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## MARSING HIGH SCHOOL HOMECOMING



### Huskies faithful heats up Homecoming festivities

*Above:* A Homecoming reveler performs her own personal fire dance during the bonfire on Thursday evening in the field behind the gymnasium on Main Street. A large number of Marsing High School students, family, friends, teachers, and other interested parties gathered for the annual event, which also included a car crush, where students took turns smashing an already smashed-up car with a sledgehammer.

*Right:* Seniors Dawson Walker and Katelyn Fewkes were crowned Homecoming King and Queen during a pregame ceremony on Friday at Marsing's football field.



## Cabalgata goodwill parade brings horses to Homedale streets

Organizers envision annual downtown event

Hundreds of horses and their riders are expected to celebrate North American goodwill with a parade through Homedale on Sunday.

Organizers hope the *cabalgata* will become an annual event through downtown Homedale. They

— See *Parade*, page 3A

## Homedale council looks to future of western expansion

Airport engineer contract renegotiation possible

Even though there are still empty building lots inside city limits, Homedale councilmen will discuss extending infrastructure out of town tonight.

Although nothing is set in stone, the discussion during the 6 p.m. council meeting could set the tone for future development into the town's western impact area.

Public works supervisor Bret Smith plans to

— See *Homedale*, page 3A

## HMS magnifies its microscopes

Students in all four grades can now study science in miniature

Homedale seventh- and eighth-graders are getting a closer look at the world with new microscopes.

Middle school science teacher Kim Portwood said about 16 microscopes costing a total of \$3,000 were purchased with school supply funds and a \$200 grant from the Homedale Farmers Market.

The new microscopes

help expand the cache of the devices at the school. While the seventh- and eighth-graders are using the new microscopes, the school is still using its existing set.

"The old microscopes will be given to the fifth- and sixth-grade students and will be a great way to start learning how to use microscopes," Portwood said.

The new microscopes will be used when Life Science students are studying cells. Boys and girls taking the elective course Diversity in Biology will study single-celled organisms by peering through the eyepiece at structures magnified for easier viewing.

Last week, students observed cell structures by analyzing plant cells as well as skin cells taken from inside their own mouths.

— JPB



*Homedale Middle School science teacher Kim Portwood (center) inspects the work of seventh-graders Grant Waltman (left) and David Piersol during class Thursday. Waltman and Piersol prepared slides of plant and animal cells.*



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**Homedale chief gets jump on Fire Prevention Week**

National Fire Prevention Week began Sunday, but Homedale Fire Chief Dennis Uria visited Story Time at the Homedale Public Library earlier this month to show children how to stay safe in a house fire. The volunteer firefighters will visit a prechool and Homedale Elementary School on Thursday to continue the lessons.

**Lions bingo returns to Marsing**

Another season of Marsing Lions Club bingo begins Saturday.

Every year, the Marsing Lions hold a series of monthly games to raise money for various causes in the community.

The Lions' community service fund is the beneficiary of Saturday's proceeds.

Bingo nights are held monthly October through April at the Phipps-Watson Marsing American Legion Community Center, 126 N. 2<sup>nd</sup> St. N.

An early bird game is played at 6:45 p.m., followed by the regular series of 12 games at 7 p.m.

Each night starts with the selection of a hot number.

If someone bingos on that number, they when the progressive pot. The hot number pot rolls over each month until a winner is found, or the entire pot is folded into the stakes available at the final bingo of the year.

Bingo costs include:

- \$1 per early bird sheet
- \$1 for hot number entry
- \$15 for the first card of the regular series of games
- \$5 for a second card for the regular series

Daubers are also sold, and refreshments are available.

The Lions Club always has popcorn for the players, too.

Club president David VanWassenhove and past

president Herb Churruca have been bingo callers in the past.

Other beneficiaries each year include the Sandbar Restaurant with a Cause and the Marsing High School graduation celebration fund.

Games will be played on the second Saturday of the month except for November, which will be moved to the second Friday because of a scheduling conflict.

The club also takes a hiatus in December.

Other dates include:

- Nov. 9
- Jan. 12
- Feb. 9
- March 9
- April 13

**Commissioners sign renewing contract with Canyon for pathological services**

“Stock” wording potentially could obligate future boards

The Board of County Commissioners has signed a new pathological services agreement with Canyon County.

The contract, signed by Owyhee County commissioners on Oct. 1, authorizes the Canyon County coroner's office to perform autopsies, corpse inspections, and provide related services. Canyon County coroner's officials will also provide court testimony, if necessary.

The contract contains language that implies the agreement will automatically renew each year even though state law prohibits current governing boards from committing future boards to agreements or indebtedness.

But on Monday, county Prosecuting Attorney Douglas D. Emery said the agreement uses “stock” language and it will, in fact, have to be agreed upon annually with a vote.

“Those are year-to-year agreements, and they hinge based upon the current need of the county and its ability to pay for it with its budget,” Emery said.

Emery said that, absent some unforeseen circumstance, it would likely be renewed.

“An example would be if the county retained its own independent pathologist,” he said.

It's unclear if the contract will be rewritten to adhere more specifically to state law.

The term of the agreement began Oct. 1 and will run through Sept. 30, 2019. According to the “stock language” in the copy of the contract obtained by The Owyhee Avalanche, the agreement will automatically renew for one-year terms unless terminated. Either county can terminate the agreement with a 60-day written notice.

There is no mention of a specific yearly renewal vote.

Under the contract, Emery and county Coroner Aaron Tines have discretion in what services are requested. Owyhee County will have sole jurisdiction at crime scenes. This will also absolve the Canyon County coroner of the responsibility to suggest services.

Canyon County will provide services only after specific written requests.

Compensation for services provided by Canyon County will include:

- \$1,850 for each autopsy performed.
- \$1,300 for each limited autopsy performed. According to pubmed.org, limited autopsies are “autopsies that answer questions about the cause of death and the complications of the disease and its treatment.”
- \$200 for external forensic inspection.

Owyhee County will reimburse Canyon County for any additional services performed by a third-party agency or company.

— TK

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From page 1A

✓ **Parade:** *Cabalgata* has its beginnings in aftermath of Pancho Villa raid

bill the event as family friendly and alcohol-free.

Sunday's parade is fashioned after the annual Ride of Remembrance held each year in Columbus, N.M., to exhibit goodwill between Mexico and the United States.

"We want to do it because in Idaho there is a large population of Hispanics and under the current situation in our country there needs to be a friendship

parade," co-organizer Ronnie Soldano said.

It'll cost \$30 to participate in Sunday's colorful and festive procession, which will begin at 11 a.m., at the Deward Bell Stadium parking lot adjacent to Riverside Park. Anyone wanting to participate is asked to arrive at the staging area by 10 a.m.

Soldano said all proceeds from the entry fees will be

donated to the Homedale Lions Club for use in community service in town.

The horses will ride out of Riverside Park, up North Main Street, turn right onto West Idaho Avenue and continue out of town to Rancho La Loma on Sipes Road. There, a barbecue and social gathering is planned.

It'll take two to three hours for the horses to cover the

8-mile ride to the ranch near the Idaho-Oregon line.

A photographer from Kuna, Soldano is organizing the event with Fiesta Guadalajara restaurants owner Modesto Vega. Vega because a U.S. citizen earlier this year, Soldano said.

For more information, contact Vega at (208) 631-5968 or [vega@fiestaguadalajara.com](mailto:vega@fiestaguadalajara.com).

Event sponsors include Fiesta Guadalajara, Las Dos Pricesas Promotions, Silverios Carpet LLC, Rancho La Loma and Ground Breaking Construction.

The first *cabalgata* took place to restore peace, friendship and goodwill between Mexico and the U.S., in Columbus, N.M., the site of Pancho Villa's 1916 border raid.

— JPB

✓ **Homedale:** Development outside of city limits could have later impact

bring estimates to the council on how much it would cost to bore under Idaho highway 19 and place a 6-inch water line for a fire hydrant west of the city limits.

The line would travel from the city's water tower, under the highway to property that could be developed that currently is in the area of impact.

Smith estimates the project would cost less than \$30,000, but he told The Owyhee Avalanche that the party picking up the tab would depend on some factors.

Property owners Mike and Mary Jo Barraza already have contacted the city about building homes outside the impact

area and tapping into the municipal water system. Since then, Homedale real estate developer Rick Echevarria has approached the city council about possibly placing mobile homes on the Barrazas' property.

In a council meeting earlier this year, the Barrazas agreed to pay for the bore and installing a 2-inch service line.

But Smith began formulating options after Echevarria approached the council at its September meeting about moving mobile homes in.

Stressing that the final decision is up to the council, Smith said placing a 6-inch line and hydrant could be good planning if development moves west and the city eventually

annexes the area.

He said that Echevarria could be asked to pay for the 6-inch line and hydrant if his mobile home park plan materializes. Otherwise, the city could pay for most of the work with the Barrazas picking up a portion prorated for the cost of a 2-inch service line.

According to the meeting agenda, Smith's public works report also will cover the possible acquisition of a street sweeper and discussion on how to proceed with cleaning and inspection of the town's water tank.

The council also will hear a request to build place a single-wide mobile home with structural additions within the

city limits.

**New airport contract could be revisited**

Only a few months after the city council agreed to retain its current airport engineer despite the company going through bankruptcy, Homedale may be faced with renegotiation.

In August, council members decided to negotiate a new engineering contract with Riedesel Engineers Inc., even though the company had filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy earlier this year and a second firm — WH Pacific — had also submitted a proposal.

Under FAA rules, the city was required to put the airport

engineering contract out to bid after a five-year period.

In the months since the city agreed to negotiate a new contract with Riedesel, the firm has been bought in bankruptcy court by TD&H Engineering.

Tonight, the council could discuss whether to negotiate with TD&H Engineering or reopen the bidding process.

A decision could be crucial, however, because the city must meet with FAA officials by the middle of next month for what is called a pre-design meeting for planned work on a fence around the municipal airport.

The meeting is part of the required steps to keep federal grant money earmarked for airport projects.

— JPB



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# Senior menus

## Homedale Senior Center

Roll served with each meal. Milk available each day  
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Oct. 10: Meatloaf, mashed potatoes w/gravy, peas & carrots  
Oct. 11: Pot roast, mashed potatoes w/gravy, broccoli  
Oct. 16: Taco salad w/cheese, sour cream, salsa, lettuce, taco chips, rice  
Oct. 17: Pasta primavera w/white sauce, Calif. blend veggies  
Oct. 18: Beef & broccoli over rice  
Oct. 23: Meatloaf, mashed potatoes w/gravy, peas & carrots  
Oct. 24: Baked fish, baked potato, broccoli  
Oct. 25: Lasagna, string beans  
Oct. 30: Pork chops, mashed potatoes w/gravy, Calif. blend veggies

## Rimrock Senior Center

All meals are served with milk & fruit juice

Oct. 11: Baked BBQ chicken, buttered rice, steamed broccoli & cauliflower, 3 bean salad, peaches, pumpkin bread  
Oct. 16: Swiss steak, baked potato w/trimmings, steamed veggie mix, pears, sour dough roll, cupcake & ice cream  
Oct. 8: Baked potato bar, chili w/meat sauce, cheese, sour cream, onions, tropical fruit cocktail, slice of bread, cookie  
Oct. 23: Pizza, pepperoni, Hawaiian & combo, apple & grape salad, ½ banana, green salad, vanilla pudding  
Oct. 25: Baked ham, yams, green beans, spiced apples, cranberry jello salad, whole wheat roll  
Oct. 30: Lasagna, green salad, Mandarin oranges, cottage cheese, peach cobbler, garlic bread

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Oct. 7

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Oct. 8

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### Water report

The Bureau of Reclamation website showed that the Owyhee Reservoir was 30 percent full and that water was flowing in the Owyhee River above the reservoir at Rome, Ore., at a rate of 110 cubic feet per second. Water is flowing out at Nyssa, Ore., at a rate of 36 cubic feet per second. The reservoir held 214,342 acre-feet of water on Monday.

— Information compiled from the National Weather Service, Bureau of Reclamation, Natural Resources Conservation Service and Helena Chemical in Homedale.

# State GOP bus tour heading for Marsing ahead of election

Republican candidates vying for statewide offices will visit Marsing next Wednesday.

The planned 25-minute appearance is the sixth stop on the first day of the Republican Party’s 10-day bus tour that will traverse Idaho.

The tradition began in 1972.

The candidates will stop at the Sandbar Restaurant with a Cause from 2:45 p.m. to 3:10 p.m. before moving on to Parma then wrapping up the first day of the tour in Caldwell.

Local state legislature candidates will join the tour as well, according to a press release from the Idaho Republican Party. District 23 legislative candidates include Megan Blanksma and Christy Zito in the Idaho House of Representatives and Sen. Bert Brackett.

Candidates scheduled for the bus tour (and the offices they seek) include:

- Russ Fulcher, First Congressional District
- Mike Simpson, Second Congressional District
- Brad Little, governor
- Janice McGeachin, lieutenant governor
- Lawrence Denny, secretary of state
- Brandon Woolf, state controller
- Lawrence Wasden, attorney general
- Julie Ellsworth, state treasurer
- Sherri Ybarra, state superintendent for public instruction

### Correction

Because of incorrect information provided, the wage of Owyhee County Sheriff’s Office dispatcher Stacy Woods was wrong in the Oct. 3 edition of The Owyhee Avalanche. Woods makes \$15.94 per hour.

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# Obituary

## Bob (Charles Glenn) Stuart

Bob was born Sept. 20, 1950 in Jay, Oklahoma and lived in the Homedale area for 66 years. He quietly passed away at his home in Homedale in the early morning hours of Sept. 28, 2018 from cancer. Bob was crazy about, and had a knack for repairing, vintage vehicles and antique tractors. He also very much enjoyed driving truck and construction work. He was always tinkering with something as it was his belief that if you aren’t working you’re wasting time. Together Bob, Brenda, and Jordan made many improvements on their home and property in Homedale over the years.

