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Grand View seeks ambulance tax district

The Grand View Ambulance Service has taken the first step to form a taxing district to help fund the emergency service.

During the Board of County Commissioners (BOCC) regular meeting July 6,

the service sought approval of a petition. The BOCC signed off on the petition, which will now be taken to the public in Grand View.

"Our next step is to gather the necessary

50 signatures," service director Donna Bennett wrote in an email.

Bennett previously said the formation of a district is needed to compensate Emergency Medical Technicians. The

Ambulance Service has been suffering from dwindling volunteerism.

She also said organizers are planning on having interested citizen meetings in

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Initiative executive director appointed

The Owyhee Initiative, Inc., Board of Directors has hired a former Bureau of Land Management field manager as its executive director.

Mitchell A. Jaurena once served as the Bruneau Field Office manager. Jaurena, who retired from the U.S. Marine Corps with the rank of lieutenant colonel, is a former sheep rancher and environmental manager.

According to a press release issued by the Owyhee Initiative Inc., Jaurena has broad experience as a government liaison and in land management and environmental management and compliance.

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Art in the Park part of a busy Saturday in Homedale

Joseph Egusquiza of Homedale stops to check out a bauble Saturday while shopping with his family during Art in the Park. Organizer Charlotte Breshears said about 20 vendors showed up for the event in Bette Uda City Park. His father Joe and sister Lizzy look on.

Lawmen making more arrests

ISP releases 2014 crime report

Owyhee County's crime rate remained steady in 2014, but arrests were up, according to Idaho State Police's Crime in Idaho report.

ISP's report compiled by statistics reported by local law enforcement agencies throughout the state, including the Homedale Police Department and Owyhee County Sheriff's Office.

The report, released earlier

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Marsing duplex development never needed special use permit

Council adopts new land use plan

It was discovered last week that a proposed Marsing duplex development never required a special use permit.

Mayor Keith Green told The Owyhee Avalanche that his

research after last Wednesday's city council meeting revealed that Hans Nederend's plan to build 32 housing units was allowed in the area near the corner of Edwards Street and Main Street without the need for a special use permit. That area was zoned multiple use under the city's old land use table, which was revised during

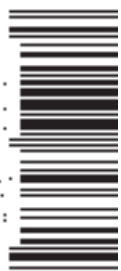
last Wednesday's city council meeting.

Green's revelation came after that meeting at which city council members amended the agenda to adopt a new land use table and then cancelled a previously scheduled public hearing on

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A stake with a ribbon marks the area where Hans Nederend plans to build at 32-unit housing development on Edwards Street in Marsing.



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Former mayor returns as newest Grand View city council member

Opal Ward
succeeds Burnett

The Grand View City Council has a new member with a familiar face.

One-time mayor and councilperson Opal Ward will fill the rest of the term of former councilman James “Jim” Burnett.

Ward was appointed to fill the vacancy during a meeting of the remaining council members last Wednesday night.

Burnett took office in January 2014, and resigned last month to go to work for the city. He will stay on as a Planning and Zoning commissioner for Grand View.

Burnett stepped down on June 25 and started his job as Grand View’s public works assistant four days later, according to City Clerk and Treasurer Tammy Payne.

Ward will serve on the council for the next five months. If she hopes to fill out the remainder of Burnett’s term, which expires in 2017, she will have to run for the council seat in the November election. She says she’s pretty sure she will file her candidacy for the position.

Burnett was elected to the city council in November 2013.

Ward is almost 78 years old and has been widowed for nearly 20 years. She and her husband Dick

had three children, and she has 10 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren.

Of the couple’s children, two are still alive: Pat, 52, and Sam, 54.

Ward has owned several businesses over the years and has been an area resident for more than 40 years.

“We have farmed, we owned Grand View Auto, and a long time before that we owned a grain cleaning business in Rupert,” Ward said.

She was Grand View’s mayor from July to December 2013, taking over after Payne resigned to become city clerk. Ward has also served on the city council previously and the water and sewer board. She currently is a P&Z member.

She thinks Grand View is a great place to bring families.

“I want to see this small city, with all of the things that it has, be a destination place instead of a drive-through place,” Ward said.

In other business discussed at last week’s meeting, the council decided to schedule a work ses-



Opal Ward

sion in September to review and determine the next steps for the town’s geothermal feasibility study. Council members plan to host a public meeting in the fall to review the study with Grand View residents, Payne said in an email.

Council president Donald Mead gave the other members an update on a plan to extend the city’s sidewalk. He intends to call a parks committee planning session with community members, including the Riverside Cemetery board, to outline a shared understanding of the next phase of the project.

No action was taken on a controlled burn ban protocol for the city. The council believes the state and county protocols are adequate, Payne said.

She also said the city anticipates receiving an Idaho Department of Water Resources permit to continue work at the RioLindo boat ramp project soon. Last week an agency representative told her he still had Grand View’s application.

Work at RioLindo would include stabilization of an eddy by removing river rocks around which a jetty in the Snake River rushes, creating hazardous conditions. The city also wants to extend the dock 16 feet to make the area safer.

— SC

County sees spike in ATV thefts

The Owyhee County Sheriff’s Office has a reminder to owners of four-wheelers to keep their machines secure.

Chief Deputy Lynn Bowman says people shouldn’t leave the keys in ATVs, and they shouldn’t be parked on ditch banks unattended.

Six ATVs have been stolen in the area in the past couple of months. All of the four-wheelers that were taken had a key in the ignition.

“We are getting a few of these around the county between Homedale and Marsing,” Bowman said.

The most recent ATV theft

happened on Saturday.

A yellow 2007 Can-Am Outlander was taken from a home on Hilltop Lane between Marsing and Homedale. The owner reported it missing around 9 a.m.

Another four-wheeler was taken Thursday from the side of a home off Howard Road in Marsing sometime before 4:37 p.m.

“Someone stole his four-wheeler. It was a red Honda Rubicon 500,” Bowman said. “He went to town and came back approximately two hours later and it was gone.”

There are no suspects in the recent ATV thefts.

— SC

Lightning sparks two fires near Bruneau

Crews gained control of two lightning-caused fires near Bruneau around 3 p.m. on Sunday afternoon.

Both fires burned on the west side of the Snake River Canyon about 20 miles south of Bruneau.

The Crowbar Fire is estimated to have burned 893 acres. The Catspaw Fire charred 1,619 acres.

Bruneau Fire and BLM Boise District firefighters battled the blazes.

No structures were threatened and no injuries were reported, according to the BLM.

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Findling Family Fundraiser

Background Information

Event Information

The Findling family suffered a terrible loss on July 5th, 2015. Thomas Findling passed away after a house fire, and his parents are in the burn unit at a Utah hospital. Adrian community members are saddened by the loss of their player and friend; the members have decided to come together and host a dinner/auction to help raise money for the family. A community member has also set up a GO-FUND-ME page in honor of the family (<http://www.gofundme.com/ymf25g>).



- WHO:** Honoring the life of Thomas Findling
- WHAT:** Auction/Dinner Fundraiser
- WHEN:** Friday, July 17th @ 6:30pm
- WHERE:** Adrian School’s Cafeteria
- WHY:** The family will need financial support for their medical bills, Thomas’ funeral, etc.
- Questions?:** Contact either of the below numbers if you have any questions

Donations for auction & family can be dropped off at the school cafeteria:
1 box for the family & 1 box for the auction

*A **BAKE SALE** will be held for the Munoz family during this event; the mother passed away in a car accident in late June.

*Bill Wortman : 801-420-6053
*Paul Shenk : 208-722-4092

Homedale removes fee from most initial city code notices

P&Z issue
not discussed
in open session

Homedale’s approach to city code violations may change after a city council discussion.

Last Wednesday, the council decided to do away with the \$25 administrative fee that accompanies the first warning letter.

The decision came after some citizens complained about the fee.

Going forward, residents who are in violation of abatement ordinances will receive a warning letter without a fee once. Each subsequent new violation will include an initial warning letter and a \$25 fee, though.

Under the new protocol, a resident will have 10 days to comply before the \$25 fee will be assessed when a second 10-day warning is issued. If the yard isn’t cleaned up 30 days after the second warning, the resident will receive a citation.

“It lends some credibility to the

program and shows that the city is willing to work with people,” Police Chief Jeff Eidemiller said.

The council will have to amend the ordinance to make the policy change permanent. Anyone who has already paid a \$25 administrative fee won’t receive a refund, Mayor Gheen Christoffersen said.

The new policy does not apply to animal control violations.

Council goes in closed meeting to mull P&Z

The city council convened an executive session at the point in the meeting when it was scheduled to discuss disbanding the Planning and Zoning Commission. P&Z administrator Sylvia Bahem did not attend last week’s meeting, and no decision was made once the council returned from its closed session, which was called for personnel reasons under the state’s new open meeting law guidelines.

City to add speed limit sign on California Avenue

Council members authorized

public works supervisor Bret Smith to erect a 20 mph speed limit sign on California Avenue near North Main.

Councilperson Kim Murray suggested placing the HPD radar trailer at the spot once the sign is up to remind motorists of the speed limit in that area.

Police department closer to replacing officer

During his police department report, Eidemiller told council members that he has five applicants for the patrol position left vacant with the departure of Chris Jacob. Testing for the position will be held Saturday, and Eidemiller asked for a council member to sit on the applicant review board.

Replacing Jacob will bring the department back to a full staff of five patrol officers, but Sgt. Mike McFetridge soon will be taken out of the rotation to assume his duties as school resource officer again.

Council members also saluted Eidemiller on his 20th anniversary with HPD.

— JPB



Homedale Police cars are parked inside the company lot adjacent to Frontier Communications on July 6 as officers are inside investigating the report of a burglary.

Another Homedale business burglarized

The Homedale Police Department has another commercial burglary on its hands.

Police Chief Jeff Eidemiller and Sgt. Mike McFetridge on July 6 investigated a report of a break-in at the Frontier Communications on North Main Street.

Eidemiller said electronic devices were taken. No other details were released because the investigation is ongoing.

The chief said his department continues to investigate a string of other burglaries — both commercial and residential.

Owyhee Gardeners to hold bake sale

The Owyhee Gardeners will hold a baked goods sale at Logan’s Market in Marsing from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday, July 25.

Homemade pies, cakes, cookies and cinnamon rolls will be available.

The club will use the proceeds for community improvements around Owyhee County.

Some of their recent projects have been at the Welcome to Homedale sign, the fairgrounds in Homedale, and the city park in Marsing.

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✓ Duplex: Council cancels scheduled public hearing at last minute

Nederend's proposal because the new zoning regulations also allowed the development.

During the meeting, Green first made a motion to change the agenda to move the already-scheduled ordinance adoption ahead of the public hearing.

During the city council meeting in June, city attorney Stephanie J. Bonney said she would have the new ordinance written and ready to be approved at the council's next meeting.

During the meeting — and before he knew that the old land table also allowed duplexes — Green explained to those in attendance how the new ordinance affected the issue of the proposed duplexes.

"The land use ordinance, folks, has been going through public hearings for quite some time now, and what it does is it basically makes the public hearing a moot point. So we didn't want everybody standing up here testifying one way or the other for the duplexes," Green said.

Green later found out that the land was zoned for multiple use under the old table, meaning the entire special use permit process — including the June 29 public hearing before the city's Planning and Zoning Commission — was unnecessary.

