

Local

— COMMUNITY CALENDAR —

St. Alphonsus open house

Saint Alphonsus - Baker City will be celebrating 5 years of being part of the Saint Alphonsus Health System. Everyone is invited to join in the celebration Friday, April 10th, 2015. There will be an open house from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and a barbecue lunch will be provided at no charge. In addition to lunch, you can enjoy tours of the facility highlighting the significant accomplishments over the past five year

MayDay bowling fundraiser

Saturday, April 11. The cost is \$15 per person for three games. 3:30 p.m. at Elkhorn Lanes. To join the fun, call MayDay at 541-523-9472 or stop by the office at 1834 Main St. in Baker City. Just get up to six family members, friends or co-workers together to reserve a lane. Bowlers of all ages and ability levels are welcome.

MHSA mining training

Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) training for new miners who have pre-registered, will be held at the Extension Office located at 2600 East Street on April 15-17. The class begins at 8 a.m. each day. The MSHA Annual Refresher, for miners who have already taken the new miner training class, will be held on Saturday, April 18, also at the Extension Office building. The cost of these classes is \$20 per person per day. Call Jan Alexander at 541-446-3413 to register.

Concert event at BHS

"SAXsational" is a unique concert event of the deft, seasoned jazz artist Rob Verdi as he performs a program of popular jazz standards and movie and television favorites at Baker High School on Sunday, April 19, 2015 at 3:00 p.m. Single tickets are available for adults \$25, students \$15. For more information, please call 541-523-4600.

Commissioners session with USFS

The Baker County Board of Commissioners will meet for a Work Session on Wednesday, April 29, 2015 at 9 a.m. to discuss travel management and other issues with the Forest Service. The meeting will be held in the Commission Chambers of the Courthouse at 1995 Third Street, Baker City, Oregon.

OSU Garden Symposium

Saturday, May 2, Tools to Grow By. Starting at 8 a.m., ending at 4 p.m. Registration before April 22 is \$50, after that date is \$60. Call 541-523-6418 for information.

Legislative hotline

Wednesday, May 6th at 7:00 a.m. Rep. Cliff Bentz and Sen. Ted Ferrioli will hold a "Legislative Hotline" (video conference) call once per month at the OSU Extension Office in Baker City.

Tip a Cop!


Thursday, May 7th. Officers from the Baker City Police Department will wait tables for tips at Barley Brown's, 5-8 p.m. Proceeds go to fund local Special Olympics. Come Support our Local athletes. Any questions email isodo@q.com, Stephanie Tweit, treasurer/fundraiser.

Friends of NRA banquet

Saturday, May 9, 4:00 p.m. at the Baker Events Center. Have a great time while supporting the 2nd Amendment and promoting shooting sports in Oregon. We provide fantastic food, family atmosphere, and more than 50 raffles and auctions where you can win terrific prizes while supporting a great cause! Learn more at www.pfnra.org. Buy tickets at Grumpy's Auto, Tom van Diepen's Farmers Insurance, or Powder River Precision. Proceeds go to local scholarships.

Forest Access for All banquet

Saturday, May 16, 5 p.m. at the Sunridge Inn. Tickets are \$25 each for either a tri-tip or chicken cordon bleu meal. Call Ramona Creighton at 541.523.1160 for tickets.



Michael Rushton, DPM
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The doctor speaks Spanish— El doctor habla Español.

JAIL ROSTER

BROADIE, Chad
SEIMY, Tiffany
SLIZ, Mark
SYMPHERD, Crystal
WHITLOW, Jonathon
GRAMMON, Jacob
CROGHAN, Clint
HANEY, Jessey
RECTOR, Robert
HENDERSON, Lori
JOHNSTON, Marlene
EDISON, Marsan
GRIGGS, Corey
KASINGER, Brandi
WONG, David
POWSEY, Devin
HARDWICK, Mark
SCHLAHT, Nathan
HUNTER, Jeffery
MYERS, Andrew
RANSOM, Ernest
NEWMAN, Richard
BURNINGHAM, Tyson
MCNAIR, Frank
ENTERMILLE, Forrest
GARZA, Christobal
MOORE, Darrell
PAGE, Justin
GROVE, James

— NEWS OF RECORD —

PREVO, Mary
WHITE, Alden
CARROLL, Richard
BULLINGTON, Lynette
PARTLOW, Tyle
PADILLA-ALBRADO, Jose
MCEWEN, Kristopher
GRIFFIN, Alexander
KEYES, Bryan
GAZARIAN, David
MYERS-GABIOLA, Michael
HARDING, Jestin
BUCHANAN, Bryson
OTNES, Buddy
MUNSELL, Emily
HELLMAN, Kenny
COMBS, Brian
PAULSEN, Nathan
SCHISLER, Chet
BOWMAN, Chad
FREEMAN, David

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Cornett, Jeremy Russell. 4.4. Fail to Pay Fines.

