

The Owyhee Avalanche



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Incoming Marsing senior has a few rodeo rides left in him this year

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Changes coming as county fair begins

Chamber chief ready to take on annual parade

Saturday's Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo Parade will have a new coordinator, but that doesn't mean Jolyn Green is a stranger to putting together a celebratory procession.

The Marsing Chamber of Commerce president has been instrumental in the creation of that town's night light Christmas parade.

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Rodeo secretary to step down after this week's event.
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Mountain City (Nev.) Red White and Blue's Jasmine Koberstein, left, and her fellow senior division competitors listen to last-minute instructions from 4-H horse show judge Kortney Bahem on Monday.

New beef super back in old role

Whites retire after a decade

Last year, Bill and Bev White were the beef superintendents for the Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo, but this year, another familiar face will take over.

Mary Blackstock was the beef superintendent before the Whites started it about a decade ago. Now that they are retiring, Blackstock will take over the duties again, in addition to being the organizational leader for the Wilson Butte 4-H club.

"It's just kind of dear to my heart," Blackstock said about her role as beef superintendent. "I have always had a soft spot for showing cattle because that's what I've done."

The Owyhee Cattlemen's Beef Heifer Replacement Program started in 2010 when Bill White was a boardmember for the Owyhee Cattlemen's Association. He said last year, a couple children showed their heifers — donated to them by members of the OCA — and a few showed the cow-calf pair. The program started with just a couple local youths, and this year it has seven participants.

The program is contingent on participants taking their calves and raising them for one year. After that year, the participants must show the yearlings in order to become their official owners. The year after that, they are expected breed the heifer and show the cow-calf pair.

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Longtime local vets tabbed grand marshals

Bean, Cegnar stay connected even in semi-retirement

Several horse groups enter the Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo Parade each year. It's only fitting that two of the most well-

respected large-animal veterinarians in the county lead them this year.

Bill Cegnar and Randy Bean, who built a strong clientele as co-owners of Homedale's Owyhee Vet Clinic, have been chosen as the 2013 grand marshals.

Both men said they were surprised and honored, but neither could particularly pinpoint an overwhelming justification for their

selection.

"We've done a lot of little things good in this county, but we have not done anything that I would consider was huge and special," Cegnar said. "We've always been dedicated to our work and the people here."

After 35 years with an Owyhee County

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ITD to replace Marsing's Snake River bridge



People walk across the Snake River bridge before last month's Third of July celebration in Marsing.

Idaho 55 plan calls for new bridge in 2017

High among recommended projects for the Idaho highway 55 South Corridor is replacement of the bridge carrying the roadway over the Snake River into Marsing.

According to the Idaho Transportation Department's plan for the corridor running from

Nampa to Idaho 55's terminus west of Marsing, the 58-year-old bridge is scheduled for replacement in 2017.

The plan lists the span's current sufficiency rating at 11 on a scale of 100.

That's 46 points lower than the rating of structure that collapsed in Washington state earlier this year after a semi truck rammed into it, but ITD spokesman Reed Hollinshead said the sufficiency

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Luna: Marsing School District ‘inspiring’

Schools boast rapid progress

Superintendent of Public Instruction Tom Luna stopped by Marsing Elementary last Wednesday for a quick tour of the Marsing school district, represented by students in summer school.

The group, led by 21st Century Community Learning Center director Ken Price, included district superintendent Norm Stewart, elementary principal Tyson Beggs, middle school principal Allen Duby, and high school principal Tim Little. The Department of Education’s Camille McCashland and Matt McCarter came to the school with Luna. The group briefly interrupted students in the K-5 Jump Start Summer School to examine the classrooms and the use of technology in them.

“I saw kids learning,” Luna said after the visit. “Different kids learn in different ways, and everyone was engaged. All the kids were learning, and that’s what I like to see.”

Marsing’s tech upgrades

The tour started in Jamie Freelove’s class, where Andrea Vega and Judith McShane help teach fifth graders basic robotics as part of the Tech Wizards program.

Tech Wizards is made possible with a National Mentoring Program grant through The Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention. That day, the class was tinkering with sumo bots, robots made to battle each other in competition. Because the robotics program at Marsing elementary is still in its infancy, the bots are not yet ready to go to competition, but Vega said she and some of the students are excited for competition soon. Robotics for elementary students uses kits with Lego parts which the kids assemble and eventually operate with a computer.

In middle school, the MindStorm Kids build robots that operate autonomously—without a

computer. And in high school, the First Tech Challenge kids get into some complicated programming.

Next, the tour group went to John Barenberg’s classroom, where third graders were learning to work together online using Google Docs and login to Khan Academy, all on their Chromebooks. The Marsing School District has kicked efforts into high gear lately, working to put the three-pound laptops in the hands of as many students as possible. Officials plan on having 320 Chromebooks in Marsing schools by the first week in September.

“A year ago, Chromebooks weren’t even a part of the conversation,” Price said. “That’s one of the benefits of a small district — you can move fast.”

Right now, the district has 300 Chromebooks and widespread WiFi access for classrooms in and out of school buildings.

Title I state funding allowed the purchase of 144 Chromebooks, local funds bought 20, the Gear Up program through the state bought 20, and 21st Century Community Learning Center bought 41. Khan Academy, by way of the J.A. and Kathryn Albertson Foundation, allowed for the purchase of 75 Chromebooks, and the district will soon order another 20 with donated money from local businesses and fundraisers.

Adjustment in agendas

Teachers Kim Freeman and Holly Hall changed their lesson plans halfway through a school year this December to test Khan Academy, so administrators would know if it was a good idea before applying for a grant for it. They came back saying it was something they enjoyed working with and the students loved. Price said that now, the threat of going back to worksheets keeps kids in line.

Marsing is the only school district from Owyhee County to receive the Khan Academy grant; Idaho is the first state in the country to pilot the internationally recognized academic software.

Back in Freelove’s fifth grade



Superintendent of Public Instruction Tom Luna watches as fifth-graders in the K-5 Jump Start Summer School in Marsing battle their sumo bots last Wednesday. Luna praised the district’s leadership.

class, students were using Khan Academy’s math program, one of its most highly touted facets, with accompanying instructional videos, hints, interactive options and detailed, immediate data reports for students and teachers.

The video-based teaching method is free and available to anyone with a computer and Internet access at www.khanacademy.org. The not-for-profit Khan Academy will be implemented into participating teachers’ lesson plans as an official way to teach curriculum this year, allowing kids to learn at their own pace, and help each other along the way.

The school patrols computer use, and gives every student — even kindergarteners — a school email to use with Khan Academy throughout their academic career.

Students in Barenberg’s class also experienced real-time updating through Google Docs, typing from their Chromebooks and watching how their input interacted with input from other students.

Price said choosing between Apple and Google products was a serious decision, but he feels the district went with a good choice in Google because it’s cheaper but still utilizes its Cloud for real-time

information transfer.

Learning in different ways

Barenberg told his class to update their Google Doc spreadsheet by typing in “horse” under their hypothetical mode of transportation to school.

“If you can’t remember how to spell it, look at how other kids are spelling it to help you,” he said.

After that exercise, the students were told to go to IXL, another online program connecting their learning to teachers as it happens. Switching mindsets was as easy as opening another program on their Chromebooks.

Luna commented on the students’ intuitiveness to the technology, saying it was “amazing” how immediately at ease they were with it.

Debbie Elizondo, Marsing’s long-time English as a Second Language teacher, uses a laptop and projector in her classroom to help children ease into learning in two languages.

“Sometimes, they’ll be really into it (computer programs), so I have to ring a bell to let them know it’s time to switch to something else,” she said. “It’s a blessing and an opportunity for these kids. They need to have something resourceful.”

Elizondo said for those students who were unfamiliar with English but familiar with technology, laptops and videos were helpful in easing the in-classroom transition.

“By having these, it’s enriching, and it’s enriching for everybody,” the 37-year schoolteacher said.

The last stop of Luna’s tour was Taylor’s Corner. Taylor’s Corner is a wireless outdoor classroom dedicated to Taylor Sauer, the Marsing teenager who died in January 2012 while texting and driving. The classroom dedicated to the aspiring young teacher now has wireless Internet that reaches as far as first base in the softball field around 450 feet away. Students can take their Chromebooks to the outdoor classroom and continue their studies there.

Barenberg said he was cautious about the kids’ attention span in an outdoor classroom, but reports that he was pleased to see the kids still pay attention and enjoy themselves outside.

“The only time they complained was on an afternoon when it was 100 degrees outside,” he said.

Luna walked away at the end of the tour commending the district’s hard work.

“Great schools and districts have great leaders,” he said. “Marsing schools have a great staff, and that results in higher achievement for all students, not just some that struggle or some that excel, but all students.”

As students and staff bid him goodbye, Luna said, “This is the best part of my job, by far. This was really inspiring.”

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Three men arrested for separate Homedale assaults

One suspect had been released pending sentencing for another crime

Three Homedale men remained in jail last week after two alleged incidents of aggravated assault.

One suspect, 19-year-old Gilbert Garza Jr., faces felony aggravated assault and misdemeanor battery charges after allegedly pulling a gun on three men on July 28.



According to Homedale Police Chief Jeff Eidemiller, Garza and the three men, whose ages ranged from 19 to 20, were involved in two separate incidents in the 400 block of West Washington Avenue and in the first block of East Idaho Avenue.

“From all the information we’ve gathered, words were exchanged, the gun was pulled and luckily that’s all that happened,” Eidemiller said.

Arrested two days after the incident, Garza is being held in Owyhee County Jail in Murphy on a \$150,000 bond. He’s scheduled for a 1:30 p.m. preliminary hearing Monday in Murphy before Magistrate Judge Dan C. Grober.

“The message we’re sending is fairly simple: We’re not going to mess around with this,” Eidemiller said. “Homedale is too great of a place to have that kind of stuff.”

Eidemiller said authorities have no motive for the incident, which also apparently included one victim being assaulted with an electric cattle prod.

The chief said he expects to learn more about the incident once statements are obtained. One other suspect could be charged, too, he said.

Garza had been released on his own recognizance two days before the alleged assault. Garza faces a 9 a.m. sentencing on Friday, Aug. 23 on three felonies (two counts of burglary and one count of credit

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Car wrecks in Marsing and Homedale lead to DUI charges.

card fraud) and misdemeanor petty theft stemming from a Jan. 30 incident in Homedale.

Owyhee County Prosecuting Attorney Douglas D. Emery and Garza’s defense attorney, Ryan P. Henson, agreed to the release agreement in the original case on July 26.

In a separate incident, other Homedale men — 48-year-old Dwight Thompson and his 19-year-old son, Joshua Mark Thompson — face aggravated battery charges for allegedly beating up another Homedale resident in front of Paul’s Market at around 9 p.m. on July 27.

The Thompsons remain in county jail and are scheduled to appear before Judge Dan C. Grober for a preliminary hearing at 1:30 p.m. on Monday in Murphy.

Eidemiller said responding officers found a man “severely battered” with multiple head wounds. Homedale Ambulance was dispatched as well.

Dwight Thompson has been charged with misdemeanor obstruction after trying to prevent officers from taking his son into custody, the chief said. The father was arrested at a West California Avenue residence less than 24 hours after the alleged incident.



Dwight Thompson



Joshua Thompson

Eidemiller said video obtained from the Paul’s Market loss prevention

officer shows most of the confrontation.

The chief said the video shows a verbal confrontation followed by Joshua Thompson beating the man until he fell to the ground. Eidemiller said at that point Dwight Thompson began kicking the victim “numerous times,” possibly in the face and head although an opaque barrier at the bottom of the entrance door obscured the exact location of the blows, Eidemiller said.

Court records show Joshua Thompson has a lengthy arrest record in Canyon County both as an adult and a juvenile, including a 2012 misdemeanor battery conviction for which he spent 80 days in jail.

Dwight Thompson spent time in Canyon County Jail last year on a misdemeanor obstruction charge.

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Water report

The Bureau of Reclamation website showed that the Owyhee Reservoir was 16 percent full and that water was flowing in the Owyhee River above the reservoir at Rome, Ore., at a rate of 153 cubic feet per second. Water is flowing out at Nyssa, Ore. at a rate of 70 cubic feet per second. The reservoir held 114,498 acre-feet of water on Monday.

COWBOY BOOTS AND COUNTRY ROOTS

Owyhee County Fair things to do and see

Entertainment

Today
7 p.m.-9 p.m. – Howlin’ Coyotes

Thursday
7 p.m.-9 p.m. – SwiTcher
10 p.m.-midnight – Buckin’ Country

Friday
10 p.m.-midnight – Straight Away

Saturday
Noon-2 p.m. – Bob Miller Band
6 p.m.-8 p.m. – Simple Ruckus
10 p.m.-1 a.m. – Straight Away

Stone Soup Catering
Grubbin BBQ
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Attractions

Amusement World-Slide and Bungee Tramp
Orbiter
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Rock N Roll Country Gear
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Commercial building and fairgrounds

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Idaho Air Guard
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Owyhee County Historical Society and Historical Museum
Job’s Daughter Bethel 31

Food vendors

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Cowboy Café Concessions
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Homedale American Legion Aux. Unit 32
George D. VanDerhoff American Legion Post 32, Homedale
Living Waters Worship Center
Freddy’s Tacos



University of Idaho Owyhee County Extension Educator Scott Jensen, left, drops a cone in the arena Monday morning as he and judge Kortney Bahem mark out the showmanship pattern for the first day of the Owyhee County Fair's horse show.

Owyhee County Fair superintendents

Fashion revue, clothing, foods, misc. — Marsha Lockard
Horse — Sylvia Bahem
Beef — Mary Blackstock
Dairy — Nick Usabel
Goat, pygmy goat — Kim Moore, Amy Bowers
Sheep — Celia Tindall
Swine — Joe Lootens

Rabbit, bird, cavy — Georgia Goodwin
Cats, dogs — Amber Clay
Large animal round robin — Dave Tindall
Small animal round robin — Dena Cecil
Livestock judging — Susan Jaca
Record book & interview evaluations — Ginger Loucks, Maurine Johnson
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Owyhee County Fair daily schedule

Today Green Day — Wear green for 4-H Day at the fair and rodeo 7 a.m. to 10 a.m. — Buckaroo Breakfast, Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave. 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. — Open Class entries for flowers, leafy vegetables and sugar beets, Armory Exhibit Hall 8 a.m. to noon — Ranch Horse Project, Rodeo Arena 11 a.m. — Llama and alpaca show, Livestock Barn Noon — Idaho 4-H Centennial ceremony, fairgrounds flagpole 1 p.m. — Goat show, Livestock Barn 1 p.m. — Bird show, Tumbleweed Theatre 2 p.m. — Armory Exhibit Hall opens after judging 2 p.m. — Rabbit and cavy show, Tumbleweed Theatre 4 p.m. — Dairy show, Livestock Barn 5 p.m. — Fashion Revue practice, Tumbleweed Theatre 6 p.m. to 11 p.m. — Evening entertainment, Tumbleweed Theatre 7 p.m. — Gates open for Owyhee County Rodeo, Rodeo Arena 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. — Howlin’ Coyotes, rock and country, Tumbleweed Theatre 7:30 p.m. — Pre-rodeo events, Rodeo Arena	8 p.m. — Owyhee County Rodeo, Rodeo Arena 9 p.m. — Armory Exhibit Hall closes Thursday Pink Day — Wear pink for cancer awareness at the fair and rodeo 7 a.m. to 10 a.m. — Buckaroo Breakfast, Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave. 8 a.m. — Beef show, Livestock Barn 10 a.m. — Armory Exhibit Hall opens 11 a.m. — Veggie People contest, common area near Tumbleweed Theatre 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. — Tractor driving contest, Rodeo Arena or rodeo parking lot 1 p.m. — Cat show, Tumbleweed Theatre 1:30 p.m. — Dog show, Tumbleweed Theatre 2 p.m. — Sheep show, Livestock Barn 3 p.m. — Small animal round robin, Tumbleweed Theatre 6 p.m. to 11 p.m. — Evening entertainment, Tumbleweed Theatre 7 p.m. — Gates open for Owyhee County Rodeo, Rodeo Arena 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. — SwiTcHer, funk and rock, Tumbleweed Theatre 7:30 p.m. — Pre-rodeo events, Rodeo Arena 8 p.m. — Owyhee County Rodeo, Rodeo Arena	9 p.m. — Armory Exhibit Hall closes 10 p.m. to midnight — Buckin’ Country, country western and blues, Tumbleweed Theatre Friday 7 a.m. to 10 a.m. — Buckaroo Breakfast, Homedale Senior Center 8 a.m. — Swine show, Livestock Barn 10 a.m. — Armory Exhibit Hall opens 1 p.m. — Pedal tractor pull, Tumbleweed Theatre 4 p.m. — 4-H and FFA livestock judging contest, Livestock Barn 6 p.m. — 4-H Style Revue, Tumbleweed Theatre 6 p.m. — Roping contest, Livestock Barn 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. — 4-H awards ceremony, Tumbleweed Theatre 7 p.m. — Gates open for Owyhee County Rodeo, Rodeo Arena 7:30 p.m. — Pre-rodeo events, Rodeo Arena 8 p.m. — Owyhee County Rodeo, Rodeo Arena 9 p.m. — Armory Exhibit Hall closes 10 p.m. to midnight — Straight Away, music and dance, Tumbleweed Theatre Saturday 7 a.m. to 10 a.m. — Buckaroo Breakfast, Homedale Senior Center	8:30 a.m. — Parade registration, Riverside Park and Deward Bell Stadium 9 a.m. — Parade judging, Riverside Park and Deward Bell Stadium 10 a.m. — Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo Parade, downtown Homedale 10 a.m. — Large animal round robin, Livestock Barn 10 a.m. — Armory Exhibit Hall opens Noon — Owyhee County Junior Livestock Sale, Livestock Barn (preceded by Buyer’s Lunch) After sale — Animal costume contest, Livestock Barn Noon to 2 p.m. — Bob Miller Band, country, Tumbleweed Theatre 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. — Simple Ruckus, country and rock/pop, Tumbleweed Theatre 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. — 4-H checkout and premium payout, Armory Exhibit Hall 7 p.m. — Gates open for Owyhee County Rodeo, Rodeo Arena 7:30 p.m. — Pre-rodeo events, Rodeo Arena 8 p.m. — Owyhee County Rodeo finals, Rodeo Arena 8 p.m. to 10 p.m. — Open Class checkout and premium payout, Armory Exhibit Hall 10 p.m. — Armory Exhibit Hall closes 10 p.m. to 1 a.m. — Straight Away, music and dance, Tumbleweed Theatre
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✓ Bridge: Idaho 55 South corridor plan includes only two Owyhee projects

rating index doesn’t mean the span is ready to crumble.