Green told the Avalanche on Monday that he doesn't know if the city will refund the \$400 Nederend paid to hold the two public hearings.

Bonney told last Wednesday's audience of about 20 people that the new table would have been adopted at the June 10, but an ordinance wasn't ready for adoption at that time.

Nederend wants to build 16 duplexes, along with a soccer field, to house employees of his



An overlay on satellite-generated map of the Main Street-Edwards Street neighborhood shows how the proposed duplex development will fit in.

dairy. The development will be located on Edwards Street about 250 feet north of Main Street.

During their regular monthly meeting on July 7, P&Z commissioners approved the findings of fact and conclusions of law for a recommendation by the council regarding the duplexes. However, the new land use table meant no recommendation was needed.

"It was just today that we figured this out," Green said last Wednesday.

"Under the new ordinance, it is an allowed use, which means there is no special use (permit) required," Bonney said. "The ordinance has been in the works for six months, and we had two public hearings that nobody showed up for. This had nothing to do with this project at all."

"None of us remembered where duplexes were as a viable use in the new ordinance. Stephanie was reviewing it and said we need to talk because we don't need this public hearing, and I was just told that at 6:30," Green said.

Because the public hearing was no longer needed, Green did open a question-and-answer session, "so everyone is aware of what is happening," he said.

One woman in the crowd asked how the project is being financed. Nederend answered that his company is paying for the entire development and also told her there is no federal money involved.

Nederend also said there's more than enough irrigation water in the area to supply the development. However, Jonathan

Shippy lives in the neighborhood and took exception to that statement.

"We do not have the water available. As far as him saying they're going to get the water, I know a lot of people in town who do not get their water and they pay for it every year, so that's fact," Shippy said. "If you go around there and ask, that's what you're going to hear from people who have experienced it personally."

Green then explained that the city will be getting some money for infrastructure from Nederend.

Nederend will pay \$208,000 (\$3,500 per unit for water hookup and \$3,000 per unit for sewer hookup).

A water hookup for each unit will cost \$3,500 and a sewer

hookup for each will be \$3,000. Green said some of that \$208,000 will be used to upgrade or replace existing water lines around the city.

Marsing resident Dan Thee asked the council about long-term impacts from the housing development.

"Have you guys as a city ever planned this kind of a hit at once? Have you ever seen this kind of load yet, at once?" Thee asked.

Green said the city has been preparing for various kinds of growth for years.

One woman in the audience asked if the land use table was changed for this particular project. Green reiterated his earlier comments, "No, it was done in anticipation of just growth in the city. Period."

Another Marsing resident said Green was creating "some bitter feelings" by allowing the project to go through. The mayor responded that the man didn't understand the public hearing process behind the land use table, referring to the lack of citizen participation.

At one point during the Q&A, Nederend defended the character of his employees.

"All of the guys that work for us are top-notch guys. I know you guys can laugh at that or do whatever you want to do with that, but they're all top-notch guys," Nederend said. "We hire the best employees that we can find, and in doing this project, we're trying to increase our odds of finding even better guys."

Another question was asked about the timeline for the development. Nederend said some work will start this fall, but construction on the duplexes would not begin until Spring.

— SC

✓ Initiative: Jaurena embraces challenge of helping create land use plans

"We are excited to have someone with Mitch's experience and background as the executive director," Owyhee Initiative Inc. board chair Brenda Richards said. "We look for him to take the Owyhee Initiative to the next level and to incorporate his experience and all that he brings to the table into building a solid relationship with the land use planning agencies."

Signed on May 10, 2006, the

Owyhee Initiative is a collaborative effort with broad representation. County commissioners started the process in 2001 to address and resolve decades-old land management issues and ensure the economic vitality of lands in Owyhee County.

The Initiative became law on March 30, 2009 with the signing of the Omnibus Public Land Management Act of 2009. The Initiative designated 517,000 acres

of public land as the Owyhee-Bruneau Wilderness and 316 miles of Wild and Scenic Rivers. It also released 199,000 acres of wilderness study areas to non-wilderness multiple use management.

"I look forward to working with the Owyhee Initiative's board members and their respective organizations, the Bureau of Land Management, the sovereign Tribal Nations (Shoshone-Paiute), our federal legislators, state

agencies and the Owyhee County commissioners," Jaurena said.

"Helping craft the final language of the land use and management plans that will govern the Owyhee landscape and wilderness so that it reflects the spirit and the intent of the original agreement is a challenge I eagerly look forward to."

Jaurena also understands the process that brought the Initiative this far.

"The collaboration that was behind the Owyhee Initiative agreement is a crucial aspect in the management of these valuable lands and will be critical to the cultural, environmental and economic survival of these lands now and for future generations."

For more information on the Owyhee Initiative, contact Owyhee Initiative, Inc., at 1577 N. Linder Road, Kuna, ID 83634 or ED_OI@q.com.

✓ District: Grand View supporters take action after Marsing district OK'd

Bruneau, Grand View and possibly Oreana, "so that everyone will be informed as to the necessity of having the district."

The dates for the meetings have

not been set, and the service has not announced what dollar figure it hopes to levy for. The boundaries of the district have yet to be determined.

"The approval of Marsing's ambulance district is a factor in the decision," Bennett said.

Marsing's taxing district will generate about \$50,000 annu-

ally. Commissioners approved formation of the Marsing district in June.

Once the Grand View supporters gather signatures, they will

return to the BOCC to seek approval of their own taxing district. No public vote is needed to form an ambulance district.

— SC

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Death notice

DARRELL R. VANKLEEK, 82, passed away on Sunday, July 5, 2015 near Givens Hot Springs. Arrangements are under the direction of Cloverdale Funeral Home, Boise. (208) 375-2212

Senior menus

Homedale Senior Center

(Milk served every day)

July 15: Meatball hero, macaroni salad, carrot salad, (lettuce, tomato, boiled eggs, mandarin oranges)

July 16: Country fried steak, mashed potatoes/gravy, carrots, bread, (lettuce, tomato, boiled eggs, mandarin oranges)

July 21: Roast pork, mashed potatoes/gravy, beets, bread, (lettuce, tomato, boiled eggs, apricots)

July 22: Pasta primavera, bread, (lettuce, tomato, boiled eggs, apricots)

Marsing Senior Center

(Milk served with lunch every day)

July 15: Soup & sandwich bar, assorted meats, vegetable soup, salad bar, fruit

July 16: Roast pork, mashed potatoes/gravy, baked squash, sauerkraut salad, apple/raisin salad, roll

July 20: Breakfast, french toast

July 21: Sweet & sour chicken, rice, oriental vegetables, fruit, bread

July 22: Tuna casserole or chef’s choice, potatoes, carrots, noodles, salad, orange juice, bread

Rimrock Senior Center

(Milk and juice served every day)

July 16: Casserole, broccoli salad, peaches & ice cream

July 21: Baked ham, scalloped potatoes, apple/carrots, pineapple upside-down cake

July 23: Sweet & sour meatballs, steamed rice, cookie veggies, mixed fruit, cookie

School menu

Bruneau-Grand View

July 15: Chicken patty/bun, seasoned black beans, steamed broccoli, fruit, milk

July 16: Chicken taco, veggie, fruit, milk

July 17: Corn dog, fries, fruit, milk

July 21: Chicken wrap, romaine & tomato, steamed carrots, milk

July 22: Little smokies, scalloped potatoes, green beans, fruit, roll, milk

July 23: Lasagna, steamed broccoli, fruit, milk

Frog featured during Homedale Story Time

The Homedale Public Library’s Story Time this week is all about a frog.

“Jubal’s Wish” by Audrey Wood will be the featured book at 10:15 a.m. on Friday at the library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave.

The book is about a small frog with a picnic basket who only wants to enjoy a beautiful summer day, but everyone in town is too busy to join him. A wizard

hears the woes of the small frog and grants him one wish.

What will Jubal’s wish be? How will the story turn out?

For more information, call 337-4228.

The library is open from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Wednesday, from 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Thursday, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Friday and from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday.



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Obituaries

Opal Marie Kiester Cossel

Opal Marie Kiester Cossel was born November 7, 1926 to Charles & Ella Kiester at Fremont, Michigan. Opal was the 4th of nine children. The family moved to Bowmont, Idaho when Opal was nine months old. She attended school in Bowmont until they moved to the Marsing area. She met Jim Cossel at a dance at Claytonia Dance Hall in Marsing. She told her friends “That’s the guy I’m going to marry.” They were married on November 17, 1943. They had been married 35 years, before Jim passed away September 1, 1979.

Opal was active in the American Legion and the Stateline Grange. She loved to travel and made several trips to Europe with good friends. Opal especially loved her trips to the Oregon Coast and

watching her grand-kids’ activities.

Opal was interested in history, politics and things happening worldwide.

Opal was preceded in death by her husband, Jim; parents; several siblings and good friends. She is survived by her children, Karen King (Dick), John Cossel (Sandee), Sandy Yzaquirre (Rick) and Peggy Precht (Jack); 10 grandchildren, Shannon Alsager, Jim King, John Cossel Jr., Travis Cossel, Shane Cossel, Cori Yzaquirre, Camille Martinez, Crystal Everman, Casey Precht



and Patrick Precht; 16 great-grandchildren and a great-great-grandchild on the way. Opal is also survived by 5 siblings, Russel Kiester, Evelyn Cummings, Doris Vaughn (Chuck), Bonnie Scheuffele (Bob), Sharon Sheets (Don) and sisters-in-law, Ruby Kiester and Ida Kiester.

Opal was a wonderful wife, mother, grandmother, and friend. She was truly loved and will be greatly missed.

Services were held at 11:00 AM Tuesday July 14, 2015 at Marsing Church of the Nazarene, 12 S. 2nd Ave. W. Marsing, Idaho with interment immediately following at the Marsing-Homedale Cemetery. There was a reception at the Marsing Legion Hall following the services. Condolences may be left at www.flahifffuneralchapel.com.

Alan Everette Larsen

Alan Everette Larsen, 56, passed away suddenly on Tuesday, July 7, 2015. A Memorial Service celebrating his life was held at 1:00 PM on Monday, July 13, 2015 at Flahiff Funeral Chapel in Caldwell.

Alan was born in Nampa, Idaho on Dec. 8, 1958. He was the last of five children born to Venet Dean (Parkins) Larsen and Everette Lyle Larsen. The family lived and farmed in Opaline until relocating to Marsing where Alan attended school. He graduated from Marsing High School in 1977, where he was a three-sport athlete.



of his own, yet lovingly invested time and energy into his numerous nieces and nephews. As he traveled the country driving his truck he would stop and visit extended family when he could, often calling during his trips to keep in touch and relate stories of the road.

Alan was an avid hunter and fisherman who loved spending time in the Owyhee Mountains. He appreciated the community he lived in, the kindness of neighbors who shared food and friendship, the neighborhood children and local fishing buddies.

Alan was preceded in death by his parents, Everette and Venet, and his sister Tina Larsen. He is survived by two sisters, Teri (Larry) Draper of Nampa, Lori (Jim) Pruss of Oak Harbor, WA and a brother, Dan (Melanie) Larsen of Port Orchard, WA. He also leaves behind numerous aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews who will miss his ready smile and giving spirit.

Remembrances can be made in Alan’s name to Idaho Youth Ranch.

