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William Buck Alderson

"Buck" is survived by his wife, Doris Alderson, Baker City, OR; Shane Alderson, Baker City, OR; son & daughter-in-law,

Mark & Diane Alderson, Baker City, OR and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents Moses & Fay Alderson.

Those wishing to make memorial contributions

in his memory may direct them to the Baker Valley SDA Church or Wounded Warrior Project, this maybe done through the Coles Tribute Center, 1950 Place St. Baker City, OR

OSP hopes for sober-driving, fatality-free New Years

2013 was 'Fatality-Free' during the 30-hour New Year's holiday reporting period and Oregon State Police troopers intend to repeat the trend (6:00 p.m. December 31, 2013, through 11:59:p.m., January 1, 2014).

For 2014, OSP Troopers and local law enforcement partners will participate in a national enforcement effort, 'Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over,' to discourage impaired driving and prevent alcohol-related incidents on Oregon highways. During the 2013 effort, OSP troopers reported 29 DUII arrests during the 30-hour reporting period, 22 of which were on January 1st.

Important safety tips for holiday planning:

- Designated Driver (DD) - If you haven't worked out who will drive if you're going to drink; now's the time!
- Make it an Over-nighter - couches or hotel rooms make great landing pads and are far more comfort-

able than a jail bed.

- Call a cab or use public transportation - If you are in Portland - TriMet is giving free rides starting at 8:00 p.m., on New Year's Eve (http://www.trimet. org/alerts/newyear.htm). Check your local area for great offers like TriMet's!
- Be a good host Tasty non-alcoholic beverages for the designated driver of the group is a great gesture; your DD will appreciate it.
- Reach out for help if you've been drinking you shouldn't be driving. Call a cab, phone a friend or send for backup on Twitter - it may mean the difference in someone else's life.
- If you do see a drinker behind the wheel call and report it: 9-1-1 or OSP at 1-800-24DRUNK (800-243-7865)

Some startling data from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) shows that during the holiday season in 2012, 40 percent of the drunk drivers involved

in fatal crashes had at least one prior DUI on their record. And many offenders are young drivers: during that same holiday period 37 percent of the 21- to 24-year old drivers in fatal crashes were drunk. Surprisingly, almost 1 out of 6 drivers under the age of 21 in those fatal crashes were also drunk, even though they're too young to legally buy or consume alcohol. According to Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS), since 1970, there were no fatalities reported in 2003, (30 hour period) and 2010, (78 hour period). Preliminary numbers for the 2014 Christmas holiday reporting period indicate (5) vehicle related fatalities in Oregon, Wednesday December 24 at 6:00 p.m., to Sunday December 28, at 11:59 p.m.(The New Year's holiday reporting time is Wednesday December 31, at 6:00 p.m., to Sunday January 4, 2015, at

This week's word search

Happy New Year

Find and circle all of the words that are hidden in the grid. The remaining letters spell the name of a popular location for celebrating New Years Eve.

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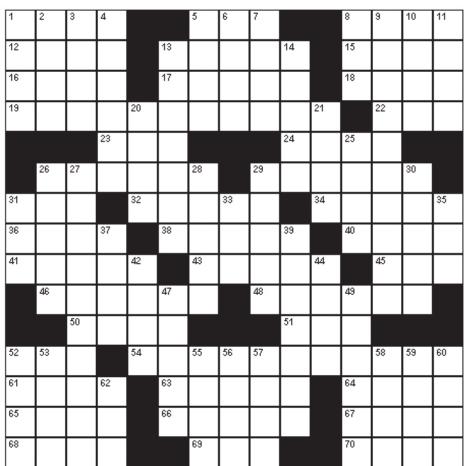
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Across

- 1- Gumbo veggie;
- 5- Part of TGIF;
- 8- Box;
- 12- Large cat; 13- Shake like _
- 15- South American
- monkey:
- 16- "Whip It" band;
- 17- Stare angrily; 18- Mend with rows of
- stitches;
- 19- Eternal;
- 22- Badger;
- 23- Intent;
- 24- Mustachioed artist;
- 26- Maintenance;
- 29- Valuate;
- 31- Night school subj.;
- 32- Corpulent;
- 34- Attacks;
- 36- Island feast;
- 38- Viscounts' superiors; 40- 1972 Kentucky
- Derby winner ____ Ridge;
- 41- Pilsner;
- 43- Quick sharp sound;
- 45- "The Simpsons"
- bartender;
- 46- Female demon in Semitic myth;
- 48- Mariner;
- 50- Long time;
- 51- Sis's sib;
- 52- McCartney title;
- 54- Resistance to torsion;
- 61- Put a lid ____!;
- 63- From head ____; 64- Langston Hughes
- poem;
- 66- Edit;
- 67- Member of the Con-

- servative Party;
- 68- Son of Zeus in
- Greek mythology;
- 69- Baa maid?; 70- River through Flor-
- ence;

Down

- 1- Shoppe sign word; 2- Capital of the
- Ukraine;
- 3- Wander;
- 4- Hooded jacket;
- 5- Woes;
- 6- Milk source;
- 7- Delhi dress;
- 8- Avg.;
- 9- Very softly;
- 10- Gillette brand;
- 11- Circular band;
- 13- Asexual reproductive
- cell;
- 14- Wards (off); 20- Untruths, tells false-
- hoods; 21- Deep cut;
- 25- Cordelia's father;

- 26- Customary:
- 27- Use by plagiarism;
- 28- Fish illegally; 29- Collection of maps,
- Titan of Greek mythology;
- 30- Relish;
- 31- Building add-on;
- 33- Modern address; 35- ___ kwon do;
- 37- River to the Ubangi;
- 39- Healed over, like a scrape;
- 42- Civil disturbance;
- 44- Soprano Te Kanawa;
- 47- Govt. security;
- 49- Humbert Humbert's obsession;
- 52- Fizzy drink;
- 53- Are you out?;
- 55- Capital of Italy;
- 56- Simmer;
- 57- Actress Skye;
- 58- Like ___
- 59- Ripped;
- 60- Spoollike toy;
- 62- French possessive;
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