“A rating of 57 doesn’t necessarily mean a bridge is in better condition than a bridge with a rating of 11,” Hollinshead said.

“However, the bottom line is that it is safe to carry traffic. If not, we would post it for load restriction or close it, if necessary. If it was not safe, we would not let traffic on it.”

Hollinshead said the rating system, which is uniform across the country through the National Bridge Inventory, encompasses several factors, including:

- Bridge condition
- Geometry
- Available width in comparison to average daily traffic
- Safety features, such as the bridge rail
- Location of the nearest detour

Hollinshead pointed out that some factors could weigh heavier than others given the specific bridge.

“For instance, on the Time Zone Bridge up in Riggins, the sufficiency rating was less than 100 from the day it opened because it was something like 200 miles to use the nearest detour,” he said.

In the case of the Marsing bridge, the rating could be skewed because the traffic volume has increased exponentially in the decades since it was built, Hollinshead said.

The Idaho 55 South Corridor Plan is available for review at <http://www.itd.idaho.gov/Projects/D3/ID55Corridor>. ITD will take comments on the plan until Aug. 30.

The input will be used to help construct the final study.

The Snake River bridge replacement became a priority based on the span’s sufficiency rating. The rating of an 11 on a scale of 100 is the poorest of 12 bridges on the 16-plus miles of road analyzed in the study.

The sufficiency rating is calculated by taking into account the bridge’s structural adequacy

and safety, serviceability and how useful it remains given its outdated design (“functional obsolescence”). Bridges with a rating of 0 are considered entirely deficient, according to an explanation in the corridor study.

By comparison, the Interstate 5 bridge that collapsed over the Skagit River in Washington state in May had a rating of 57.4. That bridge was compromised when a semi-truck crashed into supports on the top of the structure.

The Snake River bridge replacement is one of six high-priority projects that have been scheduled along the Idaho 55 corridor.

The other five high-priority projects — all in Canyon County — are scheduled between 2014 and 2016.

The only other Owyhee County-related project recommendation includes reconstructing the intersection of Idaho 55 and Idaho 78 (Main Street and 8th Avenue West) in Marsing to correct the roadway and accommodate tractor-trailers will wheelbases of 62 feet.

Other recommendations for Owyhee County heard during 2009 public meetings weren’t

included in the projects list, including creating a truck turn lane off the highway onto Edison Road.

There are nine other proposed projects, again all situated in Canyon County. The proposals are categorized as expansion, such as increasing the number of lanes, and safety and operations, which would include added turn lanes.

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The agent

Modern federal agents are highly educated and probably more at ease in a legal library than in the field chasing criminals. Of course, the quality of criminals has changed with time, too; those who specialize in interstate crime are a cut or two above the crooks of the Prohibition era.

The old saying of “fighting fire with fire,” was applied to fighting crime before the days of liberal treatment of criminals. The best way to fight crime was to make agents out of the toughest men available because they could be counted on to hold their own. They were usually shorthanded and up against odds that would make a high roller happy.

Russ Bryan was such a man, and before he became an agent, was considered one of the toughest men in the country.

During the winter of 1910, Silver City ran out of oil for its lamps, and Russ volunteered to bring some in over the snow-clogged roads. He put together a dog team and delivered kerosene; two, five-gallon cans at a time. He was also known for his skill in handling wild mules ... the wilder the better.

Russ and Andy Smith had gone to the mining strike at Thunder Mountain. They rode into the town of Roosevelt and put their saddle horses up at a livery barn. Since they were the first ones in, they were placed in a stall at the far end. When they were ready to leave, the liveryman told them not to go into the barn because a pack string had just come in. “Those mules are meaner than heck, and they’ll kick you to death.” Russ said, “We’ll see about that,” and he walked through the door and up to the nearest mule, slapped it on the rear, and let out a shout. He calmly walked down to the saddle horses and led them out without a bit of trouble.

Later, Russ and another man had some wool to haul in from Dry Creek, so they brought in a bunch of wild mules and hooked them up to a jerkline. They ran for a ways, and then began to slow down. Russ’s partner went up to the side of them with a five-gallon can, on a reata, to wake them up; and by the time they got to Jordan Valley, they were broke.

Not long after Bryan became a lawman, he went into a tough joint to arrest a man; but all the patrons knew him and what his business was. They asked him to set down and play a hand of poker with them. The whiskey was flowing freely, and it didn’t take Russ long to see that they intended to get him drunk and get the drop on him. He chewed tobacco, and would take a drink and hold it in his mouth a while then spit it out with the tobacco juice. All the while, he pretended that he was getting drunker and drunker. The other men in the dive were drinking heavily, too, setting the pace for Russ. When they were so drunk that they couldn’t do anything, Russ got up, grabbed his man and left.

As a federal agent, Russ was sent to Jordan Valley to investigate a local man who wanted to join the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Russ had many friends in the country and knew the business many of them were involved in. Everybody was sure he was really here to check out moonshining. When he finished with his business, Frank Swisher and Jud Wizeman, who had interests at stake, followed him to Boise. In a room at the Idanha Hotel, they asked Bryan if he had been looking for moonshiners and he said “no,” but he had something he wanted to show them. He brought out a pile of maps and photographs of most of the stills in the country. He said the operators tipped him off about their competition and to show his good faith, burned the evidence in a wastepaper basket.

— Local historian, author and rancher Mike Hanley lives in Jordan Valley.

Calendar

Today

- Owyhee County Fair**
All day, Owyhee County Fairgrounds, 420 W. Nevada Ave., Homedale
- Laughter Yoga**
1:30 p.m., \$3, open to everyone, Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020
- Owyhee County Rodeo**
7 p.m., gates, 7:30 pre-rodeo, 8 p.m., rodeo, Owyhee County Fairgrounds rodeo arena, 420 W. Nevada Ave., Homedale
- Homedale Highway District meeting**
8 p.m., Homedale Highway District office, 102 E. Colorado Ave., Homedale

Thursday

- Owyhee County Fair**
All day, Owyhee County Fairgrounds, 420 W. Nevada Ave., Homedale
- Senior center exercise class**
10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020
- Taking Off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS) meeting**
6:30 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St. W., Homedale. (208) 337-3867
- Owyhee County Rodeo**
7 p.m., gates, 7:30 pre-rodeo, 8 p.m., rodeo, Owyhee County Fairgrounds rodeo arena, 420 W. Nevada Ave., Homedale

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Saturday

- Owyhee County Fair**
All day, Owyhee County Fairgrounds, 420 W. Nevada Ave., Homedale
- Homedale Running Club**
8 a.m., free and open to the public, Homedale High School athletic track, Deward Bell Stadium, Riverside Drive, Homedale.
- Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo parade**
8:30 a.m. registration, 9 a.m. judging, 10 a.m. start, downtown Homedale
- Homedale Farmers Market**
9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Bette Uda City Park, East Idaho Avenue. (208) 840-0440 or ddixon222@msn.com
- Owyhee County Rodeo championship short-go**
7 p.m. gates, 7:30 p.m. pre-rodeo, 8 p.m. rodeo, Owyhee County Fairgrounds rodeo arena, Homedale
- Laughter Festival**
7 p.m. to 9 p.m., free, vendor space available for \$5, Marsing Island Park. (208) 899-6037

Sunday

- Moms Night Out**
6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., open to all mothers of young children, Mountain View Church of the Nazarene, 26515 Ustick Road, Wilder. (208) 697-1509

Monday

- Board of County Commissioners meeting**
9 a.m., Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy. 78, Murphy. (208) 495-2421
- Homedale Public Library board meeting**
10 a.m., Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228

- Homedale Fire District board meeting**
Noon, Owyhee Lanes and Restaurant, 18 N. 1st St. W., Homedale.
- Owyhee County Democrats meeting**
1 p.m., The Spot, 12 Sandbar Ave., Marsing. (208) 250-2458
- Homedale Elementary School registration**
2 p.m. to 7 p.m., Homedale Elementary School, 420 W. Washington Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4033
- Homedale Middle School registration**
2 p.m. to 7 p.m., Homedale Middle School, 3437 Johnstone Road, Homedale. (208) 337-5780
- Marsing School District meet and greet**
6 p.m. to 8 p.m., Marsing School District cafeteria, 8th Avenue West, Marsing. (208) 896-4111
- Homedale School board meeting**
7 p.m., district office board room, 116 E. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4611

Tuesday

- Homedale Middle School registration**
8 a.m. to noon, Homedale Middle School, 3437 Johnstone Road, Homedale. (208) 337-5780
- Senior center exercise class**
10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020
- Homedale Senior Center board meeting**
1:30 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020
- Homedale Middle School registration**
2 p.m. to 7 p.m., Homedale Middle School, 3437 Johnstone Road, Homedale. (208) 337-5780
- Eastern Owyhee Library Board meeting**
4 p.m., Eastern Owyhee Library, 520 Boise Ave., Grand View. (208) 834-2785
- Rimrock Jr.-Sr. High School open house**
5 p.m. to 7 p.m., Rimrock Jr.-Sr. High School, 39678 Hwy 78, Bruneau
- Jordan Valley City Council meeting**
7 p.m., City Hall, 306 Blackaby St., Jordan Valley, Ore. (541) 586-2460
- Homedale Friends of the Library meeting**
7 p.m., Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale.
- Gem Highway District board meeting**
7:30 p.m., Gem Highway District office, 1016 Main St., Marsing. (208) 896-4581
- Marsing School Board meeting**
8 p.m., Marsing School District office, 209 8th Ave. W., Marsing. (208) 896-4111

Wednesday

- Senior center board meeting**
1:30 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020
- Laughter Yoga**
1:30 p.m., \$3, open to everyone, Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020
- Austrian Settlement Centennial meeting**
6 p.m., settlement descendants welcome, Owyhee Lanes and Restaurant, 18 N. 1st St. W., Homedale
- Grand View City Council meeting**
6 p.m., Grand View City Hall, 425 Boise Ave., Grand View, (208) 834-2700, Monday through Thursday
- Homedale City Council meeting**
6 p.m., Homedale City Hall, 31 W. Wyoming Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4641
- Marsing City Council meeting**
7 p.m., Marsing City Hall, 425 Main St., Marsing. (208) 896-4122
- Three Creek School Board meeting**
7 p.m., Three Creek School multipurpose room, Three Creek

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



Karin Cordes stands next to some of her featured artwork at the Lizard Butte Library in Marsing. Submitted photo

Caldwell’s Cordes back as Lizard Butte featured artist

A German-born artist who has set out to preserve the valley’s rural scenes makes a return appearance as the Lizard Butte Library’s Artist of the Month.

Karin Cordes’ watercolor paintings of old barns and landscapes will be on display throughout August at the library, 111 S. 3rd Ave. W., in Marsing.

The library is open from noon to 6 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, from noon to 7 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, and from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday.

A Caldwell resident, Cordes was Lizard Butte’s artist of the month last November. She has produced an annual calendar since 2004 with the product featuring exclusively Idaho barns the majority of issues. Her next calendar will be available in September.

Cordes has preserved area barns in more than 100 original paintings that she reproduces as prints to sell. Her work can be viewed at www.cordesgraphics.com.

Her artwork hangs in private collections in Germany, France, Switzerland, Mexico, Japan and Russia as well as stateside in her adopted home state, California, Texas, Washington state and Maine.

Cordes’ international appeal perhaps stems from her European training.

In her early youth, she studied anatomy and portrait painting. In her late teens, Cordes left home to work for several printing companies in Germany and Switzerland, earning German journeyman papers as a Lithographer.

In the late 1960s, she moved with her family from Switzerland to the United States. She resided in California and Idaho for 26 years, where she and her husband owned a graphic arts business.

In 1996, they moved to Seattle, and then spent two years in Guam.

By late 1999, they returned to Idaho, and Karin started her paintings of Idaho pastoral landscapes.

Summer free meals menu

Marsing

Breakfast

Aug. 7: Breakfast sandwich (sausage, egg & cheese), fruit, juice
Aug. 8: Scrambled eggs, toast or bagel, fruit, juice

Lunch

Aug. 7: Chicken nuggets, bread stick, buttered corn, pineapple
Aug. 8: PB&J w/chips, cheese sticks, carrot sticks, applesauce

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Obituary

Steven John Wilson



While surrounded by his loving family, Steven John Wilson, 62, of Homedale, joined his oldest sister and young brother in heaven on July 30, 2013, after a battle with pancreatic cancer. Steve was born July 25, 1951, to Harold and Mary Wilson in Ontario, Oregon, as the oldest son of nine children.

He attended schools in Nyssa, OR, and Homedale, ID, graduated from Homedale High School and later attended Willamette University in Salem, OR. Steve served in the U.S. Army and while stationed in Italy, asked Carol Mann to marry him. Upon his return to the States, he and Carol had two wonderful children. Steve worked most of his adult life for Allen’s Cabinetry and Fixture Co. in Lincoln City, CA. He felt his co-workers were his second family, and they treated him the same.

Steve had a huge heart and he did not know a stranger. He made friends everywhere he went. He had a very special love for his family, especially his grandchildren. He had a knack for crossword puzzles, Sudoku, and the game show Jeopardy. Steve had a passion for learning and was a faithful reader of the newspaper, as well as the hundreds of books he gathered from his frequent

visits to his favorite bookstore, The Book Cellar, in Lincoln City, CA. Steve was a master with the barbeque and very serious about grilling and smoking meats (no propane.) Steve spent his last few weeks making the most of his time he had left with his family. He even put in a backyard pool for his grandchildren.

Steve was an avid sports fan and loved to follow his favorite teams: Boise State, San Francisco Giants and Oregon Ducks.

Steve was preceded in death by his sister, Chris Nash, his brother Matt Wilson, and nephew Anthony Wilson. He is survived by his parents, Harold and Mary Wilson of Homedale; former wife, Carol Miller, Nampa; his daughter

and son-in-law Jamie and Ryan Tracy of Caldwell, his son Bradley Wilson and Kira of Nampa; grandchildren Julia, Molly and Hazel Tracy, and Madison, Kaylee and Brock Wilson; siblings Tim (Lori) Wilson, Grangeville, ID, Sue (Dwight) Uhlenkott, Homedale, Jeff (Sandy) Wilson, Abbeyville, SC, Scott (Shellye) Wilson, Caldwell, Lisa Edens (Jim Manion), Boise, and Eric (Tina) Wilson, Wilsonville, OR, and many nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins.

Steve shared the following before his death, which came from his favorite TV show, Little House on the Prairie: “Remember me with smiles and laughter for that is the way I will remember you. If you only remember me with tears, don’t remember me at all.”

The family would like to thank Heart N Home Hospice for their quick response and excellent care, along with Vickie Lancaster who was willing to rent Steve her Caldwell home for the “rest of his life.”

Services are under the direction of Dakan Funeral Chapel in Caldwell, and were held on Monday, August 5, at 10:30 a.m. at Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church in Caldwell.

Reunions

Potluck set for Homedale High Class of 1963’s 50th

Homedale High School’s Class of 1963 will hold a 50-year reunion picnic in town on Friday, Aug. 16.

The potluck picnic will take place from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. at Bette Uda City Park.

Classmates from 1960 to 1965 also are invited to attend.

The meat will be provided for

\$5 per person.

Appetizers or side dishes will be provided by those whose last name begins with A through M.

Salads and desserts will be provided by those with last names beginning N-Z.

Call Anne Smith Fisher at (208) 841-2244 for more information.

HHS Class of 1970 plans Saturday barbecue potluck

The Homedale High School Class of 1970 will hold a reunion Saturday.

The barbecue will be held at 1 p.m. at the Txoko Ona Basque Center, 333 S. Main St.

Meat and beverages will be provided, but attendees can bring a side dish or dessert to share.

RSVP to LeAnda Uranga at leanda@urangas.com or (208) 250-2120.

Death notice

MARY ISABEL BAUMAN, 85, of Nampa, was born in Jordan Valley, Ore. She died Monday, July 29, 2013 at a Caldwell care facility. A viewing was held Thursday, Aug. 1, 2013 at Flahiff Funeral Chapel, Caldwell. Funeral Mass was held Friday, Aug. 2, 2013 at Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church in Caldwell. Burial followed at Canyon Hill Cemetery.

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Freedom Foundation salutes 23B Rep. Nielsen

A government watchdog group has honored District 23 state legislator Pete Nielsen.