Bob was preceded in death by his infant son, Tyler Joe, parents Ray and Marie, brothers George Crawford and Bill Stuart, sister Wanda (Crawford) Jackson, mother-in-law Maxine (Ware) Whipple, and most recently 12-year-old great-niece Kiona Staton.

He is survived by his beloved wife of nearly 35 years, Brenda (Homedale), their beautiful daughter, Jordan Lanae, who is in her junior year at The College of Idaho, sisters, Minnie Cox (Caldwell), Rae Easterling and Roger Walsh (Caldwell), and Georgia (Stan) Nelson (Homedale), brother Paul (Caldwell), sister-in-law Cindy (Doug) Mefford (Caldwell), as well as numerous nieces and nephews, whom he enjoyed spending time with at home or camping.

Cremation is under the direction of All Valley Cremation of Nampa, and a private burial will be attended by his immediate family in the days to come. In lieu of flowers, Brenda and Jordan request donations be made to the SIDS Foundation of WA, 4649 Sunnyside Ave N #348, Seattle, WA 98103 in memory of Tyler Joe Stuart (March 3 – May 16, 1993).

Friends joined the family in honoring and remembering Bob at a memorial dinner, 2 o’clock Sunday, October 7, 2018, at the Homedale City Park.

Bob’s pain and suffering over the past months was kept to a minimum thanks to the wonderful care and kindness of Harrison’s Hope Hospice, and his family will forever be grateful to them.

# Death notice

ADREN “RAY” KROEGER, 87, of Homedale, died Saturday, Oct. 6, 2018 at a Homedale care facility of natural causes. Arrangements are under the care of Flahiff Funeral Chapel, Homedale. (208) 459-0833

# School menus

## Homedale Elementary

*Veggie bar, fruit bar, and choice of milk and juice available each day*  
Oct. 10: **Breakfast:** Blueberry bash, mini waffles, applesauce **Lunch:** Chicken taco, corn  
Oct. 11: **Breakfast:** Pancake bites, mixed fruit **Lunch:** Crispito, refried beans, goldfish crackers  
Oct. 15: **Breakfast:** Cherry frudel, peaches **Lunch:** Chicken fries, potato smiles  
Oct. 16: **Breakfast:** Cinnamon pull apart, pears **Lunch:** Hot dog, macaroni & cheese, baby carrots  
Oct. 17: **Breakfast:** Rolled taco, applesauce **Lunch:** Pork chop, mashed potatoes w/gravy, hot roll

## Homedale Middle

*Fruit & salad bar, choice of milk and juice available each day*  
Oct. 10: **Breakfast:** Grain & fruit bar or cereal, applesauce **Lunch:** Pork chop or chicken tenders, mashed potatoes w/ gravy, hot roll  
Oct. 11: **Breakfast:** Cinnamon Ultimate Breakfast Roll or cereal, string cheese, mixed fruit **Lunch:** Crispito or PB&J sandwich, taco salad, cookie  
Oct. 15: **Breakfast:** Rolled taco or cereal, peaches **Lunch:** Chicken nuggets or mini corn dogs, steamed carrots,  
Oct. 16: **Breakfast:** Choc. chip muffin or cereal, yogurt, pears **Lunch:** Cheeseburger or popcorn chicken, baked beans  
goldfish crackers  
Oct. 17: **Breakfast:** Waffle sticks or cereal, applesauce **Lunch:** Spaghetti or corn dog, green beans, mozzarella bites

## Homedale High

*Salad, fruit choice and choice of milk and juice available each day*  
Oct. 10: **Breakfast:** Breakfast plate or maple breakfast sandwich or cereal **Lunch:** Pork chop or Malibu chicken, mashed potatoes w/gravy, dinner roll  
Oct. 11: **Breakfast:** Donut holes or BeneFit bar or cereal **Lunch:** Crisпитos with refried beans or grab’n’go deli sandwich  
Oct. 15: **Breakfast:** Waffle sticks or twin berry bites or cereal **Lunch:** Pepp. pizza ripper or PB&J sandwich  
Oct. 16: **Breakfast:** Croissant sandwich or cinnamon roll or cereal **Lunch:** Spicy chicken sandwich or cheesy chicken sub, French fries, cookie  
Oct. 17: **Breakfast:** Biscuits/gravy or mini waffles or cereal **Lunch:** Beef taco or chicken taco, corn

## Marsing Elementary

*Veggie bar, fruit bar, fruit juice and choice of milk available each day*  
Oct. 10: **Breakfast:** Egg & cheese taco, orange slices **Lunch:** Lasagna, garlic bread, green beans or PB&J, green beans  
Oct. 11: **Breakfast:** Maple sandwich, grapes **Lunch:** Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes w/gravy, whole grain roll, buttered corn or PB&J, buttered corn  
Oct. 15: **Breakfast:** Banana bread slice, apple slices **Lunch:** Corn dog, steamed carrots or PB&J, steamed carrots, rice krispie treat  
Oct. 16: **Breakfast:** Cherry frudel, orange smiles **Lunch:** Chicken parmesan, green beans or PB&J, green beans  
Oct. 17: **Breakfast:** Maple pancakes, banana **Lunch:** Enchiladas & rice, baked sweet potatoes or PB&J, baked sweet potatoes

## Marsing Middle/High

***Grab-n-go line:** Monday & Wednesday: Cheeseburger, pizza, croissant sandwich, salad w/breadstick. Tuesday & Thursday: Chicken sandwich, pizza, wrap, salad w/breadstick*  
*All main entrees served with fries, milk & fruit/veggie bar each day*  
Oct. 10: **Breakfast:** Egg & cheese taco, orange slices **Lunch:** Lasagna, garlic bread, green beans or grab-n-go line  
Oct. 11: **Breakfast:** Maple sandwich, grapes **Lunch:** Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes w/gravy, whole grain roll, buttered corn or grab-n-go line  
Oct. 15: **Breakfast:** Banana bread slice, apple slices **Lunch:** Corndog, steamed carrots, rice krispie treat or grab-n-go line  
Oct. 16: **Breakfast:** Cherry frudel, orange smiles **Lunch:** Chicken parmesan, green beans or grab-n-go line  
Oct. 17: **Breakfast:** Maple pancakes, banana **Lunch:** Enchiladas & rice, baked sweet potatoes or grab-n-go line

## Bruneau/Grand View Elementary

*Milk and fruit offered daily*  
Oct. 10: **Breakfast:** Muffins **Lunch:** Beef & bean burrito, Romaine & tomato, corn  
Oct. 11: **Breakfast:** Bagels **Lunch:** Corn dog, tater tots, baby carrots  
Oct. 15: **Breakfast:** French toast **Lunch:** Chicken & noodles, tossed Romaine salad, steamed carrots, breadstick  
Oct. 16: **Breakfast:** Biscuits & Gravy **Lunch:** Chicken patty, mashed potatoes w/gravy, steamed broccoli, whole wheat roll  
Oct. 17: **Breakfast:** PB&J **Lunch:** Nachos, whole wheat tortilla chips, refried beans/salsa, corn

## Rimrock Jr./Sr. High

*Milk, fruit & salad bar offered daily*  
Oct. 10: **Breakfast:** Muffins **Lunch:** Beef & bean burrito or pizza  
Oct. 11: **Breakfast:** Bagels **Lunch:** Corn dog or pizza  
Oct. 15: **Breakfast:** French toast **Lunch:** Chicken & noodles/breadstick or pizza  
Oct. 16: **Breakfast:** Biscuits & gravy **Lunch:** Chicken patty/roll or pizza  
Oct. 17: **Breakfast:** PB&J **Lunch:** Nachos or pizza

## COSSA

*Milk, salad and fruit offered daily*  
Oct. 10: Spaghetti bake or grab n go salas  
Oct. 11: Corn dogs, tots or grab n go PB&J  
Oct. 15: Chicken potato bowl or grab n go PB&J  
Oct. 16: Burrito, Spanish rice, beans or grab n go salad  
Oct. 17: Chicken parmesan, green beans or grab n go PB&J



# Obituaries

## Tom Boyer

Tom Boyer, 73, passed away September 30, 2018 in a grassy Owyhee County valley with his dog, Ellie.

Tom was born in Bremerton, Washington and moved to Boise with his family after he turned one year old. As a young child, Tom developed a fascination with airplanes while watching them from his back yard. Tom's lifelong love affair with the Owyhees began early when his father Henry took the family there for outdoor adventures. Family vacations were spent at Hazard Lake, a favorite fishing, hunting and hiking spot. Tom and his older sister Wanda would ride their horses through downtown Boise, which had only one stop light at that time.

Tom contributed his work ethic to his uncle, Mike Bowman, who owned a rustic ranch outside of Huntington, Oregon where Tom worked summers. He spent his earnings to buy his first '46 pickup truck

that he and his buddies restored to a turquoise flatbed with a rolled bumper and side-by-side steering.

After 15 years with Boyd's Coffee, Tom moved back to Boise in 1984 and started Treasure Valley Coffee with his wife, Carol and son, Greg. Tom's love of sales, service and great coffee has been a winning combination the last 34 years, leaving a blueprint for success that will continue to flourish in his memory.

Tom's sanctuary was the wilderness, which he enjoyed and loved sharing every chance he got. He loved hiking, fishing, boating, water and snow skiing, off-road dirt bikes, bicycling, beach walks, exploring trails in his ATV, star gazing from his deck or just driving down the road and spotting a hawk. Mountains, Desert, Ocean — he enjoyed them all. He knew his Creator and depended on His direction.

Whether flying in the



backcountry to camp or a Fly In Breakfast, he loved being in the air. Tom flew for many work events, which was a great time-saver. He enjoyed being a part of the close-knit Idaho Aviation community. Tom's undying love for life and heartfelt compassion will be missed!

This summer, Tom took two fishing trips to Alaska and enjoyed the camaraderie with wonderful friends — some since grade school. He hosted Friday Coffee Hour at Sky

Park and Mission Aviation Fellowship Fly In Event. Tom also flew people with physical limitations up to Sulphur Creek Ranch for the annual outing and had a wonderful time. On September 22, 2018 he and Helen joined Patricia's daughter Lisa and her family on an ATV trip to Reynolds Creek and Silver City to celebrate Patricia's life one year after her passing. Saturday the 29, 2018 Tom took Helen and her brother, Tom, dancing and they had a ball, just like the first night the three of them met last fall. Helen shared her siblings and family with Tom, who was so impressed with their loving family who accepted him with open arms. It was Tom's joy to enlarge the TVC family with new employees — he always said, "What a great group of people we have working with for us." So many precious moments had been shared by others with Tom recently that are now treasured memories.

Tom is survived by his sister Wanda and her children Tasha and Tyler; daughter Suzanne and children Jacob, Joel and Julia; son Greg, and children Savannah and Mikayla; soulmate Helen and her children and granddaughters; plus numerous extended family and so many fabulous friends. Tom was preceded in death by his parents Henry and Mary; and his beloved partner, Patricia Shannon (Boyer), who passed away one year and nine days prior to Tom.

A memorial service will be held for Tom on October 13<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 PM at Treasure Valley Coffee, 11875 W. President Dr. in Boise, under the direction of Cloverdale Funeral Home. The family suggests a donation to Owyhee Sheriff's Posse Search and Rescue, PO Box 128 Murphy, ID 83650 or Owyhee County Historical Museum, 17085 Basey St. Murphy, ID 83650 in lieu of flowers.

## Marion Lee Vance

November 16, 1934  
– October 3, 2018

On Wednesday, Oct. 3, Marion Vance passed away at home, surrounded by family, after a courageous 13-month battle with pancreatic cancer. Marion was born on November 16, 1934 in Burley, Idaho to Wilbur and Rebecca Vance. The family moved to Homedale in 1937 where he remained the rest of his life. On July 3, 1951, he and the love of his life, Barbara Pluess Pollard, began their 67 years of married life. They raised 4 children, as well as taking in nieces and nephews. Marion accomplished much in his life and could always

be counted on to help others. He worked at the local Boise Cascade lumber yard for 25 years, eventually buying it and starting Vance Corporation in 1980. He went from developing subdivisions and building homes in Treasure Valley to building commercial dairies around the West as Vance Dairy Construction. His customers became friends.

Marion had great joy in following his children's, as well as grand and great-grandchildren's, various musical and sports pursuits. He was very generous in his lifelong support of Homedale schools through both donations and attendance



at events. He had a great love of his country, serving in the Nat'l Guard during the Korean War and often installed striking flagpoles at dairies and homes.

He was a cowboy at heart.

He enjoyed working at his ranch, from breaking mustangs to tending to his cow/calf operation. His radio was tuned to country music, and he sang along with Charlie Pride. He loved hunting with family and friends, packing in to the mountains with his pack string and was called "Wagon Boss" by those he hunted with.

The main focus of Marion's life was to follow the teachings of Jesus. He made his choice to serve God in 1957 and His light continued shining brightly throughout his life. He lived to show others what he really loved.

Marion was preceded in

death by his parents, his brother Roger and sister, Jean. He is survived by his wife, Barbara; his four children, Gary (Bonnie), Brian (Barb), Kelly (Debbie) and Audrey Fortune (Bruce); nephew Troy Clymer, as well as brothers Dean and Ronald, 16 grandchildren and 29 great-grandchildren who all adored him.

A funeral service will be held on Saturday, October 13, 2018 at Homedale Middle School, 3437 Johnstone Rd., at noon. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Vance Memorial, c/o Homedale High School, 203 E. Idaho Ave., Homedale, ID 83628

## Owyheean collect U of I degrees

Two local students have earned degrees after the summer session at the University of Idaho.

• Jessica J. Savage of Homedale completed her doctorate in Education and received a Ph.D.

from the university's College of Education, Health and Human Sciences.

• Kacie Salove of Marsing received a Master's degree in Animal Science from the College of Agricultural and Life Sciences.

## Caldwell church's international dinner slated for Saturday

People in need in the community will benefit from money raised during the annual Society of St. Vincent de Paul International Dinner.

The dinner will be held at the Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church at 1122 W. Linden St., in Caldwell on Saturday.

The event runs from 5:15 p.m. to 8 p.m. inside the church's parish hall and will also include entertainment,

and a silent auction featuring artwork, handcrafted goods, gift baskets and more.

