plane used for drug running that needs to land in a remote area."

— JLZ

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Airport projects add a little stimulus to local economy

Washington resident completes three hangars, plans four more

The Homedale City Council reviewed plans presented by a representative of Ron Warren that will allow him to build four hangars with a lease agreement to build within three years.

The council will consider allowing Warren to build four more hangars on the expanded property of the airport. Warren had requested a change from the standard lease agreement, which requires a lessee to build on his parcel within six months of signing the contract with completion of the work within a year of the opening of the lease.

“Warren is currently building three hangars at the airport,” public works supervisor Larry Bauer said. “He is also building a home near Homedale. He has expressed interest in building one more (hangar) immediately along with three more.”

Mike Millward, who represented Warren at an Aug. 11 meeting, assured the council that Warren would pay development fees for each of the four hangars (\$4,000 total) and also make lease payments even as the land sits idle.

Bauer acknowledged that the city council established the lease early in 2009 to prevent squatters from entering a five-year lease and then not doing anything with the land.

“(The new lease) is a year and a half old and this will be the first time we use it,” Councilman Tim Downing said. “I’d be willing (to vote for the waiver), but I want to see it in writing.”

But Bauer said Warren was willing to stipulate that if he didn't complete construction within three years that the contract would be null and void and the land would go back to city control.

Millward assured council members that Warren will have a fourth hangar built by the end of the year. All four new hangars will be built within three years, Millward said.

Mayor Harold Wilson pointed out that Warren's construction projects at the airport have been accomplished with local labor and local materials, putting money into the Homedale economy.

“Everything that has been done here is local,” Bauer said. “The materials are bought through local suppliers. The contractor is local and most of the workers are as well. It keeps the money here. The person who owns the building isn’t local, which is neat that all the money is kept here.”

During the council meeting Bauer also discussed the new access off of U.S. Highway 95. The \$10,000 project has been completed and they are awaiting further development to extend the road. The future road will connect into the back side of the airport eliminating vehicles driving across the taxiway from the original airport road access.

“The access road as we know it today will dead end partway into the current hangar space,” Bauer said. “The new road will follow the property line to the back of the airport. The new access will be for the majority of the new additions.”

Bauer reports the city has nearly \$300,000 available through grant money that will allow them to repair the existing runway.

The runway currently has cracks that developed in the spring from water penetrating the asphalt, Bauer said.

“Hopefully this fall we will be doing some runway and tarmac sealing,” Bauer said. “We have a 2,900-foot-long runway. We have a few dips that bother larger aircraft. It isn’t a bad dip if you drive across it in a car, but the planes can feel it.”

Bauer hopes that they can get an engineer onboard that will evaluate the runway and conduct a procurement study. This would allow them to know what repairs can be completed. He said they need to price compare and “make sure we are getting the best deal for the little money that we have to spend”.

"All we can do is take advantage of what money that we have and do the best we can," Bauer said. "I feel this is a wise expenditure. And someday down the road the airport will be the best it can be."

Currently there are four local businesses that operate from the airport. There are plans for future expansion of these businesses with added hangars.

— JLZ

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New teachers come to Homedale

Four new teachers have joined the fold at the Homedale School District, including two at the middle school, one at the high school and one who will spend time at both Homedale High School and Homedale Middle School.

Among the teachers is a new music director for the district, a fifth-grade teacher, a science teacher and a curriculum and instruction student specialist at HMS.

Here are brief introductions to each new teacher:

Rebecca Anderson

School: Middle School
Assignment: Fifth grade
Residence: Caldwell

Education and teaching background:

“This will be my first year teaching. I am a 2009 graduate of The College of Idaho and spent the 2009-2010 school year as a student teacher in the Nampa School District in kindergarten and fifth grade.

On joining the district: “I am incredibly excited to join the fantastic team at Homedale Middle School. So far, everyone has been very welcoming, and this seems like a wonderful community. I cannot wait to meet the students



Rebecca Anderson

and start the school year.”

Jessica Hanna

Schools: High school and middle school
Assignment: Music director (band, choir, music appreciation)
Residence: Wilder

Education and teaching background: Bachelors in music education and flute performance from University of Idaho (2001-05) ... Masters in music education from Boise State University (2008-10) ... Two years teaching K-12 music in Glenss Ferry (2006-08)

On joining the district: “I am excited to be working with students who are so enthusiastic about learning and working to increase their ability. The parents and staff have been helpful and willing to get involved. I feel blessed to be a part of this school and community.”



Jessica Hanna

Sarah Jamison

School: High school
Assignment: Earth Science, Geology/Entomology
Residence: Boise

Education and teaching background: “This is my first year teaching.”

On joining the district: “I am

excited to be starting out at Homedale. I look forward to getting to know the students, fellow staff and community. I’m looking forward to a great year.”



Sarah Jamison

Amy Winters

School: Middle school
Assignment: Curriculum and Instruction Student Support Specialist

Children: Ambyr (11) and Courtney (9)

Residence: Caldwell
Education and teaching background: Six years teaching 10th, 11th and 12th grade English at Caldwell High School ... Coached freshman volleyball and basketball ... Will graduate in May from Northwest Nazarene University in Nampa with a master’s degree in Educational Leadership



Amy Winters

On joining the district: “I have heard excellent things about Homedale. I am excited to be a part of such a great school district.”

City council to explore “Welcome to Homedale” sign for eastern entrance

The City of Homedale reopens its examination of a welcome sign on U.S. Highway 95 at Thursday’s city council meeting.

An Idaho Department of Transportation representative, identified earlier this month by Mayor Harold Wilson as Pam Golden, will address the city’s idea of putting a “Welcome to Homedale” sign in the grassy island at the east entrance to town.

The meeting starts at 6 p.m. at City Hall, 31 W. Wyoming Ave.

The proposed site for a welcome sign is the island separating the entrance to Homedale from Canyon County from southbound U.S. 95. Currently, signs are placed there periodically to advertise events in town such as tool sales at the Homedale Senior Center or garage sales. Most recently, signs touting the National Guard

and the Homedale FFA Harvest Auction were seen there.

A discussion about Sundance Park parking facilities also will be held.

Council members also will hear another update on the progress of the Local Improvement District work and an update on Homedale Municipal Airport.

Homedale Police Sgt. Mike McFetridge is scheduled to give his first law enforcement report in place of Chief Jeff Eidemiller, who will deploy to Iraq with the Idaho National Guard’s 116th Brigade Combat Team.

The council is scheduled to convene an executive session under Idaho Code 67-2345(1) (b), which covers discipline, evaluation and dismissal of complaints or charges against a public officer, employee, staff member or individual agent.

GV irrigation nominations open

Nominations are open for the Nov. 2 election for the Division 3 position on the Grand View Irrigation District board of directors.

The three-year term begins in January, and Arnold Hipwell currently holds the post.

Nomination petitions must be signed by at least six electors of

the district who are qualified to vote for the candidate.

Petitions must be submitted to district secretary Dixie McDaniel by 3:30 p.m. on Sept. 23. The district’s mailing address is 645 Idaho St., Grand View, ID

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Bauer: New sewer mains reduce freshwater in wastewater lagoons

Homedale’s sewer rehabilitation project is paying noticeable dividends, according to Public Works Supervisor Larry Bauer. Bauer says that freshwater discharge into the sewer system virtually has been cut in half. According to city data, replacing crumbling old pipes in town has reduced the amount of groundwater traveling to the sewer lagoons from 300,000 gallons on July 31, 2009, to 143,000 gallons on the same date this year. June flows were down, too, from 239,000 in 2009 to 162,000. “What a success story,” Bauer told the council. “It helps show what our dollars and cents have done for us.”

An overabundance of freshwater diminishes the effectiveness of the treatment plant. Voters approved a \$2.1 million bond for sewer improvements in May 2006, including new sewer mains throughout town, a new force main to the lagoons northwest of Homedale and a new lift station near the Homedale bridge.

Minnick to speak at Dems event

Today is the deadline to RSVP for Sunday’s Democratic Meet & Greet Event sponsored by the Owyhee County Democrats. The event starts at 3 p.m. at the Riverpark Event Center, 12 Sandbar Ave., in Marsing. Congressman Walt Minnick (D-Idaho) is scheduled to make a 3:30 p.m. appearance. Admission is \$12 and includes dinner and a concert by the Seattle-area country rock artists the Ian McFeron Band. RSVP by today to (208) 250-2458 or pamracyhorse@speedy-quick.net. Dinner will be served at 4 p.m. with the concert sponsored by Spot Pizza beginning at 6 p.m. Concert tickets also are available to the general public. The menu includes barbecue steak burgers, potato salad, fruit, chips and a soft drink. No-host beer and wine bar will be available.

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✓ Levy: Marsing, Bruneau-Grand View districts get federal money, too

Marsing (\$177,072), Bruneau-Grand View (\$95,064), Pleasant Valley (\$4,939) and Three Creek (\$4,094) will also receive money. “This is good news for our employees,” new Marsing superintendent Newell Cleaver said. “We have not had a chance to discuss this as a board and will be doing so in the near future.” Rosandick said the Homedale district has up to 27 months to spend the money. Prior to Thursday’s meeting, the Homedale district was on track to float a one-year, \$300,000 supplemental levy in an attempt to finance six student-teacher days and classroom and school supplies stripped out of the fiscal year 2011 budget because of a revenue shortfall. In a letter to the board, Homedale School District Educators Association president Mike Greeley urged trustees to “buy back school days and enhance compensation on the salary side for the staff that is in place at this time”. Rosandick told the board that restoring the six contract days will lessen the pay cut staff was going to see in 2010-11 from 10 to 12 percent to seven to nine percent. A holiday and four in-service days for teachers won’t be restored. “The jobs bill will enhance our objective to a greater degree and create a more positive environment to pass a supplemental levy in the spring, if needed,” Greeley wrote. The trustees agreed, and will form a committee with teaching staff to decide how to allocate the funding. The three trustees echoed Rosandick’s observation that the public sentiment made passing a levy — even one needing just 50 percent plus one to succeed — a dubious prospect. A springtime levy vote hasn’t been ruled out, Rosandick said, given the 5.5 percent fund hold-back that the Idaho Legislature has warned could be coming in the middle of the year and the continued uncertain economic times. — JPB

✓ Eidemiller: Chief plans to stay in contact with HPD while deployed

James and his wife Liz have a son, David, who recently turned 1 year old. Eidemiller’s son, Richard, is currently serving with the United States Air Force and is stationed stateside. The chief’s father retired after 26 years serving in the Navy. Eidemiller said that the deployment wouldn’t really hit him or his family until guardsmen leave Idaho for Camp Shelby, Miss., in September. The 116th will train at Camp Shelby until November. From there the soldiers will be in Kuwait until their official entry into Iraq. Eidemiller serves as an E-5 sergeant in the Idaho Guard and will be working in Iraq doing biometrics. Without going into detailed classified information, Eidemiller explained the mission as identification of Iraqis using facial recognition, iris scanning and fingerprinting. “The role and the mission will be different from the last time the 116th was over there,” Eidemiller said. “I feel extremely blessed to be a part of the 116th; some of the finest soldiers and leadership in the military. The officers and NCOs (Non-commissioned officers) have done everything they can to prepare us. I have every confidence that we will all come back.” The 116th started their annual training at the Orchard Training Area located 15 miles south of Boise on Saturday. Eidemiller served his final day as police chief in Homedale on Thursday, turning the reins over to Sgt. Mike McFetridge. McFetridge will serve as acting police chief until Eidemiller returns in the fall of 2011. “I have every confidence that Sgt. McFetridge and Cpl. (Atanacio) Montes will do a fine job,” Eidemiller said. “But I still want to be available to them, when I can. There will be situations that might pop up that I can help these guys out and lend some advice to them.” Despite being deployed overseas, he expects to stay in constant communication through e-mail and phone calls while serving in Iraq. Eidemiller wants to ensure that when he comes back in a year he is current on everything. Among the nearly 2,700 troops that are set to deploy to Iraq, Eidemiller stressed that more often than not the guardsmen get more attention than they deserve. “I’m not really concerned about going over there,” Eidemiller said. “My only concerns are for those we leave behind. The accolades always seem to go to those deploying, and never the people who are left behind to hold down the fort, keep watch and take care of everything.” Eidemiller has spent the past months, like most guardsmen, spending as much time with his family and getting things in order. “I have been trying to get the big things knocked off the honey-do list,” Eidemiller said. “After this week, she will have to call it the honey didn’t get done list.” Eidemiller said his wife Kim is used to the fact that when the military calls you pack up and leave. He believes that many people don’t realize the true extent to which a family is affected when a soldier is deployed. “The workload and the things that have to be done around home don’t change,” Eidemiller said. “Having a spouse deployed one way or another shifts the burden onto one spouse.” Overall, Eidemiller is grateful for every- one in Homedale. He said the overwhelming support from the community with the police department along with his deployment has overwhelmed him. He mentioned how proud he is to serve his community as police chief along with serving his country. “I couldn’t be prouder to be from any other community than Homedale,” Eidemiller said. “I can’t wait to get back and serve as their chief again. You never leave Homedale behind you. Homedale is in my heart. I have been here going on 20 years and can’t imagine being anywhere else. I just can’t say enough about the people of Homedale.” Despite missing his family the most, Eidemiller said there would be one thing he doesn’t think he can get in Iraq. “If I was going to miss a food,” Eidemiller said. “I will miss chorizo. You might be able to get them over there, but there is something about the way Txoko Ona cooks that makes them addictive. I’m really going to miss waking up and knowing that I’m not here in Homedale. But, we are going to go get it done and be back.” — JLZ

✓ Hyer: District 2 rep says crucial issues require experienced leadership

what’s going to happen to the county government.” Hyer will face Republican nominee Kelly Aberasturi and Democratic hopeful Jaymie Mercado in the Nov. 2 general election. The District 2 position carries a four-year term this time around. Aberasturi defeated Hyer by 47 votes, 694-647, in a three-way GOP race in the May primary. Mary Tibbitt received 297 votes. “It’s not an easy deal,” Hyer said. “It’s hard to win a write-in. I feel the people are asking, (so) why not?” Hyer, who beat Marsing’s Joe Gannuscio in the 2008 general election for a two-year term, is in his second stint as a county commissioner. He served as a Democrat two decades ago. Hyer currently serves with District 3 Commissioner Dick Freund and District 1 Commissioner Jerry Hoagland, who is the Board of County Commissioners chair. Grand View’s Joe Merrick will succeed Freund in January. “There are just too many critical issues facing us, and if we don’t have some experience in there, the county is going to get hurt, and, I’m afraid, Jerry will get snowballed,” he said. There are several issues in which the county will continue to benefit from the current board’s experience, Hyer said, including: • Relations with the Bureau of Land Management and the Shoshone-Paiute Tribes. “We worked hard to develop that, and it can be real fragile,” Hyer said. “(BLM Boise District manager) Aden Seidlitz came to visit me in the hospital. I was floored. We’ve come to develop a good relationship with (BLM).” • Proposed 500-kilovolt transmission lines for Idaho Power. Hyer is worried that without a knowledge of the steps already taken, local officials can lose traction in the fight to keep the Gateway West power line off private ground, much like has been achieved with the Boardman-to-Hemingway project. “If our local government doesn’t understand the coordination process we’ve gone through — that takes a while to learn — we can really lose out because the federal government will take advantage of anything they can. Not the local people; it goes clear back to Washington,” Hyer said. Hyer said Aberasturi has created dismay among some in Murphy. “When you’re a commissioner, you have to work for everyone, and I mean in the county government,” Hyer said. “He came out and said he would take from other departments to support the sheriff, and that’s not right. “I’ve worked hard to get the sheriff to come on board with the other government up there.” — JPB

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Obituaries

Marjorie Bailey Hugo

Marjorie Bailey Hugo, 87, passed away on Friday, August 20, 2010, at her home in Grand View, her husband Richard was at her side. A viewing was held on Tuesday, August 24, 2010, from 4:00PM to 6:00PM at Rost Funeral Home, McMurtrey Chapel in Mountain Home. A Memorial Service will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Wednesday, September 1, 2010, at the Knight Community Church in Grand View.