Condolences may be sent to www.flahifffuneralchapel.com.

was employed by Island Sand & Gravel of Nampa, Kent Brothers Transportation of Caldwell, Mike Gaviola of Marsing, and Connolly Construction of Eagle. He eventually liquidated his livestock and purchased his own semi truck and trailer outfit, driving as a long-haul owner/operator for a number of years. He was a well-respected equipment operator throughout the area. Alan was enjoying his current driving position at Nampa’s Ackerman Trucking at the time of his death.

Growing up youngest in a family of seven, Alan always valued family. He had no children

Adrian community rallies for neighbors with dinner, bake sale

A community event has been organized to help two Adrian area families who recently experienced tragedies.

The Findling Family Fundraiser will take place at 6:30 p.m. on Friday at the Adrian schools cafeteria.

Proceeds from an auction and dinner will provide financial support for the Findling family, who were victims of a July 5 house fire that killed 14-year-old Thomas Findling Jr. His parents, Thomas Sr. and Jennifer, were transported to a Salt Lake City burn center after trying to save their son during the blaze.

Additionally, a fundraising page has been set up at <http://www.gofundme.com/ymf25g>.

Donations for the family and for the auction can be dropped off at the school cafeteria. There is a box auction donations and one for family donations.

For more information, contact Bill Wortman at (801) 420-6053 or Paul Shenk at (208) 722-4092.

In addition to the Findling fundraiser, a bake sale will be held Friday to help the family of Adrian resident Martha Munoz, who was killed in a two-vehicle accident north of Wilder on June 25.

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Choose fun, healthy summer food

Summer is a great time to get out and about and enjoy the nice weather. With increased activity, it is important to increase liquid intake to prevent dehydration, but we sometimes forget we need to give our bodies the proper nutrients for our increased need for energy. When consuming additional foods, look towards those that will pack the most nutritional punch that will help keep your body going, like your fruits and vegetables.

Here is a fun recipe to incorporate some broccoli — technically a flower — while playing with a traditional side dish that goes great with beef, pork or chicken.



Surine Greenway

University of Idaho Extension

Broccoli Tots

- Ingredients:
- 2 cups or 12 ounces uncooked or frozen broccoli
 - 1 large egg
 - ¼ cup diced yellow onion
 - ½ cup cheddar cheese
 - ½ cup panko breadcrumbs
 - ½ cup Italian breadcrumbs
 - 2 tablespoons parsley (or your favorite herb)
 - 1 teaspoon salt
 - 1 teaspoon pepper

- Instructions:
1. Preheat the oven to 400°F. Grease a baking sheet with a thin layer of oil or line with parchment paper and set aside.
 2. Blanch broccoli in boiling water for 1 minute then remove and place in cold tap water to stop the cooking process. Drain well.
 3. Chop broccoli finely and mix thoroughly with egg, onions, cheddar, breadcrumbs, and selected

herb seasoning. Scoop roughly 1.5 tablespoons of mix using an ice-cream scoop or your hands and gently press into a firm ball. Then shape into a tater-tot shape. It helps to wash your hands after every few tots to keep them from sticking onto your hands. Next, place onto your prepared baking sheet.

4. Bake until golden brown and crispy, 18-24 minutes, turning half-way. Remove from the oven and enjoy hot with ketchup, sriracha, ranch dressing, or your favorite dipping sauce!

— Surine Greenway is the University of Idaho Owyhee County Extension Family and Consumer Sciences educator. For more information, you can reach the U of I Owyhee County Extension Office at (208) 896-4104 or owyhee@uidaho.edu. The office is located at 238 W. 8th Ave. W., in Marsing. Article source: <http://gimmedelicious.com/2015/05/17/healthy-baked-broccoli-tots/>

Calendar

Today

- Coffee club**
9 a.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020
- Free community dinner**
5:30 p.m., open to public, Crossroads Assembly of God Church, Idaho highway 19 and U.S. Highway 95, Wilder. (208) 890-9132

Thursday

- Fit and fall exercise class**
10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020
- TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) meeting**
6:30 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St. W., Homedale. (208) 337-3867
- Bruneau-Grand View school board meeting**
7 p.m., Rimrock Jr.-Sr. High School boardroom, 39678 State Hwy. 78, Bruneau (unless otherwise listed at www.sd365.us). (208) 834-2260

Friday

- Story Time**
10:15 a.m., Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228, afternoons Monday through Saturday
- Findling family fundraiser**
6:30 p.m., dinner and auction, bake sale for Munoz family, Adrian School District cafeteria, High Street, Adrian, Ore. (208) 722-4092 or (801) 420-6053

Saturday

- Senior center fundraiser breakfast**
7 a.m. to 11 a.m., \$6 per plate, \$1 for orange juice, Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020
- Veterans of Foreign Wars meeting**
9 a.m., Samuel Phillips III Post 11065, 208 3rd St., Wilder. (208) 896-4465
- Friends of Homedale Public Library meeting**
10 a.m., Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale.
- Free lunches**
Noon to 1 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St. W., Homedale. (208) 337-5419

Monday

- Board of County Commissioners meeting**
9 a.m., Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy. 78, Murphy. (208) 495-2421

- Homedale Planning and Zoning meeting**
7 p.m., Homedale City Hall, 31 W. Wyoming Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4641

Tuesday

- Foot clinic**
8:30 a.m., \$12, appointment necessary, Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020
- Foot clinic**
9 a.m., call for appointment, Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 968-5430 Tuesdays and Thursdays
- Blood pressure clinic**
10 a.m., free, Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020
- Fit and fall exercise class**
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- Blood pressure clinic**
11 a.m., Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 968-5430 Tuesdays and Thursdays
- Marsing Lions Club meeting**
7 p.m., Marsing Senior Center, 218 Main St., Marsing. (208) 318-3982

- Friends of Eastern Owyhee Library meeting**
7 p.m., Eastern Owyhee County Library meeting room, 520 Boise Ave., Grand View. (208) 834-2324, (208) 832-1949 or (208) 834-2785

Wednesday


- Coffee club**
9 a.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

Thursday, July 23

- TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) meeting**
6:30 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St. W., Homedale. (208) 337-3867
- Fit and fall exercise class**
10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020
- Lizard Butte Library board meeting**
4 p.m. 111 3rd Ave. W. Marsing
- Homedale City Council meeting**
6 p.m., City Hall, 31 W. Wyoming Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4641

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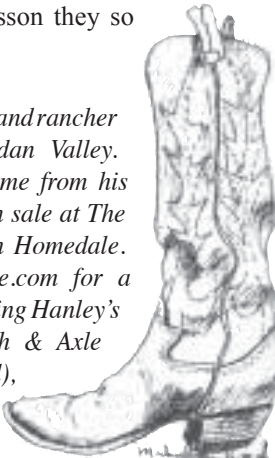
From the September 7, 1895 issue of the *DeLamar Nugget* came the following story about a stage holdup: “On Thursday night the stage from Nampa was again held up on the summit above Booneville, at nearly the same place where the former holdup occurred. This time, three men stopped the driver and ordered him to throw off the express box. The driver promptly complied and the men, who had an axe with them, knocked off the lock and extracted the contents, consisting of a small package for John Rowett, the DeLamar Jeweler. They then threw the box back to the driver and told him that they were only just having a little practice at their noble profession and would show them some fine work later on. There were several passengers aboard for Silver City, but they were not molested.”

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— Local historian, author and rancher Mike Hanley lives in Jordan Valley. Excerpts in this column come from his various books, which are on sale at The Owyhee Avalanche office in Homedale. Visit www.owyheeavalanche.com for a list of available titles, including Hanley’s *Owyhee Graffiti*, *Sagebrush & Axle Grease* (with Omer Stanford), *Tales of the I.O.N. Country* and *Journal of Michael F. Hanley IV*.



Horse trail ride through Hardtrigger HMA slated

What is being billed as an educational experience regarding wild horses will be held Sunday in Owyhee County.

The Idaho Mustang Club will host a trail ride through the Hardtrigger Herd Management Area (HMA) as part of the America’s Mustang Campaign, which is a collaboration between the Mustang Heritage Foundation and Bureau of Land Management.

Open to all equines and equestrians, the ride begins at 9 a.m. at the Wilson Creek Trailhead parking area west of Murphy.

Participants are encouraged to bring water for their horses, beverages for themselves and a side dish for the potluck that will follow the ride.

RSVP to Becky at (208) 463-0656 or idahomustang@hotmail.com.

The ride is part of activities geared to help individual interact with and learn about wild mustangs.

Another area event is the Extreme Mustang Makeover, which will take place July 24-25 at the Ford Idaho Center in Nampa.

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✓ Arrests: Sheriff's office, HPD showed higher clearance rates in 2014

this month, shows that while the overall number of offenses reported in 2014 remained relatively flat, county lawmen made 20 percent more arrests and cleared 35.6 percent more cases than in 2013.

There were 401 Group A offenses reported in the county last year. Group A offenses include crimes against persons or property — such as homicide, rape, assault, burglary, fraud, larceny and sexual assault — and drug offenses.

According to the report, the number of Group A crimes reported in Homedale rose 8.7 percent between 2013 and 2014, but Homedale Police posted a 52 percent case clearance rate (78 of 150). HPD cleared 32.2 percent more cases last year than in 2013 (78 to 59), and officers made 16 more arrests (91) than they did in 2013.

“If you have an increase in Group A crimes and the clearance is going up, that shows that the officers are putting their training to good use and there is cooperation and teamwork (among agencies around the area),” Homedale Police Chief Jeff Eidemiller said.

The biggest reason for the increase in reported crimes was a spike in the number of burglaries reported in 2014. Homedale Police fielded reports of 24 burglaries in 2014, up 50 percent over 2013 statistics. Drugs and narcotics cases also went up 64.7 percent from 17 reported in 2013 to 28 reported last year.

“Burglary and drugs go hand-in-hand,” Eidemiller said. “One feeds the other. Most of our burglars are stealing to sell the stuff to support their habit or stealing to trade with their dealers.”

Statistics submitted by the Owyhee County Sheriff's Office show a 47.8 percent clearance rate (120 of 251) in 2014 compared to a 33.3 clearance rate (87 of 261) a year ago. Deputies made 14 more arrests in 2014, a change of 18.7 percent.

The percentage of Group A offenses reported to OCSO dropped 3.8 percent in 2014.

ISP arrest rates take into account Group A crimes as well as Group B arrests for offenses such as driving under the influence, liquor law violations, runaways, disorderly conduct, bad checks and curfew violations among others.

However, the ISP clearance rate statistics only analyze Group A offenses.

Grant said the implementation of a school resource officer splitting time between the Marsing and Bruneau-Grand View districts has resulted in more criminal reports from the schools.

The ISP report shows that 2014 burglary reports were up 52.5 percent countywide from the previous year with four times as many clearances (16 in 61 cases compared to four in 40 cases). There were 37 burglaries in the OCSO jurisdiction and all but 10 remained open. HPD cleared six of its 24 reported burglaries, which was a 33 percent increase in incidents over 2013.

“We’ve just had so many isolated burglary reports that are unrelated compared to what we did the year prior,” Sheriff Perry Grant said. “It’s surprising to actually see that total so high. Our isolated reports have risen immensely. We don’t have quite the strings that we’ve had in the past, in 2012 and 2013.”