Tickets cost \$15 for adults and \$5 for children younger than 12.

The dinner will feature Basque, Mexican, Italian, Asian, Hawaiian, Irish, Greek, Austrian, French, German and American cuisine.

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# Calendar

## Today

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

**Story Time**  
10:30 a.m., Lizard Butte Library, 111 3rd Ave. W., Marsing. (208) 896-4690

**Homedale library board meeting**  
1 p.m., Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228

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

**Christian Life Club**  
4 p.m. to 5:15 p.m., after-school program for kindergarten through sixth grade, First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St. W., Homedale. (208) 337-4757, (208) 353-6024, (208) 337-3464

**Melba school board meeting**  
5 p.m., district office, 511 Broadway, Melba. (208) 495-1141

**Grand View City Council meeting**  
6 p.m., City Hall, 425 Boise Ave., Grand View. (208) 834-2700, noon to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Thursday

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

**Marsing Fire commissioners meeting**  
7 p.m., Marsing Fire Hall, 303 Main St.

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

## Thursday

**Fit and Fall exercise**  
10:30 a.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

**Owyhee Conservation District board**  
Noon, USDA Service Center, 250 N. Bruneau Hwy., Marsing. (208) 896-4544, ext. 102

**Owyhee Gardeners meeting**  
1 p.m., Lizard Butte Library community room, 111 S. 3rd Ave. W., Marsing. (208) 546-1829

**Marsing Chamber of Commerce meeting**  
5:30 p.m., The Spot, 12 Sandbar Ave., Marsing. (208) 859-2087 or marsingchamber@gmail.com

**VFW meeting**  
7 p.m., Samuel C. Phillips III Post 11086 Hall, Wilder.

## Friday

**3D printer class**  
10 a.m. to noon, Eastern Owyhee County Library, 520 Boise Ave., Grand View. Grades 5-12. (208) 834-2785

**Story Time**  
10:15 a.m., Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228, afternoons Monday through Saturday

**3D printer class**  
Noon to 2 p.m., Eastern Owyhee County Library, 520 Boise Ave., Grand View. Adult class. (208) 834-2785

**Life in the SON support group**  
2 p.m. and 7 p.m., Vision Community Church, 221 W. Main St., Marsing. (208) 504-7884 or songtobe@gmail.com

**Teens and Tweens program**  
4 p.m., Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228 afternoons Monday through Saturday

## Saturday

**Cabalgata parade**  
10 a.m., lineup on Riverside Avenue, 11 a.m.,

parade start, downtown Homedale. (208) 631-5968 or vega@fiestaguadalajara.com

**Free lunch**  
Noon to 12:30 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St. W., Homedale. (208) 337-5419

**St. Vincent de Paul International Dinner**  
5:15 p.m. to 8 p.m., \$15 adults, \$5 children younger than 12, Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church parish hall, 1122 W. Linden St., Caldwell. (208) 459-3653

## Monday

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

**Crochet club**  
7 p.m., Lizard Butte Library, 111 3rd Ave. W., Marsing. (208) 896-4690

**Homedale school board meeting**  
7 p.m., school district boardroom, 116 E. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4611

## Tuesday

**Crochet club**  
10 a.m., Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228

**Fit and Fall exercise**  
10:30 a.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

**Medicare changes open house**  
11 a.m., to 2 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

**Murphy-Reynolds-Wilson Fire meeting**  
7 p.m., Wilson Fire Station, 10427 Johnston Lane, Wilson.

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**Grand View Chamber meeting**  
5:30 p.m., Grand View Fire Station, 721 Roosevelt St., Grand View

## Thursday, Oct. 18

**Fit and Fall exercise**  
10:30 a.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

## Friday, Oct. 19

**3D printer class**  
10 a.m. to noon, Eastern Owyhee County Library, 520 Boise Ave., Grand View. Grades 5-12. (208) 834-2785

**Story Time**  
10:15 a.m., Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228, afternoons Monday through Saturday

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# The laws of local garlic growing

Fall is the best time to plant garlic, but many Idaho gardeners are surprised and frustrated when they find that they cannot order bulbs from most catalogs and online sources. Garlic bulbs for planting are sometimes hard to find locally, and selection can be limited to just a handful of varieties. Gardeners may be tempted to plant supermarket bulbs intended for eating, without realizing Idaho law prohibits it. What all gardeners in the Treasure Valley should know is that the shipping, sale, and planting of onions and garlic are governed by state quarantine laws regulated by the Idaho State Department of Agriculture (ISDA).

Idaho ranks fourth in the nation in commercial onion production, with more than 1 billion pounds of onions grown each year in the Snake River Valley. A quarantine is in place to avoid a fungal disease called white rot, which affects onions, garlic and related crops, and occurs throughout the world. It can live in the soil for up to 30 years and is spread by water, wind, farm machinery, and infected onion plants or garlic cloves. Seeds do not carry the disease, just the growing and edible parts. The only truly successful method of control is prevention.

To keep white rot from entering our region, farmers and gardeners living in 21 quarantined counties (including Owyhee, Canyon, Ada, Payette, and Washington in Idaho, and Malheur County in Oregon) can only plant garlic bulbs or cloves and onion sets that have been grown, inspected for the disease, and cleared for planting inside these same counties.

That's why we can't order

garlic from catalogs and why we shouldn't import or plant garlic produced in other parts of the state (or country). We may freely order the seeds for onions, shallots and leeks from seed, but because cultivated garlic plants do not produce true seed naturally, we are limited to bulbs produced for planting within the quarantine area. The good news is that more Southwest Idaho growers are getting involved and producing certified stock. The selection is increasing, and new varieties are becoming more commonly available. Look for garlic bulbs now at nurseries and garden centers.

Plant individual cloves in the fall, any time before the ground freezes, for harvest the following summer. Cover cloves with about two inches of soil. You may also choose to add a mulch layer of clean straw, chopped leaves or compost to insulate the soil from extremes of freezing and thawing.

Bulbs are usually mature when the aboveground stems turn yellow, usually in June or July. Gently lift from the soil and allow to cure for about two weeks in a dry, ventilated area. Rub the skins gently to clean, and store in a dark, cool, dry place to enjoy many months of homegrown garlic.

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# Small but determined MHS marching band takes field

Only one senior  
in 23-person  
ensemble

The Marsing High School marching band is going with a rock and roll show at football games and competitions this fall.

They will play Led Zeppelin classics “Heartbreaker,” “Rock and Roll,” and “Stairway to Heaven” during every home football game and all competitions, which began with the Emmett Marching Band Festival on Sept. 22.

“It wasn’t a competition, but it was a great experience for our band,” band director Dawn Sandmeyer said. Sandmeyer is in her 24<sup>th</sup> year teaching music, all as part of the Marsing School District.

The event in Emmett featured a kind of on-field clinic. Musicians received instruction and critique from Joe Tornello, Boise State University’s marching band director; Spencer Martin, University of Idaho’s marching band director; and Andrea Griffiths, the color guard coach from Vallivue High School.

Next up is the Treasure Valley Festival of Bands at Vallivue in Caldwell on Oct. 20 followed by the season finale — the Mel Shelton District III Marching Competition — at Albertsons Stadium in Boise on Oct. 27.

Sandmeyer took a small group of juniors and seniors to the University of Idaho for Future Vandal Day on



Marsing High School marching band and color guard has a Led Zeppelin theme for its halftime shows and band competitions this year. They are performing “Rock and Roll,” “Heartbreaker,” and the iconic “Stairway to Heaven.” The band will next perform during the Treasure Valley Festival of Bands on Oct. 20 at Vallivue High School in Caldwell.

## 2018 MHS marching band and color guard

**Seniors** — Elias Orndorff, trombone; Anahi Moreno, color guard

**Juniors** — Bastion Ackerman, drum major/electric bass; Madison Amaya, drum major/electric bass; Constance Bowers, color guard; Caitlyn Embry, baritone saxophone; Lauren Jensen, clarinet; and Desiree Komakhuk, color guard

**Sophomore** — Daisy Lopez Vera, trombone

**Freshmen** — Colton Andrus, percussion; Shea Jensen, alto saxophone; Lazarus Sevy, trumpet; Jesse Tuttle, trumpet; Valentin Vazquez, Jr., baritone; and Samuel Withers, drum set

**Eighth-graders** — Steven Colyer, alto saxophone; and Crystal Varnes, baritone

**Seventh-graders** — Hailey Andrus, color guard; Tyson Campbell, clarinet; Elliot Little, trombone; Marisa Patterson, flute; Emily Richling, clarinet; and Zachary Trevett, bells

Saturday, spending the day attending master classes and sectionals. They then got the opportunity to play with the Vandal Marching Band

at the university’s football game against Portland State University.

Sandmeyer believes the band’s strength this year is an

enthusiastic and hard-working group of students.

“They work well together and help each other out,” she said. “Several students have

been willing to learn a second instrument to help balance out the instrumentation in our small band.”

The band lost five members to graduation in the spring.

“(They) were strong, core members of our group, and that was an adjustment for us,” Sandmeyer said. “The younger students that have joined us have been working hard and really rising to the challenges that have been given.”

She said that one-third of the marching band is made up of first-year participants, and she is really happy with their growth and progress.

The band currently has 23 members, and Sandmeyer suggests that number will grow in the next couple years.

Trombonist Elias Orndorff is the band’s only senior.

“He has done a great job balancing schoolwork, marching band and football,” she said. “At halftime, he takes off his helmet, grabs his trombone, and marches the show with us.

“He is a hard worker, and he follows through with the commitments that he makes.”

Besides the clinic in Emmett, the band will participate in two events this year:

• **Saturday, Oct. 20** — The Treasure Valley Festival of Bands at Vallivue High School in Caldwell.

• **Saturday, Oct. 27** — Mel Shelton District III Marching Band Competition at Boise State University.

“The students did very well at these competitions last year,” Sandmeyer said.

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# Bruneau’s western author to speak at library luncheon

A Bruneau resident whose book is in the running for a top western fiction award will speak in her hometown next Wednesday.

Tammy Miller will be featured during the free Bruneau and Beyond luncheon and program at noon next Wednesday at the Bruneau Valley Library.

Under the name Lyn Miller, she has published two novels “Granada” and “Addie: Courage Rides a Gray Horse,” and is working on two others currently.

“Addie” is a finalist for the Will Rogers Golden Medallion Award for inspirational western fiction. The awards banquet will be held later this month

in Fort Worth, Texas. Miller is a Magic Valley native who has lived with her husband, Jake, in Bruneau for 12 years. They have three children.

Because of Idaho Community Foundation grant, this year’s programs are free to the public.

The library is located at 32073 Ruth St., in Bruneau. If there is a large response, the program will be moved to the emergency services building next door.

Anyone who plans to attend is asked to RSVP so adequate space and food can be arranged.

Call (208) 845-2131 by Monday to reserve a spot.



## Courthouse report

A list of felony and misdemeanor dispositions recently completed at courtrooms in Murphy and Homedale. Infractions are not included:

- Oct. 2**
- Kevin Don Fields, Melba** — Misdemeanor violation of Fish and Game rules, proclamations and orders: \$300 in fines and court costs
- Jason Holloway, New Plymouth** — Misdemeanor Fish and Game violation, fail to validate or attach tag to carcass: \$250 in fines and court costs
- Sept. 28**
- Thomas R. Arellano Jr., Marsing** — Misdemeanor insufficient funds check, \$250 or less (amended from felony writing check without funds or credit): 46 days in jail (served) and \$444.49 in fines and court costs. Dismissed by prosecutor: Felony burglary



### Homedale Subway wins again

The Subway restaurant in Homedale has won another Food Merit Award from Southwest District Health. The award, honoring 2017 performance during inspections for cleanliness and food safety, was presented recently in Caldwell in observance of September as National Food Safety Month.

From left: SWDH employee Darvis Opp, Subway owner Virginia Landa, Subway manager Esmeralda Cardenas, and SWDH Board of Health vice-chair Kelly Aberasturi, Owyhee County’s District 2 commissioner. Submitted photo



### HHS band makes a solid showing at Kuna Invitational

Homedale’s marching band competed in the Kuna Invitational on Saturday. From left: Gage Purdom, Bailey Purdom, Raquel Rich, Trinity Neeser, Corilynn Huskey, Holden Kleppinger, and Catherine Decker. The band placed fourth in music performance, fifth in visual performance, and fourth in overall effect. The color guard placed third and percussion fourth.

### 2018 HHS marching band and color guard

- Seniors:** Charley Jerome, vibraphone; Holden Kleppinger, snare drum; Lizzy Marsh, euphonium; Tell Morse, trumpet; Jose Ojeda, mellophone; Connor Slater, trumpet; Ricky Soto, tenor saxophone; Mauricia Villarreal, trombone; and Joseph Zamudio, bass drum
- Junior:** Gage Purdom, tenor drums
- Sophomores:** William Hollywood, drum major; and Jaired Riddle, mellophone
- Freshmen:** Tucker Favinger, trumpet; Logan Romans, auxiliary percussion; and Daniela Serrano, trombone
- Eighth grade:** Catherine Decker, clarinet; Austin Ernest, cymbals; Kolby Fisher, tuba; Corilynn Huskey, piccolo; and Bailey Purdom, clarinet
- Seventh grade:** Jeremiah Montes, trumpet; Trinity Neeser, flute; Sadie Rayne, alto saxophone; Raquel Rich, flute; David Peirsol, bass drum; and Grant Waltman, alto saxophone
- Color guard:** Amber McBride, fr.; Torrie Souhrada, fr.; Emma Thornton, so.; Summer Villines, fr.; and Addison Wilkerson, jr.
- Remaining competitions:** Treasure Valley Festival of Bands, Oct. 20, Vallivue High School; Parma Invitational, Oct. 22; and Mel Shelton District III Marching Competition, Oct. 27, Albertsons Stadium, Boise.

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Lily Ormond (center) and her brother Joseph (right) help to usher the spirits, aka bubbles, back to the graveyard during Homedale Public Library’s Story Time on Friday morning. The children were visited by Paige Moore (left), who provided a dramatic reading of “Halloween Pie,” by Michael O. Tunnell.