Nielsen (R-Mountain Home) was one of 10 members of the Idaho Legislature the Idaho Freedom Foundation singled out during its fourth annual Freedom Celebration.

The District 23B representative, Nielsen was one of seven members of the state House of Representatives in the top 10 percent on the 2013 Freedom Index. The Idaho Freedom Foundation bases its rankings on how lawmakers voted on bills in the 2013 Legislature that impacted freedom and liberty.

All 10 recipients in the House and Senate were Republicans.

The Freedom Celebration took place July 27. In a press release, IFF said the event celebrates the foundation's commitment to limited government and individual liberty.



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Marsing Chamber, seniors unite to problem solve

Business
community's
First Thursday
spotlights center

The Marsing Chamber of Commerce held its third First Thursday at the Marsing Senior Center on Main Street last week, and although the turnout was smaller than with past First Thursdays, attendees enjoyed snacks and smiles, even though the news discussed was not all good.

CCOA - Aging, Weatherization and Human Services executive director Carol Teats told the gathering that the state legislature recently mandated a change in the way it allocates funding to senior centers. Previously, each center was given a "lump sum" contract amount based how many days per week they operated, respectively.

However, the final numbers showed that this resulted in an unequal distribution of funds. For example, last year's numbers show that senior centers in both Homedale and Garden Valley were open three days a week, so they each got about \$18,000. But Garden Valley delivered 2,500 meals to seniors while Homedale delivered 10,000. The resulting breakdown was \$7.27 per meal in Garden Valley and \$1.80 per meal in Homedale.

This caused the state legislature to mandate the change, so now, all senior centers in Idaho get \$3.30 per home delivered meal and \$2.35 per congregate meal, or meals served at the center.

This change was aimed at making funding more equitable, but Marsing Senior Center coordinator Alana Squires reported that it resulted in a \$4,000 loss for that center.

But Squires said the center will not stop providing the quality of care to its senior citizens, a mentality Teats greatly admired.

"The Marsing Senior Center is so wonderful to work with and Alana is a gem," Teats said. "She is so energizing and proactive. It really is a blessing. I wish more centers were like that."

Teats and Squires both lamented other senior centers turning elderly away from needed services because of funding. Squires said that she empathized with their financial struggles, but noted that her center has spent time and resources to drive four hours to deliver a home meal, and vows that it will continue to do so.

"It's important to get businesses involved," Chamber of Commerce president Jolyn Green said. "That's why the chamber is here. And community is key. Seniors are so important to the community. They are the backbone, the history, the legacy. We could learn a lot if we just listen to what they have to say."

Squires emphasized that the senior center is open and welcomes people of all ages. The center offers many services to seniors, but also has a new pool table, a bookshelf full of board games, a Nintendo Wii and more.

The seniors are active, taking trips to places such as the Idaho Penitentiary and to museums, and they have a yard sale planned for Aug. 31. The center provides transportation for seniors to appointments or to go shopping. The public is welcome to attend all senior center activities.

The Marsing Senior Center is open Monday through Thursday, with breakfast served on Monday from 8 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and lunch served Monday through Thursday from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

—RAD



Community members, no matter what their age, are welcome to grab breakfast or lunch at the Marsing Senior Center four days per week. The center at 218 W. Main St. was host for the Chamber of Commerce's First Thursday event last week.



HHS Gates scholar graduates Wazzu

Two people with Homedale ties have earned degrees from Washington State University.

The university in Pullman, Wash., announced its list of spring 2013 graduates recently.

Samuel Sanchez, a 2008 Homedale High School graduate who earned a Gates Millennium Scholarship that year, has achieved a Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering. Sanchez is listed as a Wilder resident.

Travis Hugh Allen, whose hometown is listed as Homedale, received a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine degree from Washington State.

Allen has joined Advantage Veterinary.

Senior menu

Marsing Senior Center

- Aug. 7: Liver & onions or chef's choice, potatoes, corn, salad, jello w/fruit, roll, carrot cake
- Aug. 8: Roast beef w/gravy, peas & carrots, mashed potatoes, vegetable jello salad, whole wheat bread, strawberries, ice cream
- Aug. 12: Breakfast buffet, biscuits & gravy, eggs, hash browns, fruit, juice
- Aug. 13: Baked pork chops, rice pilaf, creamed peas & carrots, four bean salad, tomato juice, fruit, roll, pudding w/fruit
- Aug. 14: Spaghetti w/meatballs, green beans, grape juice, garlic bread, banana, raisins

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City of Marsing

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✓ **Parade:** Annual procession pushes off at 10 a.m. Saturday in downtown Homedale

Incoming fair manager and fair board secretary Ginger Loucks, also a Marsing resident, announced Green had accepted the position last week.

“My friend, Ginger Loucks, asked me to do it because I have a little experience — and I mean a little, teensy-weensy bit of experience — in organizing parades,” Green said. “But she asked me to do it, so I said I would.

“It’s going to be a trial by fire.”

Green has been working on lining up judges and figuring out awards and prize money for Saturday’s parade. She said she’ll jump in and judge if she has a shortage of officials.

The Cowboy Boots and Country Roots-themed parade begins at 10 a.m. in downtown Homedale. Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. at Riverside Park and Deward Bell Stadium. Judging will be held at 9 a.m.

Green succeeds Donna Marose, who stepped down as parade coordinator after selling Owyhee Lanes and Restaurant.

“People like the parade, but it’s its own animal,” Green said. “It’s like an animal that needs a driver.”

Left: Pictured in her role as Marsing Chamber of Commerce president, Jolyn Green has added more responsibility as coordinator for this year’s Cowboy Boots and Country Roots fair and rodeo parade.

✓ **Role:** Husband-wife team also retires from supervising kids’ tractor pull

“I think it’s a really good program,” Bill White said. “It’s helping the young kids of the community. A lot of kids can’t afford to buy heifers to get started.”

Bill and his wife also supervised the Kid’s Tractor Pull for as many years as they’ve been going to the fair, Bill said.

“Oh it was very good, we really liked it,” Bill White said. “We tried to make it fun. We tried to get the parents to cheer, really, anything to make it fun. We gave away participation ribbons; we probably gave too many ribbons. There were some kids who came late, and they still got a little red, white and blue ribbon. We’d just let them try even if their division was over.”

Although they have fond memories of the fair, the Whites have decided it’s time to retire.

Blackstock, the incoming beef superintendent, did the job duties for about eight years before the Whites. She volunteered for the responsibility but doesn’t know if she will do it temporarily or not.

“If they need someone to do it, I will, and if they don’t, I won’t,” she said with a laugh. “It’s just a matter of stepping up and volunteering.”

Blackstock has lived in Owyhee County for 35 years, getting her start through 4-H. And now, she says, she’s come full circle, speaking fondly of the Wilson Butte 4-H club.

Blackstock lives in Marsing with her husband Ted. Her son, Tyler, 21, will be helping with the fair this year, and her daughter Kate, 20, attends the College of Southern Idaho in Twin Falls.



A contestant muscles his way through a run during the Kids’ Tractor Pull as judges Bill White, left, and Bev White keep a close eye during the Owyhee County Fair a few years ago.

✓ **Grand marshals:** Cegnar, Bean accept accolade with humility, surprise

practice, that’s certainly enough reason to catch a special ride in Saturday’s parade — even if the men don’t know what their mode of transportation will be yet. Starting at 10 a.m., the parade winds through downtown Homedale.

The 67-year-old Cegnar, whose aunt Ethel was a reserve grand marshal for the 2008 parade, is a lifelong Homedale resident descendant from an original Austrian Settlement family.

Bean, 66, has lived in Homedale 35 years. The Kimberly High School graduate came to town after six years practicing elsewhere. He earned his degrees from the University of Idaho and Washington State University.

In signature soft-spoken modesty, Bean said he was flattered by the selection, but also hinted that he’s been blessed all along.

“I’ve got to spend 35 years between animals and the people that I love,” he said. “Not too many people get to do that. It’s an honor.”

Both men thanked the community for the honor of leading Saturday’s parade. Incoming fair manager and board secre-



Homedale veterinarians Bill Cegnar, left, and Randy Bean may have sold their practice a few months ago, but just as they continue to work, people continue to appreciate their contributions.

tary Ginger Loucks dropped the bombshell Thursday.

“It was kind of a surprise to me,” Cegnar said. “Like Randy said, it’s an honor.”

Then he quipped: “I asked Ginger if she knew something about my medical records that I didn’t.”

Cegnar and Bean, who were college classmates, sold their

business earlier this year only to remain in the practice located in Homedale where West Kansas Avenue ends at Main Street.

Cegnar works Mondays and Tuesdays, while Bean takes appointments Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Bean will take a break from a family vacation in the mountains near Cambridge and Council

Recent grand marshals

- 2013 — Randy Bean and Bill Cegnar, Homedale
- 2012 — Viola Black, Grand View
- 2011 — Evelyn Loveland, Jordan Valley
- 2010 — Frankie and Dot Garrett, Homedale
- 2009 — Lorraine Landa Stone, Homedale
- 2008 — John Kushlan; reserve grand marshal: Ethel Cegnar; local hero: Fred DeGeus, all Homedale
- 2007 — Wendell Hyer, Homedale
- 2006 — Paul Zatica, Homedale
- 2005 — Donna Watterson, Homedale
- 2004 — Don Basey, Homedale
- 2003 — Frankie Dougal, Jordan Valley
- 2002 — Bob Bauer, Tom Hall and Carl Greenfield (American Legion representatives)
- 2001 — Bob Kelly
- 2000 — Ervin Gifford, Jenny Haken and Allen Long (mayors for county’s cities)

to return for the parade. He has spent the past year recovering from open-heart surgery and now plans to concentrate on his family, including Marlene, his wife of 44 years, his sons Kory and Barry and his two grandchildren.

Cegnar is concentrating on getting his new house in shape and balancing it with his two favorite pastimes — and work, of course.

“I hope I can spend more time

fishing and with my horses,” he said.

“I still enjoy going down (to the clinic) my two days. I think medicine’s actually a little more fun now because you’re not pushed.

“It used to be 24-7, and you were grinding it out. Now, it’s more fun to go down there and work with the animals and the people.”

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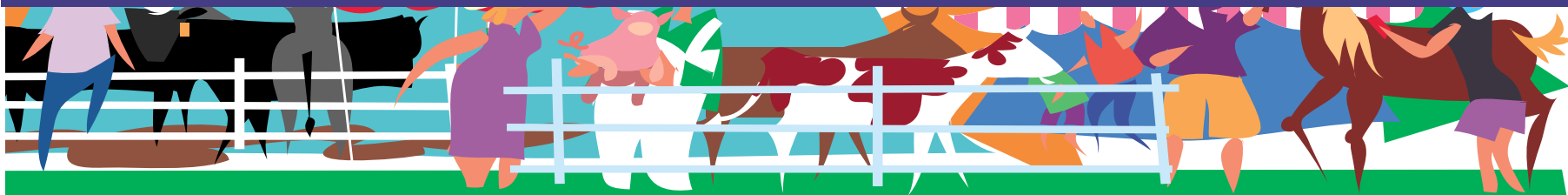
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Homedale familiar with one of two engineering applicants

City’s FY 14 budget hearing slated next week

The City of Homedale’s search for a new engineering firm has yielded two candidates. City Clerk and Treasurer Alice Pegram said Monday that Pharmer Engineering and Reidesel Engineering were the only companies to submit requests for qualifications by Thursday’s deadline. City councilmembers will score each firm’s application and make a selection later this month, Pegram said.

Reidesel, which has Idaho offices in Meridian and Twin Falls, has been working with the city on the Homedale Municipal Airport Master Plan. Pharmer, which is based in Boise, focuses on water and wastewater treatment engineering, according to the company’s website. The proposed fiscal year 2014 budget will be subject to a public hearing during the council’s meeting next Wednesday. The council will receive comment on the \$3.44 million budget sometime after the meeting opens at 6 p.m. at City Hall. The budget is about 4.7 percent larger than the current budget.

Also on tap for next Wednesday is a visit from a developer who wants to discuss East Idaho Avenue access to the old wrecking yard property at the east entrance of town. The council also will discuss the costs of improving and fencing Sundance Park’s auxiliary parking as well as purchasing property for the entrance to the parking lot. The city also announced how much development and maintenance of the city website will cost. The city and Homedale Chamber of Commerce have evenly split \$800 for the setup expense and will also share equally in the \$162 annual maintenance bill.



Lynda Gammett, mother of Farmers Inn owner Janet Peltzer, helps her daughter run the barely re-opened bar on Idaho Ave in Homedale. The “Homedale Cash Store” sign — remnants of a business from the early days of Homedale — will not be removed, but covered with signage for Farmers Inn.

Farmers Inn reopens under new ownership

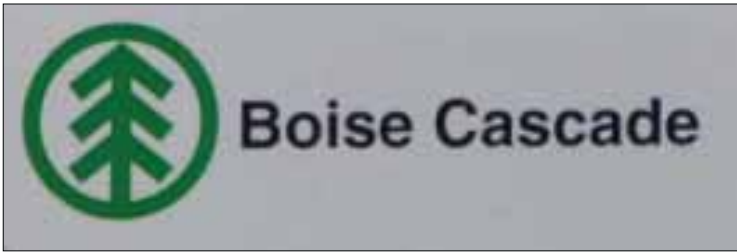
Homedale bar had been closed since 2011 for repairs

The Farmers Inn on West Idaho Avenue in Homedale closed its doors in June 2011 for extensive remodeling, and opened again three weeks ago under new management. Former owner Robert Harris sold Farmers Inn to Janet Peltzer. Both are long-time Homedale residents who now live in Nampa. With help from her family, Peltzer renovated the bar, fixing the heating and cooling system and bringing in painters and electricians. Peltzer works full time as a gas technician. Her mother, Lynda Gammett, has experience owning a bar as well, and now plans to help her daughter operate this one. “She’s just a good-hearted person and wants to see her daughter succeed,” Peltzer said. Harris had owned Farmers Inn for 13 years before closing it in 2011 for much-needed repairs.

He said he fully intended to sell it at the time. “It needed remodeling and repairing, and I was waiting for someone smarter and a (heck) of a lot younger to take it over. Let the young people do it,” Harris said with a laugh. Harris has been retired for 15 years. Harris now spends a lot of time helping with the George D. Vanderhoff American Legion Post 32’s beer garden for the Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo. He said he can rest easy because the Farmers Inn is being taken care of. “I think she (Peltzer) will do real good with it, and I hope she does,” he said. Peltzer grew up in Homedale, but now lives in Nampa with her husband, Michael, and their three sons, Ezri, 18, Cody, 15, and Michael, Jr., 9. The Farmers Inn is open everyday at 11 a.m. and will close according to customer traffic. It is located at 18 W. Idaho Ave. in Homedale, and questions can be directed to Janet Peltzer at (208) 713-1086. For more information, visit farmersinn.webs.com. —RAD


Homedale wood products factory seeks DEQ permit modification


Boise Cascade wants to change plant’s name, too



A name change is among the reasons Boise Cascade Wood Products LLC has petitioned the state for air quality permit modification on its Homedale wood products plant. Homedale Beam and Deck Plant is the proposed new name of the operation Boise Cascade purchased from Filler King two years ago. The plant is located on East Pioneer Road. Boise Cascade also wants to increase the plant’s capacity to process laminated beams through some modifications to a radio frequency press already in use. “The RF press will have some electronic controls that will allow for a little faster processing of the beams,” Boise Cascade regional human resources director Steve

Lyon said. “Our project is that it should increase our production 2.1 percent.” Boise Cascade uses certain chemicals and resins in the construction of laminated beams and decking at the Homedale plant. The company wants to change the allowable levels of some chemicals. DEQ requires that emissions must remain within the limits set by the original 2008 permit. Lyon said that there will be no new construction at the plant. The Idaho Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) will take public comment on the permit modification application until 5 p.m. on Thursday, Aug. 15. A copy of the permit application is available for review on the DEQ website, www.deq.idaho.gov, as a component of the press release in the news archives section of the site. The public can submit requests for a 30-day comment period and also send questions regarding the public comment process to Tessa Stevens in the DEQ state office’s Air Quality Division: • Postal mail: 1410 N. Hilton, Boise, ID 836706 • Email: tessa.stevens@deq.idaho.gov — JPB





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Marsing High School senior-to-be Austin Williams looks out on the arena in Rock Springs, Wyo., during last month's National High School Finals Rodeo. Photo by Kimberly Moore

Busy Williams back to defend bareback crown at home rodeo

County rodeo one of his last rides before fall calls

No matter what he's involved in, Austin Williams gives everything he has to it.

Knowing that, it's surprising the incoming Marsing High School senior has anything left for the Owyhee County Rodeo.

The 16-year-old cowboy/baseball player/football player/wrestler comes into Thursday night's go-round as the county rodeo's reigning bareback bronc champion.

He won the championship last summer as a novice, something that an Idaho Cowboys Association rule change makes impossible this year.

"There aren't many novice

rodeos, so you have to enter the open," he said. "It was just like a regular rodeo for me."

Williams won last year's title with a 75-point ride aboard Spirit from the Homedale rodeo contractor Gene King.

"I'll get on anything pretty much," Williams said of the stock he's seen.

His best ride came in the Homedale long go aboard another King bronc named Fergie.

"He was a good bucking horse, and I had 88 points on him," Williams said. "King's horses are usually good, so they all buck."



Austin Williams

Now, the multi-sport athlete is chasing the ICA bareback rookie of the year award, and he has made quite the go of it.

Williams moved up one spot to fourth in the latest ICA bareback standings.