Marjorie was born March 16, 1923, in Grand View to Harold and Gladys Bailey. She had a younger brother Eugene who died many years after serving as an US Army Paratrooper in WWII.

Marjorie’s father was the Postmaster in Grand View for many years and the Post Office was in Marjorie’s family’s home. After his death his wife Gladys was appointed Postmaster. When Gladys retired, a new Post Office was built and the family continued to live in the old Post Office building.

Marjorie met Richard Hugo through a mutual friend, Dorsey



Rocks. Richard was living in Boise and would travel with Dorsey to visit the Dorsey family farm in Grand View. After Richard met Marjorie, he was in Grand View as often as possible.

Marjorie graduated from Grand View High School in 1941. She moved to Boise and worked as a secretary for the Idaho State Liquor Commission. This made it easier for her and Richard to see one another. Richard served in the US Army Air Corps four years during WWII. They were married soon after his discharge from the military.

Richard and Marjorie moved to San Jose, California, where

Richard attended San Jose State College and Marjorie worked as a secretary in the mathematics department at the college. After graduation they moved to Southern California where Richard worked for a large manufacturing company. They lived in California until Richard’s retirement when they moved back to Grand View and into Marjorie’s childhood home, the old Grand View Post Office. She has found comfort sleeping in the same bedroom she slept in as a child.

As a child, Marjorie attended the Knight Community Church in Grand View, and has been a member there since returning to Grand View.

Marjorie is survived by her husband Richard Hugo. She was preceded in death by her parents, and her brother Eugene.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made in Marjorie’s memory to the Knight Community Church, P.O. Box 146, Grand View, ID 83649.

Elbert Dallas “Tex” Payne

Tex Payne, 88 of Jordan Valley, passed away Monday, August 16, 2010, at the Owyhee Health & Rehab Center in Homedale, Idaho.

Tex was born October 30, 1921 in Emmett, ID, the son of Chauncey & Frances Payne. Tex grew up on a fruit & sheep ranch, below little Freeze Out in the Bramwell District on Sunnyslope in Emmett. Tex and Agnes met at the Caldwell Night Rodeo and later married on May 22, 1940 in Nampa, ID. In October of 1942 they moved to the Lowry ranch on Juniper Mountain. Tex enjoyed his life on Juniper Mt., working his mules and ranching. Tex & Agnes ranched together until 1970, then sold the ranch to his son Ted and daughter-in-law Dorothy, and retired in Nampa, ID. They loved to travel and come help their sons, Ted & Pat



ride and move cattle and help at the brandings. Tex liked to make cinches & scarf slides and raise a big garden, which was his delight to share with family & friends.

Tex is survived by his sons Pat & Danice Payne and Ted & Dorothy Payne both of Jordan Valley, OR. He is also survived by his grandchildren Terry & Jerry White, Gary Payne, Polly Payne, Rena & Rick Britton, Jack

& Rachel Payne, Paul McKay and his great grandchildren; J.T. & Anita White, Michael White, Jessica White, Chelicy Payne, Shelly Payne, Rory Payne, Ellie & Jonathon Brunko and Emily & Garrett Payne and his cousin, Betty Shaub of Gig Harbor, WA, his nieces Becky Wheeler and Kay Hug.

Tex was preceded in death by his wife Agnes, who passed away May 9, 2004, his parents Chauncey & Frances Payne, his brother Kirk and sister-in-law Jean. A viewing was held Sunday, August 22, from 4:00 until 8:00 PM at Flahiff Funeral Chapel, Caldwell. A graveside service was held on Monday, August 23 at the Cemetery in Jordan Valley, Oregon with Pastor Dale Johnson officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Owyhee Health & Rehab or a charity of your choice.

Owyhee Masons help dedicate school

A few Masons from Owyhee County helped lay a ceremonial cornerstone at Wilder’s new elementary school on Aug. 16.

Rob Troxel, William Shaw and George Decker were among 40 Masons from Homedale-based Silver City Lodge No. 13 and around the state who attended the 6 p.m. ceremony.

Grand Lodge of Idaho Grand Master David C. Triplett officiated the dedication. State legislators, state Department of Education officials were among

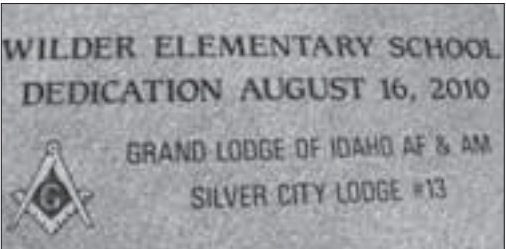


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those who attended.

Shaw said other Silver City Lodge Masons in attendance included Wayne Foster, a new master mason, and Tim Clark,

former owner of Clark’s Fabrication in Homedale.

The Silver City Lodge draws members from Owyhee County as well as Parma and Wilder. Lodges in those two Canyon County communities merged with the Homedale lodge years ago, Shaw said.

— Information for this article was provided by Western Canyon Chronicle reporter Karen R. Wagoner.

Senior menus

Homedale

Includes beverage

- Aug. 25: Chicken patty/bun, oven fries, beets
- Aug. 26: Roast pork, mashed potatoes/gravy, California blend vegetables, roll
- Aug. 31: Baked ham, sweet potatoes, green beans, roll

Marsing

- Aug. 25: Chicken and fried rice w/vegetables, macaroni salad, pickled beets, custard, orange juice
- Aug. 26: Pork roast, potatoes, oriental vegetables, tossed salad, biscuit, fruit, jello
- Aug. 30: Breakfast to order: Eggs, bacon, ham or sausage, sourdough pancakes, juice, fruit
- Aug. 31: Breaded pork chops, cheesy potatoes, squash, carrot/cabbage salad, peaches, cookie

Rimrock

- Aug. 26: Hot chicken salad (nuts in salad), squash, tomato juice, blueberry muffins, ice cream
- Aug. 31: Italian pasta, ground beef, onion, green pepper, tomato, zucchini, cottage cheese, coleslaw w/carrots, roll, orange juice, tapioca pudding

School menus

Homedale Elementary

- Aug. 25: Chicken patty or rib-b-que, potato wedges, fruit & veggie bar, cake, milk.
- Aug. 26: Enchilada or corn dog, scalloped potatoes, fruit & veggie bar, brownie, milk.
- Aug. 27: Cheese pizza or PB&J, salad, fruit & veggie bar, cookie, milk.
- Aug. 30: Chicken nuggets or egg roll, rice pilaf, veggies, fruit & veggie bar, fortune cookie, milk.
- Aug. 31: Nachos or baked potato, fruit & veggie bar, cinnamon breadstick, milk.

Homedale Middle

- Aug. 25: Crispito or toasted cheese sandwich, taco salad, fruit & veggie bar, milk.
- Aug. 26: Nachos or baked potato, fruit & veggie bar, rice krispie treat, milk.
- Aug. 27: Chicken tenders or chicken fried beef steak, mashed potatoes/gravy, roll, fruit & veggie bar, milk.
- Aug. 30: Hamburger or hot dog, tots, fruit & veggie bar, cookie, milk.
- Aug. 31: Chicken nuggets or egg roll, rice, broccoli, fruit & veggie bar, fortune cookie, milk.

Homedale High

- Aug. 25: Spaghetti, burrito or pizza hot pocket, string cheese, French bread, fruit & salad bar, milk.
- Aug. 26: Chicken patty or hamburger, potato wedges, fruit & salad bar, churro, milk.
- Aug. 27: Beef taco or toasted cheese sandwich, soup, corn, fruit & salad bar, milk.
- Aug. 30: Cheese pizza or mini corn dogs, chef salad, fruit bar, brownie, milk.
- Aug. 31: Chicken tenders or wiener wrap, scalloped potatoes, fruit & salad bar, fruit rollup, milk.

Marsing

- Aug. 25: Taco, rice, dessert, Red Baron pizza, salad & fruit bar, milk.
- Aug. 26: Turkey gravy, mashed potatoes, corn, roll, cook’s choice, fruit bar, milk.
- Aug. 27: Hot dog, potato salad, veggie, sub sandwich, salad & fruit bar, milk.
- Aug. 30: Tator tot casserole, cinnamon twist, sandwiches, salad & fruit bar, milk.
- Aug. 31: Chili, carrot sticks, dessert, chicken nuggets, salad & fruit bar, milk.

Bruneau

- Aug. 25: Spaghetti, tossed salad, garlic bread, peaches, milk.
- Aug. 26: Tacos, corn, fruit cup, cinnamon bread sticks, milk.
- Aug. 27: Pizza, tossed salad, corn, fruit, milk.
- Aug. 30: No school.
- Aug. 31: Chicken pattie, mashed potatoes/gravy, veggie, fruit cobbler, milk.

Calendar

Today

No events scheduled

Thursday

- Vision Church food distribution**
2 p.m. to 4 p.m., donations welcome, Vision Church, 221 W. Main St., Marsing. (208) 896-5407
- Homedale City Council meeting**
6 p.m., Homedale City Hall, 31 W. Wyoming Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4641
- 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
- Senior center lunch**
Noon, Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 834-2808
- Homedale AA meeting**
8 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 571-4048

Friday

- Story time at library**
10:15 a.m., Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228 between 1 p.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday

Saturday

- HTAA Hawaiian Luau fundraising dinner**
6:30 p.m., sixth-graders and younger, \$8 in advance, \$12 day of event; seventh-graders and older, \$10 in advance, \$15 day of event, City Park, Homedale. (208) 337-3191
- Senior center dance**
6 p.m. to 9 p.m., \$4 plus finger food, Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

Sunday

- Marsing Gun Club shoot**
For more information, call Tim Dines at 573-3321 or Marty Floyd at 573-3533.
- Democratic meet and greet**
3 p.m., \$12 for dinner and concert, RSVP by Aug. 25, Riverpark Event Center, 12 Sandbar Ave. (208) 250-2458 or pamracyhorse@speedquick.net

Monday

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

Tuesday

- Rimrock quilting group**
1 p.m., Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 834-2665
- Senior citizens dinner**
6 p.m., Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 834-2808
- Homedale AA meeting**
8 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 571-4048

Wednesday, Sept. 1

- Homedale Senior Center board meeting**
1:30 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020
- NOCWMA meeting**
7 p.m., North Owyhee County Cooperative Weed Management Area, U.S. Department of Agriculture Service Center, 250 N. Old Bruneau Highway, Marsing. (208) 896-4544, ext. 102

Thursday, Sept. 2

- Vision Church food distribution**
2 p.m. to 4 p.m., donations welcome, Vision Church, 221 W. Main St., Marsing. (208) 896-5407
- Homedale Rod and Gun Club meeting**
7 p.m., Owyhee Lanes Restaurant, 18 N. 1st St. E., Homedale. (208) 463-4383

- 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
- Senior center lunch**
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- Homedale AA meeting**
8 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 571-4048
- Owyhee County Fair Board meeting**
8 p.m., county fairgrounds, Homedale. (208) 337-4575

Friday, Sept. 3

- Story time at library**
10:15 a.m., Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228 between 1 p.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday

Monday, Sept. 6

- Homedale Public Library board meeting**
10 a.m., Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale
- Narcotics Anonymous open meeting**
8 p.m., Homedale Friends Community Church, 17454 Hwy. 95 S., Homedale. (208) 442-2220

Tuesday, Sept. 7

- Board of County Commissioners meeting**
9 a.m., Courtroom 2, Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy. 78, Murphy
- Homedale Chamber of Commerce luncheon**
Noon, Owyhee Lanes and Restaurant, 18 N. 1st St. W., Homedale. (208) 337-3271
- Rimrock quilting group**
1 p.m., Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 834-2665
- Senior citizens dinner**
6 p.m., Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 834-2808

- Homedale AA meeting**
8 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 571-4048
- Grand View PTA meeting**
7 p.m., Grand View Elementary School, 205 First St., Grand View
- Ridgeview Irrigation District board meeting**
7 p.m., South Board of Control office board room, 115 S. 1st St. W., Homedale. (208) 337-3760
- Gem Irrigation District board meeting**
7:15 p.m., South Board of Control office board room, 115 S. 1st St. W., Homedale. (208) 337-3760
- South Board of Control board meeting**
7:30 p.m., South Board of Control office board room, 115 S. 1st St. W., Homedale. (208) 337-3760

Wednesday, Sept. 8

- 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
- Homedale Senior Center board meeting**
1:30 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020
- Owyhee Watershed Council meeting**
7 p.m., University of Idaho Owyhee County Extension Office, 238 8th Ave. W., Marsing. (541) 372-5782

You can find a comprehensive listing of local events online at www.theowyheeavalanche.com. Click on the “Calendar of Events” link on the left-hand side of the page.
Noon Friday is the deadline to submit calendar items. Call (208) 337-4681 for more information.



Bet You Didn’t Know Would you vote for a DRAB politician?

If someone running for political office is called “Drab” ... what’s that refer to? Stands for “doesn’t rock any boats”.

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I didn’t know this ... the Packard automobile was the first car to have air-conditioning in 1939.

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Plymouth Rock weighs 4½ tons. ... How do they know this stuff? Did someone pick it up?

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

Joyce-Maher family reunion to be held in Jordan Valley

A joint family reunion of the early Owyhee County pioneer families of Matthew Joyce and William Henry Maher is being planned for September 1-5, 2010 and will be held at the city park in Jordan Valley, Oregon.

The respective families have planned the first three days for field trips to the various homesteads, ranches and sites of interest, as well as the Labor Day weekend for entertainment, displays and visiting in the park. The celebration will close on Sunday afternoon, September 5 with a potluck barbeque at Wagontown.

The public is welcome to join the families for any of the tours to Swisher, Baxter, Nettleton and Maher sites, including a trip to the Star Ranch on Juniper Mountain, the Josephine Ranch, the Joyce Ranch near Murphy, the Maher Lone Tree Ranch at Cliffs, a tour of the mining towns surrounding Silver City, and the various Baxter sites around Jordan Valley.

A catered tri-tip dinner will be held at the park on Saturday, September 4 from 5-7 pm and reservations are required. For more detailed information on the field trips, or to make reservations for the dinner, call Anita Maher Gluch at 208 583-2287 or Ann Black Rutan at 208 583-2482.

“Farmer Brown” story told Friday at Homedale library

Story Time at Homedale Public Library will feature “Farmer Brown goes Round and Round” at 10:15 a.m. on Friday, Aug. 27.

The tale tells the story of confusion on the farm as a twister approaches. Cows oink. Pigs moo.