# Homedale’s Story Time rolls into fall

Homedale Public Library will bring in autumn with fall-flavored stories and activities during Story Time on Friday at 10:15 a.m.

Youth services coordinator Carol McMichael will read “The Roll-Away Pumpkin,” by Junia Wonders and illustrated by Daniela Volpari. This is the tale of a young girl chasing her giant pumpkin all over town, with some help from friends.

Afterward, the children will engage in some fall math and science activities.

At 4 p.m., during Teens & Tweens, the gathered youth will celebrate the second annual Lego Competition.

All who attend have a chance to win a set of Legos.

Teens and Tweens is open to all boys and girls ages 10-17.

The library also announced that next week, Oct. 15-19, is Teen Read Week. The theme is “It’s Written in the Stars.”

Also during Teen Read Week there will be prize drawings and activities such as “Book in a Jar” and “Book Fortune Teller.”

For more information about Teen Read Week and other topics, call the library at (208) 337-4228.

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# Absentee voting deadlines loom for November election

## Commissioners set polling places

The Owyhee County clerk’s office is making the final preparations for the Nov. 6 general election.

The Board of County Commissioners has set the polling places, and officials are reminding voters of important deadlines.

• Voters have until Oct. 26 to request a mail-in absentee ballot from the county clerk’s office in Murphy.

Those ballots must be received in the clerk’s office by 8 p.m. on Nov. 6. County Clerk Angie Barkell explains that a ballot postmarked Nov. 6 won’t necessarily be recognized.

“If voters are worried about their ballot arriving on time, they should bring to the courthouse in Murphy,” Barkell said.

Additionally, citizens with absentee ballots can visit their regular precinct on Election Day, vote and the absentee ballot will be spoiled, Barkell said.

• The last day for in-person absentee voting is Friday, Nov. 2. In-person absentee voting is available only at the county courthouse in Murphy.

There are no county office elections on the ballot because all races were decided during the Republican primary in May.

In Idaho Legislative District 23, state Sen. Bert Brackett (R-Idaho) and Seat A Rep. Christy Zito won primaries and are unopposed in their quest for two more years at the Statehouse.

Dist. 23B Rep. Megan Blanksma won the Republican

nomination and faces a write-in campaign from fellow Hammett politician Tony Ullrich of the Constitution Party.

Voters also will elect a new governor and lieutenant governor as well as cast ballots in state elections for secretary of state, state controller, state treasurer, attorney general, and superintendent of public instruction.

There also is a crowded ballot for the First Congressional District.

The Board of County Commissioners has set the polling places for the Nov. 6 general election:

• **North Homedale** — Senior citizens center, 224 W. Idaho Ave.

• **South Homedale** — Magistrate courtroom inside City Hall, 31 W. Wyoming Ave.

• **North Marsing** — Phipps-Watson Marsing American Legion Community Center, 126 W. 2<sup>nd</sup> St. N.

• **South Marsing** — University of Idaho Owyhee County Extension Office, 238 8<sup>th</sup> Ave. W.

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The Homedale drama club puts the finishing touches on the musical “Sleepy Hollow,” during the final dress rehearsal on Friday afternoon in the high school’s old gymnasium. **From left:** Charley Jerome, Ricky Soto, Lindy Phariss, Kelsie Pigeon, and Hannah Rotter.

# Headless Horseman comes alive at HHS

The Homedale High School drama club will provide a twist to a classic tale when it takes the stage on Thursday and Saturday at 7 p.m.

The club will perform “Sleepy Hollow,” the musical adaptation of Washington Irving’s 1820 novel “The Legend of Sleepy Hollow,” with the script written by Vera Morris and music and lyrics by Bill Francoeur.

Admission for both shows runs \$5 for adults, \$3 for students, and \$20 for a family rate.

The story follows school-master Ichabod Crane (played by William Hollywoo) and his adventures in his new home of Sleepy Hollow, including his search for a well-to-do wife.

His attempts to woo the beautiful Katrina van Tassel (Hannah Rotter) are impeded by her jealous boyfriend, Brom Bones (Ricky Soto). There is also the small matter of a Headless Horseman.

The musical is filled with songs, including “Ghost in the Graveyard,” “A Superstitious Yankee Folk,” and “The Headless Horseman.”

— TK

## “Sleepy Hollow” cast and crew

<b>Cast</b>	Yost — Charley Jerome	Holden Kleppinger and Gage Purdom, musicians	Nathan Farrell
Woman in White — Amber McBride	Ichabod Crane — William Hollywood		Vega; Daniela Vega; Yasmin Gonzales Vega; Valerie Aceves; Olivia Cardenas; Delia Vega; and Isabel Jacobs
Indian Chief — Jayden Waltman	Walter — Wyatt James	<b>Stage crew</b>	
Pirate — Michael Hartnoll	Wilda — Daniela Serrano	Stacy Holton, advisor;	
Mrs. Trenkler — Abi Nelson	Johanna — Trinity Johnson-Poage	John Slawson; Aaliyah Alvor; Cindy Albor; Chelsea Rojas; Aidon Nelson; Cristal Vega; Daniela Vega; Yasmin Gonzales Vega; Ben Gentry; Makayla Kelly; and Dazsha Zamora	
Farmer Stuyvesant — Joseph Zamudio	Hendrick — Rylan Love		
Mrs. Van Tassel — Madelynn Blue	Boy Three — Conner Slater	<b>Lights and sound</b>	
Widow Van Doorn — Katelyn Jerome	The Headless Horseman — Known only as a mystery guest	Rana Tahir, advisor; Mauricia Villarreal; Janae Volk; Jose Ojeda; Julian Ramos; Nyelah Johnson; Daryl Ramirez-Sanchez; and	
Mrs. Van Hudson — Téa Uranga	<b>Director</b>		
Hilda — Kelsie Pigeon	DeAnn Thatcher		
Greta — Lindy Phariss	<b>Music</b>		
Katrina — Hannah Rotter	John Zieske, advisor;		
Brom Bones — Ricky Soto			

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## Homedale FFA sells Traeger grill raffle tickets

The Homedale FFA chapter’s annual Harvest Auction has an added element this year.

Proceeds from the Nov. 8 auction will help local agricultural students travel to competitions and activities. Money raised through the auction and the raffle of a Traeger grill also will help pay for member fees and registration costs.

Idaho Farm Bureau donated the Traeger. A limited number of tickets will be sold for \$10 apiece.

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# Academic Bowl experience leaves advisor optimistic

Homedale’s season starts in Weiser

Veteran Academic Bowl advisor Jan Silva is feeling pretty good about this year’s team.

“I think we will have a successful year,” the Homedale Elementary School fourth-grade teacher said.

The middle school’s Academic Bowl team meets Wednesdays after school in Silva’s classroom to prepare for its 3A Snake River Valley conference meets, which take place monthly around the region.

The season begins at 4:15 p.m., today at Weiser.

Returning eighth-graders — Catherine Decker, Rylan Love and Corilynn Huskey — hold the team captainship jointly, while there are some new faces joining from the top HMS grade level.

“We also have some new eighth-graders that are bringing a lot to the table, as well as lots of smart sixth-graders coming on board,” Silva said.

The Academic Bowl team also features three returning seventh-graders and a few first-time competitors from



Cali Smith holds a flash card of William Howard Taft, our 27<sup>th</sup> president, during a practice round. Clockwise from left: Jayden Lyman, Aliya Hibbs, Smith, and Nelson Miramontes.

that grade level.

Silva says this is her ninth year as advisor. She started when her son, Daniel, was an eighth-grader on the team. She inherited the job from previous advisor Linda Miklancic.

The team consists of:

**Eighth-graders** — Cameron Breshears, Catherine Decker, Kolby Fisher, Corilynn Huskey, Rylan Love, and Anna Pawlak

**Seventh-graders** — Abagale Hall, Trinity Neeser, Sadie Rayne, Cali Smith, and Grant Waltman

**Sixth-graders** — Joshua Aguayo, Miguel Albor, Alexis Bernabe, Carson Bingham, Addison Cussins, Aliyah Hibbs, Jayden Lyman, Nelson Miramontes, Neidy Ramirez, Brandon Reynolds, Kali Rogers, Carsten Smith, and Tayler Trout

Other Academic Bowl contests will be held at 4:15 p.m., on the following Wednesdays:

- Nov. 14 at Parma
- Jan. 16 at Homedale
- Feb. 6 at Fruitland
- March 13 at Payette
- April 10 at Ontario, Ore.



As advisor Jan Silva asks a question, Carsten Smith (second from left) smacks the buzzer during a practice round last Wednesday. Clockwise from left: Silva, Grant Waltman (observed), Carson Bingham, Smith, Catherine Decker, Neidy Ramirez, Kali Rogers, Cameron Breshears, and Abagale Hall.

## Sage-grouse working group schedules meeting

The next meeting for the county’s sage-grouse proponents takes place Thursday in Murphy.

The Owyhee County Sage-grouse Local Working Group (LWG) will gather at 7 p.m., inside McKeeth Hall at the

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# Future City project goal: Natural disaster resiliency

## HMS team begins quest to return to Washington D.C.

An annual engineering competition for middle-schoolers has a practical and poignant objective this year.

As part of the annual Future City competition, a group of Homedale seventh- and eighth-graders are trying to design a community with a resilient power grid that can stand up to or rapidly recover from a natural disaster.

The goal is especially timely given the devastating hurricanes endured in Texas, the Carolinas and Puerto Rico recently.

The students — including 2017-18 team holdovers Catherine Decker, Kambell Garrett, Rylan Love and Bailey Purdom — gathered Friday to begin design of their physical model.

Using Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics principles, the HMS squad is building the fictional community of Imperium in Papua New Guinea.

“There are a lot of natural disasters in Papua New Guinea, and more than one



Future City team members deconstruct various recycled devices to salvage parts from which they will build the model of their Future City. **Clockwise from left:** Faye Jerome, Lexie Heck, Kambell Garrett and Aubrey Lindgren. Lexie is a seventh-grader, and the rest are eighth-graders.

type,” seventh-grader Lexie Heck said in explaining why the group chose that part of the world for the town.

Friday’s task inside science teacher Kim Portwood’s classroom was deconstructing recycled items for use as buildings and other elements in the model. The visual aid will be used to illustrate the team’s presentation during the 27<sup>th</sup> annual Future City regional competition on Jan. 12 at Boise State University.

The deconstruction group

also examined the elements they had — among other things, an old RC car control, a device dustcover, a laptop computer — to determine how they could be used in the model.

Eighth-grader Omar Rios Cardenas drilled holes in the remote control coverpiece and also explained that the dustcover would be turned into one of the two moving parts the community model will have.

The large piece of plastic will be transformed into an

airfoil of sorts that would rotate on a motorized axis. Omar said the idea is a machine that would slowly turn and divert the water from a tsunami from a vital building — such as a hospital or an emergency services headquarters.

The rest of the team spent Friday watching a video that would help them in the model creation.

Three previous HMS teams — including last year’s squad — have won the regional championship and competed

in the nationals in Washington, D.C.

This year’s theme is “Powering Our Future.”

The 14 boys and girls under Portwood’s supervision have divided into different teams to develop an essay, build a SimCity computer-generated design of their community, devise a presentation for judges, and create the physical model.

The SimCity model must be completed by Dec. 7, and the essay is due on Dec. 14. A project plan must be completed by Jan. 5, a week before the regional competition.

In addition to Portwood’s advisory role, Homedale resident and engineer Don Vander-Boegh returns in his volunteer role as a mentor and sounding board for the youth’s ideas.

This year’s Future City roster includes:

**Eighth-graders** — Catherine Decker, Kambell Garrett, Faye Jerome, Aubrey Lindgren, Rylan Love, Marysol Mata Lamas, Bailey Purdom, and Omar Rios Cardenas

**Seventh-graders** — Cooper Christiansen, Kinlee Garrett, Lexie Heck, Brock Johnson, Isana Larzelier, and Lita Thomas

— JPB



Left: Eighth-grader Omar Rios Cardenas explains how a dustcover will be transformed into an airfoil to sweep tsunami water away from a vital building in the fictional Future City community.

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# Homedale Chamber announces Halloween plans

## First round of beautification reimbursement program recapped

Having returned from a summer hiatus, the Homedale Chamber of Commerce is focused on Halloween plans and beyond.

Chamber president Gavin Parker and Mayor Gheen Christoffersen confirmed during the business organization's September meeting that the community's Safe-n-Sane Trick or Treating will be held on Wednesday, Oct. 31.

City Hall will again be distributing paper Jack-o-lanterns for businesses to display in storefronts to identify that they are participating in the annual community event. The Safe-n-Sane Halloween will run from 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m., on Halloween.

As usual, City Hall staff will vote for the best costumes and hand out gift baskets.

After the downtown festivities, a Halloween Carnival will be held from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m., inside Homedale High School's old gymnasium on East Idaho Avenue.

As part of the carnival, there will be competitions for best costume and a Fortnite dance-off, based on the popular video game.

### Helping Homedale results discussed

Parker summarized the details of the Helping Homedale

business matching funds program. In this program, the Chamber matched up to \$250 of funds dedicated by businesses to beautify their storefronts.

These beautification efforts included things such as façade improvements, landscaping, doors and windows, and signage.

"We did have participants in the program," Parker said. "(We didn't have) as many as I thought we would, based on the number of inquiries we received."

The program ran through the end of August.

Businesses that took part in the program include Parker's company, Parker Advisors, as well as Emerald Insurance, Bro's Speedway and Hobbies, the Bowling Alley, and Al-forex Seeds.

The City of Homedale also took part with landscaping and new paint applied by city employees Billy and Janet McDaniels during the summer.

The Chamber contributed \$1,188.68 in matching funds to those businesses taking part in the program. Additionally, the Chamber spent \$343 in advertising to try to stir up participation in Helping Homedale.