Grant said it’s “pretty standard” to have burglaries go unsolved.

“But that doesn’t mean that we don’t have leads and we’re not working those particular leads we just haven’t been able to make an arrest in the case yet to be able to close it,” he said.

Larceny reports went down (from 114 to 90), but seven more arrests (27) were made in 2014.

Reports of drug offenses rose 42.4 percent, and 30 arrests were made countywide.

“We’ve found drugs on traffic stops a lot more frequently than we have in years past,” Grant said. “We’ve also had some bigger drug investigations that have finished this year when arrests were made and that’s why those statistics went up.”

Reports of vandalism were down, too, throughout the county.

According to the ISP report, OCSO clearances included:

- Three rape cases resulting in the arrest of one adult
- Ten of 37 reported burglaries resulting in the arrest of two adults and two juveniles
- 19 of 62 larceny cases (arrests: seven adults, four juveniles)
- Five of 13 auto thefts (arrest: one juvenile)
- 45 of 55 simple assault cases (arrests: 13 adults, four juveniles)
- Four of 31 vandalism cases (two juvenile arrests)
- 17 of 19 drug-related offenses (10 adult arrests)
- 15 DUI arrests

HPD clearances included:

- All four reported aggravated assaults (four adult arrests)
- Eight of 31 larceny reports (seven adult arrests)
- 25 of 35 reported simple assaults (nine adult arrests; three juvenile arrests)
- 27 of 28 drug offenses (20 adult arrests; three juvenile)
- Six of 17 vandalism reports (three adult arrests; one juvenile)
- 13 DUI arrests, including one under-age drinker

HPD’s reported offenses had steadily dropped in the past five years — from a high of 216 in 2010 to 138 in 2013 — until a slight increase to 150 last year. The overall trend is 30.6 percent fewer offenses between 2010 and 2014.

The sheriff’s office also has seen a decline in offenses between 2010 and 2011 with a slight increase in 2013. There were 10 fewer offenses logged in 2014 (251) than the previous year, and offenses are down 19.8 percent since 2010.

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Grand View woman charged with DUI

A Grand View faces a misdemeanor charge for allegedly driving while drunk.

Latanya Begay, 29, was arrested by Owyhee County Sheriff's Deputy Larry Kendrick shortly after 5 p.m. on July 7.

Chief Deputy Lynn Bowman said there was a 911 hangup at the house and someone reported a possible domestic violence situation at the home.

"When Larry got on scene, she left the area in a vehicle and he followed her and got her," Bowman said.

He also said Begay admitted to drinking and failed two standard field sobriety tests. One breath test showed her blood alcohol level to be .141, and another showed .153. The legal limit is .08.

Begay was arraigned last Wednesday and posted bond of \$500 on Thursday.

She faces sentencing at 1:30 p.m. on Monday, Aug. 10 in Murphy before Magistrate Judge Dan C. Grober.

— SC

DUIs net probation, suspended licenses

Two men recently received sentences for misdemeanor driving under the influence convictions.

Rodney E. Williams of Caldwell must serve 24 hours of community service in the next year. Arrested March 21 by Homedale Police, Williams also must pay \$676 in fines and court fees.

Magistrate Judge Dan C. Grober ordered a year's probation and suspended Williams' driver's license for six months.

Grober also presided over the sentencing for Boise resident Colton James Harper, who was charged with misdemeanor second-offense DUI after his March 22 arrest.

Harper must pay fines and fees of \$1,000 plus \$100 restitution. Grober took away his driving privileges for a year and placed him on 18 months' probation.

Murphy man arrested at county courthouse

A resident of Murphy who was visiting the county courthouse on business last Wednesday was arrested on an outstanding misdemeanor warrant.

Norman Simpson, 55, was wanted for violation of a no-contact order.

The original misdemeanor charges against him stemmed from an arrest on May 5 for littering, possession of drug paraphernalia, malicious injury to property and resisting or obstructing officers.

Owyhee County Sheriff's Chief Deputy Lynn Bowman made the warrant arrest last Wednesday.

"He was up here in Murphy doing some business with us in the courts and dispatch notified me. So I went out front when he was getting ready to leave and arrested him," Bowman said.

Simpson later posted bond of \$2,500.

He will be back in court today at 1:30 p.m. for a pretrial conference before Magistrate Judge Dan C. Grober.

Simpson is scheduled for a jury trial regarding the original charges against him at 9 a.m. on Sept. 4, also before Grober.

— SC

Nevada motorcyclist hurt in crash

A 68-year-old Elko, Nev., man was injured in a motorcycle crash on Idaho highway 51 on Sunday afternoon around 3 p.m.

The accident happened 23 miles from the Nevada border.

Thomas Piccinini sustained possible internal injuries, facial lacerations and a compound fracture to his right ankle, Owyhee County Sheriff's Chief Deputy Lynn Bowman. Piccinini was riding a 2004 Harley-Davidson.

The Bruneau Quick Response Unit, Grand View Ambulance and LifeFlight responded to the crash site. Piccinini was flown to Saint Alphonsus Regional Medical Center in Boise. He remained in the hospital at press time, but his medical condition was unknown.

On Monday, Bowman had no information on what caused the crash.

— SC

Property valuation appeals denied

The only two 2015 Owyhee County property assessments to receive appeals have been upheld.

The Board of Equalization affirmed Assessor Brett Endicott's valuation on an unused cellular tower in the northeastern part of the county and a 4,000-square-foot residence outside Homedale.

The Board of County Commissioners held the BOE appeal hearings on July 6 in Murphy.

In the case of the Homedale-area residence, Endicott assessed the dwelling and property at more than \$550,000, while the appellant asserted the land property should be valued at \$110,000 less based on two June 2015 nearby sales in Homedale and a listing in Wilder.

According to county documents, the cell tower owner — Houston-based American Tower — didn't list a declared market value for the structure located eight miles west of the Owsley Bridge. Endicott assessed the tower at \$12,644.

Pitch perfect in the park



Church singers entertain at Art in the Park

Subject to Change, a singing group from Homedale Friends Community Church, carried tunes at Saturday's Art in the Park in Homedale. **From left:** Laurel Schroeder, Danece Whitley, Sarah Egusquiza and Rebecca Schroeder. Accompanying musicians were Janine Schroeder (keyboards), Toby Schroeder (guitar) and Ed Whitley (bass).

Free children's meals scheduled in Marsing

The Marsing School District will serve free meals for children ages 1-18 to coincide with its Jump Start Summer School program.

Meals were be serve Monday through Thursday each week until Aug. 6 at the school district cafeteria at 211 8th Ave. W.

Breakfast will be served from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m., and lunch will be available from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Adrian reunion slated

The annual Adrian All-Alumni Reunion will be held Saturday, July 25.

Registration begins at 11 a.m. with a potluck picnic starting at 12:30 p.m.

The festivities take place at the school cafeteria on High Street.

Participants are asked to bring a dish to share, their own beverages and table settings.

For more information, contact Kathy Price of the Adrian All-Alumni Association at (541) 339-3531.



Busy summer continues for Snake River Livestock 4-H

by Hailee Meyers

This year, the Snake River Livestock 4-H club has had a lot going on. Our leaders Heather Field and Trisha Keppler have kept us busy, but we all had a lot of fun.

Earlier this spring, our club cleaned out the flower bed for the Eastern Owyhee County Library. Then we sold snow cones during the warm Little League games, and in the heat of the summer we helped clean up the town of Grand View before Grand View Days.

During Grand View Days we sold drinks at the park and rode in the Snake River 4-H Club parade float.

This month is a busy month for 4-H members as we are getting our record books and animals ready for the Owyhee County Fair. We will be having fair in Homedale from Aug. 3 to Aug. 8. Our theme for the year is "Shoot for the Stars."

Our officers are president Hannah Field, vice-president Heidi Pearson, secretary Laura Gasper, treasurer Taylor Majors, coordinator Samantha Lindquist, and publicity manager Hailee Meyers.

We have a large club this year. It includes five Cloverbuds and 20 4-H members. All the members are taking a variety of projects, which are rabbits, chickens, pigs, goats, sheep, cats, and even beekeeping!

I want to take this time to thank our leaders, Heather Field and Trisha Keppler. They do an excellent job educating us and they make 4-H fun.

Left: Snake River Livestock 4-H'ers ride in last month's Grand View Days parade. Submitted photo

Wagons and Wheels show wows the crowd



Above: John Clark won the Judge's Choice award for his 1937 Plymouth business coupe. **Below:** Bob McDonald's 1958 Chevy sedan delivery was picked as Best Classic. Submitted photos



Folks attended Saturday morning's car show at the Homedale LDS church to gaze at about 35 classic cars. Paul Craig (striped shirt) was taking notes as he walked with friends.



Jerry Maybar won Best Restored and Best Engine for his 1966 Chevrolet Chevelle. Submitted photo



Don Frank flipped flapjacks Saturday at the Homedale LDS church. Car owners received a free breakfast for showing off their machines.



Left: Ron Reolle, who attended with his wife Karen, stands with his 1947 Ford cabriolet. He won Best Custom and Best Paint for his 1937 Ford hardtop convertible (not shown). **Right:** Paul Bull won two awards — People's Choice and Best Late Model — for his 2014 Corvette Stingray. Submitted photos

Black Sands Resort renovation inches forward

Plans are moving ahead to replace the boat loading ramp and dock at Black Sands Resort near C.J. Strike Reservoir.

The Board of Owyhee County Commissioners (BOCC) heard an update on the project during their July 6 meeting.

Jon Whipple with the Idaho Department of Fish and Game spoke to commissioners about the design plan and implementation timeline for the renovation.

“Fish and Game provided some design services. We did a topographical survey and put together a plan, and we’re providing it for the county,” Whipple said.

The county recently received a grant for \$133,881 to renovate the facility. The total cost of the project is \$170,702. The county will provide the remaining \$36,821 in matching funds.

Idaho Fish and Game is also providing technical advice on the project for the county.

“We put everything on AutoCAD in designing the construction plan,” Whipple said.

AutoCAD is a commercial software application for two-dimensional and three-dimensional computer-aided design (CAD) and drafting.

The work at Black Sands Resort

will begin in September at the earliest.

“There’s still permits to be obtained and soil permits from the Army Corps of Engineers, Idaho Department of Water Resources and the Department of Lands,” Whipple said.

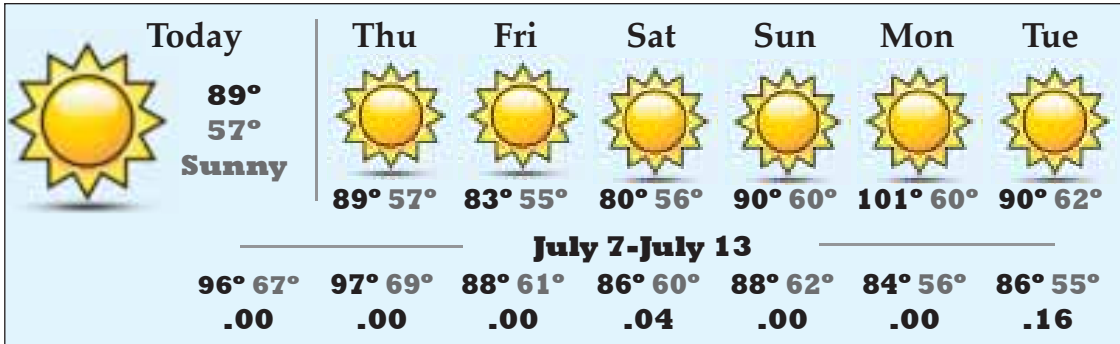
Owyhee County Clerk Angie Barkell previously said the county’s match for the project will be a combination of in-kind work by the county road department and cash funds, which could come from the vessel fund. She added that the “actual amount of cash outlay is yet to be determined.”

