WHAT'S HAPPENING

Community

The deadline for What's Happening items is 5 p.m. Friday. Call Cheryl at the Eagle, 541-575-0710.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20

Democrat meeting

• 6:30 p.m., St. Thomas Episcopal Church, Canyon City Grant County Democrats will meet in the parish house on 139 S. Washington St. All local Democrats are encouraged to attend. Call 541-542-2633.

THURSDAY, MAY 21

Humbolt Fun Run

• 1:45-2:05 p.m., Grant Union High School track, John

Humbolt students will raise money through donations that will go toward technology and playground improvements at the school.

FRIDAY, MAY 22

Fair Queen coronation dinner

• 6 p.m., Grant County Fairgrounds, John Day

The coronation dinner honors 2015 Grant County Fair and Rodeo Queen Reitta Wyllie. The evening includes a spaghetti dinner, and both live and silent auctions. The cost is \$10 a person. Funds raised will help Queen Wyllie represent Grant County as she travels to regional functions. Other fair courts plan to attend, and all past and present Grant County fair court members are invited. For more information, call the fair office at 541-575-1900.

FRIDAY-SATURDAY. MAY 22-23

Church yard sale

• 9 a.m.-3 p.m., Dayville Community Church

Cook-off canceled

Blue Mountain Eagle

JOHN DAY – The Camp Cook-off, scheduled for May 30 at the Grant County Fairgrounds, has been canceled due to lack of vendors.

Organizers hope to hold the event next year.

Proceeds benefit community service projects. The church is located on South Fork Road.

TUESDAY, MAY 26

Skywarn Weather Spotter training

• 1 p.m., Grant County Regional Airport, John

Volunteers are welcome to attend the free training, offered by the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration's National Weather Service. Advance registration is not required. There will be light refreshments and door prizes. The training is co-sponsored by Grant County Emergency Management. For more information, contact Dennis Hull, 541-969-7136 or dennis.hull@noaa.

TUESDAY AND THURSDAY, MAY 26, 28

Drama Club presents mystery/comedy

• 7 p.m., Grant Union High School, John Day The Grant Union Junior-Senior High School Drama for council by-laws. The public is invited.

Club presents "Murder Mystery at the Murder Mystery" by Brian D. Taylor on stage in the old gym. The show is a mystery/comedy, with action occurring on stage and in the audience. The cost is \$4 for adults and \$2 for students. Doors open at 6:40 p.m. The show is appropriate for all ages and lasts about 75 minutes.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 27

Children's mini film festival

• 3:45-4:45 p.m., Grantville Theater, Canyon City

Children ages 5 and older are welcome to a viewing sample of Drexel Foundation Film Festival films made by and for other children - some as young as 5 - from 2006-2010. All the films are G-rated. Organizers hope the free showing will encourage local children to enter the 2015 contest. For information about the festival contest, call 541-473-3470 or visit thedrexelfoundation.org.

THURSDAY, MAY 28

Baccalaureate

• 7 p.m., Long Creek Community Center

All are welcome to a baccalaureate honoring local graduates. Light refreshments will be served. The event is sponsored by New Life Bible Church of Long Creek.

MONDAY, JUNE 1

Senior Advisory Council to meet • 10:30 a.m., John Day Senior Center

The council will continue finalizing recommendations



Kelly Collins reaches down from his horse to shake hands with Robert Riddell, a 95-year-old former WWII flight instructor, during the 2014 Cinnabar Rendezvous parade in Mt. Vernon.

Ready to Rendezvous?

Race a duck, toss an ax, watch a parade

By Cheryl Hoefler Blue Mountain Eagle

MT. VERNON - Looking for local fun this Memorial Day weekend?

There will be activities for the whole family at the annual Cinnabar Mountain Rendezvous this Friday-Sunday in Mt. Vernon.

The fun kicks off at 6 p.m. Friday with a potluck dinner, bingo and a beer garden in the Mt. Vernon Community Hall.

Saturday's events include a parade at 11 a.m., with the lineup for participants at 10 a.m. at the community hall. This year's grand marshals are Lyle and Linda McCumber.

The action moves over to City Park that afternoon. The schedule includes:

- After the parade: Horseshoe tournament.
- 12:30-3:30 p.m.: Teen scavenger hunt.
- 1 p.m. Ax throwing for men and women.
- 2 p.m. Frying pan throw for women. • 3 p.m. – Choker setting
- for men. • 4 p.m. – Bore and Buck
- open class.