With few rodeos remaining before Williams has to report to high school football camp, the season title is out of reach. The rookie buckle, however, is in his sights — as long as he keeps Marsing Rodeo Club and MHS football teammate Lorenzo Lankow behind him.

He'll make one of his last rides at New Plymouth on Friday, which is his birthday, and hopes to be back in Homedale on Saturday for the championship short-go.

Although Williams is quite a ways behind ICA event leader

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Local flavor permeates jam-packed ICA rodeo

Three Owyhee champions back for more this year

Competitors from all over the Intermountain West make trails to Homedale each year for the Owyhee County Rodeo, but local champions also seem to rise to the surface.

Three men from Owyhee country brought home buckles last year, and it's a safe bet that local cowboys and cowgirls will be in the running again this year in the Idaho Cowboys Association-sanctioned professional rodeo. Competitors can also earn points in the Northwest Professional Rodeo Association and the Pro-West Rodeo Association standings.

More than 430 competitors signed up for the rodeo, which

began with a jam-packed slack performance Sunday and continues with three long go performances on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. The top competitors (eight best scores in each rough stock event and top 10 performers in timed events) return Saturday for the championship short go.

The gates open at 7 p.m. each night with pre-rodeo at 7:30 p.m. and the professional action starting at 8 p.m.

Local television station KTRV Channel 12 once again will tape the action and broadcast a 90-minute championship recap show from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. on Sunday, Aug. 25.

The 2013-14 Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo queen will be crowned during Friday's performance. There are four

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Marsing barrel racer Ria Kent praises her horse in Sunday's slack. Photo by WT Bruce Photography

Entries still available for most local events

Mutton bustin' field full, bursting with 81 youth

Entries are still being taken for nearly every event scheduled for the local portion of the Owyhee County Rodeo.

Secretary Keri Garrett said

Sunday that she'll continue to field calls about openings in kids' steer riding, the wild horse race, wild cow milking and local team roping.

Call Garrett at (208) 412-7326 to enter the local events. A note on the rodeo's website says that there has been some problems with the rodeo office landline.

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Pro rodeo gets early start in Homedale

Rimrock grad hovers near top in two events

The professional portion of the Owyhee County Rodeo launched Sunday with the Idaho Cowboys Association slack.

Rimrock High School graduate Sierra Ridley registered the second-fastest time during a barrel racing session that featured 63 contestants.

Current ranked second in the ICA standings, Ridley timed in at 17.641 seconds, more than two-tenths of a second behind top rider Cindy Woods (17.425).

Ridley also sits third in breakaway roping with a 3.3-second effort, which is a half-second behind Bailey Minor's leading time.

The ICA rodeo continues tonight with the first

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Sports



The Garrett family, from left, Kambell, Keiser, Kinlee, Kasey, Keri and Krew. Submitted photo

Keri Garrett will step down after this year’s go-round

Rodeo secretary has been vital part of event since 2009

Keri Garrett has decided to leave the Owyhee County Rodeo secretary post after this year’s event, which began Sunday with slack and continues today through Saturday in Homedale.

The Homedale resident has been the rodeo’s advertising and promotion secretary since 2009. She took over the rodeo secretary duties two years ago when Ilene Canning stepped down.

“It was a great opportunity to be involved in the community and be able to work from home so I could still be with our kids,” Garrett said of the opportunity that arose in 2008.

Garrett and her husband Kasey have four children: Kambell (8), Kinlee (6) and Krew (1½).

She set out with a plan to take pressure off board members by streamlining communication with the rodeo’s sponsors.

“I wanted to simply put a system in place,” she said.

“It was so hard for the board members, who all have full-time jobs, to find the sponsors and then follow up with them to get them invoiced and to gather their logos, ads, flags, signs, etc. So I feel like I was successful in doing that.”

When she took over from Canning in 2011, Garrett was able to build a close relationship with the men and women who are directly tied to the execution and excitement of the week-long rodeo, including contestants, judges, timers, announcer, contractors, volunteers and other rodeo boards.

“There are so many things to do to put on a rodeo. I love how everyone pitches in to get it all done,” she said. “It just takes someone to keep track and organize it all.

“It’s all such a whirlwind, but at the end of the week it’s so awesome to look back and know that we accomplished so much and put on a successful rodeo once again.”

But with her daughters getting ready to join 4-H, Garrett knew that the 2013 rodeo would have to be her last go-round – for now.

“Our girls will start 4-H next year, and I’m pretty sure that will consume our fair/rodeo week,” she said.

It’s a safe bet, though, that the rodeo will never stray far from Garrett’s thoughts.

“I’m hoping that when we are in a different stage of life and I have some time to spare, the rodeo board will take me back,” she said. “I just love being involved and it was a great chance to work with some remarkable people.”

Garrett said there are some candidates to become the next secretary, but rodeo board members won’t take up the issue until after this year’s event.

✓ Local: Champions return

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While Garrett continues to take entries for most local rodeo events, mutton bustin’ is closed. There are 81 competitors split between the four pre-rodeo performance to be held today through Saturday at the rodeo arena at the Owyhee County Fairgrounds in Homedale.

“I am still getting so many calls for that event,” Garrett said. “I think we’re one of the few rodeos where the kids can win so much money and a buckle.”

The top four riders from the week earn money with the champion among the 5- to 7-year-old competitors winning nearly \$200 and a buckle.

So far, 18 youths ages 8-13 have entered the steer riding. The entry fee is \$23.

There are two teams entered for Friday night’s wild horse race, including two-thirds of last year’s championship team. Wayne Bayes and Seth Bayes will be joined this year by Justin Bayes. The only other three-man team in the challenge thus far is Tony Rhoades, Edward Hershberger and Kent Baggon.

Wild horse race entry is \$33.

Four two-man teams have signed up for Saturday’s wild cow milking, including Steve Hutchings, who was part of the runner-up team a year ago. It costs \$28 to enter the competition.

The local team roping competition features 38 pairs of headers and heelers. More teams can rope for \$23 per man. Ropers must have an American Cowboy Team Roping Association number with a handicap no better than 3½ and one roper must reside in Owyhee County or within the boundaries of a school district serving Owyhee County, the Jordan Valley School District or the Adrian School District.

Last year’s championship team is back but roping with new partners. Kasey Garrett will team with Annie Smith on Friday, while Cole Twedt ropes with Todd Twedt in Saturday’s final round.

Also scheduled to hit the arena Saturday night is Homedale resident and former county commissioner George Hyer, who was seriously injured in a May 2010 roping accident. He’ll rope with Mike Hyer.

— JPB

✓ Rodeo: Former world champ in the mix

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long go performance. Gates open at 7 p.m. with pre-rodeo at 7:30 p.m. and the main event starting at 8 p.m.

Other long go performances are scheduled for the same time on Thursday and Friday. The championship short go starts at 8 p.m. on Saturday.

In other slack action from Sunday in Homedale:

- JW Rose roped his calf in 10.7 seconds to jump to an early lead in the tie down roping. Owyhee County ropers Bo Pickett and Justin Jarvis notched no times.

- Two teams tied for the top times in team roping. Jason Minor and Spencer Rutherford put down the identical 5.4-second run as Cody Yerrington and BJ Roberts. Former world champion Doyle Gellerman teamed with Ryan Powell for a six-second effort and sit in fourth place.

Local ropers included Ryan Bruce and Brian Grenke, Josh Bruce with Matt Funk, Dirk Jim and Dalton Jim, Richard Eiguren with Jason Duby, and Bryan Reay with Austin Tomaski. All those teams failed to post a qualifying time.

- Adrian’s Maddy Pendergrass received no time as part of the 75-entrant breakaway roping field. Only 20 percent of the competitors notched qualifying times Sunday.

- B.J. Campbell leads the steer wrestling after taking down his animal in 5.1 seconds Sunday. Adrian’s Bryan Reay didn’t register a time.

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Sports

✓ Williams: State champ shines at NHSFR

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Orlun McGuffin, he does have his share of triumphs this summer.

He won bareback titles in Vale, Ore., and Weiser last month. He split second and third with Lankow in Council two weeks ago.

He started the summer by grabbing the Idaho High School Rodeo Association state championship in Pocatello and then finishing strong in the National High School Finals Rodeo last month in Rock Springs, Wyo.

"It was good," the son of Kimberly Moore said. "I was a little depressed."

He finished 14th in the average and competed in the championship short-go.

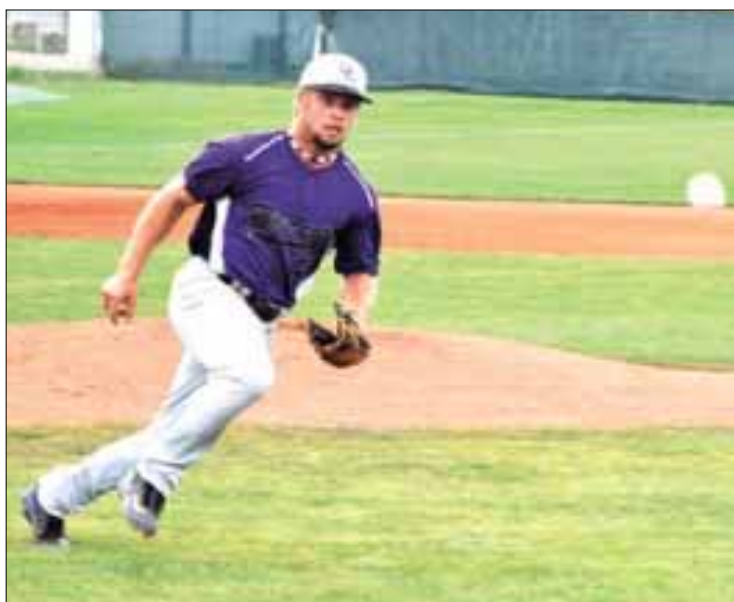
But Williams admits he didn't do as well as he wanted to, and a judge's call in his second go-round on the morning of July 20 kept him from a better finish in the average. The judge ruled that Williams didn't mark out on his bronc, a National Finals Rodeo horse named Elvis from Frontier Rodeo Co., and his second ride was wiped out with no score.

He came into the second go-round as one to watch after notching the top score in the first go.

"I would have won the second round on that horse," Williams said.

Williams scored 68 in the opening performance of the rodeo on Sunday, July 14, then had to wait around until the following Saturday for his second go.

"There was *nothing* to do in Rock Springs," he said. "I just



Austin Williams the rodeo cowboy has shown he can stay on a bareback mount. As proven during the Owyhee Rivercats' recent American Legion tournament game, when necessary Austin Williams the pitcher can get off the baseball mound.

went swimming and hung out with my friends from Idaho because I didn't know anybody else."

His second go came just hours before the championship round on July 20. Despite the poor draw, Williams rebounded for a seventh-place finish in the short go.

He hopes to continue his string of success in Homedale, not that he'll have a lot of down time.

A member of Marsing FFA, Williams is also showing a pig at the Owyhee County Fair.

Being busy is nothing new, though.

He juggled American Legion baseball with his rodeo schedule in the summer, and he's staring down a new assignment as tailback as the Huskies' football team tackles the Wing-T offense

this fall in search of more success on top of last year's appearance in the 2A state semifinals.

Williams also will return to the Marsing wrestling team after competing in the 1A-2A state tournament last season.

Then there's a senior season as pitching ace for the Huskies' baseball team, which also played in the state tournament.

Even with that busy agenda ahead, Williams is making plans for the future.

He wants to try his hand at rodeo in college, but he doesn't have much need to do anything other than bareback broncs.

"I just have one job to do: Ride a horse and do the best you can," he said.

— JPB

✓ ICA: Circuit's top-ranked competitors coming to town

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contestants vying to succeed Queen Bonnie Crisci of Caldwell. This year's contestants include Samantha Woods of Homedale and Nampa residents Bailey Wolford, Madelyn Allen and Miranda Wilkins. They'll ride in the grand entry each night, with Wednesday being reserved for the horsemanship judging.

The local rodeo includes local team roping, in which one member must reside within the boundaries of a school district serving Owyhee County or within the Adrian or Jordan Valley school districts, wild cow milking, a wild horse race, and — for the youths — mutton bustin' and steer riding.

Thursday night is Kick Cancer night and competitors as well as fans are encouraged to wear pink to raise awareness for the fight against cancer.

Several rodeo competitors with local ties hope to make the grade for Saturday's pro rodeo show.

It won't be easy, though, because some of the top ICA money leaders will ride into town to compete in bull riding, bareback broncs, saddle broncs, ranch broncs, tie down roping, team roping, barrel racing, steer wrestling and breakaway roping.

Homedale-based King Cattle Co. provides the rodeo stock.

There are 12 bareback contestants, including ICA money leader Orlun McGuffin. McGuffin is one of four competitors set to open bareback rodeo Wednesday night.

Reigning Owyhee County bareback champion Austin Williams of Marsing (No. 4 in the ICA standings) is up Thursday night along with high school classmate Lorenzo Lankow (No. 6). Williams, who has a couple ICA victories this season, won the high school state championship earlier this year and is leading Lankow for the divisional ICA rookie of the year buckle.

The saddle bronc competition has a decidedly local flavor even if last year's co-champion, Bryan Martinat of Marsing, won't be back. The 2012 co-titlist, Cliff Toone, is second to Cody Allred in the ICA standings, and they'll compete head-to-head Thursday night. Locals in the ICA standings include third-place Dusty Easterday of Jordan Valley, who will ride Friday, and sixth-place Chris Cowger of Melba, who will compete Wednesday. Homedale's Richie Lyons will climb in the chute for Thursday's long go.

Twenty-two men will take up the challenge of riding bulls from stock contractor King Cattle Co., from Homedale.

Reigning champion Jarrett Nelson, the only cowboy with a short go ride a year ago, climbs aboard Thursday night, while current ICA leader Cody Brixey goes Friday. Several locals will take their turns in the chute, too, including Hudson Sauer and ICA No. 6 Chase Robbins (Thursday) and Andy Greeley and Josh and Ricky Sullivan (Friday). A rookie, Sullivan is ranked eighth in the ICA standings.

The tie down roping field is crowded with dozens of contestants, including Homedale's Aaron Marts on Wednesday (currently third in the ICA), Jordan Valley's Brandan Mackenzie and Sam Mackenzie Jr. on Thursday and Adrian, Ore.'s Tyler Reay, Marsing's Kirby and Kelsey Cook and reigning champion Rob Webb taking their shots Friday.

The Mackenzies also compete in steer wrestling Thursday, while Marsing's Scott Roeser is entered Wednesday night. Reigning champion Carl Seiders of Adrian, Ore., is scheduled for Friday. Sam Mackenzie Jr. is second in the ICA rankings and Brandan is ninth.

Current ICA breakaway roping leader Jordan Crossley will be one of the first Owyhee competitors Wednesday along with Roeser's sister, Kallie.

Wednesday is also the night to see ICA barrel racing leader Callahan Crossley, while 2012 Owyhee champion Samantha Porteier competes Friday night.

Nearly 150 pairs entered the team roping with 44 competing in Sunday's slack.

Local ropers pepper the three long go performances, including Homedale's Tim Mackenzie and Ben Badiola on Wednesday, Josh Mackenzie and Sam Mackenzie Jr. and Tyler and Kade Eiguren on Thursday, and Mike Pendergrass and Mike Eiguren and the father-son duo of Kelsey Cook and Doug Cook on Friday. Also running Friday is last year's championship team of John Hagler and Trevor McCain.

Fifteen contestants are lined out for three ranch bronc long go performances, including brothers Tom and John Richards of Reynolds Creek on Thursday and Jordan Valley's Nathan Easterday on Friday.

Also on tap are performances for novice bareback (Wednesday and Friday) and novice saddle bronc (Thursday and Friday).



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Deputies make three drunk driving arrests

Two men jailed after accidents

A Nampa man will be in court Monday to face a felony drunk driving charge.

William Clare Ross Howard, 32, will appear in Magistrate Court in Murphy at 1:30 p.m. Monday after his second driving under the influence arrest in Owyhee County since 2005.

Owyhee County Sheriff's Deputy Larry Kendrick arrested Howard shortly before 1 a.m. on July 28 outside Murphy. He was also charged with misdemeanor open container and failure to purchase a driver's license charges after Kendrick stopped Howard's 1989 Oldsmobile near the intersection of Idaho highway 78 and Oreana Loop Road.

OCSO Chief Deputy Lynn Bowman said the DUI charge was upgraded to a felony because of Howard's previous offense. Howard spent two days in jail and received a suspended six-month jail sentence in January 2006. He had been arrested after an accident in July 2005.

He remains in custody in Owyhee County Jail in Murphy.

Sheriff's deputies arrested two other men on suspicion of DUI

after auto accidents recently.

Shortly after 11 p.m. on July 28, 21-year-old Eriberto Garcia was found injured in a wrecked 1989 Chevrolet Caprice on Graveyard Point outside Homedale.

Bowman said Deputy Terry McGrew found the Homedale resident outside the vehicle, which had careened through a fence and also had sheared a power pole. Homedale Ambulance was dispatched, but Garcia wasn't transported.

McGrew arrested Garcia for misdemeanor DUI. Garcia was released from jail a day later.

Caldwell resident Alberto Loera Gonzalez, 36, was released from jail on July 29, two days after his DUI arrest after a property damage accident in the parking lot of the Phipps-Watson Marsing American Legion Community Center.

Bowman said Gonzalez was driving on a suspended license when he backed his white 1994 Ford pickup into another vehicle.

McGrew cited Gonzalez for misdemeanor DUI, failure to purchase a license and failure to provide proof of insurance.