According to Parker, partic-



### More City Hall elements spruced up

Billy McDaniel repaints the yellow retaining wall in front of Homedale City Hall on Monday. The work is just the latest in a project the city employee and his wife, Janet, have carried out to beautify the front of City Hall. The McDaniels are caretakers at the city's Riverside Park RV camp, which city clerk and treasurer Alice Pegram says saw a boon in activity this summer.

ipating businesses spent more than \$12,000 in improvements.

"Some of those things might have happened anyway," Parker said. "My hope is that some of that is due to the program and it stirring up some excitement and awareness."

He said that there is still plenty left from the money

gifted to the Chamber from the Homedale Development Corp. The organization donated the last of its money to the Chamber after the passing of its final board member, Jim Duncan, last year.

The donation was "just north of \$20,000," Parker said earlier this year.

During the Chamber's Sept. 25 meeting, there was

some discussion about whether to continue the Helping Homedale program open-ended, to return to it next spring, or to discontinue the program. No consensus was reached but will be discussed further.

"I'm open for keeping it rolling, if there are businesses willing to spend the money now," Parker said.

— TK

# Marsing Chamber sets pizza mixer to boost participation

The Marsing Chamber of Commerce will hold a "pizza meet and greet," at 5:30 p.m. on Thursday at The Spot, located at 12 Sandbar Ave.

Chamber president Julie Scheu-Franklin promises

it will include, "Free pizza — with just a tad of regular monthly meeting in the beginning."

Scheu-Franklin used an email to urge business leaders to attend the meeting, and to

bring business cards and meet each other.

"We would love as many members as possible to attend," she said.

A reason for the meet and greet is to try to find some

other business leaders in town to help the Chamber expand the things it is able to do, Scheu-Franklin said.

"We have more we would like to offer, and our current responsibilities are many,"

she said. "There is less than one handful of us to keep our amazing momentum rolling."

Despite the limited active participation, Scheu-Franklin reports that there currently are 65 members in the Marsing Chamber.

"Surely we have some talented people out there that have some time," she urged. "Are you a planner? A computer person? A people person? A behind-the-scenes person?"

Scheu-Franklin requested that people interested in attending RSVP her at (208) 859-2087 so that the appropriate amount of pizza is ordered.

— TK

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Angela Pierce is helping spearhead a fundraiser to build a ticket booth at the entrance to Marsing High School's football stadium.

## MHS booster pitches engraved brick idea

Goal is walkway,  
ticket booth at  
football field

An Idaho State University graduate student with local ties is helping Marsing High School and its sports programs in lieu of an exam.

Angela Pierce, who is pursuing a Masters in Athletic

Administration at ISU's Meridian campus, approached Marsing principal and athletic director Tim Little last spring with a fundraising idea.

Her idea was to sell engraved bricks for \$100 each to raise money for a new ticket booth and brick walkway at the entrance to Marsing's football field. The goal is to

— See *MHS*, page 4B

## Trojans make more Milk Jug milestones

98-yard drive  
highlights  
lopsided shutout

If perfection in football is possible, Homedale High School nearly achieved it Thursday night.

The Trojans won the Milk Jug Game for the ninth consecutive season, blasting host Parma, 63-0, in a 3A Snake River Valley conference game.



Carson Brown

Homedale (6-0 overall, 2-0 in 3A SRV) has posted four shutouts in the rivalry series

since 2011.

But in none of the previous whitewashes were the Trojans as dominant as they were Thursday night.

In the program's widest margin of victory since a 72-0 destruction of Marsing in 2015, Homedale scored on every one of its nine possessions, and Nelson Lomeli kicked seven consecutive point-after attempts before missing on the final try in the fourth quarter.

Senior Carson Brown

— See *Trojans*, page 3B



Homedale junior Matthew Randall (center) cruises across the Crosby Invitational course during his personal-best run. Photo by Machele Randall

## JV seniors can wrap up top district berth in final home match

Senior Night has even more meaning Friday for the Jordan Valley High School volleyball team.

The Mustangs start the final week of the 1A High Desert League season with a chance to lock up the 1A High Desert League's regular-season championship against Prairie City in the final home game for seniors in Jordan Valley's gymnasium.

Jordan Valley (10-7 overall, 4-0 in league) maintained a one-match lead over the Panthers (8-10, 3-1) by sweeping a challenging Monument/Dayville squad in Dayville,

Ore., on Saturday.

Prairie City visits Adrian on Thursday night in its second-to-last league match before the start of the district tournament.

Jordan Valley ends the regular season on the road Saturday against Huntington.

**Saturday: Jordan Valley def. Monument/Dayville, 3-0**

— Regann Skinner pounded eight kills, and fellow co-captain Nicole Terry added five kills in the Mustangs' 25-15, 26-24, 25-11 league triumph.

Terry and Skinner are seniors

— See *District*, page 3B

## Runners' records crumble

Homedale High School's cross country team showed up at the Crosby Invitational last week and promptly rewrote personal achievements.

Third-year runner Matthew Randall beat his season-opening time in the Caldwell Twilight.

Clocking in at 17 minutes, 52 seconds, the two-time state meet qualifier finished 24<sup>th</sup> at Treasure Valley Community College on Thursday in

Ontario, Ore.

Randall posted the fastest of six PRs among eight athletes who ran varsity 5-kilometer races for coach Heidi Ankeny.

Another junior, Julian Ramos, continued his strong season with a PR of 19:19 to finish 63<sup>rd</sup>, while running closely with senior teammate Ricky Soto, who was 69<sup>th</sup> in 19:31.

German exchange student

Christian Schalk, a junior, was 88<sup>th</sup> with another PR at 20:23.

Freshman Ryker Johnson notched a PR at 23:07, while junior Gage Purdom finished in 23:49.

Both HHS girls in the varsity race, who are juniors, posted personal-best times.

Maggie Johnson was 77<sup>th</sup> in 26:02, while Ashlyn Miller finished 87<sup>th</sup> in 27:21.



Sports

Dwight Sevy (42) prepares to pitch the football to Marsing teammate Adonis Stelzried on Friday. Photo by Dan Pease



MHS' early fireworks not enough

Huskies meet NC for Senior Night

In its Homecoming game against visiting Aberdeen High School, Marsing saw some life from its offense and special teams, but its defensive struggles continued on Friday night.

Despite a quick start, the Huskies fell to the Tigers, 67-18, in a non-conference game.

The game started out with a bang when junior Adonis Stelzried ran the opening kickoff back for a touchdown, bringing the home fans to their feet after they had barely sat on the bleachers.

The two-point conversion failed, and the Huskies (1-5 overall) took a 6-0 lead.

The Tigers began their first drive with a long touchdown run the first time the offense

took the ball. After a two-point conversion, the Huskies were down 8-6 early in the first quarter.

On the Huskies' second drive, a three-and-out situation turned into a second chance when an Aberdeen defender roughed up punter Dwight Sevy on fourth down. Marsing failed to convert that gift into a score, however.

Stelzried had a stellar performance, accounting for all three Marsing scores. He also scored a rushing TD and caught a touchdown pass.

Stelzried and Sevy split time at quarterback against the Tigers.

"We are looking for ways to get the ball in (Stelzried's) and Dwight's hands more often," Marsing first-year coach Kurt Carey said. "That's what prompted us to move them to QB."

Sevy led all Huskies with 104 yards on the ground.

Aberdeen's 67 points were the most surrendered by a Huskies team since a 72-0 loss to Homedale in the third week of the 2015 season.

"It was a tough game for our team defensively," Carey said. "We are working to become more disciplined with our reads at the linebacker positions."

Marsing plays a second straight home game at 7 p.m. on Friday. The teams are both winless in three 2A Western Idaho Conference games this season, and both have the same 1-5 overall record.

"We are very much looking forward to Nampa Christian at home for Senior Night," Carey said. "We feel like we match up well with them."

— TK

Raiders get big plays in loss to conference leader Idaho City

Rimrock High School had two kickoff returns for touchdowns Friday, but Idaho City was equal to the special teams challenge.

The Wildcats scored touchdowns on a punt return and a kick return in the first quarter of a 66-20 victory.

The 1A Western Idaho Conference game was played in Idaho City and marked the Raiders' second consecutive loss.

Second-year Rimrock coach Mark Martell said the final score should have been closer than it was.

"We made a couple of mistakes on special teams and defense that allowed Idaho City to get a few quick scores on us," he said.

"We hope to get back on the winning side of things this week in Notus."

The Raiders (2-3 overall, 1-2 in 1A WIC) travel to Canyon County for a 7 p.m. Friday kickoff. Rimrock beat the Pirates, 24-22, in the first go-round of the round robin conference season.

The Raiders sit one game behind Wilder in the conference standings, and Idaho City is unbeaten after three games.

Ian Burbank returned a kickoff 86 yards for a touchdown to narrow the Wildcats' lead to 14-6 in the first quarter.

Idaho City reeled off 42 unanswered points before Burbank scored on an 8-yard run in the fourth quarter.

Todd Marvin, who was knocked out of the game a week earlier against Wilder, returned a kickoff for a touchdown for the second time in as many games. He took the ball 88 yards for a TD after Idaho City's final touchdown of the night.

The Wildcats (5-0, 3-0) racked up 409 yards total offense and held Rimrock to just 135 yards.

Marvin got the start at quarterback and completed four of nine passes for 74 yards. His interception was one of two Rimrock turnovers.

All four of his completions went to Burbank, who also had 25 yards on the ground. Marvin led the Raiders with 36 yards on 17 rushes.

Marvin had a team-high 6.5 tackles, and Dalton Allison sacked Idaho City's quarterback. Alex Martinez also had a tackle for loss.

MARSING HUSKIES

ATHLETE SPOTLIGHT



**Football**  
**Adonis Stelzried, jr.**  
Ran opening kickoff for TD in loss to Aberdeen



**Cross country**  
**Friederike Schernikau, jr.**  
Completed Crosby Invitational in 30 minutes, 12 seconds



**Volleyball**  
**Emily Loucks, jr.**  
47 digs in losses to McCall-Donnelly and Cole Valley Christian



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**Football**  
Varsity  
Friday, Oct. 12, home vs. Nampa Christian (Senior Night), 7 p.m.  
Junior varsity  
Thursday, Oct. 11 at Nampa Christian, 6 p.m.

**Cross country**  
Wednesday, Oct. 10 at Winston Tilzey Invitational, West Park, Nampa, 4:30 p.m.  
Wednesday, Oct. 17 at 2A District III championship meet, Treasure Valley CC, Ontario, Ore.

**Volleyball**  
Varsity  
2A District III Tournament  
Saturday, Oct. 13 vs. Vision Charter, Melba H.S., 4 p.m.  
If win: Saturday, Oct. 13 at Melba, 6:30 p.m.  
If win first and lose second: Tuesday, Oct. 16 vs. TBA, Nampa H.S., 5 p.m.  
If win first and lose second: Tuesday, Oct. 16 vs. TBA, Nampa H.S., 6:15 p.m.

Junior varsity A and B  
Seasons complete



# Sports

## Panthers snag volleyball's top seed from Trojans

Homedale opens district tourney Tuesday in Payette

Parma High School got its volleyball revenge against Homedale on Thursday night. The Panthers secured the upper hand in the 3A Snake River Valley conference with a five-set win over the Trojans on Thursday. Parma swept the conference season series, exacting some form of revenge after Homedale knocked off the Panthers for the 3A District III championship last fall. With one match remaining in the conference season, Parma (6-1 in 3A SRV) took a one-match lead in the

conference standings over both Homedale and Fruitland. Homedale (10-3 overall, 5-2 in conference) played Fruitland for the No. 2 seed Tuesday, and Parma played Payette. Both matches took place Tuesday night after deadline. The Trojans wrap up their regular season in La Grande, Ore., tonight. The district tournament starts Tuesday in Payette. Homedale and Fruitland mostly will meet again Tuesday at Payette High School in the district semifinals. The match starts at 6 p.m., and the winner will move to play for the district cham-



Josey Hall

pionship against Parma at 8 p.m., next Wednesday. **Thursday: Parma def. Homedale, 3-2** — Three players notched double-digit kills, but the Trojans couldn't hold off the determined Panthers. Parma denied Homedale's attempt to close out the match in four games then stormed through the fifth set for a 29-27, 21-25, 19-25, 25-22, 15-3 conference victory. In one of her biggest matches since returning from injury, Gracie Dines had 12 kills and three blocks. Amaya Carter had another monster night with 18 kills and 33 digs. The



Sophie Nash

senior also served three aces. Senior Paige Carter chimed in with 10 kills and seven digs. She also had an ace and a block. Sophie Nash also had three aces to go with 16 digs and 47 assists. Josey Hall had four kills and 19 digs. **Oct. 2: Homedale def. Payette, 3-0** — Playing the final home match of her high school career, Hall fired a career-high nine aces as the Trojans rolled past the host Pirates on Senior Night. Hall also had four kills in an easy 25-5, 25-7, 25-5 conference triumph. Nash drilled five aces, and Paige Carter tallied two. Amaya Carter led the way with 13 kills, and Paige posted eight. Hall had a team-high six digs on a night in which the Trojans' serve-receive game was rarely tested.

## Melba nails down No. 3 seed in district volleyball

Melba High School locked up the No. 3 seed in the 2A District III volleyball tournament Thursday. Madisen Bunnell had 30 digs and served four aces in the Mustangs' 25-15, 25-18, 25-20 victory over visiting

McCall-Donnelly. Emma Clark fired eight kills and added 20 digs as Melba moved into sole possession of third place in the 2A Western Idaho Conference standings and secured the tiebreaker against the Vandals.

Mary Ellen Cossel served four aces for Melba (10-4 overall, 5-4 in conference), and Katelyn Young had 21 assists. Cindy Read added seven blocks. The Mustangs ended the conference season Tuesday

after deadline on the road against Marsing. **Oct. 2: Melba def. New Plymouth, 3-0** — Emma Clark ripped seven aces, and Madisen Bunnell added four as the host Mustangs overpowered the Pilgrims, 25-11, 25-16, 25-16.

Kate Clark led the net play with 10 kills, while Jenna Hill and Cindy Read came away with fours blocks apiece. Emma Clark had seven kills, and Bunnell 23 digs. Katelyn Young set 29 points.