A \$250 gift certificate awaits the all-around timber event winner

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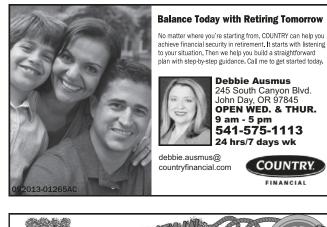


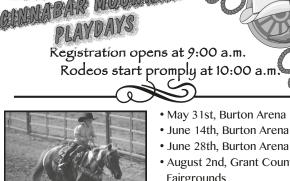
Rounding out the day will be a dance, with beer garden, at 8 p.m. in the community hall. There will be live music by Daryl and Mary of the group Just Us.

Sunday's schedule includes duck races at 10 a.m., and "Kids Day" games at 11 a.m. in the park. The finals of the horseshoe tournament will be at noon.

Also Sunday, the Golden Spike Scavenger Hunt for participants 18 and older is on tap, with a \$200 prize at stake.

For more information, call 541-792-0670 or 541-792-0393.





- June 14th, Burton Arena
- August 2nd, Grant County
- Fairgrounds • August 22 & 23rd, Grant
- **County Fairgrounds**

Barrel Racing, Pole Bending, Goat Tying, Dummy Roping, Keyhole, Flag Race, and Figure 8 Membership: \$30 individual / \$45 family ~ Entry Fees: \$2/ event

Events include:

or \$10/ day For more information, contact:

- Didgette McCracken 541-575-3520 • Janet Plocharsky - 541-792-0077
- Shilo Burton 541-620-1617
- Emma Winkleman 541-620-1199
- Scott Moore 541-620-0433 • Justin Jacobs - 541-620-1014

• Melanie Kimball - 541-620-0706 or email CMP at cmplaydays@gmail.com

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It's rodeo time in Spray! 1/4-mile race, and ranch bronc Blue Mountain Eagle For more information, riding. call 541-468-2442. SPRAY - Two long-stand-Saturday is also "Tough

ing events are coming up Memorial Day weekend in Spray: the 68th annual Spray Rodeo and the 51st annual Eastern Oregon Half-Marathon.

The rodeo will be Saturday and Sunday, May 23-24, although rodeo fans get a preview Friday with slack starting at 11 a.m. There's no admission Friday and concessions will be available.

Here's the schedule of events for Saturday:

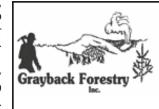
- Half-marathon: Starts at 8 a.m., a 13.2-mile run from Service Creek to Spray. The event is touted as the longest running in Oregon.
- Buckaroo Breakfast: From early morning to 11 a.m., in the Spray School cafeteria, prepared by members of Spray High School athletic
- Parade: 11 a.m., starting at the Spray General Store, led by Queen Maggie Beck from Corvallis. Grand marshals are members of the Judy Alford
- ıamılv • Rodeo: Begins at 1 p.m. with the grand entry. Competitors hail from all parts of the Northwest. In addition to the major rodeo events, there will be a kids, women's and men's

newspaper.

Enough to Wear Pink" day, with all proceeds going to St. Charles Medical Center in Bend for breast cancer research On Sunday, a cowboy

church service will be at 9 a.m. and the final rodeo performance at 1 p.m., both at the rodeo grandstands. Stock this year will be pro-

vided by the 2014 stock contractor of the year, B-Bar-D Rodeos; the 2014 Announcer of the Year, Scott Allen; and, back by popular demand, barrel man JJ Harrison.



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Monday - Friday 8am - 5pm

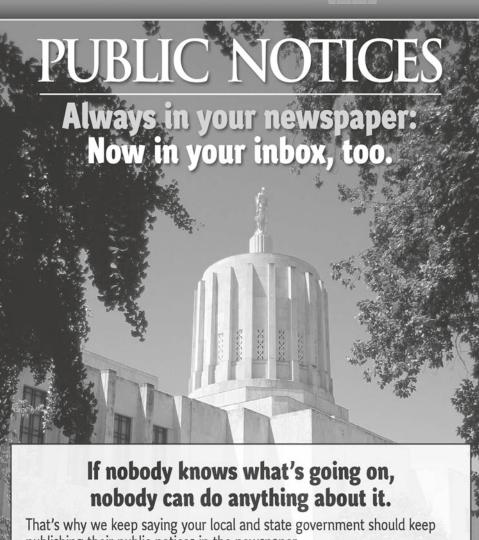
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