In addition to the story, there will be refreshments and crafts. The library is located a 125 W. Owyhee Ave. For more information, call 337-4228 afternoons from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

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If we haven't been able to make it to your door and you are wanting to sign the petition or get information about the recall please feel free to call 401-4964 or 337-3751.
We will still be going door to door and we will also have someone in the following locations to collect signatures.

August 26 Weigh Station at Highway 45/78 junction	6:30 pm to 9:00 pm
August 28 Bruneau City Park	10:00 am to noon
August 28 Grand View City Park	1:00 pm to 3:00 pm

Pd. by Jessica DeGeus, Committee Member for Recall Crandall

Mtn. View Nazarene family fair set for Sept. 12

The Mountain View Church of the Nazarene Family Fair and Roundup will return to the Owyhee County Fairgrounds in Homedale on Sept. 12.

The event includes a team roping, music, a horse clinic by Adrian's Matt Zimmerman and

food booths raising money for the Homedale-area church's various ministries. There also will be children's activities.

Admission is free.

Love Inc.'s Bundles of Love and Nampa-based Lifeline Pregnancy Crisis Center will benefit from

a Build a Bassinet baby item collection drive, too. People are encouraged to bring baby items to the event.

Gates open at 9 a.m. with Cowboy Church at 10:30 a.m.

The team roping runs from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. The entry fee is \$15

per team. Contact Shawn Widick at shawna.widick@yahoo.com to register.

Door prizes will be announced as the event concludes, around 5 p.m. at the Tumbleweed Theatre.

For more information, call the church at 337-3151.

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Homedale Police Sgt. Mike McFetridge applies first aid to accidental shooting victim Andrew J. Stewart as Stewart's girlfriend reacts.

Accidental shooting sends Homedale man to Caldwell hospital

Homedale police and ambulance were dispatched to 109 E. Montana Ave. on an accidental shooting Wednesday afternoon. Sgt. Mike McFetridge was first on scene and helped stabilize Andrew J. Stewart.

Stewart, 23, was cleaning his Ruger 9mm pistol at his home when the gun discharged. A bullet entered the palm of his left hand and exited the backside of his hand.

"He was cleaning his gun," McFetridge said. "He pulled the slide back to lock it. When he let go of the slide it didn't lock,

causing the gun to discharge in the home."

Stewart was treated and released from West Valley Medical Center in Caldwell after being transported by Homedale Ambulance. According to McFetridge no citations were issued for the accident.

"I would say this is a gun safety issue in general," McFetridge said. "When dealing with any gun, you always want to make sure the gun is cleared and made safe before handling or cleaning."

— JLZ

Federal, county crews fight weekend blazes

Two lightning-caused wildfires continued to burn in Owyhee County on Monday morning while others were contained over the weekend.

The largest of the fires, the Long Butte Fire, had scorched 215,000 acres — including portions of Owyhee County — and destroyed 10 structures since igniting Saturday afternoon.

According to a report from the Bureau of Land Management's Twin Falls District, the fire in the Jarbidge Field Office was located about 30 miles south of Glenns Ferry. A Monday report found on the National Interagency Fire Center Web site said containment was expected Tuesday as 246 firefighters battled the blaze with 47 engines and nine airborne apparatus.

The 2,000-acre Big Draw 2 fire had been absorbed by the Long Butte Fire, BLM spokesperson Barbara Bassler said. It was burning two miles south of the Saylor Creek Bombing Range.

Five fires burned over the weekend in the BLM's Boise District.

The Bruneau Fire Department responded early Sunday to the

Lover fire, which broke out three miles north of Bruneau. Crews had the blaze controlled Sunday afternoon.

Other fires in the Boise District portion of Owyhee County were staffed by BLM crews, including:

- The 3,000-acre Black Sheep fire burning 40 miles south of Mountain Home and nine miles east of Idaho highway 51, was under control by early Sunday afternoon. Four engines and one 20-person hand crew fought the fire.
- The 588-acre Turn fire located 48 miles south, southwest of Mountain Home and 14 miles west of Idaho 51 burned 588 acres by Monday morning, but was considered 100 percent contained. Four engines and a helitack crew were used to douse the flames.
- The 25-acre Table fire burned on Idaho 51 36 miles south of Mountain Home and was controlled Saturday night.
- The half-acre Salvador fire 35 miles south of Mountain Home was contained at 12:45 a.m. Sunday and controlled a little more than six hours later.

Calif. motorcyclist injured near ION

One individual was transported to West Valley Medical Center after his motorcycle fell over near the junction of Idaho highway 55 and U.S. Highway 95 west of Marsing.

Ray Carman, 66, of Clear Lake, Calif. was traveling west on U.S. 95 Wednesday afternoon. An article of clothing strapped to the motorcycle became entangled in his drive belt, causing it to break.

Carman and his traveling companion, Dick Gorman, 63, of Clear Lake Oaks, Calif., moved the disabled motorcycle to the side of the highway. Quagga mussel inspector Rocky Conner assisted the motorcyclists in removing the bike from the roadway.

"His jacket or shirt came loose," Gorman said. "It got wrapped up in the drive belt and caused it to snap and disable the bike."

Carman, with the assistance of another motorist, attempted to tow the disabled bike back to the ION Truck Plaza in order to make repairs, Gorman said. While towing the motorcycle, it tipped over, Carman hit his head on the pavement causing a laceration above his right eye.

"Based on my experience, he will need some stitches," Gorman said. "We were traveling to Weiser to see a friend. Ray was headed further north to see his brother. This put a damper on the trip, and now I have to call his wife."

Carman was traveling to visit his brother in Orofino when the accident occurred.

Marsing Ambulance transported Carman to WVMC in Caldwell, where he was treated and released. Gorman said Carman sustained a broken finger, slight concussion and received stitches above his right eye.

The Owyhee County Sheriff's Office didn't issue a citation.

— JLZ



Marsing Ambulance responders stabilize 66-year-old Ray Carman before transporting him.

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4-H/FFA livestock awards

Beef

Grand champion market beef — Sammie Bass;
Reserve champion market beef — Kate Blackstock
Champion showperson — Blackstock
Reserve champion showperson — Bass
Junior showperson — Kort Skinner
ICA sportsmanship, 4-H — Bryce Kershner
ICA sportsmanship, FFA — Anna Cantrell
Owyhee Cattlemen’s Association sponsored steer — Blackstock
Self-sponsored steer — Bass
Cow/calf — Lacey Usabel
Champion breeding heifer — Riley Haun
Pen of three steers — Wilson Butte 4-H
Western State Angus Auxiliary Outstanding black angus market project — Bass
Outstanding black angus breeding project — Usabel
Top charlois project — Evon Timmons
Top shorthorn project — Josie Grim

Sheep

Grand champion market lamb — Aubrey Nash
Reserve champion market lamb — Makayla Aberasturi
Grand champion sheep showperson — Morgan Nash
Reserve champion sheep showperson — Lance Eaton
Junior sheep showperson — Julianne Mori
Champion breeding ewe — Aubrey Nash

Swine

Grand champion market swine — Jace Turner
Reserve grand champion market swine — Tell Hyer
Champion swine showperson — Riley Maggard Qualls
Reserve champion swine showperson — Turner
Junior swine showperson — Emerson Sauer

Dairy

Grand champion dairy — Megan

— See *Livestock*, page 11



Becky Carter, reserve champion dairy. Photo by Esther Rounds

Nearly 200 animals sold at livestock auction

Rain on Wednesday of the Owyhee County Fair didn’t have a lingering effect on the fun at the annual event, according to organizers.

“It went really well,” fair board chair Kelly Aberasturi said of the Aug. 9-14 event in Homedale.

Aberasturi reported last week that the fair attracted 1,500 entries in open class and animals. Additionally, nearly 200 animals sold at the Aug. 14 livestock sale.

“The auction did OK. For the way the economy is, we did pretty good,” Aberasturi said. “There were lots of good buyers. The buyers did a good job to keep things up.”

Debbie Titus from the University of Idaho Owyhee County Extension Office reported that 199 animals were sold, bringing in \$141,975.

Fair manager Kelly Haun, who completed her fourth year running the event, had few complaints.

“Each and every fair is its own individual entity, but I thought it was good,” she said.

“My Canyon County friends always comment how much they like our fair than the more commercialized fair like Caldwell.”

There were few flies in the ointment during fair week, Aberasturi said.

“Wednesday was a bit slow because people don’t come out when the weather’s bad,” he said. “The numbers were down for the fair and rodeo on Wednesday, but overall for the week, the fair went really well.”

Haun said the rodeo arena was still wet the morning after the downpour, so the tractor driving

More than 100 swine projects go to high bidders

More than half of the money bid at the Owyhee County Junior Livestock Sale already has been collected.

Nearly 200 animals were sold at the Aug. 14 event at the county fairgrounds in Homedale, bringing in \$141,975, Debbie Titus at the University of Idaho Owyhee County Extension Office reported.

The extension office already has received \$80,000, she said. The total sale figure is down about \$47,000 from the 2009 sale, but the number of animals is 17 more than a year ago and is one of the highest volume totals on record.

“Once again supporters throughout our communities came through in a big way for our youth,” Titus said. “Thank you lists will be mailed to all youth next week, and we are sure buyers will be hearing from them very soon.”

Of the 199 animals sold, 33 beef brought \$62,000.

“Quality steers and hard work on the part of our youth are showing results as carcass data indicates two steers graded prime, and others did very well also,” Titus said.

Swine garnered \$50,875 for 103 animals. Sixty-one sheep sold for \$28,625, and two meat goats were auctioned for \$475.

contest was moved into the rodeo parking area.

The biggest headache was a mysterious sewer line clog that forced the closure of the only large-scale rest room facility in operation this year. Before the fair, officials had decided to close the rest rooms in the center of the fairgrounds and rely on Port-a-Potties and the rest room/shower complex at the rear of the facility.

But when exhibitors began washing their animals on Aug. 10, a plugged sewer line was discovered.

“The main sewer was blocked, so I brought in more Port-a-Potties,” Aberasturi said.

The rest room facilities near the horse stalls were closed, although the showers were still available, he said. Three more portable toilets were brought in, and the

Armory rest rooms remained open, Aberasturi said.

The culprit turned out to be a grease blockage near the Armory, Aberasturi said.

“The sewer was a bit of a hindrance, but Kelly did his best on short notice to get it fixed,” Haun said. “Maybe it will bring around more awareness about how badly the rest rooms are needing replacing.”

Aberasturi admitted the rest room closure was an ironic twist to a fair in which organizers were trying to drum up support for the construction of new facilities.

“Contrary to what people think, we did not have the sewer problem to drive the bathroom issue,” Aberasturi joked, adding that there seems to be a lot of support for new rest rooms.

— JPB

Owyhee County Fair horse show awards

Showmanship

Grand champion — Carlie Purdom
Reserve champion — Kate Blackstock
Junior champion — Cheylah Volkers
Junior reserve champion — Lyndsey Salutregui
Senior — Lacey Usabel
Intermediate — Carlie Purdom
Junior I — Lyndsey Salutregui
Junior II — Morgan Monson

Reining

Senior — Shelbi Ferdinand
Intermediate — Sami Bachman
Junior I — Cheylah Volkers
Junior II — Bryana Hampton

Demonstrations

Senior — Kate Blackstock
Intermediate — Jesse Watson
Junior I — Sam Monson
Junior II — Morgan Monson

Bareback equitation

Senior — Josie Grim
Intermediate — Carlie

Purdom

Junior I — Jaiden Vincent
Junior II — Bryana Hampton

Western equitation

Senior — Josie Grim
Intermediate — Sami Bachman
Junior I — Jaiden Vincent
Junior II — Bryana Hampton

Trail

Senior — Caleb Cunningham
Intermediate — Tom Nelson
Junior I — Jaiden Vincent
Junior II — Andrea Greeley

Record books

Senior — Kate Blackstock
Intermediate — Kyla Jewett
Junior I — Lyndsey Salutregui
Junior II — Sage Raine

Judging

Senior — Jordan Boman
Intermediate — Quincy Hall
Junior I — Jacqueline Bodily
Junior II — Bryana Hampton

Cow boxing

Evon Timmons

Hard luck

Janey Clay, Cheyenne Hopson and TJ Hopson

All around

Senior — Kate Blackstock
Intermediate — Carlie Purdom
Junior — Bryana Hampton
Novice — Jaiden Vincent

Reserve All around

Senior — Shelbi Ferdinand
Intermediate — Carey Dines
Junior — Morgan Monson
Novice — Lyndsey Salutregui

Awards

Jamie Thurman Memorial
Girls sportsmanship — Marissa Ensley
Boys sportsmanship — Warren Dalley

Most Inspirational Girl

Brittany Rahier

Working Cow Horse Jim Roeser Memorial

Sami Bachman



Most Inspirational Senior Brittany Rahier. Photo by Ann Rutan

Owyhee County Fair recap

Coordinator wants more countywide participation in 2011 parade

This year’s large turnout has heavy Homedale flavor

The Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo Parade continues to grow, but coordinator Donna Marose has a larger vision for the annual event.

“I would love to see the Owyhee County parade become a representation of the county. It would be great to see what Oreana, Bruneau, Grand View, Marsing, etc., has,” she said.

“In a lot of ways it seems this is the ‘Homedale’ parade, and there is so much more in Owyhee County. It would be a positive addition to see those other communities participate.”

Even with participation centered around Homedale businesses and emergency services crews,

Marose said this year’s parade was impressive because of the volume of entries and the new faces that took the loop through downtown Homedale on Aug. 14, the final day of the fair and rodeo.

“We had a great turnout and many new entries this year,” she said. “Every person that had an entry put a lot of effort into making their entry something to be proud of, and it really showed.”

There were tons of Detroit iron on display this year with 14 automobile entries, which, Marose said, is probably double the number of entries from her first two years in charge.

Mountain View Church of the Nazarene won the parade’s sweepstakes award with a float featuring fifth- and sixth-graders singing along the parade route.

Homedale Fire and Ambulance, the Homedale Police Department, the Owyhee County Sheriff’s

Office and the Wilder Fire Department all entered vehicles in the parade.

Marose said she did not contact the Marsing Fire Department directly to inquire about participation.

There was no response after phone calls to the Marsing School District to get participation from school groups, she said.

The next parade will be held Aug. 13, 2011.