## ✓ Trojans: Team has unplanned bye week before title tilt versus Weiser

*From Page 1B* converted a rushing two-point conversion in the second quarter. The Trojans forced three turnovers, took over on downs on three other Parma possessions, and forced the Panthers to punt on their first two drives of the game. Two other Parma possessions ended because time ran out. The Panthers managed just 90 yards total offense on 50 snaps. Nine tackles for loss, including Jesse Martinat's quarterback sack, landed Parma's rushing game in negative territory (minus-5 yards). Lomeli and junior defensive back Daniel Uranga each intercepted Parma quarterback Joe Shaw, and Brown recovered

a fumble. The Trojans' offense chewed up 526 total yards, including 313 yards through the air and 113 yards and four touchdowns on from running back Mason Kincheloe. Uranga completed 13 of 18 passes for 247 yards, while Drew Deal connected with Brown on a 66-yard option pass that gave Homedale a 43-0 halftime lead. Brown had 119 yards receiving. Uranga hit Jake Collett on a 76-yard pass for the Trojans' second TD of the game two plays after Parma's first possession ended in a punt. Even when the Trojans seemed to be in trouble, things worked out. Kincheloe rambled 10 yards

for his second touchdown later in the first quarter, capping a 12-play, 98-yard drive on Homedale's third possession. The drive started at the Trojans' 2-yard line after Parma's Danny Camacho uncorked a 51-yard punt. The Panthers looked poised to make some noise prior to Camacho's punt when Shaw flung a 29-yard pass to Ramon Gutierrez to set up at the HHS 38. But Deal and Collett dropped running back Braydon Jensen behind the line of scrimmage on successive plays to give the Panthers a 4<sup>th</sup>-and-25 on their own 47. Uranga threw completions all over the field on the ensuing drive. He hit Brown for 23 yards to convert a 3<sup>rd</sup>-and-10

from inside the shadow of his own goalpost (the highlight of a 3-for-4 third-down conversion night) then connected with Collett for 15 and Lomeli and Deal for 12 yards each. After a holding call put Homedale in a 1<sup>st</sup>-and-24 situation, Uranga found Lomeli again for 31 yards, getting the Trojans to the Parma 15. Three plays later, Kincheloe ended one of the longest drives in HHS history with his second-shortest scoring jaunt of the game. Kincheloe also had TD runs of 26, 15 and seven yards. Junior Trent Shanley rushed for scores from eight yards and 13 yards, while Hayden Kincheloe took a handoff from fellow junior varsity player

Willie White and scored the game's final TD on a 16-yard run in the fourth quarter. By virtue of their third conference victory, which will come by forfeit Friday night against the disbanded Payette team, the Trojans carry a 7-0 record into their regular-season finale against second-place Weiser. Homedale has the opportunity to wrap up the school's second 3A SRV championship (and first since 2013) and post the first perfect regular season in 10 years under Matt Holtry. A win at Walter Johnson Field would mean the program's first unbeaten regular season since Stan Hoaglund's 1997 team went 12-0 en route to the A-3 state championship.

## ✓ District: Unbeaten Badgers run over Mustangs in big non-league match

*From Page 1B* along with Skyler Forsythe, Emilee Burch, and Taylor Warn. Burch had four kills and three blocks against the Tigers. **Friday: Powder Valley def. Jordan Valley, 3-0** — The unbeaten Badgers had their work cut out for them against the host Mustangs in a non-league game. The visitors from North Powder, Ore., prevailed

25-21, 25-22, 25-22. "We missed a lot of serves, but played a solid net game," Jordan Valley coach Tracy Skinner said. "I was pleased with how the girls played for coming off a long Homecoming week." Powder Valley didn't make the 1A Oregon state playoffs last season but has won 40 of its past 43 matches dating to September 2017.

Regann Skinner had a team-high nine kills, followed by six from Terry and five from junior Becky Mackenzie. Fellow junior Baylee Davis kicked in 14 assists, and Warn had six digs. Kiana Quintero dug five balls. **Junior varsity Saturday: Jordan Valley def. Ukiah/Long Creek, 3-1** — Sandy Brown drilled six

kills, and Cassidy Gluch added five as the Mustangs rallied after a first-set loss. Jordan Valley prevailed, 18-25, 25-8, 25-15, 25-20, in a league match played in Dayville. Tina Gammett had four kills. "They did a good job of setting the ball up and using our net players," Tracy Skinner said of the Mustangs.

**Friday: Jordan Valley def. Powder Valley, 2-0** — Five kills apiece from Brown and Gluch helped the Mustangs win a non-league match. Gammett had 10 assists, and Forsythe added four digs.

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Sports



Marsing High School senior Katelyn Fewkes lunges to push the ball toward the net in last week's loss to Cole Valley Christian. Photo by Dan Pease

Huskies ready for district opener against newcomer

The Marsing High School volleyball team faced a couple tough foes during in conference play last week. On Thursday, 2A Western Idaho Conference leader Cole Valley Christian visited the Huskies' home floor. Experiencing difficulties right out of the chute, Marsing fell to the Chargers, 25-8, 25-21, 25-19. The Huskies (4-8 overall, 1-8 in 2A WIC) fought back in the second set, but couldn't take it to the limit against the Chargers (10-3, 8-1). Junior libero Emily Loucks led the Huskies with 25 digs on Thursday. Gabriela Rodriguez finished

with seven kills, and fellow senior Hailey Bennett added two solo blocks and two block assists. Marsing played Vision Charter on Monday and Melba on Tuesday after press time to close out the regular season. The Huskies open 2A District III Tournament play against Vision Charter on Tuesday in Melba. According to MHS athletic director Tim Little, Vision Charter joined the 2A WIC in May, but the Caldwell school arrived too late to be added to conference schedules. Vision Charter will be eligible for district play in basketball, baseball and

softball during the 2018-19 season. The school was added as a seventh seed in volleyball, creating a play-in game scenario. Marsing must win to extend its season into the regular district bracket and play later Tuesday in Melba. **Oct. 2: McCall-Donnelly 3, Marsing 2** — The Huskies won two early sets but fell in a 2A WIC road match, 21-25, 25-13, 23-25, 25-14, 15-4. Loucks came up with 22 digs to lead Marsing. Senior outside hitter Katelyn Fewkes added 17 digs, while serving up two aces. Freshman middle blocker MarDee Hall tallied five blocks. — TK

HMS runners push to more PR times

Three Homedale Middle School athletes ran the fastest races of their career at Thursday's Crosby Invitational. Seventh-grader David Piersol finished the 3-kilometer course near Ontario, Ore.'s Treasure Valley Community College in a personal-record time of 16 minutes, 44 seconds. On the girls' side, seventh-grader Heather Reynolds (19:32) and eighth-grader Adrianna Fraire (20:11) also had PRs. Eighth-grade girl LaRae Stewart had the Trojans' best finish, taking 21<sup>st</sup> in 14:28.

Seventh-grader Elias Tines had Homedale's top result in the boys' race, finishing 46<sup>th</sup> in 14 minutes flat. Other girls' results included: • Trinity Neeser, 7<sup>th</sup>, 16:02 • Lizzy Egusquiza, 8<sup>th</sup>, 19:09 • Jolette Soto, 8<sup>th</sup>, 20:37 Boys' times included: • Braden Ankeny, 7<sup>th</sup>, 14:30 • Alex Zamudio, 7<sup>th</sup>, 15:40 • Liam Koon, 7<sup>th</sup>, 15:43 • Izmael Ponce, 7<sup>th</sup>, 15:46 • Kayden Tomevi, 8<sup>th</sup>, 16:36

✓ MHS: More work planned

From Page 1B Game admission is currently sold at a table inside the gate to the stadium. The ticket booth would replace that. "I see the brick fundraiser as an opportunity to contribute to something meaningful," she said. Little said that a minimum of about 50 bricks needs to be sold to cover the costs of the booth and walkway. "If there funds left over, my goal is to improve the field area by relocating the batting cage to the baseball field, and planting some grass in the area of the north end zone," he said. "Then (I would like) trying to move our concessions stand to (near the north end zone) with some outdoor seating." Little said the goal is to meet the 100-brick quota by the end of the month with the hope of completing the construction before the holiday break. The bricks will serve as a walkway at the entrance to the football stadium, where the new ticket booth would be built. "There are still talks with the district construction (manager) about paving that road in front of the stadium," Little said. "The brick walkway would then extend out to the pavement." — TK

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Jon P. Brown, managing editor

## Eyes on Owyhee Priorities and perspective



Recent decisions by local governing boards show the contrast between prudent analysis of need and impulsive embrace of shiny new things.  
Caught in the middle is taxpayer money.

Although their hand was forced by regulations and the threat of moving goalposts, Bruneau Water and Sewer District directors have worked hard to ensure that rehabilitating the community's wastewater lagoon system has as minimal an impact upon residents as possible.

Outside of a 40-year, \$2.2 million general obligation bond levied on the district's small number of patrons, directors will be using federal grants and loans to complete the two-year project.

Lessening the burden on local taxpayers should be a priority for governing boards.

Unfortunately, that message apparently hasn't gotten through to the Homedale city council or Homedale school trustees.

Council members have been in lock-step with plans to build a 3,600-square-foot public library addition before the establishment of a taxing district that would help pay for additional costs of a complex that will grow in size by nearly 300 percent. This jeopardizes the city's general fund with the very real possibility the larger library will require more financial support.

More recently, they approved building a parking lot at City Hall and repaving another parking area. While

parking is needed, the decision ignored other problem areas on streets where the money spent would better benefit citizens — and the need for which has been more acute longer.

When patrons renewed the school district's 10-year plant facility levy, the goal was to upgrade campus security and improve the learning environment.

That has been done in some areas, but another \$365,000 — for starters — in tax revenue is being spent to build a new softball complex, and other money bought new bleachers for the high school gymnasium.

Meanwhile, just down the road from the high school, baseball coach Burke Deal has worked to build an outdoor/indoor complex funded primarily through donations and grants.

Tonight, the Homedale council will be asked to consider infrastructure work in the city's area of impact that could cost taxpayers tens of thousands of dollars with only the possibility that the area of investment would be annexed into the city. There are cheaper, more prudent options on the board, too, that would call for investment from the folks asking to develop the area in quesiton.

Bruneau water and sewer officials are leaning on the government for mandated upgrades so as not to burden their neighbors with extra costs.

Perhaps some day Homedale officials will gain that perspective.

## From Washington We must continue work to bring closure for POW/MIA families

Through a recent Congressional Record Statement, I had the opportunity to honor America's prisoners of war (POW)s and missing in action (MIA), recognize the commendable efforts of those keeping attention on our missing servicemembers and thank those who are working hard to bring our missing servicemembers home. The loved ones of missing servicemembers deserve resolution. We can never let up in this American responsibility.

Here is the Congressional Record Statement:

*Mr. President, I rise today to recognize National POW/MIA Day and honor the servicemembers who have not yet made it home. We can never give up in bringing them home and getting answers for their loved ones who await their return.*

*I commend those who work during this national recognition each September and throughout the year to raise awareness about the continued need to return our missing servicemembers. This includes members of the POW\*MIA Awareness Rally Corp. of Pocatello, Idaho, who hold rallies and other events to keep a spotlight on the immense service of our nation's veterans.*

*Also, thank you to those who are working hard to bring all of our servicemembers home. The Defense POW/MIA Accounting Agency, which is the*

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— See **POW/MIA**, Page 7B



# Commentary

## Financial management

### Tap healthy savings to get out of debt and financially fit

**Dear Dave,**

I'm driving a 12-year-old car with 210,000 miles on it. The car needs close to \$2,000 in repairs, and it's worth \$5,000. I have \$40,000 in cash saved, \$40,000 in investments, and I make \$80,000 a year. I also have \$15,000 in student loan debt, but the only other thing I owe on is my house. Should I pay to repair the car, or buy something else in the \$15,000 price range?

— Brett

**Dear Brett,**

Let's see, if you wrote a \$15,000 check for a newer car and wrote a \$15,000 check for the student loans, it would leave you with \$10,000. I wouldn't buy a \$15,000 car in your situation. I'd buy a \$10,000

car. You could probably sell the old one for around \$3,000 if it needs repairs, combine that with your money and get a \$13,000 car. Then, you could write a check and pay off the student loan debt.

With no car payment, no student loan payment, *and* a good car, you can really lean into your budget and saving money. You'd have no debt except your home, and you could rebuild your savings in a hurry. You'd be in really good financial shape in about six months. Plus, you'd have \$15,000 in the bank in the meantime!

— Dave

**Dear Dave,**

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mortgage disability insurance during Baby Step 2?

— Craig

**Dear Craig,**

No, it is not. Mortgage

disability insurance is a gimmick, and I would never recommend it to anyone.

I think I know where you're going with this.

During Baby Step 1, I encourage people to save up and set aside a beginner emergency fund of \$1,000. Baby Step 2 is where you start paying off all your debts, except for your home, using the debt snowball system. A thousand dollars may not seem like a lot in savings during that time, but in the beginning it's an attainable amount to save. Plus, it's more than a lot of people have when they make the decision to get out of debt and gain control of their finances. Then, after finishing Baby Step 2, you move directly in Baby

Step 3 — fully funding your emergency fund with three to six months of expenses.

What I *would* recommend is having long-term disability insurance in place. It's fairly inexpensive, especially if you get it through your employer.

— Dave

— Dave Ramsey is CEO of Ramsey Solutions. He has authored seven best-selling books, including *The Total Money Makeover*. The Dave Ramsey Show is heard by more than 14 million listeners each week on 600 radio stations and multiple digital platforms. Follow Dave on the web at [daveramsey.com](http://daveramsey.com) and on Twitter at [@DaveRamsey](https://twitter.com/DaveRamsey).

## Americans for Limited Government

### President must use veto sooner or later to get wall built

by Robert Romano

On March 23, when President Donald Trump signed the H.R. 1625 omnibus spending bill, he vowed, "I say to Congress: I will never sign another bill like this again. I'm not going to do it again."