The project will include installing a new boat ramp on the south bank of the Black Sands Marina to replace the existing ramp. The new ramp will extend farther into the reservoir.

There will also be new, longer docks built in an “L” shape, along with a handicapped-accessible parking pad. A new restroom will be installed nearby along with a concrete sidewalk for accessibility to the new docks.

Owyhee County has also obtained a lease from the Bureau of Land Management to expand the existing parking lot to allow more vehicle and trailer parking at the marina.

— SC



Water report

The Bureau of Reclamation website showed that the Owyhee Reservoir was 10 percent full and that water was flowing in the Owyhee River above the reservoir at Rome, Ore., at a rate of 132 cubic feet per second. Water is flowing out at Nyssa, Ore., at a rate of 149 cubic feet per second. The reservoir

held 74,746 acre-feet of water on Monday.

Note — SNOTEL statistics were gathered from the Natural Resources Conservation Service website at 3 p.m. Monday (Year-to-date precipitation is measured from Oct. 1 to Sept. 30.). Weather provided by Helena Chemical Co. and Accuweather.



Vietnam veterans Daniel Carlson, left, and Dick Burman show off the trophy that Sam Phillips III VFW Post 11065 won during the Wilder Fourth of July Parade. Carlson is post commander, and Burman is the post’s quarter master.

Hwy 78 community disaster fundraiser planned again

Several new prizes have been added to the mix as another Owyhee County Hwy 78 Community Disaster Relief fundraiser approaches.

The third annual Family Fun Day is set for Saturday, Oct. 17 at the Owyhee County Historical Museum complex in Murphy.

This year’s event will feature a car show again as well as fun and games for children and adults.

CDR president Denise Lacy of Wilson recently announced a search for event sponsors as well as plans to sell tickets throughout the summer for drawings to be held during the fundraiser.

One raffle will feature a 1955 Ford Customline Fordor sedan donated by Mike and Joyce Peck. Tickets are \$2 each.

A \$200 Cash and Carry gift card will be raffled with tickets costing \$1 each or six for \$5.

Another raffle featuring \$10

tickets will have four prizes from which to choose including tools and an Owyhee backcountry airplane flight.

The Oct. 17 festivities will run from 2 p.m. to 7 p.m., and there will be a \$5 entry fee. The entry fee will cover the Kids Corner admission, while two booths will be in operation for folks to buy tickets for food, beverages and raffles. Tickets will cost of \$1 each or \$20 for 25.

Plans for this year’s event include a return of rock-n-roll DJ Jon Jaxon, who will conduct something billed as a “loud” silent auction. The black jack game will move outside, and there will be a beer and wine garden available.

The Owyhee County Hwy 78 CDR, which is a non-profit organization, was formed in March 2013 to create a relief fund to help folks in the Idaho highway 78 corridor while taking pressure off fire district budgets.

Earlier this year, the CDR helped raise \$1,930 to help a family after the death of the father.

More information on the CDR is available on Facebook.

Local VFW post schedules membership drive Saturday

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post that serves Marsing and Homedale is looking for more members.

Sam Phillips III VFW Post 11065 will hold at membership drive during its next meeting, which takes place at 9 a.m. on Saturday at the VFW hall, 208 3rd St., in Wilder.

Post 11065 officials also announced that — beginning with Saturday’s gathering — the regular meeting now will be held at 9 a.m. on the second Saturday of the month. Previously, it was held on the second Thursday, but officials are moving the meeting day and time in an effort to gain more participation and eliminate scheduling conflicts for folks who work during the week.

Post 11065 boasts 91 members. Servicemen who served in war zones are eligible for membership.

Post 11065 Quarter Master Dick Burman said those war zones include Afghanistan, Iraq, Vietnam, Korea and the World War II theaters. Veterans from Homedale, Marsing, Wilder, Greenleaf and Parma can join Post 11065.

Burman, a retired Army veteran, and third-year VFW Post 11065 Cmdr. Daniel Carlson, who served in the Navy, are both Vietnam veterans. This is Burman’s 21st year as Post 11065 quarter master.

The local post presents awards each year as part of the VFW’s Voice of Democracy and Patriot

Pen essay contests for high school and middle school students, respectively.

The VFW Post 11065 won the best vehicle award in the Wilder Fourth of July Parade earlier this month. The post often flies the American flag and other colors from the bed of a 1955 GMC pickup in parades, including the Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo Parade each August.

Post 11065 is named for Army Sgt. Samuel C. Phillips III, a 24-year-old Homedale resident who was killed in action on Oct. 2, 1967 in Lam Dong province in Vietnam.

For more information on VFW Post 11065, call Burman at 896-4465.

— JPB

Church offers free community dinners

The public is invited for food and fellowship at a free dinner in Wilder.

The Crossroads Assembly of God Church will offer a free community meal today and Wednesday, Aug. 12 at 5:30 p.m.

The church is located at the corner of Idaho highway 19 and U.S. Highway 95 near the entrance into Wilder.

For more information on the dinners, call (208) 890-9132.

Find out
What's happening
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Avalanche Sports

Teams battle in Conner Landa Memorial tourney

Weekend results

Conner Landa Award — Tori and Morgan Nash
Home run derby champions — Men: Eric Becker. Women: Shelby

A Division

Champion — All Around Sports
Runner-up — Game Time Sports
Third place — Bear's Bombers/Uranga Gang
MVPs — Men: Dan Romero, Game Time Sports; Women: Alaina Veatch, All Around Sports
All-tournament — All Around Sports: Marcy Rollins, Cole Patterson and Joey Smith; Game Time Sports: Paula Doerr; Bear's Bombers/Uranga Gang: Julia Henrie

B Division

Champion — Sicc Wit It
Runner-up — Sticks & Stones
Third place — F-It
MVPs — Men: Cruz Flores, Sicc Wit It; Women: Berkley, Sticks & Stones
All-tournament — Sicc Wit It: Eddie Flores, Kara Duckworth and Michelle Scales; Sticks & Stones: Omar Godina; F-It: Reuben Marqueda

C Division

Champion — Brewers
Runner-up — Triple P
Third place — American Family Insurance (Homedale coaches)
MVPs — Men: Wesley Hooten, Brewers; Women: Nicole Manzeneres, Triple P
All-tournament — Brewers: Tyler Perry, Judy Heid and Mariah Garcia; Triple P: CJ; American Family Insurance: Pat McIntyre

D Division

Champion — Young & Reckless
Runner-up — Free Ballers
Third place — The Other Guys
MVPs — Mike Lane, Young & Reckless; Carson Brown, Free Ballers
All-tournament — Young & Reckless: Morgan Nash, Dylan Lowder and Hayden Krzesnik; Free Ballers: Gardenia; The Other Guys: Lindsey Laubhan

Note — Full names for some of the award winners were unavailable.



C.K.T. pitcher Tim Dines, left, delivers a pitch to a Team Down & Dirty batter during one of Friday's opening D Division games of the Conner Landa Coed Memorial Softball Tournament at Sundance Park.



Above: Jenny Thomason of Team Fubar makes contact during an early D Division game. **Left:** Trevor Krzesnik of the Jamaican Hopscotch Mafia tosses a pitch against Team Fubar.

No-hitter highlights Rivercats' early Lewiston days

County Legion squad ready for district tourney in Fruitland

Playing on a college diamond suited the Owyhee Rivercats during the opening stages of the Lewiston American Legion Baseball Tournament.

On Friday, Connor Carter threw a tidy no-hitter as coach Burke Deal's squad beat the Lewis-Clark Cubs, 4-0, in the second day of the tournament



Connor Carter

Carter struck out four and pitched to just three batters over the minimum during an 83-pitch performance at Harris Field on the Lewis-Clark State College

campus. Results from the Rivercats' tournament games on Saturday and Sunday weren't reported by press time. The team, which had posted a 21-9 record midway through the Lewiston tournament, closed its Class A season Monday on the road against Rocky Mountain. The Rivercats are scheduled to play in the Class A District Tournament beginning Saturday in Fruitland. In Saturday's win over the Cubs, John Collett went 3-for-3 with a triple and a run scored during the Rivercats' four-run rally in the bottom of the first inning. Blake Patton was 2-for-2 with a double, and Austin Williams also doubled.

Another highlight of Owyhee's opening frame was Drew Deal's sacrifice bunt to get his brother, Jake, home from third. Gunnar Clapp's RBI single brought home Collett, and he later scored on a wild pitch. **Thursday: Rivercats 10, Libby, Mont., 2** — Collett and Williams laced two-out singles and scored to cap a six-run fifth inning that set up the 10-run rule in the opening round of the Lewiston tournament. Williams was 2-for-2 with two runs scored and two RBI, while Collett went 2-for-4 with three RBI, including a two-run double in the fourth inning. Clapp was 2-for-2. **Thursday: Nampa Braves 11, Rivercats 6** — The opening day of the Lewiston tournament also featured a showdown against a familiar foe from the Treasure Valley.

Nampa scored two runs in the top of the fourth inning to snap a 4-4 deadlock then scored five times in the seventh for enough cushion to withstand Owyhee's final at-bat rally. Drew Deal laced a two-run double to tie the game, 4-4, in the third inning. Drew Taylor's two-run double accounted for the Rivercats' last gasp in the seventh inning. **July 7: Treasure Valley Astros 5, Rivercats 2** — Owyhee's late two-run lead disappeared quickly in Ontario, Ore. The Astros tied the game, 2-2, in the bottom of the fifth inning then surged ahead with three runs in the sixth. A two-run triple highlighted the game-winning rally. Jake Deal doubled home Kendall Freelove to break a scoreless stalemate in the top of the sixth, and Austin Williams scored on Gunnar Clapp's bases-loaded walk

to give the Rivercats a 2-0 edge. Clapp was 2-for-3 with two of Owyhee's five singles. **July 6: Rivercats 6, Meridian Rangers 4** — Middle-of-the-order batters John Collett and Blake Patton picked up five hit for the Rivercats, who rode a late-game surge to a win at home. Meridian led, 3-1, when Owyhee struck for three runs in the bottom of the fifth inning as Patton ripped the tying two-run single and Collett scored the go-ahead run on Drew Deal's sacrifice fly. Collett, who was 3-for-3 with two stolen bases, had base hits and scored runs in the fourth and fifth innings. Austin Williams struck out 10 in seven innings for the complete-game victory. He dodged four unearned runs and four walks and helped his own cause with a run-scoring double in the Rivercats' two-run sixth.

Commentary

Baxter Black, DVM



On the edge of common sense Snaffle Bit Futurity

Have you ever been drivin’ a set of pasture cattle down the lane? Then you notice them stringin’ out longer and longer, driftin’ over into the ditches along the side ’til pretty soon you’re a half-mile ahead of the lead steer.