Court records held no information on Gonzalez's next court appearance.

— JPB

Sheriff's office unveils new UTV

Fairgoers will notice a new addition to the Owyhee County Sheriff's Office motor pool this week.

Through a \$14,000 Idaho Sheriff's Association grant, the sheriff's office has acquired a utility task vehicle (UTV).

While the UTV will be in use at the fairgrounds in Homedale this week, Chief Deputy Lynn Bowman said the unit will be dedicated to off-highway vehicle enforcement and search and rescue operations.

Sgt. Kenny Hoagland oversees the county's OHV program.

With the \$14,000 grant, Hoagland was able to obtain the UTV and equip it with decaling, a heater and a winch.

Bowman said medical supplies and emergency lights will be added.

Laughter Festival set Saturday in Marsing


Local Laughter Yoga leader Patti Sexton is putting together a free Laughter Festival.

The festival will be held from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday at Marsing Island Park.

According to Sexton's flier, there will be laughter games, Laughter Yoga and family fun.

A 10x10 vending space is available for \$5. Call (208) 899-6037 to reserve a spot.

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Homedale Highway District continues working hard

New equipment, personnel come aboard

The Homedale Highway District has three people in charge of 92 miles of road, a bridge and numerous signs.

It's a job they take seriously and work hard at.

But the HHD just purchased a new \$70,000 DuraPatcher to make fixing potholes faster and easier, saving money and labor in the long run.

The DuraPatcher took the place of the loader that was used to fill potholes in areas of HHD's jurisdiction.

Instead of mixing oil with gravel in a yard then taking the mixture to the pothole, the Durapatcher mixes it on site, and allows workers to fix the pothole with just one truck and one nozzle.

"I think this is going to be our lucky charm," director of highways Stuart Constantine said. "It's maybe 20, 25 percent faster, and you don't waste anything. So far, it's a golden ticket. You can use it to fix potholes when the weather is bad, and you can't do that with a pug mill (a machine solely used to mix oil and gravel)."

"He's really excited about it (the Durapatcher)," HHD clerk and secretary Terri Uria said.

Constantine and HHD assistant director Dan Herman have used the DuraPatcher about three days a week since they got it at the beginning of June.

Uria, Constantine and Herman welcomed another recent addition to the HHD in May: subdistrict 2 commissioner Joel Wilson.



Homedale Highway District assistant director of highways Dan Herman uses the DuraPatcher to spray aggregate on Cemetery Road as director of highways Stuart Constantine watches for passing vehicles.



Left: Board chair Larry Prow (left) thanks outgoing commissioner John Demshar for his service. Right: Prow welcomes Demshar's successor, Joel Wilson, onto the board. Submitted photos



Wilson was elected to fill John Demshar's old position for zone 2, joining Scott Salutregui and Larry Prow as the commissioners board that oversees the HHD.

"I'm excited to be working with Joel Wilson," said Uria, who has worked with the HHD for 33 years.

"I want to thank Joel for his

interest in running for (the commissioner seat)," Constantine said. "I look forward to working with him."

In the regular meeting on July 3, a fee schedule was passed, amid little public turnout. The fee schedule is built mostly to address future development, mainly of residential subdivisions. The

Owyhee Avalanche reported last month that Demshar was instrumental in working out the idea with Constantine and Prow. The fees range from a \$2,000 fee for a commercial approach or an approach for three or more residential properties to \$25 for the initial application to establish a no-spray zone.

Constantine has been the director of highways since October, but has lived in southwest Idaho for 57 years. He previously worked for the Canyon Highway and the Golden Gate Highway districts. He and his wife, Joyce, have been married for 38 years and have three children together, Brooke, 33, Judd, 27, and Hailey, 23.

"I enjoy the area," he said. "Working here, it's such a tight-knit community. It's really nice."

Herman moved to Homedale from Marsing with his wife, Jolyn, and their 1-year-old son, Mason. He earned his associate's degree in industrial tech from Treasure Valley Community College in Ontario, Ore. He has been working in road construction for eight years.

Uria works from home as the HHD clerk secretary, a position she has fulfilled since 1984.

"I've never missed a regular meeting in 29 years," she said. "That's how seriously I take my job."

Terri and her husband Ric, who owns Uria Pump, live in Homedale, where Terry has lived since 1975. The couple has three daughters, two still in Idaho and one who lives in Nevada.

The highway district commissioners meet the first Wednesday of every month at their at the district office, located at 102 E. Colorado Ave. in Homedale.

Tonight's meeting starts at 8 and includes a visit from Owyhee County Sheriff Perry Grant to discuss remedies to producers' irrigation water spraying the district's roadways as well as the possible rental of a building.

—RAD

City of Homedale will piggyback district's seal coat work

Project to start Tuesday

A Boise-based contractor will begin seal coat work on 7½ miles of Homedale Highway District roadway Tuesday.

District commissioners accepted C&A Paving's \$147,500 bid during a special meeting on July 9.

The bid, which was the only estimate to come in, is for work on Johnstone Road between Idaho highway 19 and Cemetery Road,

and on Hill Road from River Road to Gully Road, and half a mile of Thompson Road just east of Homedale city limits.

During its July 25 meeting, the Homedale City Council authorized public works supervisor Larry Bauer to spend up to \$6,000 to get

the part of Johnstone Road within the city limits seal coated during the same C&A Paving project. Bauer said he hadn't planned to seal coat this year, but wanted to take advantage of the crew being in town.

Bauer also said that C&A has

been buying municipal water from the city for a Golden Gate Highway District project to rebuild Hoskins Road in Canyon County.

Bauer said C&A could buy up to 60,000 gallons at the municipal rate of \$1.50 per 1,000 gallons.



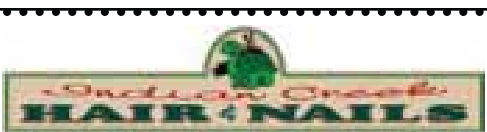
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Homedale band boosters continue fundraising efforts

Farmers market adds weekly entertainment

The Homedale Band Booster Club's summertime of fundraising will drift into the school year.

The boosters' farmers market continues each Saturday at Bette Uda City Park and keeps picking up new vendors and attractions.

During the final market of July, band member Ben Holloway entertained shoppers and vendors alike with music on the saxophone and fiddle.

Also during the July 27 market, young Todd Thatcher added to the list of 15 regular vendors at the market. He was selling chocolate chip cookies and water for a pretty good cause.

"He did very well, and I am sure he earned enough money to buy the Spider-Man 3 game he was working for," band boosters president Denise Dixon said.

The market continues from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. each Saturday through Oct. 26.

Market organizers continually seek new vendors and are now looking for people to provide weekly entertainment. Dixon said the band boosters will put \$20 into the student account of any band member who signs up for entertainment. The student account funds are available to buy shoes, a shirt, band camp fees and instrument needs.

"There is still time to join as a vendor," Dixon said.

She added that because the market season is at its midway point, the vendor fee is less and vendors will pay only five percent of their sales each week.

"Remember, all the money goes back into the band," she said. "You can also put your earnings for the week into a band student account to help pay for band needs."

For more information on becoming involved with the farmers market, contact Dixon at (208) 840-0440 or ddixon222@msn.com.

The Homedale music department also has a website, homedalemusic.weebly.com, that is active but still under construction.

The band also is planning two taco feeds to coincide with upcoming back-to-school nights in the Homedale School District. The events at the high school and middle school give patrons a chance to meet new staff members.

The first is scheduled for 6 p.m. on Monday, Aug. 26 at Homedale High School. The band will sell a dinner of two tacos, two sides and a drink for \$5. Side orders also will be available for \$1 each.

Among the new personnel that will be on hand to greet parents and others will be HHS principal Dion Flaming and the district's new band and choir director, Skyler Krall.

No date for the middle school back-to-school night has been set, but the band will also sponsor a taco feed at that event.



Ben Holloway, right, gains a young fan with his fiddle playing.

DU chapter plans membership shoot

The Owyhee County chapter of Ducks Unlimited will hold a fun shoot at a local gun range to drum up membership.

The membership drive and shoot takes place at 10 a.m. on Sunday, Aug. 18 at Idaho Sporting Clays, 5040 Sage Road outside Homedale.

The entry fee is \$25 and includes a one-year DU membership, one round of sporting clays, lunch, a DU bag and door prize

drawings for all ages.

Participants should bring 50 shells for the shoot. RSVP is mandatory and can be done with Dave Ellis at (208) 573-1704.

Several Owyhee County businesses are sponsoring the event, including Moxie Java, Pruett Tire, Matteson's, Tolmie's Ace Hardware, Pruett Lumber, NAPA Owyhee Auto Supply, Patriot Pawn and Gun, Snake River RV Resort and AG West Dairy Services.



Homedale Police Officer Andrew Arnold administers a field sobriety test to a volunteer during last week's training as, in the background, instructor Dean Matlock observes Owyhee County Sheriff's Deputy Larry Kendrick do a similar test on another volunteer.

ISP instructors bring impaired driving detection to Homedale

Course typically offered in state's bigger cities

Homedale Police and Owyhee County Sheriff's personnel sat in on an Idaho State Police-led impaired driving class without hitting the road.

In a rare occurrence that at least one instructor would like to see become more common, the ISP brought a two-day Advanced Roadside Impaired Driving Enforcement (ARIDE) course to Homedale.

ISP state impaired driving coordinator Sgt. Dean Matlock — the nephew of former Homedale High School boys' basketball coach Gary Matlock — said the ARIDE program is aimed at helping law enforcement personnel detect sources of impairment other than alcohol and how each may effect a driver.

Those sources may include illegal substances such as cannabis and hallucinogens, prescription drugs such as anti-depressants and painkillers and other substances such as stimulants and inhalants.

"There are just as many medically impaired drivers as alcohol-impaired drivers," Matlock said, adding that people who abuse prescription drugs are the third-highest category of impaired drivers now behind alcohol and marijuana.

The 20-hour course (12 hours on July 30 and eight hours last Wednesday) also strives to help law enforcement personnel distinguish between what may seem like impairment and what

really could be a medical condition affecting the driver.

Owyhee County Sheriff's Deputies Larry Kendrick and Terry McGrew joined Homedale Police Cpl. Atanacio Montes and HPD Officers Christopher Jacob and Andrew Arnold in the two-day course held at Homedale City Hall.

ISP training specialist Cpl. Chris Glenn also helped conduct the class. The program on which ISP bases the course was developed by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration with input from the International Association of Chiefs of Police.

During the first day of the course, three citizen volunteers drank hard liquor and beer under Matlock's supervision and then underwent field sobriety tests at the direction of the five law enforcement personnel. That exercise also helped the deputies and officers hone updates to field sobriety testing techniques.

The deputies and police officers were tasked with trying to figure out what the approximate blood-alcohol content might be in each of their subjects. Matlock monitored each volunteer's BAC throughout the day.

Matlock first approached Homedale Police Chief Jeff Eidemiller about bringing the course to Homedale when the chief was attending phlebotomy school in Meridian.

Matlock said that having the training in rural areas saves on local resources because local police chiefs and sheriffs don't have to find replacement patrolmen to allow their employees to travel to Meridian for the class.

He added that studies show that there is more drinking — and by association probably more impaired driving — per capita in rural areas than urban areas because there are fewer things to do.

"The smaller agencies get lost in the fray because (state officials) bring the training into larger areas," Eidemiller said. "It's pretty important and very appropriate for the state police to bring this high-caliber training to the area."

Matlock said last week's ARIDE training is the "middle ground" in the hierarchy of ISP courses. The standardized field sobriety test class began in the 1980s and a drug recognition expert (DRE) program was instituted 17 years ago.

A DRE-trained officer can testify in court on what type of impairment is in question and the specific effects it would have on a driver.

Matlock said that the volunteers also get something out of the ARIDE training. Specifically, most come away with a better understanding of how alcohol can affect them. The officers and deputies involved in last week's training shuttled home the three volunteers after the July 27 training.

Eidemiller said the general public — especially those who think they can beat a field sobriety test — should also get a message from the training.

"They can sit around and think about how to get out of it all they want," he said. "It's a futile effort."

— JPB

MRW volunteers plan fundraiser

A Murphy-Reynolds-Wilson Fire and Quick Response Unit fundraiser will be held Saturday, Aug. 24 in Givens.

A barbecue, silent auction and dance will be held at Givens Hot Springs, 11309 Hwy. 78.

The volunteer department also will kick off a raffle for a quilt made by Murphy resident Char-

lene Nettleton.

Another raffle will carry the prize of a life-size, three-dimensional piece of cowboy metal artwork by Homedale's Merrill Ebbers.

The fundraiser also will include children's activities and a baked goods sale.

Raffle tickets will cost \$1 each

or six for \$5.

Idyl Time of Boise will play live bluegrass, and band member Ava Honey will call square dance.

Proceeds benefit the MRW Fire and QRU programs.

For more information, call MRW women's auxiliary chair Jackie Benson at 340-1006.

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Homedale school registration continues

High school office opens Monday

Online registration for the new year at Homedale High School continues for underclassmen beginning today.

Registration is available beginning at noon each day. Juniors register today, sophomores Thursday and freshmen Friday.

The school’s main office will open 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. beginning

Monday. Shawn Beebe is the new secretary/bookkeeper and will be available to answer questions.

Returning student registration will take place between 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. on Thursday, Aug. 15 inside the school cafeteria.

New students can register between Aug. 16 and Aug. 20 in the attendance office inside

Elementary gears up for new year

Parents can make arrangements to meet their children’s teachers during Homedale Elementary School registration Monday.

Registration will be held from 2 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the school, 420 W. Washington Ave.

Principal Terri Vasquez said parents must come in at that time to register their children and update contact information.

The parents also will sign up for a time slot during the Meet the Teacher night slated for between 5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Monday, Aug. 19.

Classes for all Homedale School District students begin on Wednesday, Aug. 21. Supply lists for all five grade levels are available on the elementary school’s page at www.homedaleschools.org.

Meet the Teacher night will not be an open house-style event, Vasquez said.

Each teacher will have five 25-minute information sessions in their classrooms for new students and their parents.

At that time, families will receive a new HES student handbook and will be apprised of grade-level and classroom expectations and procedures.

“We are asking that students

bring their school supplies on that night to put away in their desks and classrooms so they don’t have to worry about it on the first day of school,” Vasquez said.

School supply lists for grades first through fourth are available at www.homedaleschools.org.

Families with more than one student in the school will be able to sign up for additional sessions with other teachers throughout the evening.

“This is a very important night for students, families, and teachers,” Vasquez said. “We want to start the year with everyone knowing expectations, rules, procedures, and feeling comfortable with teachers and classrooms.

“We want to build those relationships with students and families before school starts instead of in October at fall parent/teacher conferences.”

The Parent-Teacher Organization will provide refreshments during Meet the Teacher night.

Vasquez also said that class lists will not be posted on school doors this year as in the past. Parents will find out their child’s teacher at Monday’s registration.

Two days of HMS registration slated

Registration for fifth- through eighth-graders who will attend Homedale Middle School takes place Monday and Tuesday.

Registration will be held at the school, 3437 Johnstone Road, from 2 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Monday and from 8 a.m. to noon and from 2 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Tuesday.

Seventh- and eighth-graders can enroll online at www.homedaleschools.org either from home, or inside the school’s computer lab, which will be open during registration times.

Sixth-grade students already have been assigned home rooms, but must register at school to select their trade classes.

All fifth-graders have been assigned their classes. Parents are encouraged to register between 5 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Tuesday

in order to meet the fifth-grade teachers and tour the school and home room class.

Parents can enroll students, pay for lunch accounts, and pay school fees. Only cash or a cashier’s check will be accepted. All new students must bring proof of residency, birth certificate and immunization records.

All seventh-grade students must have up-to-date immunization records including DTAP and Meningococcal vaccines before they will be allowed to enroll. Also, all seventh-graders interested in playing a sport this year must receive a sports physical before they are allowed to participate.

Supply lists for sixth- and seventh-graders have been posted to the middle school page at www.homedaleschools.org.

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August 10, 1988

Bass blasts state official for waiver of law for ESII

Richard Bass, chairman of the Owyhee County Board of Commissioners, late Monday blasted the head of the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare, Rich Donovan, for granting a waiver to Envirosafe Services of Idaho for the burial at its facility near Grand View of 171 barrels of toxic wastes that exceed limits allowing disposal here under Idaho law.

Bass pointed out that the Legislature of the State of Idaho has passed a law intended to prohibit what a state bureaucrat has just allowed through issuance of the special waiver.

Bass maintained that the bureaucratic justification for granting the waiver was that it would be too hazardous and costly for ESII to truck the toxic waste elsewhere. But he said if they could truck it in, they could truck it out again, particularly in view of Idaho’s new hazardous waste law “which was really specific” in its built-in protections for the health and safety of citizens.

Dig underway at Silver City’s “Chinatown”

The Chinatown of Idaho’s historic Silver City is one of several sites being excavated this summer by the University of Idaho’s Alfred W. Bowers Laboratory of Anthropology. Dr. Roderick Sprague, who is leading the archaeological dig, will wind up field research Friday.

The project is co-sponsored by the Owyhee County Historical Society with funding from the Idaho Humanities Council, the Idaho Centennial Commission, the University of Idaho, the Idaho Historical Society, the Bureau of Land Management, the John Calhoun Smith Foundation and private donations.

There are three basic purposes to this year’s project. The first is to continue the archaeological study of Silver City. Specifically, work is focusing on Chinatown and around the Lincoln Mill site. The second purpose involves research for the development of an outdoor interpretive exhibit at the Lincoln Mill. The third purpose continues a program for Idaho’s high school teachers in which they can participate and learn about historical and archaeological research.