— JPB



Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo Parade Results

Judging results from the 2010 Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo Parade, which was held Aug. 14 in downtown Homedale. Judges included Ginger Loucks and Lachelle Wood for the horse categories and Linda Watkins, Pamm Norris, Alice Pegram and Brandie Hellman for all other categories:

Sweepstakes winner — Mountain View Church of the Nazarene

Tractors — 1. Denny Lentfer; 2. Dee Fillmore; 3. Bud Fillmore

Floats-Commercial — 1. Last Chance Saloon; 2. Paul’s Market; 3. Donna’s Daycare

Floats-Community — 1. Mountain View Church of the Nazarene; 2. Local Youth of Homedale; 3. Owyhee Health and Rehab

Buggies and Wagons — 1. Daniel Snyder

Bikes — 1. David Ineck

Cars — 1. George Dilley, Parma, Model T; 2. Lonnie Godlevsky, Homedale, Model T; 3. Jan and Joe Aman, Homedale, 1935 Ford pickup

Miscellaneous — 1. John Skaggs; 2. Ross Shaver; 3. (tie) Lee Wideau and Joy Esquiere

Horses-singles youth — 1. Trinity Nesser; 2. Karijo Woods; 3. (tie) Rebecca Schroder, Allie Edge and Drue Johnson

Horses-singles adult — 1. Stacy Woods

Horses-pairs — 1. Llee Loucks and Jessie Woods; 2. Challis Prohaska and Brook Balz; 3. Annie and Audrie Miller

Riding clubs — 1. Nesser Family and Friends; 2. Hawaiian Cowgirls; 3. (tie) King Kattle Co. and Los Pioneros

Royalty — 1. Vale Fourth of July Rodeo Queen; 2. Ten Mile Riding Club Queen

Clockwise from top:
George Dilley won the car division with his 1919 Model T.
Members of the Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church ride in the golf carts through Homedale during the parade.
Mountain View Church of the Nazarene was the sweepstakes winner for the parade. Submitted photo.



✓ Livestock: 2010 Owyhee County Fair show and quality award winners

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Harper

Reserve champion dairy — Becky Carter

Grand champion dairy showperson — Megan Harper

Reserve champion dairy showperson — Kenny Harper

Goat

Grand champion dairy goat — Derek Ayotte

Reserve grand champion dairy goat — Krista Mayer

Grand champion market goat — Travis Erwin

Reserve champion market goat — Kaitlin Erwin

Grand champion goat showperson — Travis Erwin

Reserve grand champion goat showperson — Kaitlin Erwin

Junior grand champion goat showperson — Ayotte

Large animal round robin

John Malmberg Memorial Champion — Kate Blackstock

Runner-up — Carlie Purdom

Participants — Morgan Nash, Riley Maggard Qualls, Megan Harper and Travis Erwin

Novice champion — Julianne Mori



Krista Mayer, reserve grand champion dairy goat. Photo by Esther Rounds

Novice runner-up — Emerson Sauer

Novice participants — Kort Skinner, Lyndsey Salutregui and Derek Ayotte

Small animal round robin

Senior champion — Warren Dalley

Senior reserve champion — Samantha Woods

Junior champion — Megan Smith

Junior reserve champion — Riley Haun

Participants — Kaylee DeWitt, Cheylah Volkers, Charlotte McGee, Carter Clay, TJ Davis and Kari Woods

Pygmy goat

Grand champion pygmy goat — Megan Smith

Reserve grand champion pygmy goat — Bradley Hanus

Grand champion pygmy goat showperson — Cheylah Volkers

Reserve champion pygmy goat showperson — Joseph Ineck

Rabbit

Senior champion rabbit showperson — Kelly Burch

Senior reserve champion rabbit showperson — Bonnie Standlee

Junior champion rabbit showperson — Riley Haun

Junior reserve champion rabbit showperson — Kaylee DeWitt

Best of show — Haun

Reserve champion rabbit — DeWitt

Cavy

Champion cavy — Charlotte McGee

Champion showperson — McGee

Poultry

Cloverbud showpersons — MaKenna DeWitt, Ruben Jolley and Logan Field

Cat

Champion showperson — Kari Jo Woods

Reserve champion showperson — TJ Davis

Dog

Senior champion showperson — Samantha Woods

Senior reserve champion showperson — Warren Dalley

Junior champion showperson — Sydnee Murphy

Junior reserve champion showperson — Cheyanne Davis

Obedience grand champion — Woods

Obedience reserve grand champion — Murphy

Record books

Large animals

Beef

Senior — Bryce Kershner

Intermediate — Johanna Mori

Junior I — Katelyn Wilson

Junior II — Julianne Mori

Swine

Intermediate — Tori Nash

Junior I — Cheylah Volkers

Junior II — Ryan Criffield

Goat

Junior II — Krista Mayer

Dairy

Senior — Kenny Harper

Junior II — Megan Smith

Sheep

Senior — Shelby Criffield

Intermediate — Garrett Briggs

Junior I — Julianne Mori

Junior II — Katelyn Wilson

Small animals

Pygmy goat

Intermediate — Brittney Roberts

Junior II — Megan Smith

Cat

Junior — Aislinn Dowell

Rabbit

Junior — Kaylee DeWitt



Marsing School District mechanic Rod Canopy, shown working on a bus, accepted a state award for the transportation department during the Aug. 17 school board meeting.

MSD transportation receives state award

The State Department of Education awarded the Marsing School District with the Idaho Student Transportation Best Spot Inspection of 2010 award.

The award was formally presented to Rod Canopy, who represented the transportation department at the Aug. 17 school board meeting. Canopy has worked as a bus mechanic for the district since 1998.

Criteria for the award are based upon random inspections done by the Department of Student Transportation. All districts in the state are graded based upon an overall evaluation of safety and bus fleet maintenance.

Ross McWilliams has worked for the Marsing School District for nearly 21 years. He serves as the transportation maintenance supervisor for the district. He said this is a great honor for all those in the transportation department.

“This was a team effort on everyone’s part,” he said. “It says a lot about our little department that we were able to get this

award.”

According to McWilliams, the inspection teams show up randomly and take about two days checking out everything in the department. Inspectors review training and personnel records, pre-trip inspections that are done before children get on the bus and maintenance records.

“Safety is our No. 1 rule here,” McWilliams said. “We received 100 percent across the board, I believe that is pretty unheard of.”

The busses in the Marsing district transport nearly 425 students and cover almost 700 miles per day. Canopy said the philosophy of the department is that “our busses should be able to go anywhere, anytime”.

“We strive to get the kids to school safely,” Canopy said. “I take pride in what I’m doing and love it. We have the most precious cargo there is. I have to know that any kid who gets on the bus will be safe.”

— JLZ

MRW Fire to get new equipment

The Murphy-Reynolds-Wilson Fire Department is updating its equipment inventory.

Last week, Idaho Power presented the rural district with a vehicle.

Monday, Chief Wes Anderson announced that the Idaho Department of Lands has awarded a \$5,000 grant that the district will use in fiscal year 2011 to buy wildland firefighting equipment.

The equipment includes drip

torches for back-burning, hoses, nozzles and lights for nighttime work.

Anderson also said five crewmembers and three rigs responded to a half-acre fire burning in light brush Friday. The fire burned near Sinker Creek on the east side of the canyon along Idaho highway 78.

He said the cause of the fire is unknown.

— JPB



Fire officials show their appreciation

Retired Marsing Rural Fire District secretary/treasurer Judy Malmberg holds the plaque and flowers presented to her on Aug. 11 by, bottom row from left, fire marshal Roman Usabel, new secretary/treasurer Bob Carter, commissioner Jerry Floyd, and, top row from left, fire chief Brion Showalter, commissioner Jim Brower and assistant chief Jeff Percifield. Submitted photo

Marsing Fire honors Judy Malmberg

Judy Malmberg has been honored for her decades of service to the Marsing Rural Fire District.

In recognition of her 35 years as the district’s secretary/treasurer, Malmberg received a plaque during the board of fire

commissioners meeting on Aug. 11.

Malmberg, who retired in March, also received a bouquet of flowers and a gift certificate to a favorite restaurant.

The presentation was made by fire chief Brion Showalter,

assistant fire chief Jeff Percifield, commissioners Jerry Floyd and Jim Bower, fire marshal Roman Usabel and Bob Carter, who succeeded Malmberg as secretary/treasurer in April.

Judy and her husband Bob reside in Marsing.

Officials lean on county about weed stimulus funds

State, BLM express concern over lack of spending

Owyhee County discovered the rigors of accepting federal stimulus money last week.

Representatives from the Bureau of Land Management and the Idaho State Department of Agriculture urged the Board of County Commissioners to develop a better record-keeping system as it relates to \$75,000 given to the county to fight weeds on federal land.

Officials warned that if the county didn’t spend the money faster or remained lax in the monthly and quarterly reports, the funds could be redistributed. The county must spend at least \$30,000 more this fall, ISDA financial specialist Poppy Welch said.

“I think there concern is we still have a big pot of money and still don’t have that spent, and they want to see a bunch of that spent before the end of the year,” BOCC chair Jerry Hoagland said.

The District 1 commissioner from Wilson said windy conditions limited the spraying opportunities in the spring, but other species of invasive weeds can be treated in the fall.

ISDA noxious weed management program specialist Cindy Lysne suggested the county hire

a part-time person to assist weed supervisor Robin Howard with the administration of the extra paperwork required for stimulus funds usage reporting. To illustrate job creation, the county must submit a monthly summary of manhours.

State officials said that Howard generally has been behind on monthly reports, but is good about meeting quarterly reporting deadlines.

Hoagland told The Owyhee Avalanche that a part-timer already has been added to the fiscal year 2011 budget, one year after officials changed the weed supervisor job to a part-time position and hired a contractor to carry out weed spraying in an effort to save money.

The county won’t renew its contract with Branch Enterprises, Hoagland said, and the work will be carried out by the county employees as it had been prior to 2010. He said that even with Branch on the job it seemed Howard had to spend a lot of time on work sites, too.

Even with creating a new position, the Weed Department budget is nearly \$9,000 lower than FY 2009 and nearly \$80,000 less than FY 2008.

OCSO assessed late fee

For the second time in recent weeks, commissioners took up the issue of late charges for debts owed by the sheriff’s office.

District 3 Commissioner Dick Freund objected to a \$69.22 late charge on a repair bill submitted by Mountain Home Auto Ranch. He said he was bothered that the sheriff’s office submitted the bill to the clerk for payment late.

“They receipts were for several different dates that work was performed starting in early May through early June,” Hoagland said.

Earlier in the summer, commissioners complained about late charges to a sheriff’s office credit card because the payment request wasn’t submitted on time.

“They never turned in any receipts, so we missed the time to pay those,” Hoagland said of the credit card bills.

Late charges are infrequent, Hoagland said, but never reflect well on the county.

“As a commissioner, I hate to see that delay in getting those vendors paid because that’s just not good business.”

The District 1 commissioner said the only other instance of late payment he can recall was last year when bills related to the county fair weren’t paid on time, creating a cash shortfall in that budget.

— JPB



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Huskies gain game experience in scrimmage with Trojans

Trojans on track
for home opener
on Friday against
Melba

The Huskies and Trojans opened up their 2010 high school football season facing off in a scrimmage at Deward Bell Stadium in Homedale on Friday night.

The jamboree format allowed the two teams to start their offense on the 40-yard line with 12 minutes to run plays. At the conclusion of the 12-minute run, they had a three-minute goal-line session. The teams each had opportunities to run offense and defense twice during the jamboree-style event.

Marsing Huskies

“We found out a lot of things that we need to work on, and found out a few things that will work for us,” Huskies coach Jamie Wood said. “It was good for us to get out and hit somebody that we haven’t been hitting the whole time in practice. They scored on us often and fast out of the gate. Our team hasn’t seen anything like that yet.”

Up to this point, the Huskies haven’t hit anyone except their junior varsity team.

“When you are going against the JV you have a lot of time to get things done,” Wood said. “This showed the guys how fast games and other teams will move. Overall this shows them what to expect.”

Throughout the jamboree Wood rotated the quarterback slot between junior Austin Glenn and



Trojan running back Calvin Black takes on Huskies defenders Jesus Lino and Dakota Hill during a scrimmage held on Friday night.

sophomore Chanze Raffaell.

“Austin Glen would go in and just run the ball. He is a versatile runner and a strong runner,” Wood said. “We will probably switch in and out like that. Just get the ball in his hands and let him run. The other guy (Raffaell) is a young sophomore. It is one of those deals where he just needs to mature under the spot. I have no worries, he will be fine.”

Wood said, “they are pretty good, there is no doubt about it”, about the Trojans coached by Matt Holtry, who is in his second year. The Trojans were able to score on almost every first-down possession during the scrimmage.

“They are in the second year of getting their program together and things really are clicking for them,” Wood said. “When next year comes around, we will be able to make this a bit more competitive.”



Marsing coach Jamie Wood talks with Homedale coach Matt Holtry

Looking forward to the Huskies’ season opener against two-time 2A state champs the Parma Panthers’ on Friday, Wood is expecting to build upon the confidence and overall game readiness of those on the team.

“We are going over there to

play. The kids will be fine,” Wood said. “It should be a game. The one thing about our kids, they are in shape. Parma, right out of the gate, they aren’t in our league. It is preseason and it is a 3A school. It really means nothing.”

Overall Wood is keeping his team focused on the end goal, which he said is “the postseason”.

“You just go out and play the best you can and look toward the goal at the end. If we beat Parma that is great, but our goal is at the end. Of course you want to win every game, but this will be a good chance to get more experience.”

Homedale Trojans

“It was a good scrimmage,” Holtry said. “We are excited about the possibilities. The kids have been working hard. To come out and have some success is a

good thing. We are nowhere near where we want to be yet, but we are getting there.”

In a scrimmage primarily controlled by the Trojans’ defense, Holtry saw areas that “need improvement”. Holtry said despite being in camps and playing against the JV in practice there were a lot of things that can be worked on.

“We try to preach to the players, attack, attack, attack and keep their eye on the ball,” Holtry said. “Sometimes they got a little excited and caused some penalties. This is partly because it is game play, not practice.”

Junior quarterback Trey Corta led the Trojans’ offense and controlled the game play against the Huskies.

“We didn’t rotate any of our quarterbacks. Trey got the majority of the reps. We really haven’t gone live with him yet; we wanted to let him get in there,” Holtry said. “We also wanted to let him get hit a couple of times, to get that feeling and understanding.”

Overall Holtry is pleased with the outcome of the scrimmage between the two schools. Holtry said the overall goal for Wood and himself, was “to get some playing time and not have anyone get hurt”.

“We really wanted to get our kids ready by playing someone they won’t play during the regular season,” Holtry said.

The Marsing Huskies head to Parma on Friday and match up against the Panthers. Kickoff is set for 7 p.m. The Homedale Trojans take to the field at Deward Bell Stadium on Friday against Melba at 7 p.m.

— JLZ

Strong infusion of youth carries Trojans into opener

Corta takes over Homedale offense
from graduated QB Ryska

Maybe one pass was all anyone needed to see out of Trey Corta.

The Homedale High School junior has been named starting quarterback for the Trojans heading into Friday’s football opener against Melba.

As a sophomore, Corta threw one pass: A seven-yard option toss to Trent Acree for a touchdown against Weiser. Now second-year HHS coach Matt Holtry has tabbed him as the successor to former all-conference quarterback Ryan Ryska.

While offensive coordinator Erik Johnson takes the 6-foot, 180-pound Corta under his wing, senior Levi Elsberry returns as

the second-string signal-caller. He never threw a pass last year, only handing off to the running backs in those brief moments that Ryska was out of the lineup.

Corta’s move to quarterback means the Trojans begin the season without two of their top receivers from last year. During a sophomore season in which he was a two-way all-conference player, Corta caught 28 balls for 561 yards and a team-high seven touchdowns. Trent Acree has graduated after a senior season in which he caught 18 passes for 215 yards and the remaining three receiving TDs scored by a Trojan.

Elsberry filled the role of possession receiver with a team-high 31 catches for 341 yards. He was placed on the second team for the All-3A Snake River Valley conference squad.

Jonny Stacey, a 6-foot, 190-pound tight end, is back for his senior season. He averaged nearly 10 yards a catch in 2009.