You look back at the feller you put ridin’ drag. Over the backs of the wanderin’ herd, through the dusty haze, there he is. He’s got his two-year-old brown gelding spinning in a tight circle to the right. The colt’s head is pulled to the inside, butt down and tail tucked in. Then the colt’s nose is pulled down against his chest, and he’s backin’ up in quick steps. Suddenly the horse and rider burst forward like Custer’s charge and reach a gallop within a few strides! He leans all the way back. The colt’s whole body tips back, head up, front hooves locked straight. The hind legs stiffen and reach plum under the head. He sticks his butt nearly to the ground and skids to a sliding stop.

The cowboy pauses, pats ol’ Brown and gazes off, listening to the thunderous applause of the imaginary crowd.

“You crazy, two-legged, mare-ridin’ maniac! Get those cattle up here!”

Every outfit’s got a feller who hired on to cowboy and get another \$50 a month to ride a couple of colts. The better they seem to be with horses, the more their attention seems to wander workin’ cattle. They can’t help it. It’s in their blood. They march to a different drummer, those boys. Some of ’em are so good with horses it’s hard to believe they can’t read each other’s mind.

Most of ’em dream of makin’ a livin’ training horses. The pinnacle of achievement, the World Series, Super Bowl and National Finals of horse training, is the Snaffle Bit Futurity held in Reno every September.

It’s one of the most beautiful sights you’ll ever set your eyes on. Even the grouchiest, grumblin’ feedlot foreman gets a little twinge to see man and horse perform as one. Ears twitchin’, nostrils flarin’, romals, bosals, braided macardies, rawhide, muscles ripplin’, eyes alert, horse hair, silver, mane and tail.

If this sounds like a tribute to that strange breed of cowboy who’d feel more at home on the back of a spinnin’, nervous colt than on the dance floor at Schroeder Hall, I guess it is.

They say there’s a place for everything.

— Visit Baxter’s Web site at www.baxterblack.com for more features and to purchase Baxter Black merchandise, including his newest release, “Cave Wall Graffiti from a Neanderthal Cowboy,” other books and DVDs.

Jon P. Brown, managing editor

Eyes on Owyhee Wasting time in Marsing



More and more people seem to cast a cynical eye on the machinations of government at the state and national level, but the City of Marsing last week gave locals a reason to be skeptical of leaders closer to home.

A public hearing that had been advertised and scheduled for the better part of a month was vacated during last Wednesday’s city council meeting because of a detail that should have been caught several weeks ago.

Dairyman Hans Nederend says he wants to retain a quality workforce by building labor housing on Edwards Street in Marsing. He filed a special use permit application as seemingly was required by Marsing’s zoning ordinance.

But after the town’s Planning and Zoning Commission held a public hearing on Nederend’s application and last Wednesday’s scheduled follow-up public hearing with the city council a crucial discovery was made.

Turns out Nederend never should have been required

to submit the application to build on his property because it’s in a multiple-use area.

No one at City Hall caught this little factoid when Nederend began the process. No one caught it before the P&Z’s well-attended public hearing on June 29.

Heck, no one knew that a special use permit — and all the outlay in money, time and resources that it entails — was unnecessary until after last week’s council meeting.

In other words, had someone at Marsing City Hall bothered to check the existing zoning regulations (or a map) when Nederend started the process, none of the dairyman’s money (a \$400 application fee), none of the citizens’ time (several showed up to speak on both sides of the issue June 29) and none of the P&Z commissioners’ volunteer hours would have been wasted.

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Letter to the editor Sign and flags make strong statement about Homedale

Thanks to everyone that has put so much time and work into the setting of the new Homedale sign and the flagpoles and flags. What a statement this makes about the patriotism of this community. It can be seen from every entryway to Homedale and down the main street looking east.

Thank you to the Homedale Chamber of Commerce, the City of Homedale and crew, Tim Downing for the

beautiful petrified rocks, the Matteson Family for their donation of the large pole, and everyone else that has helped with this.

This is a wonderful little town, and this shows what can be done with everyone working together.

Donna Titmus
Homedale

Sen. Mike Crapo

From Washington U.S. must work to encourage nuclear power advancement



Our country needs an energy plan that focuses on reducing environmental risks and reliance on foreign resources from volatile countries around the globe. Nuclear energy is a key component of the long-term, diversified energy plan our country needs.

To ensure nuclear energy remains a cornerstone of our power generation system, we must keep our current nuclear plants operating while we deploy new reactors and new technologies. Other countries continue to develop nuclear reactor prototypes and commercial advanced reactors while we lag behind. The U.S. must regain its leadership in nuclear technology, which is why I recently introduced S. 1363, the Nuclear Energy Innovation Act. S. 1363 requires the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) to assess its own capabilities to authorize and host privately funded nuclear reactor prototypes at DOE labs, such as the Idaho National Lab.

Currently, nuclear energy innovators and scientists are unable to test their proposed technologies, which makes it difficult to prove the principles behind their work. In turn, this makes it hard to attract investors for new reactor concepts and even more difficult to get a commercial license from the Nuclear Regulatory Commission. S. 1363 requires the DOE to formally describe what practical challenges exist for DOE labs to become the home for a nuclear test bed that can be used by the private sector.

Already this year, INL has hosted workshops on innovation in nuclear energy, which support the ultimate creation of a nuclear test bed. INL is home to a National Science User Facility that provides access to DOE nuclear research capabilities. The creation of a nuclear test bed would build upon INL’s existing efforts to foster greater

industrial collaboration to reduce the risks of deploying new nuclear technologies.

The U.S. must continue to demonstrate and deploy new nuclear technologies, and we must do so quickly given the rapid pace of nuclear technology advancements in other countries. Specifically, through S. 1363, the DOE with other federal agencies would be required to include the following in its report to Congress:

- The safety review and oversight capabilities of DOE;
- Potential sites that would be able to host research, development and demonstration of prototype reactors;
- Physical and technical capabilities of DOE and the National Labs relevant to research, development and oversight;
- Contractual mechanisms available to DOE;
- Potential cost structures that consider physical security, decommissioning, liability and other long-term project costs; and
- Other issues identified by the Secretary of Energy relevant for potential large prototype reactors.

I will work to enact this legislation that will enable the demonstration and deployment of new nuclear technologies while working with DOE officials, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission and researchers at the Idaho National Laboratory to explore the nuclear test bed concept.

— Republican Mike Crapo is Idaho’s senior member of the U.S. Senate. He 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.

Letters to the editor

All letters to the editor submitted to The Owyhee Avalanche must be no longer than 300 words, signed and include the writer’s address and daytime phone number.

The deadline for submitting letters is noon on Friday. Letters can be submitted in these ways:

- E-mailed to jon@owyheeavalanche.com
- Faxed to (208) 337-4867
- Mailed to P.O. Box 97, Homedale ID, 83628
- Dropped off at the Avalanche office at 19 E. Idaho Ave., in Homedale

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

Commentary

Financial management
Landlord must get control of property immediately

Dear Dave,
I own a rental property that brings in enough to pay the taxes and insurance with a little left over. Recently, I found out that my tenant, who just signed a new two-year lease, is subleasing the property for the short term as a vacation site. This kind of thing happened once before and is prohibited in the agreement. Do you think I should approach him about the situation or let it go until it becomes problematic?
— Catherine

Dear Catherine,
It's already a problem, because he's in violation of the lease agreement. Call him today and tell him to stop the sublease immediately. Let him know that he'll be evicted if anything like this ever happens again.

This may sound harsh, but an agreement is an agreement. You may not have experienced any big problems up until now, but what happens when he pulls this again and the next people who come in are a bunch of partiers? You could end up with broken windows, holes in the walls and a bad reputation. On top of all that, what if they leave and he doesn't have the money to fix things? It's all on you. Why? Because you lost control of your property!
As a landlord, I always try to be gentle and nice but really clear about things. But this guy needs to understand that you mean what you say in the lease agreement. Once more, and he's gone!
— Dave

Dear Dave,
I have a relative who recently entered a rehab center to treat her



drug addiction. I've been trying to help with things on the outside, and recently I discovered she has about \$20,000 in debt. This is in addition to the rent owed on her apartment. I don't have a lot of money, but do you think I should

start trying to pay some of these bills for her?
— Jeremy

Dear Jeremy,
I'm really sorry to hear about your relative. Addiction is a painful thing for the addict and for their family and friends. While what you're suggesting is noble, my advice would be to leave the debt alone. I would, however, notify her landlord of what's happened. If he won't hold her place, then get her stuff out and turn over the keys so he or she can find another tenant.
As far as the debt obligations are concerned, just let her creditors cry and whine. They're going to do that anyway, and you're in no position to help financially at this point. Once she's out and healthy again, one of the first things she'll have to do is recreate her life

and income. When that's been done, then she needs to go back and make arrangements with her creditors.
But right now, she needs to concentrate on herself. And as her family, you need to pour as much love and support as you can into the healing process. You've got a great heart, Jeremy, but the money stuff can wait until she's out, healthy and established again. Then, if you want and have been able to save a bit, you might gift her a little money to help her get started again.
God bless you guys.
— Dave

— Dave Ramsey is America's trusted voice on money and business. The Dave Ramsey Show is heard by more than 8.5 million listeners each week on more than 550 radio stations.

Americans for Limited Government
Preserving freedom maintains American Exceptionalism

by Rick Manning

"We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness. That to secure these rights, Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed."
In these 54 words, Thomas Jefferson defined the DNA of America, and laid the foundation for individual freedom that has over the course of 239 years led to American Exceptionalism.
Jefferson's words embodied in the Declaration of Independence were an act of treason, and those who signed the Declaration of Independence committed a heroic act of literally putting their lives, families and fortunes on the chopping block with little objective evidence that the revolution they spawned was going to be successful.
Yet, beyond the secular revolution of breaking away from England, the American DNA was defined in the bold statement that individual rights were not granted by a government, but instead by God, and that the government itself was created to secure those rights.
This fundamental transformation away from the notion of the divine right of Kings to the subjugation of government to the people was based upon the core statement that "all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights."
Created equal, the rich and poor alike, all given dignity by God with rights that no government could strip away.
A freedom like no other that has ignited Americans to dream, strive, achieve, fail and get up and try again.
Being human, those authors of the Declaration were not

perfect, but they chose not to be limited by their cultural or other shortcomings. Instead they chose to set a bar high enough that Americans would always strive to achieve it, and peoples from other countries would always crave to join it.
Today, we find the same underlying challenges that faced those brave men who met in Philadelphia in 1776 facing our nation.
Today, there are those who look at the faults of our nation and seek to use them to deny the underlying truths that have made America the envy of the world.
They seek to return our nation to one where natural rights are not endowed by God, but rather reduced to those which the federal government allows us to pretend that we have.
They seek to turn the meaning of the Constitutionally enumerated freedoms upside-down. One example is their attempt to turn the First Amendment on its head. Flipping its plain meaning from the right to engage in speech, the free exercise of religion, redressing grievances to the government and of the press to a government-imposed protection from these very activities under the guise that some sub-group or even the majority might be offended.
Many of the same people who defended the right of miscreants to burn the American flag now argue that the American flag should be torn from the flag pole as it offends some who come from other cultures. They argue that the government should act to stop the free exercise of religion by virtue of declaring contrary points of view to be "hate speech." They argue for the government to impose a personal freedom from being exposed to ideas that they disagree with, so they can maintain a safe zone bubble.
Rather than the free exchanges of ideas that have helped

America grow strong, they want a government-imposed monopoly of ideas that coincides with their limited understanding of the world.
This is the battle that America has just begun to wake up to. It's a national discussion that goes to the root of who we will be in the future, and those whose base argument is that government determines what rights individuals have naturally are trying to silence those who believe that individual freedoms are protected from the government rather than defined by it.
The idea of America is freedom to do, speak and take action without the shackles of a federal government overlord is at risk. The underlying, guiding assumption of our nation's history that the government did not bestow rights, so the government cannot take them away is being challenged.
This very revolutionary concept that has brought our nation to being the greatest the world has ever known is in imminent danger. Should we, as a people, accede to those who wish to rule us by agreeing with their premise that rights are fungible and the government is the grantor of whatever freedom it chooses to allow, America will no longer be exceptional or unique. Our nation will slip back into the norm of history, being ruled without rights with the people taking whatever crumbs that fall out of our master's hands rather than striving for their own dreams.
This is why I have joined with others in celebrating July as America Proud month. A month dedicated to educating and discussing those God-given freedoms that make our nation unique, and American Exceptionalism real.
— Rick Manning is the president of Americans for Limited Government.