Funds granted

Filler-King granted \$67,000. Idaho Governor Cecil Andrus on Monday announced that a \$67,000 grant is being awarded through the Idaho Department of Commerce to assist the Filler-King Company near Homedale with building improvements needed to help create 18 jobs for area workers.

Owyhee County and Homedale authorities, including Homedale Mayor Paul Fink, had been working for approval of the funding to assist the new local company, which is owned by Bud Filler and Wayne King. They purchased the old Hoff Forest Products plant outside Homedale earlier this year, and have already invested over \$800,000 preparing the building and installing equipment for the manufacture of glue laminated beams.

The first four assembly workers and one office worker are being hired at the plant this week.

Task Force gets \$25,000. The Economic Development Administration in the U.S. Commerce Department on Thursday awarded a grant of \$25,000 for studies and technical planning to help Homedale develop new strategies to stimulate business expansion and create more jobs.

Homedale Superintendent of Schools Ed Marshall, who heads the Homedale Economic Task Force that had been working to secure the federal aid, announced the news.

The federal funds will be supplemented by \$8,300 from local sources to finance a variety of engineering and planning activities to encourage new businesses to locate in Homedale and for existing businesses to expand.

The funds will also allow for a comprehensive look at Homedale’s infrastructure, such as water and sewer systems, streets and transportation patterns, to determine their adequacy in attracting more industry to locate here, according to Phil Coate, executive director of the Ida-Ore Planning Development Association in Boise.

50 years ago

August 8, 1963

Football practice to begin at Homedale August 20

Football uniforms will probably be issued Aug. 19, with practice beginning Aug. 20, according to School Supt. Deward Bell.

He said Football Coach Tony Dennis was recently married at Berkeley, Calif., and will arrive here next week to plan the beginning of practice.

Assistant Coach Dean Vance is presently attending the coaches’ clinic at Sun Valley.

4-night rodeo will feature new clown, announcer

A four-night rodeo, promising to be bigger and better than ever, will greet fans at Homedale August 21 at the Owyhee County Fair, according to Paul Zatica, a member of the rodeo board.

The rodeo will begin each night at 8 o’clock, and will feature the clown antics and bull-fighting of John Ward of Oklahoma City, a newcomer to western shows who traveled as a clown and bull-fighter with Casey Tibbs, famed rodeoer, on a European tour.

“Ward is a top performer, and the only reason we got him is his desire to start working shows here in the West,” Zatica said.

Bill Brumet, a veteran announcer of the Hells Canyon Rodeo at Weiser, will be announcer. He is known as a flying auctioneer in the Weiser area.

Improvements made at Owyhee Co. Fairgrounds

Many improvements have been made in the Owyhee County Fairgrounds this year.

New pens and bleachers were installed in the sheep barn. The beef and dairy barns have been renovated and new stall dividers installed in them. The beef wash rack has been divided so that more than two animals can be washed on one side.

The auctioneer’s stand has been renovated so that it is usable. A new gate and fence have been erected at the front of the grounds. The gates at each end of the rodeo grounds have been rebuilt, and a new fence with steel posts installed in front of the bleachers. The bleachers and the dairy barn are to be painted along with all new fences and repairs. The drain ditch through the parking lot has been tiled and will be backfilled.

‘Centennial’ Owyhee is parade theme

The Owyhee Wranglers will again be in charge of the Fair Parade to be held Saturday, Aug. 24.

“Centennial Owyhee” will be the theme. Parade time will be 10 a.m. All entries will be judged at 9:30 a.m. before the start of the parade, and all entries must be in line at that time to compete for prizes, according to Mrs. Margie Echevarria.

Farm Bureau names talent contest winners

In the Farm Bureau talent contest, the upper division prize went to Michael and Zella Jean Field, Grand View, for a dance, “Crazy Days of Summer.”

Karen Broomhall, Marsing, gave a piano solo, “Spring.” Michael Penrod, Marsing, gave a tap dance, “Bill Bailey.”

Senior division prize went to Terry Field, Grand View, for his solo with accompaniment, “My Coloring Book.”

Lynne Evans, Homedale, gave a piano solo, “Hark, Vesper Bells.”

First place in the lower division was given to Carey Inouye, Homedale, for his piano solo, “Memories,” and “Bursting Cloud.”

Drucy Meininger, Marsing, won 2nd for his tap dance to “Stepping Out With My Baby.”

Jeanette Meininger, Marsing, gave a flute solo, “Ciribiribin.”

Zella Jean Field of Grand View was Talk Meet winner for her speech entitled, “Who Shall Speak For Farmers?”

Mrs. Jack Hunt, Caldwell, and David Bivens, Payette, were judges.

140 years ago

August 9, 1873

HISTORY OF MOSQUITOES. Mosquitoes emigrated to this country in the year B.C. I.

They are the smallest fowl that navigate the air. Although not soaring as high as other fowls, they make some fouler sores than any other bird ever dreamed of.

They are not very devout, although they are birds of prey.

They are so tame they will come and eat out of a fellow’s hand. As songsters they are a success, making the sweetest sound ever heard.

We are sometimes constrained to lay awake all night to listen to their strains even if it is ever-so straining on us to do so.

If anyone doesn’t like their music he can lump it, and failing to do so, they will lump him; and if he gets “on his ear” about it, such proceeding is foolish, for they are very accommodating, and get on his ear for him.

Many a time have I laid on my downy bed (of straw) and listened to them as they sung “Come where my love lies dreaming;” “We won’t go home till morning,” till I’ve joined in the melody, singing “Shoo Fly,” and cheering them by clapping my hands together in the hope of giving the little sucker an affectionate squeeze.

THE BRITISH blood royal takes kindly to liberal salaries. The sons and daughters of the Monarch are fed and clothed with no stingy hand. Parliament now proposes to pay a salary of \$10,000 a month to the Duke of Edinburgh, who is son of the present Sovereign, and brother of the Heir Apparent, with no prospect that he will ever come to the throne, and with no better claim on the public treasury than any of the numerous progeny of Victoria. They number about a dozen, and at that rate the joint salaries of those, who have no reasonable hope of the Crown, will amount to more than \$1,000,000 annually. As Victoria has an accumulated fortune of millions and has a salary of a million, she might afford to support her own family.

THE AIR-SHIP which is to set out on its Transatlantic voyage will consist of two balloons, the largest of which will be 316 feet in circumference, 110 feet in height, and will hold 600,000 cubic feet of gas, having a lifting power of 11,000 pounds. The height of the entire apparatus when inflated and ready to start will be 160 feet. The car will be provided with a full equipment of instruments for scientific observation and will carry a lifeboat of the most approved construction. A covey of carrier pigeons will be dispatched at intervals during the voyage with intelligence of its progress.

SHARP PRACTICE. Deputy Sheriff S. H. Small, of Baker County, Oregon, arrived in town last Monday night with warrants of arrest for two men who had deserted from the U. S. Army, and subsequently robbed a store on Powder River, near Baker City. He tracked them to the vicinity of Silver City, and naturally came to the conclusion that he would find them here. While taking a tramp round town the next morning, Small espied the two fugitives sitting in front of Sommercamp’s saloon. They had just arrived on foot and were resting themselves. A dilemma now presented itself to the Oregon official. He could have his men arrested and put in charge of the Sheriff of Owyhee till such time as a requisition from the Governor of Oregon would demand them, but he wanted to keep the matter quiet, and if possible take the fellows back with him. A plan was finally hit upon, and worked admirably. Small got an acquaintance to hire the two chaps ostensibly to work on a ranch at Camp Lyon, which is about 20 miles from here, and just across the boundary line between Idaho and Oregon. Totally unsuspecting the trap that had been prepared for them, the two culprits left town in a wagon, followed by Small and assistant on horseback. As soon as they put foot on Oregon soil, the two ranch-hands were, of course, arrested and are now most likely bewailing their fate in the Baker County Jail. It was decidedly a case of sharp practice, and Mr. Small deserves credit for the successful manner in which he carried it out.

Commentary

Baxter Black, DVM



On the edge of common sense
The legend of bad guys

The West was peppered with bad guys whose conduct was misunderstood
Yet, today we treat them as heroes like they were a Robin Hood.
We tend to portray them as victims, who, through no fault of their own
Grew up to be convicts and perverts, but, hey, they were raised in a broken home.

They'd rob from the wealthy, it's storied. They'd plunder and steal for a lark.
Then pass out gift boxes on weekends to orphans and nuns in the park.
They'd burn down a village but were sorry, and regretted things done even worse.
Darlin' Nell got caught in the crossfire, they cried as they lifted her purse.

They never intended to hurt folks, but accidents happen, they do!
Now we speak of them all with compassion, 'cause bad guys have feelings, too.
We sing of their legends in ballads, we lift up their deeds in a song
And although it sounds so romantic, to me it seems dreadfully wrong.

'Cause Pancho Villa was a narcissistic bag of sheep pellets. So was Billy the Kid.
Jesse James became a hero for the foul evil deeds that he did.
The bandit Joaquin was a horse thief, Claude Dallas a cowardly swain,
The Sundance Kid was a scumbag who got his thrills robbin' the train.

The Godfather made folks an offer he said they couldn't refuse
If they did, he'd take them out swimming, wearing their concrete shoes
Bonnie and Clyde were both psychos, Pretty Boy Floyd was a rat
And Pancho Villa was a narcissistic bag of sheep pellets, but I guess I done told you that.

— Visit Baxter's Web site at www.baxterblack.com for more features and to purchase Baxter Black merchandise, including books and DVDs.

Election letters

The Owyhee Avalanche will accept letters to the editor pertaining to the Aug. 27 Homedale School District supplemental levy election until noon on Friday, Aug. 23.
The usual letters to the editor guidelines apply, including letters must be no more than 300 words and include the letter-writer's contact information, including a daytime phone number. For more information, call (208) 337-4681.
Submit letters in one of four methods:
• E-mailed to jon@owyheeavalanche.com
• Faxed to (208) 337-4867
• Mailed to P.O. Box 97, Homedale ID, 83628
• Dropped off at the Avalanche office at 19 E. Idaho Ave., in Homedale

Jon P. Brown, managing editor

Eyes on Owyhee
Smile, it's fair time



The Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo couldn't have come at a better time.
Apparently, we're in the midst of National Smile Week.
While the county's schoolchildren probably face with dread the coming school year, this week's festivities at the fairgrounds in Homedale will give them, their parents and grandparents plenty of happy memories.
Fair officials, elected officials and county citizens in general should also stand beaming at the thought of what is unfolding at the ever-improving fairgrounds on West Nevada Avenue.
From Monday's kickoff event, the 4-H horse show, to Saturday's closing entertainment, this year's fair — as with each year's event — stands as a pristine jewel, seemingly unaffected by the commercialization that permeates other summertime events in the valley.
Sure, the Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo has its share of sponsorships and hawkers, but the event stands head and shoulders above fairs in nearby counties that have larger populations yet only run for a few days.
Officially, the fair started Monday, but people began streaming into town Sunday morning — and probably earlier — to take in the Idaho Cowboys Association slack performance and jackpot roping at the rodeo arena.
The rodeo slack gives the county the honor of having one of the longest rodeos of the summer. The Snake River Stampede runs from Tuesday to Saturday each July with a

couple of slack performances. The Owyhee County Rodeo isn't far behind with four nightly performances and the Sunday slack.
Even as the fair brings the comfortable and dependable memories of everyone's youth, there will be changes after this year with the departure of manager and fair board secretary Karen Edwards and rodeo secretary Keri Garrett.
No replacement has been announced for Garrett yet, but Marsing's Ginger Loucks already is on the job learning the fair's ins and outs from Edwards. Loucks has enlisted a new parade coordinator in fellow Marsing resident Jolyn Green, too.
Loucks seems to be off to a great start in her new role, giving hope that the fair will continue as one of the best things to do when visiting Owyhee County.
The fair and rodeo always comes at the peak of the summer, but it's also the pinnacle of the season for Homedale and the county overall.
The fair and rodeo is a mix of top-notch talent, old-fashioned memories and wholesome activities.
It features the best rodeo cowboys the Northwest has to offer, some of the best entertainment in the valley — at a great price (free) — and traditional fair exhibits that harkens back to more innocent times when the parents and grandparents of this generation of kids were probably fair exhibitors themselves and were years away of thinking about raising children and paying bills.

Sen. Mike Crapo

From Washington
Cabin fee legislation tool to keep public lands accessible



I have long been a proponent of fair access to our public lands. Americans pay for the upkeep of our federal land assets and should not be shut out of benefitting from these resources through unnecessary restrictions and steep fees. This includes ensuring that cabin user fees on federal lands are administered fairly and reasonably. That is why I joined a bipartisan group of my colleagues in reintroducing legislation to help ensure the continuation of equitable access to our federal lands by addressing the rising cost of annual cabin user fees.
Almost a century ago, Congress enacted legislation enabling Americans to build recreational cabins on certain lots on federal land in exchange for an annual fee for use of the sites. Since that time, families have built cabins and passed on the tradition of recreating in our forests through generations. Nationwide, approximately 14,000 cabins are located on fee-based federal lots. This includes cabins in the Sawtooth National Forest, Caribou-Targhee National Forest and the Idaho Panhandle National Forest.
These cabins add to the recreation opportunities on our federal lands that include hiking, camping, hunting, fishing, horseback riding, skiing, boating, using off-road vehicles and more. Unfortunately, massive increases in cabin user fees, because of problematic appraisals, have threatened the ability of families to keep their cabins.
In 2000, the Cabin User Fee Fairness Act (CUFFA) was enacted to implement a fair and consistent process for determining cabin user fees that takes into account the restrictions placed upon cabin owners and construct fees that reflect the market value of the residential lots. I was a part of the group in Congress that worked on these reforms, and I have pressed the U.S. Forest Service to administer the fees according to congressional intent. However, cabin users continue to face rising fees because of challenges with appraisals accounting for the unique restrictions placed on

cabin users in national forests.
That is why I joined Sens. Jon Tester (D-Mont.), Max Baucus (D-Mont.), John Barrasso (R-Wyo.), Dianne Feinstein (D-Calif.), Mike Enzi (R-Wyo.) and Chuck Grassley (R-Iowa) in introducing the bipartisan Cabin Fee Act of 2013 that would establish an uncomplicated, equitable and predictable fee system and require new land appraisals to be completed within two years. The Cabin Fee Act would assign annual user fees according to an 11-tier "cabin value" system ranging from \$500 to \$5,500. This system will provide greater certainty to cabin owners, but will not reduce the U.S. Forest Service's revenue from cabin leasing. Similar legislation, introduced by Rep. Doc Hastings (R-Wash.) and co-sponsored by Rep. Mike Simpson (R-Idaho), has advanced in the U.S. House of Representatives.
The stated purpose of CUFFA is "to ensure, to the maximum extent practicable, that the National Forest System recreation residence program is managed to preserve the opportunity for individual and family-oriented recreation." Multiple use of public lands remains the most effective utilization of our natural resources, and families who utilize federal lands offer a valuable perspective on the effective management of our federal lands. There is no doubt that we have considerable challenges with federal land management. The more Americans who utilize our resources and understand their values create a greater understanding of the needs. To best ensure that Americans can benefit from our federal lands, we must maintain fair access to these public resources.
— Republican Mike Crapo is Idaho's senior member of the U.S. Senate. Crapo is in his third six-year term and has served in the Senate since 1999. Prior to that, he was a three-term Idaho Second District congressman. To view his responses to issues of interest, visit <http://crapo.senate.gov>.

Commentary

Financial management

20 percent down avoids expensive mortgage insurance

Dear Dave,

When is it OK to purchase a house without making a 20 percent down payment?

— Hannah

Dear Hannah,

When you're willing to pay private mortgage insurance (PMI), and that's not something you want to do.

PMI costs about \$75 a month per \$100,000 borrowed. So, if you borrow \$200,000 on a home, and you don't put down at least 20 percent on the transaction, you'll have to pay out an extra \$150 a month as part of your mortgage payment.

Private mortgage insurance does nothing for you except pay your mortgage company in the event they have to foreclose on you and they lose money. PMI is foreclosure insurance that protects the lender, and you get to pay for it if you don't make a 20 percent



down payment. In the scenario I mentioned before, that would be an additional \$1,800 a year on a \$200,000 loan. In a sense, that's an extra 0.9 percent on your interest rate. That's what it feels like.

So you can see that PMI is not a positive thing. Often, a first-time homebuyer will purchase a house with 10 percent down then pay the other 10 percent as quickly as possible in order to get rid of the PMI. Stay away from it, Hannah. It's nasty stuff!

— Dave

Dear Dave,

I have a close friend whose 17-year-old daughter is going to

college to become a high-school band director. Her daughter wants to take out student loans to attend an expensive private school, and tuition alone over four years will cost \$100,000. I feel this is a really bad idea, but I don't know how to talk to her about this.

— Natalie

Dear Natalie,

I'm sure your friend and her family are nice people. But what we've got here is a little teenage girl who has her heart set on something, and no one has told her no in a while. You're getting ready to help introduce a new word into her vocabulary, because what you've described to me is stupid.

Listen, I love high school band directors. It just doesn't make sense to spend over \$100,000 on a degree to become one. Most of them make about \$30,000 a year, so the return on investment for

this kind of thing is terrible. It doesn't matter if you're a band director, English teacher or a doughnut shop owner, you need to figure out what you're going to make versus what you spend to get there.