New receiving targets include Zach Lowder, Brett Shanley, Kenny Esparza and Jordan Jarvis.

Emilio Cuellar returns as the Trojans’ top returning rushing threat. The 5-9, 170-pounder is the top returning runner for Homedale, which lost ground-churning quarterback Ryska and tailback Alex Mereness and their 700 yards to graduation. Playing behind Mereness for most of the

season, Cuellar had the top per-carry average (4.21 yards) but never found the end zone.

Cuellar won’t carry the load completely, though. Top junior varsity rusher Calvin Black has graduated to the varsity after a strong sophomore season.

All-conference honorable mention Mark Williams (6-0, 225) is the only holdover on the offensive line. He’ll be joined by Lane Matteson, Robert Evans, Lane Matteson and Kyle Purdom.

Behind that line, the Trojans will try to improve on a 3.59-yards-per-carry average from 2009.

There are 16 returning lettermen on both sides of the ball, with many players going both ways.

Corta is back in the defensive secondary, bringing his team-high

52 tackles from a sophomore season. Corta had two of the Trojans’ eight interceptions a year ago, too. He was first-team all-conference on both sides of the ball a year ago.

Shanley and Lowder will join Corta in the secondary, while junior Bodie Hyer (6-0, 185, All-SRV honorable mention) and senior Benny Mello (5-9, 185) return to anchor the linebacking corps in the Trojans’ 3-5-3 base defense. Hyer had 28 tackles and two sacks a year ago, and Mello chipped in with 27 tackles and seven assists.

Also returning for his junior year is all-conference honorable mention DB Casey Christoffersen. Cuellar also was an All-SRV honorable mention in the secondary last season.

— JPB

Sports

Jordan Valley Junior Rodeo results

Senior boys
All Around — Judd Buckingham
Calf Roping — 1. Augie Robinson; 2. Levi Gibson; 3. Geramy King; 4. Zalin Arritola; 5. Judd Buckingham



Braden Fillmore

Breakaway — 1. Dominic Lara; 2. Judd Buckingham; 3.

Ringo Robinson; 4. Zalin Arritola; 5. Hy Wilkinson
Cow Riding — 1. Hy Wilkinson; 2. Ricky Sullivan; 3. Judd Buckingham; 4. Zalin Arritola; 5. Tyler Cowger

Senior Girls
All Around — Rosie King
Barrels — 1. Paige Landon; 2. Rosie King; 3. Brennan Winegar; 4. Cheyanne Welton; 5. Bailey Bartlome
Breakaway — 1. Taylor Maloney; 2. Bailey Bartlome; 3. Shelby Coleman; 4. Bailey Buckingham
Poles — 1. Cheyanne Welton; 2. Rosie King; 3. Brennan Winegar; 4. Paige Landon; 5. Brittany Rahier

Junior Boys
All Around — Braden Fillmore
Flags — 1. Braden Fillmore; 2. Nick Eiguren; 3. Rodee West;



Grace King

4. Lawsen Matteson; 5. Duncan Mackenzie
Calf Riding — 1. Cody Rouse; 2. Gus Fuller; 3. Braden Fillmore; 4. Jesse Cano; 5. Isaac Riley
Breakaway — 1. Boone Bartlome; 2. Duncan Mackenzie; 3. Tyler Eiguren; 4. Rodee West; 5. Gus Fuller

Junior Girls
All Around — Quincy Pendergrass
Goats — 1. Quincy Pendergrass; 2. Rainy Robinson; 3. Shelby Dines; 4. Karleigh Robinson; 5. Josie Thurman
Barrels — 1. Carey Dines; 2. Kenzie Gumb; 3. Michaela Phillips; 4. Quincy Pendergrass; 5. Paige Portenier
Poles — 1. Quincy Pendergrass; 2. Bekah Gibson; 3. Hailey Amick; 4. Shelby Dines; 5. Brooke Bezona



Quincy Pendergrass

Pee Wee Boys
All Around — T.J. Russell
Goats — 1. Trevor Fillmore; 2. T.J. Russell; 3. Lan Larison; 4. Wes Ireland; 5. Cole Eiguren
Flags — 1. Cole Eiguren; 2. T.J. Russell; 3. Trevor Fillmore; 4. Micah Pirvu; 5. Jaylon Cano
Poles — 1. Lan Larison; 2. T.J. Russell; 3. Trevor Fillmore; 4. Donovaun Rose; 5. Wes Ireland

Pee Wee Girls
All Around — Grace King
Goats — 1. Michaela Volmer; 2. Kiana Quintero; 3. Emilee Burch; 4. Capri Bezona; 5. Grace Morton
Barrels — 1. Capri Bezona; 2. Jessie Portenier; 3. Grace King; 4. Maggie Mackenzie; 5. Mylee Myers
Poles — 1. Grace King; 2. Cheyenne Hopson; 3. Maggie Mackenzie; 4. Mylee Myers; 5. Hannah Amick

Mini Mite Boys
All Around — Jonathon Brunko
Goats — 1. Jonathon Brunko; 2. Birch Eiguren; 3. Tanner Steele; 4. Rossin Baldwin; 5. Jace Grenke
Flags — 1. Birch Eiguren; 2. Jonathon Brunko; 3. Luke Westrand; 4. Asher Pirvu; 5. Billy Delong
Barrels — 1. Jonathon Brunko; 2. Jace Grenke; 3. Luke Westrand; 4. Rossin Baldwin; 5. Greyden Johnsrud

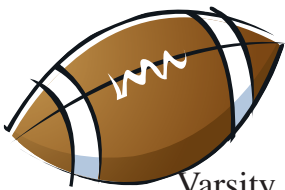
Mini Mite Girls
All Around — Tayler Eiguren
Goats — 1. Tayler Eiguren; 2. Morgyn Babcock; 3. Kelsey Gluch;

4. Lexi Garijo; 5. Brenna Brown
Flags — 1. Brenna Brown; 2. Gwen King; 3. Tayler Eiguren; 4. Cassity Gluch; 5. Georgia King
Barrels — 1. Gwen King; 2. Tayler Eiguren; 3. Brenna Brown; 4. Lexi Garijo; 5. Georgia King

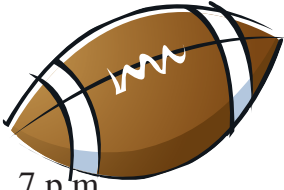
Open team roping
1. Lane Matteson and Geramy King; 2. Bailey Buckingham and Judd Buckingham; 3. Duncan Mackenzie and Zalin Arritola; 4. Riley Potter and Taylor Maloney; 5. Tessa DeHaven and Taylor Maloney

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Trojan Fall Sports



FOOTBALL



Varsity - Friday, Aug. 27, home vs. Melba, 7 p.m.
Junior Varsity - Thursday, Aug. 26 at Melba, 6 p.m.



SOCCER



Boys - Tuesday, Sept. 7 at Payette, 6 p.m.
Girls - Tuesday, Sept. 7 at Payette, 4:30 p.m.



VOLLEYBALL



Varsity - Thursday, Aug. 26, home vs. Melba, 7 p.m.
Junior Varsity - Thursday, Aug. 26, home vs. Melba, 6 p.m.
Freshman - Thursday, Aug. 26, home vs. Melba, 5 p.m.

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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 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 Travis Kraupp 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 Asambleia 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 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

Sports

HTAA luau features area motivational speaker

Treasure Valley motivational speaker Dr. Vincent Kituku will deliver the keynote address at Saturday's Homedale Trojan Athletic Association Hawaiian Luau-themed fundraiser dinner and auction.

The event starts at 6:30 p.m. in Homedale City Park.

The HTAA hopes to raise money toward their 2010-11 school year goal of \$20,000. The proceeds go to help the non-profit group pay for Homedale's athletic transportation costs, grade seven through twelve, for the coming year.

Kituku has served as a motivational speaker for the Boise State University football team since 1998. He also addresses large corporations and makes presentations at schools.

The luau will feature a roasted pig served on site, from H & M Meats in Nampa. Dinner will also include baked potatoes, corn on the cob, salad, rolls, and pineapple. Luau events include both a live and silent auctions, dunk tank, raffle items and door prizes.

Homedale High School volleyball players will provide babysitting, and the Last Chance Saloon will sponsor a beer garden. HTAA president Teresa Gibson said all proceeds from the beer garden will benefit the transportation fund drive. The beer garden will be roped



Dr. Vincent Kituku

off from the rest of the event, she said.

Tickets can be purchased ahead of the event for a lower cost than at the door. Tickets cost \$10 for adults and grades seven and up. The tickets for grades six and below are \$8. Tickets respectively go up to \$15 and \$12 if purchased at the door.

Businesses, groups, or citizens can purchase a table of eight seats at a reduced rate of \$70 per table.

Anyone who would like to volunteer or donate to the dinner auction is welcomed. Any parents or relatives of Homedale athletes are welcome to join the HTAA with the event.

To purchase tickets, for more information, to donate, or volunteer call Teresa Gibson at 337-3191 or e-mail at htaa@homedaletrojanaa.org

MARSING HUSKIES

FOOTBALL

Varsity
Friday, Aug. 27 at Parma, 7 p.m.
Junior varsity
Friday, Aug. 26, home vs Parma, 6 p.m.

VOLLEYBALL

Varsity
Friday and Saturday, Aug. 27-28 at Kuna tourney, at NNU
Tuesday, Aug. 31, home vs. Melba, 7 p.m.
Junior varsity
Tuesday, Aug. 31, home vs. Melba, 6 p.m.
Freshman
Tuesday, Aug. 31, home vs. Melba, 5 p.m.



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Commentary

Baxter Black, DVM



On the edge of common sense Pigs: Little squealers

I worked for a big cattle company in the Northwest and we kept “cookhouse pigs” for the crew. Every spring 30 or so little weaner pigs were brought from the sale barn and put in our pig facility, a long steel Quonset hut.

I knew enough to vaccinate them for Erysipelas, but I put off castration until the summer help, my annual veterinary student, arrived. As soon as he got settled in I put him together with a strong Basque sheepherder named Juan Garay and led him to the Quonset.

I would stay long enough to demonstrate on the first one, then I left the eager student with Juan to finish the job. You could hear the ruckus two miles down the road! It must have stuck in my mind because years later I found myself describing my first big rock concert as “A cross between Cape Canaveral and castrating pigs in a metal building!”

Which brings me to my Wyoming friends, Louie and Ann, and their experience with squealing shoats. Louie’s hired man wanted to raise some feedlot pigs for his freezer. Louie worked at the sale barn, so the next Thursday he brought home five little piglets weighing in at 10 pounds each. The hired man was pleased and said he could take a couple more if they came available.

Next Monday for the special feeder cattle sale, Louie’s wife, Ann, came along to help with the books. Since it was bitter cold, they took the good truck because the heater worked better. During the day, a cattlemen showed up with a little piglet he had caught running wild in his feed bunks. Louie thought, “How fortuitous!” He gave the man five bucks. The hired man would be pleased.

They started home at the end of the day. It was dark, snowing, blowing and –35 degrees! Ann couldn’t hold the wiggling varmint, so she drove. After much experimentation, Louie managed to squeeze the squirming swinelet between his knees, the curly tail-end at the edge of the seat. It was 32 miles home, although it seemed longer. The piggy squealed all the way home! Every squeal piggy shot out a stream of all-natural, porcine-origin pungent effluence! It hit up under the dash and ran down onto the floor mats!

To survive the lusty ear-splitting caterwaul and the accompanying colonic expulsions, Ann hung her head out the driver’s-side window! Snow stinging her eyes, hands frozen to the wheel, she persevered by trying to think up names for the piglet. Louie sat in the wind tunnel with grim determination, hands locked on the stink bomb, trying to think up names for the hired man.

On arrival, Louie had to be pried out of the cab with a tamping bar. They tried chopping his clothes, but it was hard to do without hurting the piglet, so they let them unthaw in the old pump house. Eventually they were both hosed off and sprayed with Lemon Pledge. Man and pig survived, although the next summer they burned down the pump house!

— Visit Baxter Black’s Web site at www.baxterblack.com for more features, merchandise and his latest book, “The Back Page”.

Jon P. Brown, managing editor

Eyes on Owyhee Invasive vs. evasive



The invasive species boat inspection sites in Owyhee County have been some of the most ballyhooed such stations in the state — by the operators of those two sites.

Yet, information from the Bruneau River Soil Conservation District about the stations it has been contracted to operate has been much more difficult to come by.

It seems the BRSCD board of directors was unaware that it was running a governmental entity subject to public records requests until Sara Schmidt, executive director of the Idaho Soil and Water Conservation Commission, educated them. In an Aug. 6 letter, BRSCD board chair Mark Frost initially refused to answer a records request from The Owyhee Avalanche on the grounds that the district wasn’t a public entity.

After a phone call from the Avalanche, Schmidt set Frost straight, and he relinquished a list of people in the summer employ of the district for the check station program.

The soil conservation district pays the workers with funds from the Idaho State Department of Agriculture. Can’t get much more governmental than that.

In some cases, the employees also have been drawing county paychecks as members of the Owyhee County Sheriff’s Office workforce. There is a “handshake” deal between OCSO and the conservation district with the BRSCD apparently working on a formal agreement only after county commissioners became alarmed that county resources were committed to a program without a memorandum of agreement in place to protect the county’s interests. No word on whether a deal has been struck, and the

commissioners have yet to sign off on any such MOA.

Soon-to-be OCSO chief deputy Kenny Hoagland is on the conservation district’s list of employees.

He’s listed as the inspection station scheduler, and he has been described as the administrator of OCSO’s involvement with the invasive species program.

Because Frost hasn’t returned a phone call from The Owyhee Avalanche seeking more information on the details of the program and its employees, a few questions on this arrangement exist:

Does Hoagland carry out his scheduling duties during the hours for which the county pays him? Does the BRSCD also pay him for his scheduling tasks? Or does Hoagland work hours separate from his OCSO workweek to get the scheduling job done?

Hoagland isn’t the only person on the county payroll listed as an employee for the conservation district’s inspection program. PJ Tabert still draws a check as the county’s part-time boat inspector. The mix of his hours between the station and his county boat inspection duties isn’t known, but county payroll clerk Angie Barkell said last week that he worked only a handful of hours for the county in the last pay period.

Other names on the employee list with ties to OCSO include Karl Kingston, who filled in as a patrol deputy earlier this year; Kenny Tindall, who is a posse member and was in Talbert’s position as county boat inspector last year; and Jennifer Crandall, wife of the sheriff.

— See *Invasive*, page 17

Wayne Cornell

Not important ... but possibly of interest A day at the market



In my opinion, retirement beats the heck out of just about anything else a person my age can do. But eventually you conclude you need to get out of the house and do some things you’ve never done before. That was a primary reason Sara and yours truly decided to go to the Boise Farmer’s Market on a recent Saturday morning. So we teamed up with granddaughters Grace and Ella and their mom and dad and headed for the big city.

We had never been to the Farmer’s Market. My initial impression was that it isn’t as much a place to buy something as it is an event — a place to walk around, see people and be seen. On the day we went, there seemed to be about 20,000 people wandering around the downtown area.

It seemed to me that the event is only a “Farmer’s Market” for people who don’t know any real farmers. Maybe 25 percent of the 100 or so booths were selling stuff you might get from a farm or garden. The majority of vendors were hawking trinkets of one sort or another.