✓ Marsing: Duplex development public process was never necessary

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Granted, a few hundred dollars won't mean much to an operation that is building 16 duplexes to house employees. After all, Nederend apparently is already prepared to pay the city more than \$200,000 in water and sewer hookup fees, not to mention the cost of building the housing development and the ancillary facilities such as a soccer field and a basketball court.
But at the heart of this issue is the low level of competence displayed by the people who are paid — in part — to prevent the waste of time, money and resources.

Surely many of the folks who turned out for what was supposed to be a public hearing last Wednesday had a similar feeling when the city council rearranged its agenda and passed a new land use table, prompting Mayor Keith Green to call the hearing and the application process a "moot point." And that was before the revelation about the existing zoning regs.
The city has spent considerable time and effort — including staffing two public hearings — to put together the land use table, and as city attorney Stephanie J. Bonney pointed out, few citizens bothered to participate.

The council apparently was ready to act last month on a new ordinance, which would have allowed the duplexes that were already allowed under the old land use table. But an ordinance wasn't sufficiently prepared for a vote.
Instead, the ordinance passed last Wednesday, giving the illusion — however unfair and off-base — that the council rearranged things to accommodate development.
Of course, no concessions were made, but the sloppy nature with which the entire affair was handled should cause city officials to re-examine who knows what when it comes to planning issues.

Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

July 18, 1990

Water rights examinations are under way in this area

Field examinations to determine the accuracy of the water right claims in the Snake River Basin Adjudication are under way in Basin 57, according to David Shaw, Adjudication Bureau Chief of the Idaho Department of Water Resources.

Basin 57 includes Marsing, Murphy, Homedale and Grand View in Owyhee County.

“Our water rights agents will be conducting on-site field examinations of water rights claims throughout the remainder of the irrigation season in Basin 57.” Shaw said.

Improvements being made at local school

Gillingham Construction Co. of Boise, the demolition salvage company scheduled to tear down the old brick junior high building in Homedale, did not start the job Monday as local school authorities had expected.

Homedale Elementary School Principal Herb Fritzley said he had heard the firm was still tied up on a job in Nampa.

Certain other work is in progress at the grade school, Fritzley pointed out. Boys’ bathrooms in the old Washington Building portion of the renovated building, left untouched during remodeling, are being refurbished.

A new concrete bicycle parking surface has also been constructed in front of the renovated building facing Washington Avenue, with a section reserved for the placement of the school’s flagpole. One old shade tree has been chopped down to permit better visibility of the schoolchildren crossing Washington Avenue.

Joint landfill plan is moving ahead

Owyhee County appears to be moving steadily forward to prepare for a shift from a county to a regional landfill system, in compliance with tough new federal environmental law that several area authorities have said will make continued operation of a single county dump system financially impossible.

County Commissioner Harold “Hal” Tolmie of Homedale said Friday that the plan is to establish three county “collection sites” from which non-hazardous trash and garbage would be hauled to the designated regional landfill, the Pickles Butte dump in Canyon County. The collection sites would be located near Homedale, Grand View and Wilson community.

Efforts are under way to obtain land from the U.S. Bureau of Land Management about one-half mile north of the existing local dump.

The Wilson collection site will be located near Givens Hot Springs, Tolmie added. Each collection site will have a concrete floor and sides and will have to be enclosed by a chain-link fence. The cost of constructing each will run an estimated \$35,000 to \$40,000, he reported.

Marsing trustees reorganize board

The Marsing School Board met Tuesday, July 10 and elected the following officers: Pat McClintick, Chairman; David VanWassenhove, Vice-Chairman; Kate Parkins, Treasurer; and Liz Cuff, COSSA Representative.

Attorney resigns; patrolling discussed

Marsing City Attorney Renae Hoff is resigning September 1 to accept the position of a District III magistrate judge in Nampa. She will be sworn in on Labor Day, and there will be a reception on Trolley Square from 4-6 p.m.

Tim Nettleton reported that police officers were told to spend 50 percent of their time in Marsing in view of the fact that Marsing only pays one-third of the officers’ salary. According to his records, they have been spending more time than that in Marsing the last 8 weeks. Jim Thomas disagreed that Marsing was getting its money’s worth because of their slow response time and the quality of time spent in Marsing. He suggested that the officers make a special effort to patrol the area during key times such as beginning and ending of school hours and lunch time.

50 years ago

July 15, 1965

Chamber holds regular meeting Tuesday at noon

The regular meeting of the Homedale Chamber of Commerce was held Tuesday at noon, according to Kenny Downing, secretary.

Larry Hewett, new manager of the Idaho Gas firm, was introduced to the members.

Paul Zatica reported on the meeting of the swimming pool committee, which was held Thursday evening, July 8, at City Hall. He stated that John Medford of the National Gunitite Co. discussed the building of a swimming pool and stated that it could be done for approximately \$20,000. The size of the pool would be 35 x 75 ft. A list is being prepared of each individual item necessary to build such a pool, to determine whether some of the equipment and labor can be purchased at less expense or donated.

Mr. Downing also reported that several members of the Chamber and others from the community plan to leave Friday for Reno, Nev., where they will meet with the L. H. Arvin Mill Works Co., Inc., to discuss the possibilities of locating a plant in Homedale.

Rebuilding of plant here assured, manager says

Rebuilding the Intermountain Agricultural Marketing Association plant, which was completely destroyed by fire Friday night, seems assured, Bill Wahlert, manager, said Wednesday.

“We hope to have a better and more efficient operation – in fact one of the most efficient in the area,” Mr. Wahlert declared. “We plan to be ready to process seed by the first of September,” he added.

The board of directors of the seed cooperative met Monday noon to discuss future plans of the company and to discuss insurance with F. H. Chapman, Boise, regional manager of the General Adjustment Bureau, who is appraising the loss.

Meantime, an office has been set up in the M & L Implement building on South Main Street, and business is being carried on. Some office records were saved. Letters have been sent out to the 260 members and others advising of the new location.

The board voted unanimously to rebuild as quickly as possible at the same location near the Homedale depot in West Homedale.

Adequate insurance to cover all losses was carried by the company. The building, equipment and inventory was a total loss, but some salvage of seed may be possible, Mr. Wahlert indicated.

About 425,000 pounds of seed, mostly alfalfa, was stored in the building.

The annual meeting of the cooperative will be held in the near future. Present officers of the I.A.M.A. are P. T. Rathbone, president; L. B. Martin, vice president (deceased); Roman Usabel, secretary; and Glen Salmeier, treasurer. Directors are Jack Stansell, Dave Phelps, Bill Pease, Frank Toston and Henry Sweep.

Company employees are Mr. Wahlert, manager; Lois Richards, bookkeeper; Rodger Nash, fieldsman; Larry Riddle, mill foreman, and Byron Leavitt, warehouseman.

5,000 blasting caps found at old Owyhee mine

A search party that included a Boise youth injured when a blasting cap he and two young friends were handling exploded found and confiscated 5,000 blasting caps in the area of an old Owyhee County mine shaft Thursday, Sheriff Al Barberis reported.

According to Barberis, the blasting caps filled four boxes and were found scattered about the old Cook mine near Silver City. The caps were found in a search of the area by Lt. Jack Tucker of the Idaho State Police, Owyhee County Deputy Sheriff Chuck Jurries, Harold Statham of Boise and Statham’s son, Bill.

Statham and two companions, Arch White, 15, and Murray Jones, 12, were hurt Tuesday when a blasting cap they were examining exploded.

Jones was hospitalized with face, hand and leg burns. The other two boys were released after treatment.

140 years ago

July 17, 1875

SOUTH MOUNTAIN Mining Operation. Important developments continue to be made in many mines in this vicinity, and the strikes give encouragement to owners to prosecute operations with all the means at their command. In the second extension of the Original, owned by W. H. Dewey and Ben Cook, a fine ore body has recently been reached which combines good galena and copper, and has a very promising appearance throughout. The shaft is down 25 feet, and there is reported to be abundance of good ore in the vicinity. Reports from many of the other smaller mines are equally favorable, and if actively worked this summer, the results cannot fail to be satisfactory.

NEW SCHOOL. Active work has been begun on the new school building which will be finished early in August. It is being erected new the palatial residence of Benjamin Cook, Esq., by John Monroe and his partner. Sixty scholars have already been promised for the new school, and the sum of six hundred dollars has been subscribed on half of the building. The prospects are favorable.

INDIAN SPORTS. A party of Indians came into town last evening with some twenty-five or thirty horses. They had heard about the racing here, and want to match some of their horses against those of their pale-faced brethren. We have not yet learned whether they succeeded in making up a race. The Indians offered to sell some of their animals for \$100 a head.

POST OFFICE AT EMPIRE CITY. We understand that a movement will soon be made among the residents of the part of War Eagle Mountain known as Empire City looking to the establishment of a new post office there. There are several hundred people living there requiring mail service, and their distance from any other post office is great enough to ensure the necessity for a new office at Empire City. We hope to hear of an active movement immediately on behalf of a new post office there, and advise those interested to push the matter to a successful issue.

The snow, which is procured from the adjoining hilltops, comes in good play just now. It is a good substitute for ice, and is used by saloon keepers to keep their malt liquors and wines in a cool state.

BULLET EXTRACTED. A few days ago, Dr. Peters extracted a bullet from Patsey Horan. It will be remembered that Patsey was shot by Jim Hamilin three months ago. The bullet remained in his thigh ever since, coming out gradually in a contrary direction from which it entered. He feels much relieved since it came out and will rapidly improve hereafter. The accident leaves one of his legs a little shorter than the other, but in time this will be remedied and he will be able to dispense with crutches or other support. The bullet when taken out had a flattened, hollow shape like a cup, and Patsey still intends to preserve it as a sort of a reminder of the narrowness of his escape from passing in his checks when shot by the desperado who now has the privilege of sojourning in the Territorial Penitentiary.

ROAD CONDITIONS. It is rather unfortunate that so general a propensity to ride and drive fast horses as exists in our midst that there should be so many dilapidated roads to travel over in the immediate vicinity. A few thousand dollars might be spent to advantage in road repairs in different directions, and with such a consummation it would be more of a pleasure to take out-of-town rides and drives.