Make sure you talk to your friend directly, not her daughter. If you do that, you'll end up branded as mom's mean friend. Use your relationship and history together to help her see this is a train wreck waiting to happen. My suggestion would be for her daughter to live at home, work, and attend a community college for a couple of years. Then, when she transfers to a four-year school, make sure it's a state institution and she keeps working.

The trick is to kindly and gently maintain enough influence to guide these two weak people away from a horrible decision. At the same time, you've got to be strong enough to call mom out

for not stepping up and providing proper guidance. Mommies who don't try to stop their babies from doing things this dumb are known as bad mommies. People who spend \$100,000 to \$150,000 to make the kind of money that's waiting on her daughter are either young and inexperienced, or they're what are known as fools.

I'm sure you'll find a nice way to say it, but basically your friend needs to grow a backbone and tell her daughter no.

— Dave

— Dave Ramsey has authored four New York Times best-selling books: *Financial Peace*, *More Than Enough*, *The Total Money Makeover* and *EntreLeadership*. The Dave Ramsey Show is heard by more than 5 million listeners each week on more than 500 radio stations. Follow Dave on Twitter at @DaveRamsey and on the web at daveramsey.com.

Americans for Limited Government

EPA ignores facts in building environmental policies

by Rick Manning

The Northern Spotted Owl is back in the news, as the U.S. government is moving forward with plans to kill its larger cousin, the Barred Owl, to help save it from possible extinction.

But why should we care about this news that the biggest threat to the Northern Spotted Owl's survival is not logging, but instead, but the invasion of its stronger, more adaptable cousin?

The case of the spotted owl should force any thinking person to ask the question, "If the environmental lobby could be so wrong on the Northern Spotted Owl with devastating consequences to local economies, could they also be wrong about their war on available energy production like coal and hydraulic fracturing?"

Starting in the 1980s, the Sierra Club and other environmental groups turned a small owl found in the timberlands of the northwestern United States into a fundraising star. Saving the spotted owl became the cause of the moment, and the greens rejoiced when the federal government dramatically curtailed logging throughout the region. The bird had been presumed "saved," and it did not matter that sawmills and the towns that grew up around them became virtual ghost towns.

Oregon Public Broadcasting spoke with the former president of the Northwest Forestry Association, Jim Geisinger, about the broken promise of the Clinton Administration's Northwest Forest Plan, which pledged a balanced approach between logging and Northern Spotted Owl protection efforts.

"The net effect has been about a 90 percent reduction in our federal timber supply. And when you take almost 4 billion board feet off the market, the economic effects on rural communities is just inescapable."

Geisinger continued to explain, "It's interesting that in spite of everything that's happened to our industry, we're still the second-biggest industry in the state [of Oregon], behind high tech. But with that being said, our industry is not what it used to be. Hundreds of mills closed, and tens of thousands of people lost their jobs, and those jobs haven't been replaced."

Back in the 1990s, environmentalists argued that the Northern Spotted Owl could only exist in "old-growth forests," yet now they are forced to admit that the

subspecies can live in young forests as is witnessed in California.

Over the years, in spite of various forestry plans designed to save the spotted owl, the bird continues on a precipitous decline, and some question whether the challenges faced by the owl was related to the presence of old-growth forests at all?

In fact, research conducted on Green Diamond Co.'s timberland in coastal Northern California indicated that this theory was untrue. The species not only survives, but also often flourishes on commercial timberlands in this region. In fact, Green Diamond's timberland proved to be one of the most populous spotted owl areas in the Northwest. Since Green Diamond's owl research began in 1990, they have identified more than 1,700 adult and juvenile spotted owls on their property alone. This is quite a powerful repudiation of the theory that timbering and the Northern Spotted Owl cannot co-exist.

The actions taken by Green Diamond have been so successful that the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service awarded their timber operations the first-ever Habitat Conservation Plan (HCP) for the spotted owl.

California Forestry Association President David Bischel sums up the situation saying, "Ironically, some of the most robust populations of Northern Spotted Owls occupy sustainably managed private forests of Northern California."

Bischel's statement is startling in its simplicity, and the massive implications are difficult to miss.

If the Northern Spotted Owl thrives in managed private forests, and yet it continues to decline on federal lands where timbering has been outlawed to save the species, one can logically conclude that the owl would be better off in habitat where sustainable forest management is practiced.

Twenty years later, tens of thousands of good-paying jobs have been destroyed, thousands of lives have been ruined, communities shuttered, and it turns out that the entire habitat-based premise of the species recovery plan was wrong.

Now, the same characters are engaged in a monumental war on our nation's real energy resources. They are evangelical in their attempts to destroy the use of coal, and they are equally fervent against the Keystone XL pipeline

as well as the use of hydraulic fracturing to develop shale oil resources.

They claim that the climate is warming and that everyone who is anyone agrees. Of course, this claim ignores prominent Russian scientists who claim that our world is on the verge of a prolonged cooling period.

They ignore the inconvenient fact that their global warming models have been absurdly wrong as the average global temperatures have been stable for the past 15 years.

Even those who set off the initial climate alarm have been forced to come to terms with this reality, as James Lovelock, the godfather of the global warming movement who previously warned that billions would die before the end of this century admitted, "The problem is that we don't know what the climate is doing. We thought we knew 20 years ago. That led to some alarmist books — mine included — because it looked clear-cut, but it hasn't happened."

When you compound the growing doubts about the premise that the planet is warming with the even more tenuous theory that man-made carbon dioxide is the culprit in causing the "warming," you have a very thin reed to stand on.

Yet that is exactly the rationale on which the EPA and the environmentalists pin their entire anti-carbon regulatory assault on American industry.

Twenty years ago, the environmentalists were going to save the Northern Spotted Owl and with the same certainty that they possess today, they convinced the federal government to effectively wipe out timbering in federally controlled forests in the Northwest. Now, we know that the bird thrives on timbered land, while it is struggling in non-managed forests.

The Northern Spotted Owl decisions cost tens of thousands of jobs, a drop in the bucket when compared to the hundreds of thousands of jobs that are likely to be lost should the EPA succeed in implementing their full global warming agenda.

As my father used to tell me, "Fool me once shame on you, fool me twice shame on me."

— Rick Manning is the Vice President of Public Policy and Communications for Americans for Limited Government. You can follow Rick on twitter @rmanning957.

Public notices

CITY OF MARSING NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

In accordance with Idaho Code, Title 67, Chapter 65, the Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Marsing, Owyhee County, Idaho, will hear comments from the public regarding the proposed AT&T tower that will be located on the property of the Marsing School District, Tax Lot 32 & 84 33 3N 4W City of Marsing.

Draft copies of the location of the tower are available for review by the public at the Marsing City Hall, 425 Main St., Marsing, Idaho, during regular business hours.

Public Comment: The public hearing will be held at 7:00 p.m. on August 19, 2013 at the American Legion Hall, 126 N. Bruneau Hwy, a facility that is accessible to persons with disabilities. Comments regarding the proposed tower will be taken at the public hearing or may be submitted in writing for consideration. Written comments must be postmarked to Marsing City Hall, PO Box 125, Marsing ID, 83639, or delivered to the Marsing City Hall. Written comments will be received until 5:00 p.m. on August 19, 2013. Comments may also be read into the record at the public hearing.

Dated this 25th day of July, 2013
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LIEN SALE

E-11, Dan Carey, 3883 N. Weston Ave., Meridian, ID 83646. Washer, dryer, microwave, ham radion antenna.

H-12, Josh Christoffersersen, 27555 Boehner Rd, Wilder, ID 83676. Desk, chest of drawers, misc. household item.

C-10, Katie Linbloom, 101 S 6th St, W. Homedale, ID 83628. Misc. furniture.

All items will be sold by sealed bids. Items are located at the Hwy 95 Self Storage at 3685 Hwy 95, Homedale, ID 83628. Sealed bids will be accepted on 08-17-2013 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. All sales are final and only cash will be accepted.
7/31:8/7/13

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that pursuant to Idaho Code Section 27-126, the tentative budget of the Riverside Cemetery District of Owyhee County, for the year 2013-2014, as agreed upon by the Cemetery District Commissioners, is as follows:

Anticipated Revenue	
Cash on Hand	44,000.00
Tax Levy	4,288.00
Other	2,000.00
Total	50,288.00
Anticipated Expenses	
Labor	4,000.00
Other	46,288.00
Total	50,288.00

A hearing is set for Tuesday, August 13, 2013 from 4:00 to 4:30 pm at the Irrigation District Office, 645 Idaho Street, Grand View, Idaho.

Dated this 26th day of August 2013
Riverside Cemetery District
Dixie McDaniel, Secretary
7/31:8/7/13

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

T.S. No. 1327413-1 Parcel No. RP00860010030A On 11/26/2013

at 11:00 AM (recognized local time). In the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 Highway 78, Murphy, ID 83650, in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, ELISA MAGNUSON, ESQ., a member of the State Bar of Idaho, of Pite Duncan, LLP, trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, state of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit: LOT 3, BLOCK 1 OF PURDOM HILLS SUBDIVISION, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF FILED AS INSTRUMENT NO. 217651, RECORDS OF OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Idaho Code Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the address of: 2377 LOWER POND LN, HOMEDALE, ID 83628, is commonly associated with said real property. 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 PATRIC J SHIPPY AND NOVA J SHIPPY HUSBAND AND WIFE as Grantor, to PIONEER TITLE COMPANY OF CANYON COUNTY, INC as Trustee, for the benefit and security of NATIONAL CITY MORTGAGE A DIVISION OF NATIONAL CITY BANK as Beneficiary, dated 9/9/2008, recorded 9/19/2008, as Instrument No. 266279, official records of Owyhee County, Idaho. Please note: The above named Grantors are named to comply with Idaho Code Section 45-1506(4)(a); no representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for the obligation. The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to make monthly payments when due from 01/01/2011 and all subsequent monthly payments thereafter, including installments of principal, interest, impounds, advances, plus any charges lawfully due under the note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust, Deed of Trust and as allowed under Idaho Law. The sum owing on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$201,979.63, 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 Note, Deed of Trust or as allowed under Idaho Law. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges, interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee’s fees, attorney fees and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with the Deed of Trust described herein as provided under the Note, Deed of Trust and as allowed under Idaho Law. ELISA MAGNUSON, ESQ. PITE DUNCAN, LLP 950 WEST BANNOCK, SUITE 1100 BOISE ID 83702 DATED: 7/25/13 ELISA MAGNUSON, ESQ. Signature/ By: - A-4404774
8/7,14,21,28/13

Notice of Public Hearing

FY 2014 PROPOSED BUDGET

Proposed Budget for Fiscal Year 2013-2014 (FY2014)
CITY OF HOMEDALE

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing pursuant to Idaho Code 50-1002, will be held for consideration of the proposed budget for fiscal year beginning October 1, 2013 through September 30, 2014 (FY2014). **A proposed Budget Hearing will be held at Homedale City Hall, 31 W Wyoming at 6:00 p.m. on August 14, 2013.** Copies of the proposed city budget with details are available for review at Homedale City Hall during normal business hours. All interested persons are invited to appear.

	FY 2012 2011-2012 <u>ACTUAL</u>	FY 2013 2012-2013 <u>ACTUAL</u>	FY 2014 2013-2014 <u>PROPOSED</u>
Expenditures			
01 General	\$685,489.00	\$658,370.00	\$672,317.00
02 Streets & Highways	\$154,100.00	\$227,485.00	\$324,180.00
03 Parks	\$110,530.00	\$124,521.00	\$95,295.00
04 Library	\$74,145.00	\$66,423.00	\$66,986.00
05 Local Improvement District	\$0.00	\$50,000.00	\$42,757.00
06 Law Enforcement	\$368,360.00	\$370,320.00	\$400,195.00
25 Water	\$635,615.00	\$816,030.00	\$818,031.00
26 Sewer	\$491,045.00	\$635,155.00	\$625,630.00
27 Sanitation	\$98,090.00	\$99,000.00	\$100,000.00
30 Airport	\$90,325.00	\$109,525.00	\$161,025.00
60 Irrigation	\$129,590.00	\$134,285.00	\$139,750.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES (all funds)	\$2,837,289.00	\$3,291,114.00	\$3,446,166.00
Revenue			
General Fund	\$294,000.00	\$309,000.00	\$331,105.00
Library	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Park & Rec	\$15,200.00	\$15,660.00	\$16,130.00
Airport	\$6,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total Property Tax:	\$315,200.00	\$324,660.00	\$347,235.00
Revenue Other Sources			
01 General	\$391,489.00	\$349,370.00	\$341,212.00
02 Streets & Highways	\$154,100.00	\$227,485.00	\$324,180.00
03 Parks	\$95,330.00	\$108,861.00	\$79,165.00
04 Library	\$74,145.00	\$66,423.00	\$66,986.00
05 Local Improvement District	\$0.00	\$50,000.00	\$42,757.00
06 Law Enforcement	\$368,360.00	\$370,320.00	\$400,195.00
25 Water	\$635,615.00	\$816,030.00	\$818,031.00
26 Sewer	\$491,045.00	\$635,155.00	\$625,630.00
27 Sanitation	\$98,090.00	\$99,000.00	\$100,000.00
30 Airport	\$84,325.00	\$109,525.00	\$161,025.00
60 Irrigation	\$129,590.00	\$134,285.00	\$139,750.00
	\$2,522,089.00	\$2,966,454.00	\$3,098,931.00
Total Other Sources			
TOTAL REVENUE (all funds)	\$2,837,289.00	\$3,291,114.00	\$3,446,166.00

Alice E. Pegram
Homedale City Clerk-Treasurer
publish 08/07, 08/014

Notice of Public Hearing

FY2014 PROPOSED BUDGET

Proposed Budget for Fiscal Year 2013-2014 (FY2014)
CITY OF MARSING

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing pursuant to Idaho Code 50-1002, will be held for consideration of the proposed budget for fiscal year beginning October 1, 2013 through September 30, 2014 (FY2014). **A proposed Budget Hearing will be held at Marsing City Hall, 425 Main Street 7:00 pm on August 14, 2013.** Copies of the proposed city budget with details are available for review at Marsing City Hall during normal business hours. All interested persons are invited to appear.

	FY 2012 2011-2012 <u>ACTUAL</u>	FY2013 2012-2013 <u>ACTUAL</u>	FY2014 2013-2014 <u>PROPOSED</u>
EXPENDITURES			
01 General	\$379,395.00	\$401,994.00	\$451,571.00
02 Roads & Streets	\$146,350.00	\$168,578.00	\$171,930.00
03 Parks	\$21,231.00	\$22,080.00	\$23,162.00
05 Planning & Zoning	\$18,500.00	\$20,500.00	\$23,500.00
25 Water	\$617,100.00	\$707,000.00	\$800,700.00
29 Irrigation	\$54,025.00	\$54,025.00	\$60,925.00
30 Sanitation	\$94,550.00	\$85,050.00	\$85,150.00
35 Sewer	\$426,200.00	\$471,400.00	\$447,500.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES (all funds)	\$1,757,351.00	\$1,930,627.00	\$2,064,438.00
REVENUE			
General Fund	\$99,285.00	\$102,584.00	\$105,661.00
Roads & Streets	\$25,950.00	\$26,728.00	\$27,530.00
Park	\$12,231.00	\$12,430.00	\$13,082.00
Total Property Tax:	\$137,466.00	\$141,742.00	\$146,273.00
Revenue Other Sources			
01 General	\$241,929.00	\$260,252.00	\$345,910.00
02 Streets & Highways	\$146,350.00	\$168,578.00	\$144,400.00
03 Parks	\$21,231.00	\$22,080.00	\$10,080.00
05 Planning & Zoning	\$18,500.00	\$20,500.00	\$23,500.00
25 Water	\$617,100.00	\$707,000.00	\$800,700.00
29 Irrigation	\$54,025.00	\$54,025.00	\$60,925.00
30 Sanitation	\$94,550.00	\$85,050.00	\$85,150.00
35 Sewer	\$426,200.00	\$471,400.00	\$447,500.00
Total Other Sources	\$1,619,885.00	\$1,788,885.00	\$1,918,165.00
Total All Funds	\$1,757,351.00	\$1,930,627.00	\$2,064,438.00

Janice C. Bicandi, Marsing City Clerk-Treasurer

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Public notices

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a public meeting will be held on the 22nd day of August, 2013 at 7:00pm at the Bruneau Valley Library in said Library District at Bruneau, Idaho, at which meeting there will be a public hearing on the maintenance and operation budget for the forthcoming year. The budget hearing is called pursuant to Section 33-2713A Idaho Code as amended. A regular meeting of the Board will follow.