Virtually all of the produce sold at the market was “Organic.” There was a time when “organic” was defined as anything living. Nowadays, “organic” is defined as anything grown without artificial aids such as commercial fertilizer or weed or bug spray.

It seemed to me that the main reason everyone was selling stuff classified as “organic” was because it gave them license to charge twice as much as they could charge for meat, fruit or vegetables grown by conventional agricultural methods. And it makes young, trendy shoppers feel like they are striking a blow for the environment.

Call me cynical if you like, but I come from a generation that qualifies me to wear an “I survived DDT” T-shirt. Despite eating food grown using all sorts of insecticides, herbicides, steroids and nuclear isotope bombardment, I

haven’t developed a third eye, gills or extra fingers or toes, thank you very much.

I also found it interesting that there were a number of rather physically striking young women browsing the organic food booths who I would be willing to bet had some non-organic help. I don’t think silicone qualifies as a “natural” growth enhancer.

And speaking of the fairer sex, you can find all kinds at the market.

We were walking along in a crowd when I spotted someone moving our direction about 50 yards distant. The person appeared to be one of the tallest women I have seen in recent years. As the individual moved closer, I could see she was wearing a short, white summer dress and a matching hat with high heels — very stylish. When she got within about 10 yards of us, I discovered the she wasn’t a she at all. A closer look established that the 6-foot-6 individual wouldn’t have been handsome by guy standards and would probably qualify as the ugliest girl I have ever seen. But, if he/she believes a summer dress, heels and hat improves things, more power to them, I guess.

When all was said and done there was only one place at the Farmer’s Market where there was a line of people waiting to buy a product. It was the booth with an automatic deep fryer that cranked out 12 miniature doughnuts every 30 seconds. At \$2.50 a dozen, that was about as close as you can get to printing money without being a government employee.

Nobody seemed to care if those powder sugar-coated baby doughnuts were “organic,” either.

— 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.

Commentary

Financial management

Long-term couple should marry before combining finances

Dear Dave,
Do you advise unmarried, long-term couples to combine finances to follow your plan, or should they move forward financially on an individual basis?
— Ashley



Dear Ashley,
I always answer questions like this based on what I would do in the same situation. I know the statistics on unmarried couples who live together, and the numbers show most of them don't stay together. I'm not trying to be mean, but I want you to know the truth.
Combining your finances when you're not married could be a disaster. Pretending you're married, but trying to keep your

finances and other areas of your lives separate doesn't work, either. I've been doing this for a long time, and I've met with an awful lot of couples in your situation. So, here's my advice to you, Ashley. If you love this guy, and he loves you, then you need to get married. You may think that's presumptuous, but you asked my opinion.
The idea that long-term, unmarried couples prosper financially and emotionally is

pure mythology!
— Dave
Dear Dave,
When, if ever, should your baby emergency fund be more than \$1,000? Is there ever a scenario in which it should be less?
— Sue

Dear Sue,
I always recommend that people who make \$20,000 a year or less start out with a baby emergency fund of \$500. Almost anyone can scrimp and save up \$500 in a short amount of time, and this makes it easier for folks who don't make a lot of money to have a safety net in place.
Is there a scenario where the baby emergency fund should be

more than \$1,000? I guess if you were stuck in a situation where you had \$200,000 in debt and made \$60,000 a year, you might want to ratchet that amount up to \$2,000 or \$3,000. The reason? It's going to take you several years to dig your way out, and that means you're taking a chance on several years worth of emergencies!
If you've got a really unstable situation — like there's a good chance you might lose your job — or an emergency already pending, you should delay starting the Baby Steps and pile up a bunch of cash. In a case like that, it just wouldn't make sense to start a financial overhaul and be sitting there with only \$1,000 in the bank. If there's a nasty storm coming, you need to work, work,

work to get ready, and make sure you've got the biggest umbrella you can get!
Then, after you get past the bad stuff, you can push "play" on your Total Money Makeover. That's when you'd pull your savings back down to \$1,000 and go into attack mode on your debt!
— Dave

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

Letters to the editor

New RAC nominee: Keep the experience on the panel

Like Owyhee County's sitting BOCC, I, too, worry that if current RAC members Richards, Bennett and Rimbey are not reappointed we may lose the benefit of their vast knowledge and experience.
They come from ranching backgrounds, have years of experience with public land issues, have been hard-working members of several different livestock associations and have served in many elected and volunteer positions. They understand how federal land management interacts with and directly effects our local economy through their efforts on the Owyhee County Local Sage Grouse Working Group, the BLM Travel Management Plans, the Owyhee County Natural Resource Committee, the 1999 Owyhee Resource Management Plan, and the Owyhee Initiative. They have been diligent in avoiding monument designation for our county through the Antiquities Act.
These people representing us on the RAC understand private property rights and coordination as it is defined in FLPMA.
If there is even one of the terms, groups or actions mentioned above that you do not recognize or understand, you have just validated the reason for keeping these people as your representatives on the RAC. Anytime you bring a

new member into a group there will be months — if not years — spent bringing them up to speed on the issues involved. This is not the time to try to "fix" something that is not broken. Like the commissioners, I feel we need to keep these three knowledgeable, dedicated people on the RAC. They are doing their job well.
My name was submitted as one of the "additional nominees" that the BLM was instructed to solicit. We are truly lucky to have dedicated people with experience and that are up to speed on vital issues that affect the custom, culture and economy of our county, already sitting on the RAC.
Let's try to keep them there.
Connie Brandau
Reynolds Creek

County fair celebrates what's good about Idaho

I had the pleasure of manning a booth at the Owyhee County Fair. America is characterized by its county fairs. God's greatest blessing to America is the deepest top soil of rich black soil (not dirt!) anywhere on the surface of our good green planet.
A passerby at my booth asked if I was a farmer, and I had to admit I wasn't. If I had to make a living as a farmer,

I would probably starve to death. Although I was raised in the apple orchards of the Okanogan Valley (Washington state) and my wife as a good old Idaho Valley Girl from Rupert worked sugar beets in high school and who once took first prize at a county fair, I made my living in insurance, a commodity no farmer, rancher or orchardist can be without. So I consider myself part of the larger agricultural community.
I like to think of myself as a gentleman farmer — the only thing I raise is my hat. The Owyhee County Fair had the slogan of "The Best Week of the Summer!" My hat's off to that, and to all the folks who made it work.
The agricultural industry is the backbone of Owyhee County and Idaho, but there is one curious inconsistency. We are all an independent lot and no one resents the intrusion or interference of Big Brother more than farmers, ranchers, etc. — there also is no one who screams louder than a stuck pig (excuse the farm figure of speech) than the agricultural sector when politicians mess with government's agricultural programs. Except maybe the insurance industry.
Well, the fair is over and all there is left to do is shovel out the stalls, and read the Avalanche as to who won what prizes.
See you at the fair — next year!
Ray Heidt
Marsing

✓ Invasive: Questions remain about operation of mussel checkpoints

From Page 16
At least two other men who are either sheriff's posse members or OCSO special deputies work as station inspectors — Rocky A. Conner Sr. and Robert Widner.
The posse/special deputy forces at the stations have pursued motorists who fail to bring their boats in for inspection.
According to the Idaho Peace Officers Standards and Training academy, only Kingston (a Level 1 reservist listed as "inactive" on his POST Academy employee profile) has

law enforcement certification among the people listed as check station inspectors by the BRSCD.
Widner is in the POST database but records show no academy certification for him. POST management specialist Trish Christy explains Widner is in the database because POST keeps track of all training, not just academy certification.
County commissioners have voiced uneasiness about the liability of uncertified personnel engaging in pursuits with county sheriff's vehicles.

Curiously, Jim Green, a POST-certified posse member whom inspection program coordinator Rayola Jacobsen told commissioners last month was involved with inspections and pursuits at the Bruneau station, doesn't appear in the Aug. 17 list from Frost. Perhaps he no longer works as an inspector.
Answers as to how the program has been run in the county remain elusive.
Without the appearance of full disclosure, questions about the propriety of the operation also remain.

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Write a letter to the editor*

Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

August 28, 1985

Homedale couple owns horse of the year at Les Bois

Norman and Lewis Kiser are, without doubt, an equestrian family. Their thoroughbred, “Popinjay,” was named “Horse of the Year” at the Les Bois Racetrack in Boise. They have raised several other horses for racing and they still have several of the old mares their children rode in the Eh Capa Bareback Riders, which appeared at the Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo this summer.

Popinjay’s talents were born in the blood. The three-year-old bay is the grandson of Northern Dancer, a famous racer whose offspring command a high price. Recently, a colt sired by Dancer brought in \$13 million in Kentucky, said Lewis.

The Kiser’s son, Dan, is the trainer of the horse, whom they raised from a colt. Jockey Jim Sanchez rode in each race and will accompany the horse to the Phoenix area in September to run at Turf Paradise.

The Kisers also have a horse named Shara Vandan, which they have raced in Boise, along with several others. Shara Vandan is from the same mother as Popinjay. Some horses, such as their “Horse of the Year”, are naturals for the running life at the paddock, while others don’t have the racing heart and may be good for jumping competition or other work, said Lewis.

Marsing teacher wins in trials cycle racing event

Although she faced some windy conditions, Kris Jennison, math and science teacher at Marsing Mid-High, still won the Women’s Novice class of a 2-man team time trial cycling race, sponsored by the Snake River Cycling Club and Frank Dalton Insurance on August 17.

The course extended from Givens Hot Springs along Highway 78 toward Murphy. Licensed riders tackled a 25-mile leg, while novices raced a 10-mile stretch. Kris was on the only woman team involved in the novice trials, although another women rode on a licensed team and recorded a good time.

“The temperature was great, but it was windy,” said Jennison. A good turnout of riders raced in the direction of the Blue Canoe tavern and made the turnaround for the homestretch.

New telephone technology outlined

Communications have come a long way from the hand crank telephone. New technology will completely revamp our contact with others in the coming years.

Dee Monsen of Continental Telephone addressed the Homedale Kiwanis on Wednesday about the changes in telephone technology. A short film portrayed three ways in which messages will be transmitted in the future, using lines that are less bulky and complicated.

Computers have become smaller and much more prevalent than their early days in the 1950s. In fact, there are more computers in the world than human beings. Small microchips can carry information which would have necessitated rooms of computer banks. In fact, a new RAM (Rapid Access Memory) chip of a miniscule size can handle 20,000 bits of information.

Homedale boasts young team

Although Jim McMillan has a young team in the Homedale Trojans, with 20 sophomores out of 52 players, they are ready to play head-to-head with the likes of Fruitland and McCall-Donnelly.

“We’re not as big as last year,” said McMillan. The average weight on the Trojan line is 175-180 pounds, but an ongoing weight program added strength to that weight.

On offense, Mike Taylor and Devin Breshears will be the starting receivers at Weiser on Friday. Chad Gibson will be tight end. At line are Joe Egurrola, Tim Coleman, Justin Davenport, Scott White, and John Lowder. Backs are Steve Purdom, Walt Sutterfield. Defensive backs will be Ryan Nash, Randy DeLeon, and Kurt Shanley. The line and linebackers will move between offense and defense, he said.

50 years ago

August 25, 1960

Cahill gives facts on proposed swimming pool

We of the Homedale Swimming Pool Inc., wish to let the people of Homedale know a few facts about our proposed pool.

First the Kiwanis kicked the drive off in their own club with the stipulation that they would take what is necessary from their own pledged money to help the Jaycees complete the ball field lighting project.

The remainder will go to the swimming pool. This amount has been exceeded several times over, but; this commitment doesn’t mean anything unless we get enough money to finish the pool.

In other words, one project won’t be completed without completing both of the projects.

We have designed a pool with the most rigid specifications so as to pass all existing and pending health laws to be passed by the State. Our design will pass Oregon and Washington laws now.

It is a gunite shell “L” type pool 75’1” long 3’ to 4½’ deep and 30’-30’ by 11½’ deep in diving part of pool.

It meets AAU and all other specifications with a three-meter and one-meter board with racing lanes.

We have a price we feel very good about: \$42,500 with the opportunity for any local contractors or builders to take part of the sub contracts.

Everyone welcome

The Owyhee County Fair opened Wednesday morning with the entering of FFA, 4-H and all open class stock exhibits. Weighing in continued throughout the day and a record number of entries were predicted by Phil Edwards, secretary-manager.

The two food booths will be run by the IOOF lodge and the Lutheran Ladies Aid and the Northside Come and Help club. The Chamber of Commerce will again run the pop and popcorn stand. The St. Hubert’s Altar and Rosary society and Holy Name society have put the bingo games into operation again this year.

Door prizes were to be given at the variety show Wednesday night. The show featured musical numbers and trampoline acts by the Wilson Sagehens, under the direction of Mrs. Betty Brandau of Wilson.

Miss Quintana leading in fair queen contest

Rose Marie Quintana is leading the contestants for Owyhee County Fair queen with 500 votes according to Sharon Samson, who is acting as secretary at the fairgrounds.

Sandra Cook, sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary, has 400 votes.

Also competing are Sharon Hinton, sponsored by the State Line Grange and the Homedale Royal Neighbors; Karen Bergeson, sponsored by the Beta Sigma Phi; Karen Cossel, Marsing, sponsored by the Marsing 4-H Livestock club, Marsing 4-H Tractor club, Marsing PTA, Marsing Royal Neighbors, the Marsing Chamber of Commerce and Pioneer club; Nancy Johnson sponsored by the Homedale Jaycees; Carol Shelly, Melba, sponsored by Wilson 4-H Beef Producers and Homemakers of Tomorrow; JoAnn Churruca, sponsored by St. Hubert’s Altar society; and Cherry Black, Bruneau, sponsored by the Bruneau Canyon Livestock club, Better Beef and Bacon Livestock club from Grand View and the Grand View Lions.

Martinats hold family reunion

A family reunion was held Sunday at the home of Mrs. Mary Martinat and John Martinat with the following guests present:

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Harker and children, Mrs. Gladys Harker, Grifan, N. C., Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Finch and children, Mr. and Mrs. Arnie Skov, Mrs. Martha Skov, all of Boise; Mr. and Mrs. La Von Martinat, Twin Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Levi Martinat, Homedale; and Geraldine Martinat and son, Marsing.

140 years ago

August 27, 1870

THOSE who talk so gritty about the aid and sympathies extended by France to the Colonies during their struggle for independence, seem to forget that France was then engaged in a gigantic war with England and that it was policy for her to seek alliances with other nations and peoples in order to enhance her own chances of victory. Those who are not blinded by prejudice cannot fail to observe that German sympathies were then already, as ever, on the side of freedom as is amply shown by Steuben and De Kalb, the Prussian Generals, serving as volunteers in Washington’s army and winning in it a distinction only equaled by that of Lafayette. Nor can we forget that gallant chieftain who, in the War of Independence, led hosts of Pennsylvania German citizens to victory. Pastor Muhlenberg on the Sunday following the declaration of independence concluded his sermon with the words: “And not let up fight for the holy cause of freedom.” Thus speaking, he cast off his ministerial garb, and it was seen that he wore the uniform of a cavalry officer. With his many followers he played an important part in the Continental army, leading them by his indomitable pluck to many victories, and was rewarded by Washington with the rank and title of a General.