REPAIRING THE LINE. Alexander McDonald has just got back from a three weeks’ job of straightening up the telegraph poles from here to Willow Creek. Superintendent Pope has also had a man doing the same work between Willow Creek and Winnemucca. It is Mr. Pope’s intention to have the line straightened between here and Wagon Town, after which, it will be in splendid condition all the way.

Public notices

SYNOPSIS OF OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISSIONER MINUTES

June 1, 8, 15 and 22, 2015

June 1
Paid all outstanding bills from the following funds:

Current Expense \$78,245 Road and Bridge \$6,847 District Court \$10,359 County Fair \$1,010

Fair Grounds and Bldgs. \$4,052 Probation \$666 Health District \$4,531 Indigent and Charity \$946 Historical Society \$576 Revaluation \$31 Solid Waste \$4,550 Tort \$100 911 \$3,751 Waterways \$6 Taxing District Election \$2,717 Economic Development \$389

Approved appointment of Robert Thomason to the Southwest District Board of Health commission.

Approved the Western Waste Services contract for the Three Creek area.

Approver the following Retail Alcohol Liquor Licenses: Fisher's Saloon, Del Rio Restaurant and La Fogata.

Approved a letter of support for the Homedale Ambulance Service for new equipment. Approved the Justice Benefits contract. Approved a certificate of denial for Indigent and Charity case 15-08. Approved a letter to the BLM regarding the monument placing process.

Approved a grant match in the amount of \$3,000.00 for a juniper project feasibility study.

June 8
Approved Assessors new hire of Tammie McGrew to begin on 6-15-14 at \$13.04 per hour.

Approved 2 letters to the LHTAC regarding construction completion on Reynolds and Jordan Creek Bridges.

Approved Resolution 2015-11; Idaho Gem Grant Application.

Approved the USDA Rural Business Development Assistance Council grant application.

Approved annual contract between Owyhee County Sheriff and IDHW.

Approved an agreement and task order with Keller & Assoc. for misc. surveying and engineering services.

Approved Retail Alcoholic Liquor Licenses for the following: Idaho Pizza, Homedale and Rebecca's Market in Marsing.

Approved Certificate of Residency to CSI for Bridget Black. Approved Certificates of Residency to CWI for Carley Bond and Cuiyong He. Placed a lien on Indigent and Charity cases 15-12, 15-13 and 15-14. Approved a letter to the BLM regarding the decision of monument placing decision. Approved a letter to the Office of Species Conservation regarding proposed LUPA/final EIS.

June 15
Approved Resolution 2015-12; Establishment of the Marsing Ambulance District. Paid all outstanding bills from the following funds:

Current Expense \$46,835 Road and Bridge \$13,182 District Court \$880 Probation \$1,140 Historical Society / Museum \$291 Indigent and Charity \$2,930 Junior College Tuition \$650 Revaluation \$525 Solid Waste \$11,778 Tort \$1,000 Weeds \$3,299 911 \$1,176 County Vessel \$18 Taxing District \$1,072 Economic Development \$245

Approved Patrick Williams as detention deputy grade 7, \$13.67 per hour beginning 6-30-15. Approved Certificate of Residency to CSI for Samantha Riha. Placed liens on Indigent & Charity cases 15-15 and 15-16.

Approved Indigent & Charity case 15-15.

Approved Inez Larrusea as dispatcher, grade 7, \$13.67 per hour, beginning 6-22-15.

Approved a letter to Sen. Crapo regarding the Wilderness and Wild and Scenic Management Plan.

June 22
Approved Resolution 2015-13; Destruction of temporary and semi-permanent records from various office of the Owyhee County Courthouse.

Approved BLM Land Use Permit for the stockpile site neat Hemingway Butte. Approved Idaho Catering Permit for Del Rio Restaurant for Carril De La Lamos. Approved Idaho Retail Alcoholic Beverage License for the Golden Ocean Restaurant. Approved Certificate of Residency to CWI for Ashley Aponte.

Withdrew Indigent and Charity Cases 15-01 and 15-06. Denied Indigent and Charity case 15-14. Final Denial of Indigent and Charity case 15-11.

As Board of Equalization, approved the 2015 renewal of property tax exemptions, excluding one parcel until further information is available. Approved a hardship application and cancelled a value of \$20,209.00.

Approved a letter to the Director, Protest Coordinator regarding SRSG Amendment and Environmental Impact Statement.

The complete minutes can be viewed online at <http://www.owyheecounty.net> or in the Clerk's office.

7/15/15

SUMMONS-MARLENE H. CALLEY SIMPSON CASE NO. CV- 15-509 IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT STATE OF IDAHO, COUNTY OF OWYHEE

VANDERBILT MORTGAGE AND FINANCE, Plaintiff, vs.

THE HEIRS OF NORMAN R. SIMPSON, Deceased; MARLENE H. CALLEY SIMPSON, an individual; OWYHEE COUNTY TREASURER; GEM IRRIGATION DISTRICT, STATE OF IDAHO, DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND TAXATION, JOHN DOES I-X, Defendant.

TO: MARLENEH.CALLEY SIMPSON.

NOTICE: YOU HAVE BEEN SUEDBYTHEABOVE-NAMED PLAINTIFF. THE COURT MAY ENTER JUDGEMENT AGAINST YOU WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE UNLESS YOU RESPOND WITHIN TWENTY (20) DAYS. READ THE INFORMATION BELOW.

The nature of the claim against you is for judicial foreclosure and granting plaintiff possession of real property described in the Complaint, and more commonly described as 5641 Country Estates Dr., Marsing, ID

Any time after 20 days following the last publication of this summons, the court may enter a judgment against you without further notice, unless prior to that time you have filed a written response in the proper form. An appropriate written response requires compliance with Rule 10(a)(1) and other rules of the Idaho Rules of Civil Procedure, including the Case No., and pay any required filing fee to the Clerk of the Court at Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy 78, Murphy, Idaho, 83650, (208) 495-2421, and serve a copy of

your response on the Plaintiff's attorney to Amelia A. Sheets at P.O. Box 50271, 381 Shoup Ave., Ste 211, Idaho Falls, Idaho 83405-0271. A copy of the Summons and Complaint can be obtained by contacting either the Clerk of the Court or the attorney for Plaintiff. If you wish legal assistance, you should immediately retain an attorney to advise you in this matter.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of this District Court, and dated this 18th day of June, 2015.

CLERK OF THE COURT
Dorla Stoneman, DEPUTY CLERK

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Assembly of God Church Homedale 15 West Montana, 337-4458 Sunday Morning Worship 10:30am Sunday Evening Service 6:00pm Wed. Bible Study 7:00pm Wed. Children & Youth Ministries 7:00pm	Friends Community Church Wilder - Homedale 17434 Hwy 95, 337-3464 Sunday School 9:30 am Worship Services: 10:45 am Sundays Wednesday Prayer Meeting: 5:30 pm Wednesday CLC: 3:15 pm	Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church Caldwell 1122 W. Linden St. 459-3653 Mass: Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 9:30 am Spanish Mass: Saturday 7:00 pm Spanish Mass: Sunday Noon
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Homedale Baptist Church Homedale 212 S. 1st W. 841-0190 Sunday School 10am-11am Sunday Worship 11am-Noon Wednesday Evening 7pm Pastor James Huls	 Wilder Church of God Wilder 205 A St. E, 469-7698 Pastor Ray Gerthung Sunday School 9:45am Sunday Service 11am Sunday Eve. 6:00pm Wed. Eve. 7:00pm	Mountain View Church of the Nazarene Wilder-Homedale 26515 Ustick Road 337-3151 Sunday School 9:30 Worship 10:30 Adult & Youth Bible Class: Wednesday 7:00 pm Children's Caravan Program
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First Presbyterian Church Homedale 320 N. 6th W. Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday School 11am 208-473-9331	Calvary Holiness Church - Wilder Corner of 3rd St. & B Ave. • 208-989-0196 Sunday School: 10:00 a.m. • Sunday Worship: 11:00 a.m. Sunday: 6:00 p.m. • Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. Food Pantry hours • 208-989-0226 2nd & 3rd Friday of month 2pm-4pm 4th Friday of month 12-1pm	Seventh Day Adventist Homedale 16613 Garnet Rd., 573-4574 Sabbath School Sat. 10:45am Worship 9:30am Wednesday Prayer Mtg. 7:00 pm
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HELP WANTED

Jordan Valley School District #3. We are seeking dynamic, high energy teacher candidates to teach Math in our Jr/Sr high school. The successful applicant will need a current Oregon Teaching License, or be able to obtain one before August 1, 2015. Salary DOE. Start date 8-10-15. Open until filled. Oregon Teaching License required. Age Range/ Instructional level 7th-12th. For application or if you have any questions contact Sharon Terry, District Secretary, 604 Oregon Ave, PO Box 99, Jordan Valley, OR 97910, 541-586-2213. email: sharon.terry@jordanvalley.k12.or.us

Office Position. Allendale Produce Co., Wilder, ID. Typing, some computer skills, interaction with crew and long haul truck drivers. Hours 8:00-4:30 Monday-Friday. Call 208-337-4025 for application information from 8:30-12 Monday through Friday.

Looking for a cook. Tuesday & Thursday, 7am - 15.5 hours a week. Some knowledge of cooking, will train. Contact Sandi at Rimrock Senior Citizens Center 968-5430 or 208-834-2152

Housekeeper needed for couple in Wilder area. New home, flexible hours, one-two times per week. \$12-15/hr. Must be honest & dependable. Character or work references requested. Call Jill 863-2571

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Class A CDL fulltime, must have two years experience & clean DLR. Different wage packages available with or w/out benefits. 208-697-9923

HELP WANTED

Owyhee County is seeking qualified candidates for the position of Building Inspector/ Code Enforcement. This position is full time, 37.5 hours a week. Salary range of \$15.94 – \$18.00 depending on experience. All applicants will be subject to a background check. Job description and applications are available at the Owyhee County Clerk’s Office in Murphy, Idaho. Applicants must be able to read and interpret building plans and construction drawings, and possess knowledge of building codes. Applicants must have the ability to work independently under general policy direction; work effectively with staff at all levels; possess excellent written and verbal communication skills; ability to exercise independent judgment when appropriate; and knowledge of current office software systems. Applications will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. on August 31, 2015. Owyhee County is an equal opportunity employer.

Library Clerk and Youth Services Assistant, Homedale Public Library. Part-time position (19 or less hours per week). No benefits. Wednesday through Saturday including evening hours. Clerk duties include shelving returned items, checkin/ checkout, processing new items, other routine clerical tasks, helping the public with computers, helping patrons find books and movies in the library. Youth Services duties include planning, publicizing and carrying out programs for children ages 5-17. Strong computer skills required including Word, Excel, Publisher and email. \$10.80 per hour. Applications and job description may be picked up at Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale ID. Accepting applications through Friday, July 24.

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VEHICLES

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YARD SALE

Yard Sale 7/17-18 9am-5pm, 26584 Morris Place, signs posted. From Homedale cross Snake into Canyon left on Batt Corner, left on Morris Pl. Chain saw, tools, torch set, winches, furniture, quilt, dishes, canning jars, children's church materials, jewelry, clothing, plumbing tools, misc. items
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