Well, here we go again. Six months later, and the end of the fiscal year is rapidly approaching. Energy, Military Construction and Legislative Affairs has already passed and been signed into law. Next up is Defense and Health and Human Services bill, which will also include funding for all other departments and agencies until Dec. 7. It's another so-called cromnibus — omnibus plus a continuing resolution.

Speaking at a press conference with Japanese Prime Minister Shinzo Abe at the United Nations, President Trump said he would be signing the bill: "We'll keep the government open. We're going to keep the government open."

The president should reconsider that position. The bill is a stopgap designed to get Congress past the midterm elections, which suits their priority to avoid any controversial votes prior to November.

There's only one problem, besides funding the military for the full year, the legislation does not fund key Trump administration priorities including fully funding the southern border wall. Department of Homeland Security funding is being pushed off

until December now, with no guarantees that it will include the wall.

Instead, Congress has jerked the president and his supporters around for almost two years now.

On Jan. 26, 2017, Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell was in Philadelphia, and explained emphatically that "We are moving ahead" with the wall with a specific price tag of "\$12 to \$15 billion," adding, "We intend to address the wall issue ourselves."

A day later, House Speaker Paul Ryan (R-Wis.) told the American people that, "This is something, [the wall], we want to get on right away. And so we do believe this is urgent. We believe this is one of the most important promises the president made running for office. It's a promise he's going to keep, and it's a promise we're going to help him keep."

Ryan added, "We anticipate a supplemental coming from the administration on defense and the border" and "I'm hoping in the first quarter we can get this done. But again, it's getting [Mick Mulvaney confirmed as Office of Management and Budget Director and] up and running so they can send us the supplemental."

Mulvaney was confirmed on Feb. 16, 2017 and the supplemental request was proposed on March 14 by Mulvaney and then formally put in on March 16 by

President Trump to Speaker Ryan. Trump kept his side of the bargain. But somehow, by March 30, Ryan had changed his tune, telling CBS News, "The big chunk of money for the wall really is ... next fiscal year's appropriations because they literally can't start construction even this quickly."

But then the wall was not funded in the fiscal year 2018 spending bill either. All they got was the president's \$1.6 billion supplemental "down payment" he had asked for last year.

Nowhere can the "\$12 to \$15 billion" McConnell promised for the wall be found.

So, here we are, almost two years into the Trump administration, and Congress is about to go home for the midterms having failed to fund the president's signature legislative promise and show that finally they take the illegal immigration issue seriously.

President Trump may not wish to veto government spending now, but one thing is clear: He is going to have to do it sooner or later if he wants to get the wall built. Time's running out. And then he will need one-third of either the House or the Senate to sustain that veto — and then a real negotiation can be had.

— Robert Romano is the vice president of public policy at Americans for Limited Government.

## ✓ POW/MIA: McCain bill would prioritize identification of personnel

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*doubt painstaking, but imperative. Until we account for all our missing and bring each of these Americans home, wounds remain unhealed.*

*I pray that all of the families and friends of missing servicemembers experience the long-awaited return of their loved ones. May all those who serve our nation feel how grateful we are for their security of the blessings of our liberty. Let's bring them all home.*

I am a co-sponsor of S.Res. 61 introduced last year by late Sen. John McCain (R-Ariz.) calling on the U.S. Department of Defense, the Defense POW/MIA Accounting Agency and other federal agencies to prioritize efforts to identify and recover unaccounted American military personnel. I also co-sponsored S. 120, the Bring Our Heroes Home Act, that is meant to address obstacles preventing families and caseworkers from accessing the records needed for recovery efforts by putting one entity in charge of prioritizing and facilitating the declassification of records related

to missing servicemembers.

We must fulfill our duty as Americans to those who have defended our liberties and the families who have waited decades for answers. The return of our missing servicemembers must forever be a national priority until all those who have served make it home.

— Republican Mike Crapo is Idaho's senior member of the U. S. Senate. He is in his fourth six-year term and has served in the Senate since 1999. Prior to that, he was a three-term Idaho Second District congressman.



# Looking back...

*from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle*

## 25 years ago

October 13, 1993

### Commission to reconsider fix to dump problem

The Owyhee County Commissioners were to meet yesterday (Tuesday) to continue discussions on the county solid waste disposal system, according to chairman Dick Bass of Reynolds Creek.

It was announced last week that the landfills at Homedale and Bruneau would be closed on Friday, Oct. 8, due to a federal mandate.

However, it was learned last Wednesday that the government had extended the deadline for another six months, and that the landfills would remain open for that length of time.

There is reportedly a difference of opinion among the commissioners as to the best solution to the federal regulations. Commissioner Hal Tolmie, Homedale, wants to carry out an agreement with Canyon County to use their landfill. That plan, at least at this time, would provide transfer stations at Opaline (already constructed) and in the Bruneau-Grand View area. The remainder of the county would either be required to haul to these stations or transport their own refuse to Pickles Butte.

Homedale and Marsing city residents have mandatory pick-up, contracted with Mr. T’s service in Homedale.

Commissioner Bass wants to study the long-range feasibility of developing a county landfill, providing more and larger dumpsters, and providing hauling service from the dumpsters to the landfill.

### Candidates crown city elections

Six city residents have thrown their hats into the ring for two positions on the Homedale City Council, assuring a spirited campaign leading up to the Nov. 2 election.

Marsing saw a smaller field of four candidates file nominating petitions for the two council seats there.

Marsing will see at least one new face in city government as current council member Bob Malmberg declined to seek another term.

Besides incumbent Harvey Grimme, those seeking a seat on the Marsing City Council include Daniel L. Carlson, Merrilllee Keister and Gene Showalter.

Homedale City Council incumbents Frank Haylett and Dan Murphy both filed for re-election. Joining them in the election fray are Harold Puri, Tom Griffith, Jack Dickey and Tammy Payne.

### Zatica elected chairman

Stan Zatica, Vice President of Paul’s supermarkets in Homedale, was elected chairman of the board of the Idaho Employers Council for the third straight year. Zatica says he has been a member of the IEC ever since he joined his dad at Paul’s 9 or 10 years ago.

The Idaho Employers Council is a non-profit organization made up of over 700 businesses in the Northwest.

### Trojans break Mustangs 34-0

The Trojans of Homer’s *Illiad* may not be remembered as history’s greatest cowboys — but the Trojans of Homedale High School had no trouble taming the Melba Mustangs Friday night, in a 34-0 WIC A-3 victory.

The game was really no contest, as Homedale put up five touchdowns in the first half. A field goal in the fourth quarter capped the Trojan scoring.

Brandon Rountree carried the ball 21 yards for Homedale’s first score.

## 50 years ago

October 10, 1968

### Trojans lose contest to Vallivue as skein broken

Vallivue’s Falcons have ended Homedale’s victory streak at 20 games — but it wasn’t easy.

Vallivue fans held their breath until the final second Friday night in a 13-7 victory over the Trojans.

The visitors outdid their hosts in almost every department except scoring.

On the ground the Trojans rambled for 121 yards — 35 more than Vallivue could muster. And in the air Homedale moved for 119 yards while the Falcons only managed 27.

Coach Stan Hoaglund of Vallivue commented, “I have to give them credit, they are a real gutty bunch of men. The backs ran real fast and hard. Our defense looked good on their running plays, but we need hours and hours of work on our passing defense.”

The first Vallivue tally was set up when Homedale’s Dale Dickson tried to hit his left end on a flat pattern.

An alert Falcon defender came up fast to pick off the serial and scamper to the Homedale 20. Three plays later Jim McMillan found halfback Cary Hoshaw open for a 20-yard TD pass, Jim Franz came on to boot the Falcons’ only extra attempt during the contest.

The remainder of the first half found both teams trying everything they had to get on that scoreboard. Both defensive units excelled.

The lone Trojan score came during the third stanza. The visitors took control on their own 20 after a Falcon kick rolled dead.

With 3:38 remaining in the period, Ruben Garcia went in motion to the right and headed downfield. Dickson dropped back and found to his surprise that Garcia was not covered. The aerial found its mark and the Trojans were back in the ball game. Garcia kicked the point after.

### Council hires engineer to plan Riverside Park

Homedale city councilmen hired an engineer, Mr. Cory, of the firm of Cornell, Howland, Hayes and Merrifield to lay out the plans for Riverside Park, at their regular meeting Monday night.

The city hopes to secure further help from the Marsing Job Corps and also state park aid in developing the park, which will occupy the area west of the new high school athletic field, along Snake River.

The council also discussed possibilities of obtaining a new dump ground to replace the area being used along Succor Creek.

A contract for the new city well has been let to Kenneth Witt of Caldwell, with a bid of \$12,577.75. The well will be drilled on city property near the city hall, and the driller has moved in equipment and is ready to drill when pipe arrives, according to Kenneth Downing, city clerk. A 16-inch hole will be drilled, with a limit of about 550 feet.

Other bids were Russel Cowe, Boise, \$12,902.50; Denzil Metzger, Homedale, \$16,797.50 and A. E. Hosack, Caldwell, \$19,762.50.

### Farmers named to ASC offices in Owyhee County

Farmers recently named to serve as the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation County Committee are Eugene C. Davis, Bruneau, chairman; Timothy J. Nettleton, Oreana, vice chairman; Lawrence Kent, Homedale, regular member; Allen C. George, Homedale, first alternate; and C. J. Cotner, Melba, second alternate.

## 145 years ago

October 11, 1873

AN AFFECTIONATE WIFE in Des Moines gave her husband a dose of morphine to cure him of the habit of chewing tobacco. She didn’t find out what a fool she had made herself until she discovered that the expenses of his funeral, economical as it was, would have kept him in the best of fine-cut for at least two years.

### THE LATEST NEWS

The United States Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections had a secret meeting at New York on the 6<sup>th</sup> last, at which they were reported to have adopted an amendment to the Constitution modifying the present mode of electing the President and Vice-President.

### The Miners’ Ball

The Ball given by the Miners’ Union, at Fairview, on Wednesday evening last, was a splendid success in every particular. Although the weather was rather unpropitious, yet quite a numerous delegation of ladies and gentlemen from Silver City was in attendance, all of whom express themselves highly gratified and well pleased with the affair. About thirty ladies were present, and seven sets of quadrilles were danced at the time. The hall was brilliantly lighted, the best of music was on hand, and the gentlemanly floor managers made it pleasant for everybody. An excellent supper was had at W. H. Frazer’s boarding house, and dancing was kept up till 3 o’clock in the morning.

### Local intelligence

John Brunzell left for Dallas, Texas, by last Wednesday evening’s stage. He goes to join his uncle, E. G. Hult, formerly of this place, who is engaged in merchandising down there.

Father Poulin will soon be ready to open his stationery store and circulating library. A portion of his stock has arrived, and the books for his library are now *en route* from New York.

The proprietors of the Idaho Hotel are putting an addition of eleven feet to the south end of the building over the bar-room, which will afford two as pleasant rooms as any in the house.

Captain Bledsoe, W. F. & Co.’s messenger, got back night before last from a trip to Winnemucca, and informs us that our recent storm extended most of the way to the railroad, laying the dust beautifully.

The many friends of J. B. Olliver, of the Empire boarding-house, War Eagle Mountain, will regret to know that he is seriously ill, and not expected to recover. Mr. Olliver has been in very poor health all Summer.

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# Public notices

**SYNOPSIS OF OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISSIONER MINUTES  
September 3, 10, 17 & 24, 2018  
September 3**

Paid all outstanding bills from the following funds; Current Expense \$26,895 Road and Bridge \$1,051 District Court \$1,577 Fair, Grounds and Buildings \$11,307 Probation \$414 Health District \$4,557 Indigent and Charity \$22,635 Jr. College Tuition \$150 Revaluation \$1,385 Solid Waste \$6,033 Tort \$1,000 Weeds \$150 911 \$2,725 County Vessel \$5 Waterways \$373 Off Highway Vehicles \$21 Taxing District Election \$26 Economic Development \$270 Auditors Trust \$27,555 County Vessel Trust \$50.

Approved the Capital Crimes Defense bills for Indigent and Charity. Approved the FY2019 Project Coordinator Agreement between Owyhee County and Linda Ramirez for the Substance Use Disorders System. Approved Resolution 2018-25; Ratification of approval by the Owyhee County Commissioners for the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners to sign and approve the architectural drawing from R & M Steel Company for the Owyhee County / Homedale Community Center. Approved an annual maintenance agreement with McLaughlin’s Owyhee Heating and Air Conditioning for the spring and fall startups in the amount of \$1,685.00 per season. Approved the Treasurers tax cancellation on parcel MH03N06W267650, taxes in the amount of \$65.66 / solid waste fee of \$27.50 / penalty of \$1.31. Opted out of the FY2019 ICRMP Terrorism Coverage. Approved (6) certificates of residency to the College of Western Idaho for students 2018-172 through 2018-177. Approved (3) certificates of residency to the College of Southern Idaho for students 2018-26 through 2018-28. Placed a lien on Indigent and Charity case 18-29 and 18-30. Approved Indigent and Charity case 18-30. A Homedale Rezoning Ordinance Amendment public meeting was held. No public or interested parties were in attendance. Approved the amendments to the Homedale Rezoning Ordinance. A hearing to open the 2018 budget was held. No public or interested parties were in attendance. Approved Resolution 2018-22; To open the 2018 budget for Indigent and Charity in the amount of \$515,000.00 and Jr. College Tuition in the amount of \$10,000.00. Approved Resolution 2018-23; Ratification of approval by the Owyhee County Commissioners for the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners to sign and submit Owyhee County Protest of BLM EA and proposed decisions for the Battle Creek, East Castle Creek, and Owens Grazing Allotments.