LETTER FROM SNAKE RIVER, August 18, ’70.

MR. AVALANCHE: Thinking you would like to know something from this end of your county, I have concluded to pen you a few lines. All the miners on the river, who have claims, are making from \$3 to \$30 per day to the hand. Not more than one out of twenty who came here for the purpose of hiring out, locating or purchasing claims, has been successful. There are quite a number arriving here every day from White Pine, but only to curse the country, go further north, or return to Nevada.

There are nine grocery stores, six whisky shops, one meat market and two blacksmith shops on the river. Provisions of every description, except vegetables, are cheaper than at Boise City. Potatoes are selling at 15 cents per pound; onions, 12½ cents.

The natural advantages for agricultural pursuits, along the various streams of the adjacent country, are most excellent. I think Goose Creek is within the boundaries of Owyhee County. (Of course it is, and so is Raft River, 35 miles farther east, -Ed.)

The emigration from the East has just commenced arriving here. The greater part of which is going down the south side of Snake River. Some of them are very destitute. Five wagons containing eight families left here on the 15th inst. When they arrived, they were in a destitute condition. Old men bowed down by years, helpless children, half-starved mothers, woe-be-gone fathers, is the make-up of this company. The miners and others of this vicinity sufficiently contributed to their wants to enable them to reach Sinker Creek, where we assured them they would receive the assistance of your ever liberal and kind-hearted community. I suggest that the citizens of Silver City make up a load of such provisions as emigrants need, and meet them at the mouth of Castle Creek. Do not think that I am asking more than I would do myself. I gave them all the provisions I had on hand, and took a team, went eight miles, rustled among the miners, and gathered up what I have before mentioned. The names of the destitute families are as follows: Three Busby families, two Hunt families, one Wilson family, one Brison family, and one Hart family, in all, 40 souls. The will arrive at Castle Creek on the 25th.

Yours truly, Ike.

LOCAL HINTS AND HAPPENINGS. Dick Tregaskis has gone to Cope.

Dick English is the stalwart Vulcan at the Mahogany mine.

Geo. H. Tracy is very ill with rheumatism in Jordan Valley.

Work has been suspended on the Poorman and Empire mines.

Public notices

SYNOPSIS OF COMMISSIONER MINUTES FOR AUGUST 9TH

Approved purchase of postage machine.
Approved change order for construction on new step to the courthouse.
Approved publication of the 2011 budget.
Approved Bureau of Homeland Security Grants.
Adopted Resolution 10-20 Relating to EL PASO Corporation Settlement
Approved Asselin Plat
Adopted Resolution 10-21 Amended Comprehensive Plan
Approved Certificate's of Residency to CWI.
Executive Session 67-2345
Approved Order to Reopen Hearing on Wilke Matter
Approved Order to Vacate Deliberations on Wilke Matter.
Waived building permit fee for remodel of Three Creek School.
Approved letter to BLM on Land Use permit and water transfer.
Approved letter to BLM on release of the Jarbidge RMP Preferred Alternative.
Approved stockpile permits with the BLM.
The complete minutes can be viewed online at owyheecounty.net or in the Clerk's office.
8/25/10

ORDER SUMMONING AND CONVENING A GRAND JURY CASE NO. 2010-2 IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF OWYHEE

IN THE MATTER OF PETITIONING THE DISTRICT COURT TO CONVENE A GRAND JURY IN OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO.
The Prosecuting Attorney of Owyhee County, Idaho, has petitioned this Court for an order, ordering that a grand jury be summoned and convened in Owyhee County. After careful review of the Petition and the Idaho statutes and rules regarding grand jury proceedings, and for good cause, the Court finds that the public interest of Owyhee County requires that a grand jury be summoned to inquire into public offenses committed or triable within Owyhee County for the reasons set forth in the Petition filed by the Owyhee County Prosecuting Attorney.
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that a grand jury be summoned and convened in Owyhee County, Idaho, on the 2nd day of September, 2010, at the hour of 9:00 A.M., to commence inquiry into the matter of public offenses committed or triable within Owyhee County. The Court finds that the public interest requires this order.
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Jury Commissioner shall summon twenty-five (25) legally qualified jurors to appear at the Owyhee County Courthouse, on the 2nd day of September, 2010, at the hour of 9:00 A.M., and that from those twenty-five (25) persons, a grand jury of sixteen (16) persons shall be selected;
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Prosecuting Attorney of Owyhee County shall attend the District Court on the 2nd day of September, 2010, at the hour of 9:00 A.M., and then he, shall attend all sessions of the grand jury offering advice, information, and assistance to the grand jury

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The Board of Commissioners for the Marsing-Homedale Cemetery Maintenance District have tentatively adopted a budget for the 2011 fiscal year, for said district, as set forth below. A public hearing will be held for the enactment of said budget at the office for the Marsing-Homedale Cemetery, located at 4410 Cemetery Road, Marsing, ID 83639 at 8:00pm on the day of August 30th, 2010. The budget is available for public inspection between the hours of 9:00am to 4:00pm, Monday through Friday at the Cemetery office.
**PROPOSED BUDGET DATED AUGUST 5, 2010
OCTOBER 1, 2010 TO OCTOBER 1, 2011**
Fund Balance Carry Forward \$23,859.00
Revenue:
Burial Lots 9,000.00
County Warrants 32,358.00
Farm Rental 3,812.00
Labor (opening & closing) 11,000.00
Total Revenue 56,170.00
All Total \$80,029.00
Anticipated Disbursement
Salaries:
Sexton 30,500.00
Farm Oversight 5,500.00
Part Time Help 3,500.00
Total \$39,500.00
Expenses:
Gas & Oil 1,500.00
Idaho Power 1,800.00
Irrigation 2,400.00
Repair Grounds 2,000.00
Repair Equipment 3,500.00
Telephone 1,400.00
Sanitation 550.00
Property Insurance 1,700.00
Bond Insurance 125.00
Payroll Taxes 2,000.00
Legal Notices 1,100.00
Travel & Meals 450.00
Office Supplies 1,000.00
Workmans Comp. 2,200.00
Chemical & Fertilizer 1,800.00
Persi 3,200.00
Deeds 600.00
Bar Wright Tax 100.00
Total \$27,425.00
Salaries \$39,500.00
Capital Expenditures \$13,104.00
All Total \$80,029.00
Bruce Benson, Secretary, Treasurer and Sexton
Marsing-Homedale Cemetery Maintenance District
8/18,25/10

pursuant to Idaho statutes and Idaho Criminal Rule 6(d);
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Prosecuting Attorney of Owyhee County shall cooperate with and assist the Court in securing a room and facilities for use by the grand jury as required by Idaho statutes and Idaho Criminal Rule 6(e);
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that once selected and convened, the grand jury shall serve until discharged by the Court, and during its term shall meet from time to time as necessary to conduct its business;
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Order shall be filed with the Clerk of this Court and that said Clerk shall post a copy of this Order at the locations where court schedules are posted, on the general bulletin board where public notices are posted in the Courthouse, at the location where public notices are posted at the office of the Owyhee County Board of Commissioners, and shall furnish a copy of this Order to the newspaper which has been designated by the Owyhee County Board of Commissioners for publication of legal notices. Said copy shall be posted and provided to the designated newspaper no later than forty-eight (48) hours prior to the convening of the grand jury.
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of this Court shall designate a deputy clerk and a substitute deputy clerk who will be made available to process records and documents pertaining to the activities of the grand jury in such a manner that the secrecy requirements of the law as well as all other provisions of Idaho statutes and Idaho Criminal Rule 6

regarding grand jury proceedings will be satisfied.
DATED this 28th day of July, 2010.
/s/Juneal C. Kerrick, District Judge
Douglas D. Emery, Owyhee County Prosecuting Attorney, Owyhee County Courthouse, P.O. Box 128, Murphy, ID 83650. Phone 208-495-1153 Fax 208-495-2592
8/25/10

NOTICE OF LETTING
Sealed proposals will be received by the IDAHO TRANSPORTATION BOARD only at the office of the IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT, 3311 WEST STATE STREET, BOISE, IDAHO 83703, ATTN: ROADWAY DESIGN until two o'clock p.m., on September 14, 2010, for the work of a 0.15' thin lift overlay on SH-51, MP 60.00 to MP 76.91, and on SH-78, MP 60.00 to MP 76.00; SH-51, MP-60 to Snake Rv Br & SH-78, Grandview to Jct SH-51, known as Idaho Federal Aid Project Nos. A011(575) & A012(035), in Owyhee County, Key Nos. 11575 & 12035.
[A D D I T I O N A L INFORMATION CONTACT: RESIDENT ENGINEER ***TOM POINTS*** AT (208) 334-8933.]
Plans, specifications, form of contract, proposal forms, and other information may be obtained at the office of the Idaho Transportation Department, Boise, Idaho
A non-refundable handling and mailing charge of FIVE DOLLARS (\$5.00) plus applicable sales tax will be made for bid documents. Phone orders

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Homedale Highway District Board of Commissioners will meet September 1, 2010 at 8 p.m. at 102 East Colorado Avenue, Homedale, Idaho to consider and adopt a final budget for 2010 – 2011. The proposed budget is available for the public to inspect at the office of the district, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.
Terri Uria, Secretary/Treasurer
**HOMEDALE HIGHWAY DISTRICT – PROPOSED BUDGET
OCTOBER 1, 2010 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2011**
ANTICIPATED INCOME
Beginning Fund Balance 60,921.19
Highway Users 370,000.00
Ag Replacement Tax 2,492.00
Property Taxes 63,724.00
Sales Tax/Surplus 10,000.00
Misc. Revenue 2,000.00
Total Anticipated Income \$509,137.19
ANTICIPATED EXPENSES
Commissioners Salaries 14,688.00
Salaries 95,604.00
Payroll Benefits and Taxes 37,000.00
Utilities 3,350.00
Professional Fees 5,000.00
General Supplies and Misc. 3,500.00
Repairs and Maintenance 5,000.00
Gas, Oil and Tires 13,000.00
Materials/Construction 210,000.00
Insurance (General) 6,730.00
Office Supplies 600.00
Weed Control 20,000.00
Equipment Lease 20,628.11
Phone Expense 2,800.00
Contingency Fund 10,000.00
Transfers and Adjustments 11,000.00
Misc. Expense 1,000.00
Workers Compensation 4,800.00
Ending Fund Balance 44,437.08
Total Anticipated Expenses \$509,137.19
8/18,25/10

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The Commissioners of GEM HIGHWAY DISTRICT, Marsing, Idaho, Owyhee County, Idaho have tentatively adopted the 2010-2011 budget for said district as set forth below. A public hearing will be held for the adoption of the budget at the Office of the District at 1016 Main Street at 8:00 PM on Friday, August 27, 2010. The budget is available for public inspection at the District Office between the hours of 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM Monday through Friday. Call 896-4581 for an appointment.
Dated this 11th day of August, 2010
Proposed Budget Oct. 1, 2010 – Sept. 30, 2011
Anticipated Beginning Balance: 416,494.00
Anticipated Revenue:
County and Local Revenue:
Property Tax including penalties & interest 45,000.00
Ag Equipment Replacement Tax 2,112.00
County Adjustment & Transfers (4,500.00)
Sales Tax 9,100.00
Interest 500.00
Miscellaneous 3,176.00
State Revenue:
Highway Users Fund 305,000.00
Total Anticipated Revenue: \$360,388.00
Anticipated Budget Balance: \$776,882.00
Anticipated Expenditures:
Dues & Publications 1,600.00
Equipment 10,000.00
Gas, Oil & Tires 25,000.00
Insurance & Bonds 5,000.00
Labor & Salaries \$ 100,000.00
Lease 35,000.00
Office Expense 3,500.00
Payroll Taxes & Benefits 30,000.00
Legal & Accounting 10,000.00
Repair & Maintenance 8,000.00
Construction & Materials 314,000.00
Utilities 8,500.00
Weed Control 25,000.00
Total Anticipated Expenditures: \$575,600.00
Anticipated Ending Budget Balance: \$201,282.00
Stella J. Bush
Secretary-Treasurer
8/18,25/10

to (800) 732-2098 (in Idaho) or (208) 334-8430 shall be made by credit card (Visa or Mastercard). Written requests shall be made by check or money order to the Idaho Transportation Department, Attn: Revenue Operations, P. O. Box 34, Boise, ID 83731-0034. Dated August 12, 2010
TOM COLE, P.E., Chief Engineer
8/18,25/10

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Public notices

**NOTICE OF ELECTION
GRAND VIEW IRRIGATION
DISTRICT**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to IDS 43-201 to 43-207, inclusive, the election of one Director from Division 3 of the Grand View Irrigation District, will be held on November 02, 2010 to elect a Director of the term of three (3) years from the first of January 2011 and until their successors are elected and qualified.

Nomination for Director may be made by Petition, signed by at least six (6) electors of the District, qualified to vote for the candidate nominated and filed with the Secretary of the District, not less than 40 days nor more than 60 days before the date of election. Petitions may be obtained September 3, 2010 from Dixie McDaniel, Secretary of the District, 645 Idaho Street, Grand View, Idaho. (Petition due date September 23, 2010 by 3:30 p.m.)

In the event more than one (1) candidate is nominated within a Division, notice of the time and place of election will be posted as is required by IDS 43-206.

Dated August 18, 2010
Grand View Irrigation District
Dixie McDaniel, Secretary
8/25:9/1/10

**NOTICE OF COMPLAINT
FOR DIVORCE
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL
COURT OF THE
STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND
FOR THE COUNTY OF
OWYHEE
CASE NO. CV MG 0904387**

TO : JOSE LUIS CONTRERAS
CONTRERAS V. CONTRERAS

Notice is hereby given that on August 6, 2010, Alicia Elena Miranda Contreras filed a Complaint for Divorce against you. A copy of the Complaint is available through the Clerk of the above referenced Court.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that you are entitled to be represented by an attorney of your choice in this matter.

Dated this 18th day of August, 2010

Lois K. Fletcher, ISB. 3450, FLETCHER & WEST, LLP, Attorneys at Law, 1020 W Main St., Suite 210, Boise, Idaho 83702. (208) 336-2202 Fax (208) 336-4158, Attorneys for Plaintiff
8/25:9/1,8,15/10

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS
CASE NO: CV2010-1663H
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL
DISTRICT OF THE
STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND
FOR THE COUNTY OF
OWYHEE**

In The Matter of the Estate of Floy Lentfer, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the above named estate. All persons having claims against the said decedent are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must be both filed with the Court and presented to the Personal Representative of the estate at the law office of David E. Kerrick, 1001 Blaine St, (PO Box 44), Caldwell, ID 83605. 208-459-4574 Fax 208-459-4573, Attorney for Personal Representative.
8/11,18,25/10

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Case No. CV-2010-01649
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF THE third JUDICIAL
DISTRICT**

OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF OWYHEE

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOSEPH P. VAN Wassenhove aka JOE VAN Wassenhove, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of the above-named decedent. All persons having claims against the decedent or the estate are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred.

Claims must be presented to the undersigned at the address indicated, and filed with the Clerk of the Court.

DATED this 26th day of July, 2010.