Budget Bruneau Valley District Library Oct. 1, 2013 – Sept. 30, 2014		
	2012	2013-2014
Balance to be levied on	\$11,238	\$11,757
Sales Tax Revenue	2,000	2,000
AEPTR	936	936
Unencumbered Funds	100	100
Budget	14,274	14,793
Payroll Expenses	8,600	8,600
Utilities	1,650	1,650
Insurance	948	1,000
Continue Ed/mileage	100	100
Legal ads	150	130
Expendable/supplies	500	400
Postage	150	115
Maintenance/repairs	750	450
Books	696	176
Dues/subscriptions	30	32
Internet Fees/Phone	300	1,890
Child Read/Sp. Prog.	400	250
Total Expenditures	\$14,274	\$14,793
Dated this 25 th day of July 2013 By Order of the Board of Trustees Bruneau Valley District Library Ginny Roeder, Clerk – Kathy L. Mori, Chair 8/7,14/13		

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

On the 14th day of November, 2013, at the hour of 10:00 a.m. of this day (recognized local time), in the office of Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, ID 83650, in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, TitleOne Corporation, an Idaho corporation, as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash or cashier’s check (cash equivalent), in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale in compliance with Section 45-1506(9) Idaho Code, the following described real property, situated in Owyhee County, State of Idaho, and described as follows to wit:

See attached exhibit A

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113, Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that according to the County Assessor’s office, the address of **3818 Pioneer Road, Homedale, ID 83628**, is sometimes associated with said real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession, or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by Taryn A. White, an unmarried person and Jared B. Seitz, an unmarried person, as Grantor(s), to TitleOne Corporation, an Idaho corporation, as Successor Trustee, and Idaho Central Credit Union, as Beneficiary, recorded February 27, 2007, as Instrument No. 259988, in the records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

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

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Note, the monthly payments of \$688.42, which includes applicable escrow, due per month for the month of

April 1, 2013 and all subsequent monthly payments of principal, interest, escrow, late charges and any miscellaneous fees thereafter. The Principal balance is \$191,384.20, as of June 13, 2013, and the current interest rate is 4.5% per annum, as evidenced by First Amendment to Note dated August 27, 2010. All amounts are now due, together with unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee’s fees, attorney’s fees, costs and advances made to protect the security associated with this foreclosure and all are accruing until the date of sale, full satisfaction, or reinstatement of the obligation.

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

Dated: July 17, 2013
T I T L E O N E CORPORATION Successor Trustee By: Amy Wilcoxson, Trust Officer
TitleOne Corporation, 5660 E Franklin Rd., Suite 101, Nampa, Idaho 83687. (208) 475-1155. **Order No.: 13224973 xxxxx2698/533081**

Exhibit A
PARCEL A:
A parcel of land in the West One-Half of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 10, Township 3 North, Range 5 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho as follows: COMMENCING at the Southwest corner of said Section 10, marked with a 1/2 inch rebar, as per Corner Perpetuation and Filing Record Instrument No. 242234, Owyhee County Records; thence along the South line of said Section 10 South 89° 20’ 22” East, 33.00 feet, to the Easterly right-of-way of U.S. Highway 95 and the POINT OF BEGINNING; thence North 00° 34’ 48” East, 148.71 feet to a set 5/8 inch rebar with an orange plastic cap marked “TVEI PLS 10782” (hereinafter noted simply as a “set 5/8 inch rebar”); thence along said right-of-way, South 89° 25’ 12” East, 27.00 feet, to a set 5/8 inch rebar; thence North 00° 34’ 48” East, 114.42 feet, to a set 1/2 inch rebar; thence leaving said right-of-way South 89° 25’ 12” East, 592.82 feet, to a set 1/2 inch rebar on the Easterly line of said West One-Half of

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING PROPOSED FEES AND/OR CHARGES ESTABLISHMENT AND PROPOSED FEE AND/OR CHARGES INCREASES FOR SOUTHWEST DISTRICT HEALTH, EXHIBIT “A”

In accordance with Idaho State Code 63-1311A, Southwest District Health will hold a public hearing to discuss the following proposed establishment of certain fees and/or charges and increases of certain fee and/or charges at **Southwest District Health, 13307 Miami Lane, Caldwell, Idaho 83607** on **Tuesday, August 27, 2013 at 9:15 a.m.** If adopted, the NEW and/or INCREASED fees or charges shall be effective **October 1, 2013.**

According to Section 63-1311A, public entities proposing to increase fees or charges by more than five per cent (5%) or proposing NEW fees or charges are required to hold a public hearing to provide opportunity for public comment. As a general rule, all proposed NEW fees and charges and fee or charges increases are intended to cover the cost of providing services.

Written comments about the proposed rates are welcome, but must be received prior to **9:15 a.m., Tuesday, August 27, 2013** in order to be considered.

Auxiliary aids or services for persons with disabilities are available upon 48 hours advance notice. Please contact **Bruce Krosch** at **208.455.5315** for additional information.

SOUTHWEST DISTRICT HEALTH proposes the following fee and/or charges increases and NEW fees and/or charges be approved to cover the cost of providing the service. If approved, the NEW fee or charge schedule will become effective **October 1, 2013.** To get more detailed information, please call **Bruce Krosch** at **208.455.5315.**

PROPOSED NEW FEE AND/OR INCREASE EXISTING FEE			
FEE ITEM	CURRENT RATE	NEW RATE	% INCREASE
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SERVICES			
Subdivision application for a cemetery	\$0	\$50	New Fee
Mortgage survey repeat inspection	40	50	25%
Septic system expansion permit	450	475	5.5%
Property Evaluation for a septic system	300	325	8.3%
Septic tank only permit	250	275	10%
FAMILY HEALTH SERVICES			
Adult Human Papilloma Virus vaccine	140	159	13.6%
Immune Serum Globulin (any age)	55	76	38%
Flu vaccine	26(w/adm fee)	42(w/adm fee)	61%
Measles, Mumps, Rubella vaccine	54	68	26%
Pneumococcal vaccine	61	74	21%
Polio vaccine	28	33	18%
Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis vaccine	39	40	3%
Tetanus, Diphtheria vaccine	24	26	8%
Tuberculin Skin Test (includes administration fee)	27	16	-40%
Varicella/Chicken Pox vaccine	94	113	20%
Shingles vaccine	173	199	15%
School/Work Physical Adult	70	90	29%
School/Sports Physical Juvenile	48	60	25%
Excision Benign lesion	153	184	21%
Aspiration of Breast Cyst	167	197	18%
Cervical Colposcopy with biopsy	325	350	8%
Injection of Depo-Provera	26	39	50%
HIV Rapid Test	\$0	\$33	New Fee
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the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter; thence along said Easterly line South 00° 36’ 10” West, 264.00 feet, to a point on the South line of said Section 10; thence along said South line North 89° 20’ 22” West, 619.72 feet, to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

PARCEL B:
A parcel of land in the West One-Half of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 10, Township 3 North, Range 5 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho as follows; COMMENCING at the Southwest corner of said Section 10, marked with a 1/2 inch rebar, as per corner perpetuation and filing record Instrument No. 242234, Owyhee County Records; thence along the South line of said Section 10 South 89° 20’ 22” East, 33.00 feet, to the Easterly right-of-way of U.S. Highway 95; thence North 00° 34’ 48” East, 148.71 feet to a set 5/8 inch rebar with an orange plastic cap marked “TVEI PLS 10782” (hereinafter noted simply as a “set 5/8 inch rebar”); thence along said right-of-way, South 89° 25’ 12” East, 27.00 feet, to a set 5/8 inch rebar; thence North 00° 34’ 48” East, 114.42 feet, to a set 1/2 inch rebar, and the POINT OF BEGINNING; thence continuing North 00° 34’ 48” East, 239.00 feet, to a set 1/2 inch rebar; thence leaving right-of-way

South 89° 25’ 12” East 592.92 feet, to a set 1/2 inch rebar on the Easterly line of said West One-Half of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter; thence along said Easterly line South 00° 36’ 10” West, 239.00 feet, to a set 1/2 inch rebar; thence North 89° 25’ 12” West, 592.82 feet, to the POINT OF BEGINNING.
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today’s date: July 24, 2013 File No.: 7023.105974 Sale date and time (local time): November 25, 2013 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, Idaho 83650 Property address: 5931 Rolling Hills Place Marsing, ID 83639-8195 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: Donald C. Galligan Jr and Kathy Galligan, husband and wife Original trustee: Pioneer Title Company of Ada County Original beneficiary: Wells Fargo Home Mortgage Inc. Recording date: 11/22/2002 Recorder’s instrument number: 241681 County: Owyhee Sum owing on the obligation: as

of July 24, 2013: \$141,475.10 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property’s legal description is: Lot 9, Block 1, Whispering Heights Subdivision No. 2, Owyhee County, Idaho, filed for record November 8, 2000 as Instrument No. 234317 and Affidavit to Correct recorded November 22, 2000 as Instrument No. 234425, Owyhee County Records. The 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# 7023.105974) 1002.253703-File No.
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Public notices

PUBLIC NOTICE OF INTENT TO PROPOSE OR PROMULGATE NEW OR CHANGED AGENCY RULES

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

Deadline for submission of written comments is August 28, 2013, unless otherwise noted. Deadline for public hearing requests is August 21, 2013, unless otherwise noted. (Temp & Prop) indicates the rule is both Temporary and Proposed. (*PH) indicates that a public hearing has been scheduled.

IDAPA 02 – DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, PO Box 790 Boise, ID 83701

02-0609-1301, Rules Governing Invasive Species. Add definitions; removes requirement for transport permit for bullfrogs; extends transport permit validity to 5 years for exempt species; creates a method of application for Energy Crop Invasive Species Possession/Production Permits; creates a method of application for Trap Crop Invasive Species Permits; updates scientific and common names and to add hybrids of certain listed invasive species.

02-0622-1301, Rules Governing Noxious Weeds. Adds a species of noxious weed and removes the statewide monitor list from rule.

02-0623-1301, Rules Governing Noxious Weed Free Gravel and Rock Products. New chapter provides for inspection and certification of gravel as noxious weed free.

IDAPA 08 – STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0027

08-0105-1301, Idaho Promise Scholarship Program. Chapter repeal due to consolidation of state run scholarship programs.

08-0106-1301, Leveraging Education Assistance Partnership Program. Chapter repeal due to consolidation of state run scholarship programs.

08-0109-1301, Rules Governing the Gear Up Idaho Scholarship Program. Clarifies definition of educational costs and when a student may apply for the program, aligns the application date with the timeframe students complete the FAFSA, and removes unnecessary language regarding realignment of funds.

08-0112-1301, Idaho Minority and “At-Risk” Student Scholarship Program. Chapter repeal due to consolidation of state run scholarship programs.

08-0113-1301, Rules Governing the Opportunity Scholarship Program. Consolidates the majority of the state run

scholarship programs to align them with Idaho Code; removes redundant language; clarifies residency for tuition purposes, student eligibility, and academic eligibility, and streamlines the renewal application process.

08-02.02 - Rules Governing Uniformity

08-0202-1302, (Temp & Prop) Clarifies which schools can operate as programs and which schools must seek stand alone accreditation to ensure that all schools and all students are being properly accounted for through accreditation and Idaho’s Star Rating system.

08-0202-1303, (Temp & Prop) Removes unnecessary barriers to board approval of qualified teacher preparation for those using face-to-face and hybrid teacher preparation alternatives.

08-0202-1304, (Temp & Prop) Amends the mathematics in-service and comprehensive literacy course renewal requirements to clarify that only active teachers in the Idaho Public School system are required to fulfill this obligation for recertification.

08-0202-1305, (Temp & Prop) Revises and clarifies the Code of Ethics for Idaho Professional Educators.

08.02.03 - Rules Governing Thoroughness

08-0203-1302, (Temp & Prop) Establishes guidelines for the 8-in-6 Program for high school graduation; establishes criteria for the Master Advancement Program to allow school districts and public charter schools to use mastery exams, and for the Advanced Opportunities Program; clarifies final year math requirement for high school students.

08-0203-1303, (Temp & Prop) Adds prohibition against students possessing weapons on campus as part of a district’s comprehensive policies and procedures.

08-0203-1304, (Temp & Prop) Fee rule outlines process used by Department to review and approve on-line courses and establishes a submission fee charged to providers based on the number of courses offered.

08-0204-1301, Rules Governing Public Charter Schools. (Temp & Prop) Clarifies process for new charter school authorizers and the accountability measure requirements for the charter schools.

08-0301-1301, Rules of the Public Charter School Commission. Clarifies process for implementation of new accountability measure requirements; removes requirement for an annual programmatic operations audit and student goals attainment report; removes duplicative language contained in the public hearing process.

IDAPA 11 – IDAHO STATE POLICE, IDAHO STATE RACING COMMISSION, 700 S. Stratford Dr., Meridian, ID 83642

11-0402-1301, Rules Governing

Simulcasting. (Temp & Prop) Implements statute authorizing historical horse race wagering under the pari-mutuel wagering system; establishes licensure, record keeping and equipment requirements; designates terminal locations and access control.

11-0411-1301, Rules Governing Equine Veterinary Practices, Permitted Medications, Banned Substances and Drug Testing of Horses. (Temp & Prop) Clarifies that a horse that has a pre- or post-race positive drug test will be disqualified and the purse money redistributed if found to be ineligible to have raced.

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

***16-0101-1301, Emergency Medical Services (EMS) - Advisory Committee (EMSAC).** (*PH) Aligns chapter with new “Rules Definitions” chapter that updates definitions to reflect changes in terminology and technology used in emergency situations.

***16-0102-1301, Emergency Medical Services (EMS) - Rule Definitions.** (*PH) New chapter provides definitions for all EMS chapters of rules, as well as the authority, scope, and references to the EMS chapters these rules apply to.

***16-0103-1301, Emergency Medical Services (EMS) -- Agency Licensing Requirements.** (*PH) New chapter establishes EMS Agency general licensure requirements, agency licensing models, and air medical utilization requirements; establishes licensure requirements for personnel and equipment, agency licensure and renewals applications, record retention and management of system data and submission, and references to licensure requirements in other chapters, such as personnel, investigations, and disciplinary actions.

***16-0107-1301, Emergency Medical Services (EMS) -- Personnel Licensing Requirements.** (*PH) Removes the definitions section from rule that are now in IDAPA 16.01.02.

***16-0112-1301, Emergency Medical Services (EMS) -- Complaints, Investigations, and Disciplinary Actions.** (*PH) Removes the definitions section and other obsolete language from rule to align with IDAPA 16.01.02 and 16.01.03.

***16-0203-1301, Emergency Medical Services.** (*PH) Aligns chapter with IDAPA 16.01.02 and 16.01.03 by removing agency licensure and air medical utilization requirements and definitions; adds, removes, and updates references to new chapters.

***16-0309-1301, Medicaid Basic Plan Benefits.** (Temp & Prop) (*PH) Incorporates the managed care waiver; integrates the following: mental health clinic

and psychosocial rehabilitative services, service coordination for adults with severe and persistent mental illness (SPMI), service coordination for children with severe emotional disturbance (SED), and substance use disorder services into behavioral health services; moves all rules related to behavioral health services into this chapter; removes specific service limitations to allow for behavioral health services to be delivered individualized and evidence-based under a managed care structure; adds Department or designee service delivery accountability requirements.

16-0310-1301, Medicaid Enhanced Plan Benefits. (Temp & Prop) (*PH) Complies with statutory mandate regarding managed care by implementing a 1915(b) Waiver requiring Medicaid participants to enroll in a statewide prepaid ambulatory health plan (PAHP); moves rules related to behavioral health services into IDAPA 16.03.09, “Medicaid Basic Plan Benefits.”

16-0506-1301, Criminal History and Background Checks. (Temp & Prop) Requires that court appointed guardians and conservators must have a Department CHC and that applicant covers the cost.

IDAPA 24 - BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES, PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0063

24.13.01 - Rules Governing the Physical Therapy License Board.

24-1301-1301, (Temp & Prop) Increases the number of patient visits or the amount of time before the supervisor must re-evaluate the patient and the plan of care being provided by a Physical Therapy Assistant.

24-1301-1302, (Temp & Prop) Decreases fees for exam administration, application, original license and annual license renewal to reduce the Board’s dedicated fund balance.

IDAPA 33 – IDAHO REAL ESTATE COMMISSION, 575 E. Parkcenter Blvd., Suite 180, Boise ID 83706

***33-0101-1301, Rules of the Idaho Real Estate Commission.** (Temp & Prop) (*PH) Adds Professionalism and Business Success as courses for which licensees may be granted education credit.

IDAPA 39 – IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT, PO Box 7129, Boise ID 83707-1129

39-0315-1301, Rules Governing Interstate Excess Weight Permits. (Temp & Prop) Alters the process for designating routes for loads up to 129,000 pounds.

39.03.22, Rules Governing Overlegal Permits for Extra-Length Vehicle Combinations

***39-0322-1301, (Temp & Prop) (*PH)** Clarifies that only non-interstate routes will allow

weights above 105,500 and up to 129,000 pounds; specifies the operating requirements on designated routes, authorized for up to 129,000 pounds.

***39-0322-1302, (*PH)** Provides an administrative process to add designated routes for vehicle combinations up to 129,000 pounds and includes the application, review and analysis, determination, public hearing and appeal processes.

39-0323-1301, Rules Governing Revocation of Overlegal Permits. (Temp & Prop) Specifies the permit violations for which an over legal permit will be revoked and the permit revocation process.

IDAPA 58 – DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY, 1410 N. Hilton, Boise, ID 83706-1255

***58-0101-1301, Rules for the Control of Air Pollution In Idaho.** (*PH) Updates incorporation by reference to comply with changes to federal regulations; removes rules regulating hospital/medical/infectious waste incinerators which have been superseded by federal regulations. Comment by: 9/9/13

NOTICE OF INTENT TO PROMULGATE RULES - NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING

IDAPA 27 – IDAHO BOARD OF PHARMACY

27-0101-1207, (Temp & Prop) Rules of the Idaho Board of Pharmacy

IDAPA 31 – IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

31-0101-1301, (Temp & Prop) Rules of Procedure of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission.

IDAPA 58 – DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

58-0102-1301, (Temp & Prop) Water Quality Standards.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

IDAPA 58 – DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

58-0000-1304, (Temp & Prop) Proposed Submittal for Delegation of Regulation 40 CFR Part 62, Subpart HHH

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