**September 10**  
Approved a letter to Stephen Leonard, BLM Owyhee Field Office Manager, to proceed with construction on Murphy Flat Road, Right of Way ID138230. Approved the FY2019 Computer Arts, Inc. Master Agreement. Approved the Memorandum of Agreement for the Community Incentive Program, Re-entry Program and the Mental Health Program through the Idaho Department of Juvenile Corrections and Owyhee County Probation Department. Approve catering permits for the Cowboy’s Pastime and Bruneau Round

Up, September 15, 2018 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 a.m., and September 16, 2018 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 a.m. Approved the Idaho Power Enhanced Law Enforcement Services Agreement – 6<sup>th</sup> Amendment. Approved a request from Melba School District for an extension on their L2 Certification to Monday September 17, 2018. Placed a lien on Indigent and Charity cases 18-31, 18-32 and 18-33. Approved Resolution 2018-26; Ratification of approval by the Owyhee County Commissioners for the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners to sign and submit Owyhee County protest of BLM EA and proposed decision for the Rockville Grazing Allotment. Accepted the 2018 State Homeland Security Grant in the amount of \$28,618.00, through Idaho Office of Emergency Management. Approved a letter to Stephen Leonard, Owyhee Field Office Manager, to proceed with construction on Murphy Flat Road, Right of Way ID138230.

**September 17**  
Approved and paid all outstanding bills from the following funds: Current Expense \$50,992 Road and Bridge \$232,256 District Court \$18,402 Fair, Grounds and Buildings \$51,449 Probation \$144 Historical Society and Museum \$198 Indigent and Charity \$18,982 Jr. College Tuition \$4,650 Revaluation \$2,510 Solid Waste \$12,287 911 \$2,274 County Vessel \$3,410 Waterways \$415 Auditors Trust \$464. Approved the Capital Crimes Defense for Indigent and Charity bills in the amount of \$15,190.00. Approved Resolution 2018-27; To donate, discard or dispose of abandoned personal items and unclaimed personal clothing, items of nominal value of former inmates of Owyhee County. Approved the 2019 University of Idaho Owyhee County Extension Office budget. Set the Treasurers Tax Deed Sale on parcels RP03N05W107920A, RPA0010066004AA and RPA0010066005CA, for Monday October 22, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. at the Owyhee County Courthouse, courtroom #2. Sent a letter to Representatives Blanksma, Brackett and Zito in support of Assessor Gruenwald’s complaint regarding the Idaho Transportation Department Driver’s License System. Approved the Idaho Oregon River Water Trail membership as Commissioner Hoagland as representative. Approved the System for Award Management Entity Registration naming Angela Barkell as Entity Administrator. Approved the 2019 Levy Certifications. Approved the Contract with Colleen Foster as Independent Contractor for Support Services Coordinator for Owyhee County Juvenile Probation Department. Denied Indigent and Charity case 18-28. Withdrew Indigent and Charity case 18-31. Approved the Personal Services Contract with Jim Desmond for fiscal year 2019. Approved the 2018 Office of Emergency Management Subrecipient Agreement in the amount of \$27,412.00, with the county matching half.

**September 24**  
Approved Resolution 2018-28; Transfer of general reserve funds. Approved Resolution 2018-29; Approving increases in solid waste removal fees. Approved the current part time 911 dispatcher Stacie Woods, to full time, to begin September 24, 2018. Approved the hire of current Off

Highway Vehicle Deputy Greg Bishop as Sergeant (to replace Gary Olsen position), to begin September 24, 2018 at \$24/hour. Approved the FY19 Canyon County Juvenile Detention Housing Agreement. Approved a letter to Tanya Thrift, Bruneau BLM Field Office Manager regarding the Perjue Canyon proposed recreation site. The complete minutes can be viewed online at [www.owyheecounty.net](http://www.owyheecounty.net) or in the Clerk’s office.  
10/10/2018

**NOTICE OF TAX SALE**  
Pursuant to Idaho Code §31-808, and pursuant to the Order of Sale recorded with the Owyhee County Recorder on August 20, 2018, Owyhee County will offer for sale on Monday, October 22, 2018, at 10:00 A.M. in Courtroom 2 of the Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, Idaho, the following properties: Property known as **Tax 6C Section 10 3N 5W**, Owyhee County, Idaho. Said property was taken by tax deed, August 20, 2018, from **Jan Bryant**, parcel **RP03N05W107920A**. A minimum bid of **\$1,371.20** is required which will include delinquent taxes; late fees; interest and costs, plus current year’s taxes and all other accruing costs. Property known as **the N 144.5’ of Lots 5&6, the E2 of the N 144.5’ of Lot 7 Block 66, or more commonly known as 14 E UTAH AVE, City of Homedale, Owyhee County, Idaho**. Said property was taken by tax deed, August 20, 2018, from **Rodney Hanson** parcel number **RPA0010066005CA**. A minimum bid of **\$5,352.25** is required which will include delinquent taxes; late fees; interest and costs, plus current year’s taxes and all other accruing costs. Property known as **the N 144.5’ of Lot 4 Block 66, City of Homedale, Owyhee County, Idaho**. Said property was taken by tax deed, August 20, 2018, from **Rodney Hanson** parcel number **RPA0010066004AA**. A minimum bid of **\$2,032.68** is required which will include delinquent taxes; late fees; interest and costs, plus current year’s taxes and all other accruing costs. Owyhee County offers the above properties for sale without warranty or representations of any kind and is sold “as is”, “where is” without warranty or representations as to marketability, fitness for a particular purpose or representations concerning compliance with any Federal or State regulations. Owyhee County offers above properties for sale subject to any rights limitations, claims, easements, or rights of way that may exist. **It is the responsibility of prospective bidders to inspect the sale properties and to make themselves aware of any issues or potential issues concerning the sale of the properties.** The sale is an auction open to the public and will be sold to the highest bidder, payable at the time of the sale in lawful currency of the U.S. Treasury Department in cash or certified funds such as a cashier’s check. The Board of County Commissioners reserves the right to reject any and all bids or offers.

Dated this 17<sup>TH</sup> day of September, 2018.  
/s/ Kelly Aberasturi, Chairman, Owyhee County Commissioners  
/s/ Angela Barkell, Clerk, Board of County Commissioners  
9/26,10/3,10,17/2018

**NOTICE OF JOB POSITION OPENING  
HOMEDALE HIGHWAY DISTRICT  
DIRECTOR OF HIGHWAYS**  
**1. DATE AND LOCATION UPON WHICH APPLICATIONS FOR THE JOB POSITION MUST BE SUBMITTED:** All Applications and accompanying materials are to be delivered in a **sealed envelope** marked *Application for Director of Highways* and delivered either by mail, or emailed by 5:00 p.m. Mountain Daylight Savings Time on or before Friday, October 26<sup>th</sup>, 2018 [the Deadline]:  
**Mail to:**  
Homedale Highway District  
*Attention: Secretary*  
P.O. Box 713  
Homedale, Idaho 83628  
**E-mail:** Applications may be e-mailed to the Secretary at [tu.hhd.30@gmail.com](mailto:tu.hhd.30@gmail.com)  
**2. JOB DESCRIPTION:** The Director of Highways is an appointed position and reports directly to the Board o of Commissioners. The Director of Highways serves as chief administrative officer of the Highway District and when assigned serves as the representative of the Board of Commissioners and is responsible for:  
• all personnel management, except for the secretary, engineer and attorney;  
• highway and bridge construction, maintenance and planning;  
• budget planning and administration;  
• highway district operation’s compliance with state and federal law;  
• right-of-way acquisition and administration;  
• equipment purchase and maintenance;  
• road material acquisition;  
• weed management;  
• highway access and encroachment matters;  
• official map and pavement management, and capital improvement plans;  
• data entry;  
• GIS and asset management;  
• public relations;  
• coordination with other highway districts and government agencies.  
**3. The APPLICATION FORM** for this job position is available from the Secretary of Homedale Highway District via e-mail at [tu.hhd.30@gmail.com](mailto:tu.hhd.30@gmail.com). **Applications must be submitted on the form provided, delivered in a sealed envelope (if delivered by mail), and must be signed by the applicant.**

**4. SALARY RANGE:** \$40,000- \$45,000 depending upon education and experience.  
[standard health insurance provided]

**5. REVIEW AND SELECTION PROCESS** is set forth in the official Application Form.

By: Terri Uria, Secretary  
Homedale Highway District  
10/10,17,24/2018

**LIEN SALE**  
Unit K-17 Heidi Paynter, 401 S Main #14 Homedale, Idaho, 83628. Unit containing wooden furniture, dresser, coffee table and misc. household goods. Sealed bid auction will be held 10-13-18 at 3685 Hwy 95, Homedale, Idaho. Bids will be accepted between 9:00 am and 1:00 pm. Cash Only. Winner must remove all items.  
10/3,10/2018

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
CASE NO. CV37-17-01561  
IN THE DISTRICT COURT  
OF THE THIRD DISTRICT  
OF THE  
STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND  
FOR THE COUNTY OF  
OWYHEE**

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: FRANCIS CLARA DOUGAL.  
NOTICE IS HEARBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed as Personal Representative of the above-named decedent. All persons having claims against the decedent or the estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented to the undersigned at the address indicated, and filed with the Clerk of the Court. In addition, it is requested that a courtesy copy be mailed to the law office of James R. Gillespie, Post Office Box 2337, Boise, Idaho 83701.  
DATED this 19<sup>th</sup> day of September 2018.

s:/Charlene Dougal Stanford  
9/26,10/3,10/2018

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
CASE NO. CV37-18-00334  
IN THE DISTRICT  
COURT OF THE FOURTH  
JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
STATE OF IDAHO,  
COUNTY OF OWYHEE  
MAGISTRATE DIVISION**

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: KAREN RUTH MOBLEY, DECEASED PERSON.  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the above-named estate. All persons having claims against the said decedent are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must be both filed with the Court and presented to the Personal Representative of the estate at the law office of JULIE ADAMS DEFORD, 317 12<sup>th</sup> Avenue South, Nampa, Idaho 83651.  
DATED this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of October, 2018.  
s:/James Robert Mobley, Personal Representative  
10/10,17,24/2018

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# Public notices

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
CASE NO. CV-37-18-308  
IN THE DISTRICT COURT  
OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL  
DISTRICT OF THE  
STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND  
FOR THE COUNTY OF  
OWYHEE**

IN THE MATTER OF THE  
ESTATE OF: ROGER EUGENE  
SEVY JR.

NOTICE IS HEREBY  
GIVEN that the undersigned  
has been appointed as Personal  
Representative of the above  
named estate. All persons having  
claims against said deceased are  
required to present their claims  
within four months after the  
date of the first publication of  
this notice or said claims will be  
forever barred. Claims must be  
presented to the undersigned at  
the address indicated, and filed  
with the Clerk of the Court.

DATED this 27<sup>th</sup> day of  
September, 2018.

Shannon Lynn Sevy,  
Personal Representative of the  
Estate of Roger Eugene Sevy JR  
10/3,10,17,24/2018

**NOTICE OF HEARING  
CASE NO. CV37-18-00317  
IN THE DISTRICT COURT  
OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL  
DISTRICT  
OF THE STATE OF IDAHO,**

**IN AND FOR THE COUNTY  
OF OWYHEE  
IN THE MATTER OF:  
SHARON KAY FOX**

A Verified Petition to change  
the name of SHARON KAY FOX,  
now residing in Homedale, Idaho,  
has been filed in the District  
Court in Owyhee County, Idaho,  
Sharon Kay Atkins a.k.a. Sharon  
Kay Fox. The Petition purposes  
to change her name to SHARON  
KAY ATKINS. The reason for the  
change is as follows: for  
over 30 years, Petitioner has  
resided with Robin W. Atkins.  
Though Petitioner was and never  
has been married to Mr. Atkins,  
Petitioner has been using the last  
name of Atkins for over 30 years.  
Due to the length of time that  
Petitioner has gone by the name  
of SHARON KAY ATKINS,  
and to eliminate confusion and/  
or conflict regarding her name,  
Petitioner desires to legally  
change her name.

A hearing on the Petition is  
scheduled for 10:30 a.m. on the  
7<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2018, at  
the Owyhee County Courthouse  
located at 31 Wyoming Ave,  
Homedale, ID 83628. Objections  
may be filed by any person who  
can show the court a good reason  
against the name change.

DATED this 11<sup>th</sup> day of  
September, 2018.

Clerk of the Court, Angela  
Barkell  
s:/Lena Johnson, Deputy  
Clerk  
9/26,10/3,10,17/2018

**NOTICE OF PETITION AND  
HEARING  
CASE NO. CV37-18-00326  
IN THE DISTRICT COURT  
OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL  
DISTRICT  
OF THE STATE OF IDAHO,  
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY  
OF OWYHEE**

IN THE MATTER OF THE  
ESTATE OF: RILDA MAY  
ELIZABETH CATT and ERNEST  
CATT

Notice is hereby given that  
on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of September,  
2018, Ida F. Kiester filed a  
petition for formal probate and  
formal appointment of personal  
representative. A copy of the  
petition is on file with the above  
Court and may be reviewed upon  
request. The petition has been  
set for hearing in this Court at  
Murphy, Idaho, on November 19,  
2018, at 10:30 o'clock, a.m.

Dated: this 14<sup>th</sup> day of  
September, 2018.

s:/Michael E. Duggan, Attorney  
for Petitioner  
9/26,10/3,10/2018

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# Marsing High School Homecoming



*From left: King Dawson Walker, Queen Katelyn Fewkes, Prince Merrick Hall, Princess Halle Morton, Duke Noel Quebrado, and Duchess Regan Stansell were crowned at the Homecoming game Friday.*



*Above: As part of Homecoming's Disney theme, displays such as this one from Toy Story were created by students. It depicts the toy vending machine found at the Pizza Planet arcade. Below: Hailee Bennett makes a mad dash toward pay dirt during the Powderpuff game last Wednesday.*



*Above: Queen and King candidates Gabby Rodriguez and Enrique Quebrado, both seniors, ride in style while protecting themselves from the rain during Thursday's Homecoming parade. The procession started at City Park in Marsing, turned west on Main Street, and south down 9th Avenue West to the football field.*

*Bottom left: Marsing High School principal Tim Little (in disguise), officiates the tightly contested tug o' war contest last Wednesday. Ultimately the seniors, who had wisdom, and leverage on their side, won.*

*Bottom right: At the He-Man volleyball game last Wednesday, senior Landon Villa puts his all into a serve.*