/s/Mary Zimmerman, c/o Robert F. Thomas, Hawley Troxell Ennis & Hawley LLP, P.O. Box 1617, Boise, Idaho 83701-1617. 208-344-6000 Facsimile: 208-342-3829. Email: rthomas@hawleytroxell.com, Attorneys for Personal Representative
8/11,18,25/10

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S
SALE**

Parcel No. RP02N04W153755A Title Order No. NWT006742 TS No. 10-0089296 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 12/20/2010 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 06/08/2004 as Instrument Number 248064, and executed by CODY R. ALLISON, AN UNMARRIED MAN, 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: LEGAL DESCRIPTION IN TOWNSHIP 2 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, BOISE MERIDIAN, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO A PARCEL OF LAND IS BEGINNING AT A POINT 30 FEET EAST OF THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 15, TOWNSHIP 2 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, BOISE MERIDIAN, THENCE EAST 178 FEET, THENCE SOUTH 44 DEGREES 58' WEST 252 FEET, THENCE NORTH 179 FEET TO THE PLACE 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, 6706 HIGHWAY 78, MARSING, ID 83639 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 05/01/2010 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 6.500% 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 \$41,601.38, 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: 08/06/2010 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/ Melody Dewald ASAP# 3686102
8/18,25:9/1,8/10

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S
SALE**

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: August 5, 2010 File No.: 7023.75673 Sale date and time (local time): December 06, 2010 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, Idaho 83650 Property address: 6510 Old Bruneau Hwy Marsing, ID 83639 Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: Michael Balbas and Joyce A. Balbas, husband and wife Original trustee: TitleOne Corporation Original beneficiary: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. solely as nominee for Mortgageit, Inc. Recording date: November 9, 2007 Recorder's instrument number: 263004 and Re-recorded August 20, 2008, as Instrument No. 265940 County: Owyhee Sum owing on the obligation: as of August 5, 2010: \$422,265.09 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write

or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: Parcel 1: This parcel is a portion Government Lot 1 of Section 12, Township 2 North, Range 4 West of the Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho and is more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of said Government Lot 1, a found brass cap monument; thence North 89 degrees 57' 28" East along the North boundary of said Government Lot 1 a distance of 188.73 feet to a point on the bank of the Snake River, witnessed by a found 5/8 inch diameter rebar bearing South 89 degrees 57' 28" West a distance of 5.00 feet; thence along said bank South 40 degrees 29' 19" East a distance of 326.39 feet to a point witnessed by a 5/8 x 30 inch rebar set with a plastic cap stamped L.S. 3627 bearing South 40 degrees 41' 03" West a distance of 5.00 feet; thence South 40 degrees 41' 03" West a distance of 394.30 feet to a found 5/8 inch diameter rebar; thence North 67 degrees 48' 03" West a distance of 82.16 feet to a found 5/8 inch diameter rebar; thence Northwesterly 34.97 feet along the arc of a curve the right having a central angle of 66 degrees 46' 47", a radius of 30.00 feet and a long chord which bears North 34 degrees 24' 38" West a distance of 33.02 feet to a found 5/8 inch diameter rebar; thence North 0 degrees 34' 08" West a distance of 250.76 feet to a found 5/8 inch diameter rebar; thence North 3 degrees 51' 25" West a distance of 89.40 feet to a found 5/8 inch diameter rebar; thence Northwesterly 138.62 feet along the arc of a curve to the left having a central angle of 26 degrees 12' 44", a radius of 303.00 feet and a long chord which bears North 16 degrees 57' 50" West a distance of 137.41 feet to a point on the West boundary of said Government Lot 1, a found 5/8 inch diameter rebar; thence North 0 degrees 57' 00" West along said West boundary a distance of 17.43 feet to the Point of Beginning. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7023.75673) 1002.165836-FEI
8/18,25:9/1,8/10

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S
SALE**

On Tuesday, the 16th day of November, 2010, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a.m. of said day at the front steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse, on the corner of Hwy. 78 and Hailey St., Murphy, in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, Charles W. Fawcett, as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

THE EAST 100 FEET OF LOT 5 OF BLOCK 3 OF VOLKMER -

MOTZKO'S FIRST ADDITION TO VILLAGE OF MARSING, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF FILED NOVEMBER 19, 1945 AS INSTRUMENT NO. 70765 IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER FOR OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO.

The Successor Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113, Idaho Code, the Successor Trustee has been informed that the street address of 131 1st Ave. W., Marsing, Idaho, is sometimes associated with said real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by GORDON M. STIMMEL and MISTY STIMMEL, Husband and Wife, Grantor, to Charles W. Fawcett, Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of REPUBLIC MORTGAGE HOME LOANS, LLC, recorded September 26, 2006, as Instrument No. 258251, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho; and assigned to the IDAHO HOUSING AND FINANCE ASSOCIATION by Assignment of Deed of Trust recorded on October 5, 2006, as Instrument No. 258368, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTOR IS NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, monthly installment payments under the Deed of Trust Note dated September 25, 2006, in the amount of \$678.00 each, for the months of February through June, 2010, inclusive; and for each and every month thereafter until date of sale or reimbursement. All delinquent payments are now due, plus accumulated late charges, plus any costs or expenses associated with this foreclosure. The accrued interest is at the rate of 5.66% per annum from January 1, 2010. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$94,276.67, plus accrued interest at the rate of 5.66% per annum from January 1, 2010.

DATED This 14th day of July, 2010.

CHARLES W. FAWCETT, a Member of the Idaho State Bar, SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE
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TS No. 10-0082474 Title Order No. NWT006229 Parcel No. RPB05400030080A 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 12/13/2010 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 07/25/2008 as Instrument Number 265718, and executed by LINDA K. HARRISON, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN, 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: THE LAND REFERRED TO HEREIN BELOW IS SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF OWYHEE, STATE OF IDAHO, AND IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: LOT 8 IN BLOCK 3 OF MORNING DOVE ESTATES SUBDIVISION, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED OCTOBER 15, 1998 AS INSTRUMENT NO. 226300 AND AMENDED BY AFFIDAVIT RECORDED FEBRUARY 8, 1999 AS INSTRUMENT NO. 227448, RECORDS OF OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO. 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, 514 MORNING DOVE WAY , MARSING, ID 83639 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 04/01/2010 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 6.625% 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 \$95,217.29, 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: 08/04/2010 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/ Melody Dewald ASAP# 3682507
8/11,18,25;9/1/10

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

Parcel No. RP02N04W145700A Title Order No. NWT006097 TS No. 10-0080335 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 12/06/2010 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 11/14/2007 as Instrument Number 263073, and executed by ANN S. JENNINGS, A MARRIED WOMAN AS HER SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY, 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 portion of Government Lot 4, Section 14, Township 2 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the Southwest corner of Section 14, Township 2 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho and running south 89° 56’ 00” East 864.20 along the Southerly boundary of said Section 14 to a point on the center line of Old Bruneau Highway, said point being the POINT OF BEGINNING; thence continuing South 89° 56’ 00” East 166.72 feet along said Southerly boundary of Section 14 to a point on the original meander line of the Snake River; thence North 11° 09’ 39” East 303.24 feet along said original meander line of the Snake River to a point; thence North 54° 49’ 49” West 162.19 feet (formerly described as North 54° 50’ 06” West 162.22 feet) to a point on the Easterly right of way line of said Old Bruneau Highway; thence North 89° 54’ 56” West 25.42 feet along a line Southerly from and parallel with the Northerly boundary of Government Lot 2, said Section 14 to a point on the center line of said Old Bruneau Highway; thence South 10° 29’ 32” West 104.12 feet along said center line of the Old Bruneau Highway to a point; thence South 9° 32’ 16” West 292.43 feet along said centerline of the Old Bruneau Highway 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, 7500 OLDBRUNEAU HIGHWAY , MARSING, ID 83639 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 04/01/2010 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 6.375% 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 \$291,955.99, 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. DATED: 07/21/2010 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 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. RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. Successor Trustee Tonya Malugen ASAP# 3662701
8/11,18,25;9/1/10

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today’s date: August 11, 2010 File No.: 7023.00099 Sale date and time (local time): December 13, 2010 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, Idaho 83650 Property address: 8028 Owyhee View Lane Melba, ID 83641 Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: Bryce P. Jensen and Melody Jensen, husband and wife Original trustee: Title One Corporation Original beneficiary: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. solely as nominee for M&T Bank Recording date: May 22, 2007 Recorder’s instrument number: 261067 County: Owyhee Sum owing on the obligation: as of August 11, 2010: \$278,885.41

Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property’s legal description is: Parcel I: A parcel of land being a portion of Government Lots 4 and 5 lying in Section 6, Township 1 North, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a brass cap marking the Southwest corner of said Government Lot 5; thence along the Westerly boundary of said Government Lot 5 and the centerline of State Highway No. 78, North 00 degrees 17’ 00” West 619.10 feet to a railroad spike; thence leaving said Westerly boundary of Government Lot 5 and said centerline of State Highway No. 78, North 89 degrees 11’ 40” East 388.01 feet to an iron pin; thence North 41 degrees 59’ 41” East 166.98 feet to an iron pin; thence North 05 degrees 17’ 47” East 62.01 feet to an iron pin; thence North 15 degrees 59’ 50” East 105.56 feet to an iron pin; thence North 25 degrees 30’ 13” East 26.97 feet to an iron pin; thence North 55 degrees 51’ 14” East 69.51 feet to an iron pin; thence North 88 degrees 33’ 30” East 10.47 feet to an iron pin marking the Real Point of Beginning; thence North 00 degrees 17’ 00” West 746.58 feet to an iron pin; thence South 67 degrees 21’ 00” East 312.35 feet to an iron pin; thence South 60 degrees 31’ 00” East 41.65 feet to an iron pin; thence South 00 degrees 17’ 00” East 597.64 feet to an iron pin; thence South 88 degrees 33’ 30” East 323.88 feet to the Real Point of Beginning. Parcel II: Together with a 30 foot wide ingress-egress easement lying 15.00 feet left of and 15.00 feet right of the following described centerline. Beginning at a brass cap marking the Southwest corner of Government Lot 5 of Section 6, Township 1 North, Range 3 West, Boise, Meridian; thence along the Westerly boundary of said Section 6, said Westerly boundary also being the centerline of State Highway No. 78 North 00 degrees 17’ 00” West 634.10 feet to a point; thence leaving said Westerly boundary and centerline, North 89 degrees 11’ 40” East 33.00 feet to a point on the Easterly right-of-way of said State Highway No. 78 said point being the Real Point of Beginning; thence leaving said Easterly right-of-way, North 89 degrees 11’ 40” East 368.76 feet to a point; thence North 41 degrees 59’ 41” East 146.54 feet to an iron pin; thence North 05 degrees 17’ 47” East 62.01 feet to an iron pin; thence North 15 degrees 59’ 50” East 105.56 feet to an iron pin; thence North 25 degrees 30’ 13” East 26.97 feet to an iron pin; thence North 55 degrees 51’ 14” East 69.51 feet to an iron pin; thence North 88 degrees 33’ 30” East 859.67 feet to an iron pin; thence North 84 degrees 43’ 16” East 395.72 feet

to a point of ending in the above described 30 foot wide Ingress-Egress Easement The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7023.00099) 1002.143829-FEI
8/25;9/1,8,15/10

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

Loan No. xxxxxx2989 T.S. No. 1284328-09 Parcel No. rp02n05w042412a **NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE** On **November 10, 2010**, at the hour of 11:00am, of said day, at In the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse,, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, Id 83650, Murphy, Idaho, Pioneer Lender Trustee Services Llc, as trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, cashier’s check drawn on a State or National Bank, a check drawn by a State or Federal Credit Union, or a check drawn by a State or Federal Savings and Loan Association, Savings Association, or Savings Bank, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, state of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit: **That portion of government lot 3, in section 4, township 2 north, range 5 west, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, lying west of “a” canal of gem irrigation district.** Commonly known as 3097 Cemetery Rd Homedale Id 83628. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by Trinity Dane Robison and Stacy Ann Robison Husband And Wife as Grantor, to Pioneer Title Company, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of National City Mortgage Co A Corporation as Beneficiary, recorded October 24, 2003, as Instrument No. 245565, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due January 1, 2009 of principal and interest and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said deed of trust. The estimated balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$156,966.43, including interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligation thereunder or in this sale, and trustee’s fees and/ or reasonable attorney’s fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Pioneer Lender Trustee Services Llc 8151 W. Rifleman Street Boise Id 83704 (888)342-2510 Dated: July 09, 2010 Signature/By Pioneer Title Company of Ada County Db a Pioneer Lender Trustee Services Llc. R-327557
8/4,11,18,25/10

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE
TS No. 10-0090252 Title Order No. NWT006826 Parcel No. RP03N05W166020 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 12/27/2010 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 10/16/2007 as Instrument Number 262800, and executed by ERIC KUSHLAN, A MARRIED MAN AS HIS SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY, 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 PORTION OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 16, TOWNSHIP 3 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST, BOISE MERIDIAN, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER SOUTHWEST QUARTER; THENCE EXTENDING NORTH 170’ ALONG THE WEST BOUNDARY LINE OF SAID SOUTHWEST

QUARTER SOUTHWEST QUARTER; THENCE 470’ EAST; THENCE SOUTH 20° EAST 190’ FOLLOWING A CONCRETE DITCH; THENCE WEST 534 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, 2916 MARKET RD, HOMEDALE, ID 83628-3688 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 05/01/2010 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 6.250% 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 \$133,501.50, 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: 08/12/2010 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/ Vanessa Horton ASAP# 3692393 8/25/9/1,8,15/10

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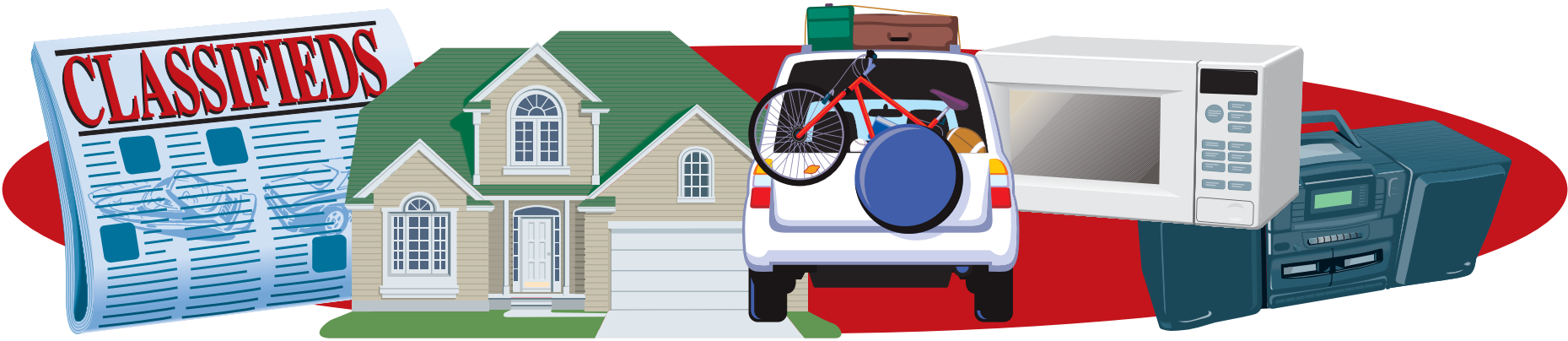
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