

## DAILY PLANNER

### TODAY

Today is Tuesday, Feb. 18, the 49th day of 2020. There are 317 days left in the year.



### TODAY'S HIGHLIGHT

On Feb. 18, 1970, the "Chicago Seven" defendants were found not guilty of conspiring to incite riots at the 1968 Democratic national convention; five were convicted of violating the Anti-Riot Act of 1968 (those convictions were later reversed).

### ON THIS DATE

In 1861, Jefferson Davis was sworn in as provisional president of the Confederate States of America in Montgomery, Alabama.

In 1930, photographic evidence of Pluto (now designated a "dwarf planet") was discovered by Clyde W. Tombaugh at Lowell Observatory in Flagstaff, Arizona.

In 1983, 13 people were shot to death at a gambling club in Seattle's Chinatown in what became known as the Wah Mee Massacre. (Two men were convicted of the killings and are serving life sentences; a third was found guilty of robbery and assault.)

In 1997, astronauts on the space shuttle Discovery completed their tune-up of the Hubble Space Telescope after 33 hours of spacewalking; the Hubble was then released using the shuttle's crane.

In 2001, veteran FBI agent Robert Philip Hanssen was arrested, accused of spying for Russia. (Hanssen later pleaded guilty to espionage and attempted espionage and was sentenced to life in prison without the possibility of parole.)

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### LOTTERY

**Megabucks:** \$4.2 million  
9-25-29-42-43-44

**Mega Millions:** \$45 million  
10-32-48-54-55-18 x5

**Powerball:** \$50 million  
16-32-35-36-46-3 x3

**Win for Life:** Feb. 15  
30-47-50-65

### Pick 4:

Feb. 16  
• 1 p.m.: 6-3-2-0  
• 4 p.m.: 4-9-1-1  
• 7 p.m.: 4-0-2-6  
• 10 p.m.: 8-2-9-7  
Feb. 15  
• 1 p.m.: 7-1-3-9  
• 4 p.m.: 2-5-0-5  
• 7 p.m.: 5-1-1-2  
• 10 p.m.: 1-6-8-4  
Feb. 14  
• 1 p.m.: 4-2-1-6  
• 4 p.m.: 0-2-2-3  
• 7 p.m.: 4-6-3-4  
• 10 p.m.: 7-2-6-6

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### QUOTE OF THE DAY

"Opinion is that exercise of the human will which helps us to make a decision without information."

— John Erskine, American author and educator

## La Grande



Observer file photo

The late Mike Voss of Summerville founded the annual La Grande Gun Show. He died in 2019, and this weekend's show will honor him.

# Annual La Grande Gun Show carries on without founder

By Dick Mason

The Observer

LA GRANDE — The late Mike Voss, a tireless community volunteer, will be saluted Feb. 22-23 at the annual La Grande Gun Show.

The gun show will be conducted in memory of Voss, who founded the event in 2015 and directed it through 2019.

"He did it for the community," said Sheila Evans, the director of this year's gun show and president of the Island City Lions Club, which is hosting the event.

Voss, a Summerville resident, died June 3, 2019, at age 62. The gun show will have a table displaying photos of Voss to honor him.

The event Voss, who also was a member of the Island City Lions Club, started has had a combined two-day attendance of at least 1,500 each year, and Evans believes it will draw at least this many people again next

weekend.

The La Grande Gun Show Feb. 22 will run from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Feb. 23 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Blue Mountain Conference Center, 404 12th St. All proceeds from the show each year go to the Lions Club, which spends the money on community service projects.

Part of the money the Lions will raise will be from the breakfasts and lunches it serves both days at the gun show.

This year's show will have 50 vendors, some selling collectibles, Evans said, the likes of which can't be found in many other places. At least 300 gun sales took place at the 2019 show, and Evans said she anticipates at least that many this year.

The gun show is one of about 45 in Oregon and again will be the first major gun show of the year in Northeast Oregon

For information on the gun show, call Evans at 541-910-8377 and leave a message.

# Board to review pay, plan



Observer file photo

Eastern Oregon University's board of trustees meets Thursday on campus in the Dixie Lund Board Room at Inlow Hall, pictured here. The salary of the university's president is among the board's topics of discussion.

Observer staff

LA GRANDE — Eastern Oregon University's board of trustees plans to discuss several items, including a presidential salary adjustment, when it convenes Thursday.

The meeting begins at 8:30 a.m. on campus in the Dixie Lund Board Room at Inlow Hall (room 201). The board will spend the morning working in small groups to walk through the progress of the university's strategic plan, "Ascent 2029," which it adopted in May 2016 as the framework for planning and improvement.

However, according to a memo to the board, "progress is not occurring equally across all indicators, objectives, or goals. As we manage the realities of resource constraints inherent in a small institution, we necessarily reallocate our focus. The unique perspectives of the Trustees is critical

to providing context and assisting the institution when multiple priorities vie for attention."

After lunch, the board will hear a financial report and vote on a proposal regarding a new residence hall.

Additional action items include approval of spring construction projects and the Educator Equity Plan associated with House Bill 3375 as well as potential amendments to the Presidential Compensation Framework. Trustees also plan to discuss a presidential salary adjustment.

University President Tom Insko's base annual salary is about \$250,000 a year. The board tasked the Ad Hoc Committee on Presidential Compensation to come up with recommendations for a formal process for determining that compensation, including standards for annual adjustments to the president's salary. The

committee wants standards for such adjustments, according to a memo from EOU general counsel and board secretary Chris Burford, based on the president's performance.

A legislative update and brief executive session are also on the agenda. Representatives of shared governance bodies, including students, faculty and staff, will give quarterly reports.

The board accepts written comments within 48 hours of the meeting. Meeting materials and public comment sign-up are available at [eou.edu/governance/board-meeting-schedule](http://eou.edu/governance/board-meeting-schedule).

The location is accessible to people with disabilities, and the meeting will be streamed live at [livestream.com/eou/governance](http://livestream.com/eou/governance). If special accommodations are required, call 541-962-4101 or email [emaloy@eou.edu](mailto:emaloy@eou.edu) at least 72 hours in advance.

## Walk on the Wild Side

An Introduction to Tracking Mammals

Thurs, Feb 20th  
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This beginning tracking presentation will give you the basic skills needed to track animals outdoors.

In addition to identifying the tracking formulas and showing detailed photos for all mammal groups, we'll discuss the vocabulary of tracking, gait patterns, how to make casts of animal tracks, and how to take field measurements.

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~ Union County Law Enforcement Association

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