FUNERAL NOTICES

Frances Shurtleff, 88, a former Haines and North Powder resident died January 29, 2015 at Blue Mt. Care Center in Prairie City, OR. Graveside services will be held Saturday, April 11, 2015 at 1:00 PM in the Rock Creek Cemetery near Haines. Donations may be made to the Eastern Oregon Museum, this maybe done through the Coles Tribute Center, 1950 Place St. Baker City, OR 97814.

Russell Taylor, 67, of Baker City, died at his home with his family at his side on Monday, April 6, 2015. There will not be a service. For those who would like to make a memorial donation in memory of Russell, may do so to help defray service expenses through Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home & Cremation Services PO Box 543 Halfway, Oregon 97834. On line condolences may be shared at www.tamispinevalleyfuneralhome.com

POLICE LOG

Schlat, Nathan James. 4.3. Out of County Warrant.
Harshman, Matthew James. 4.4. DUII.
Grammon, Jacob Kyle. 4.4. Violation of Release Agreement.
Wachacha, Noah. 4.4. DUII.

— OBITUARIES —

Phyllis M. Lew

Baker City, 1923-2015

Phyllis M. Lew, 91, of Baker City, OR passed away at St. Alphonsus Medical Center, in Baker City, OR on March 25, 2015.

A Celebration of her Life was held April 7, 2015 at 2:00 p.m. at Meadowbrook Place Assisted Living, 4000 Cedar Street, Baker City, OR. A private interment will take place at Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Phyllis was born July 12, 1923 in Baker, OR to Henry J. and Mattie L. (Stumon) Miller. She attended schools in Baker and graduated from Baker High School in 1941. Then she attended the University of Oregon and was a lifetime Alumni Assoc. member. Phyllis went to work at Collins Pine Lumber Co. in Pondosa, OR as a bookkeeper.

On September 20, 1947 Phyllis married Franklin Lew at St. Stephens Episcopal Church in Baker, OR. They lived 30 years in Alturas, CA then moved to Klamath Falls, OR. Phyllis spent many years working in the accounting field doing federal and state income taxes. Phyllis was a member of St. Michaels Episcopal Church and a life member (63 years) of PEO Chapter AX and her PEO sisters meant the world to her. She was also a 50+ year member of the Order of Eastern Star and 62+ year life member of the American Legion Auxiliary.

Phyllis enjoyed the great outdoors, fishing and pla-

ing golf. She was an avid bridge player and played in many tournaments in Baker and surrounding towns, as well as Alturas, CA and Klamath Falls, OR. In her earlier years she enjoyed horseback riding. In 1941 she was Queen of the Mining Jubilee Rodeo and was the Oregon Trail Mounted Pin-Up Girl.

Phyllis and Franklin moved back to Baker City after being away for 40 years.

Phyllis was preceded in death by her husband Franklin, her parents and her brother, H.W. "Bill" Miller. She is survived by her nieces: Mary Kincaid and husband Jerry of Baker City, OR, Marty Rose and husband Bud of Kennewick, WA; a nephew Rob Miller and wife Suzanne of Baker City, a great nephew, four great nieces, seven great-great nieces and nephews.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Paralyzed Veterans of America, The Seeing Eye Dog Foundation, or charity of one's choice in care of Gray's West & Co. Pioneer Chapel, 1500 Dewey Ave., Baker City, OR 97814.

Clifford Colvin

Baker City, 1927-2015

Lieutenant Colonel Harold Clifford "Cliff" Colvin, USMC (Ret), died on March 29, 2015 after battling a lengthy illness. He entered eternal repose at home with loving family members at his side. He was 87 years old.

Cliff was born to



Cliff Colvin

Donald and Bessie Colvin in Farmington, Illinois on June 4, 1927, the eldest of nine children. He enlisted in the United States Marine Corps in 1945 prior to receiving a Fleet appointment to the United States Naval Academy. He graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in Engineering, Class of 1950, and completed Marine Officer Basic School in Quantico, VA in 1951. After commanding a rifle platoon in the 2nd Marine Division, Cliff transferred in 1952 to pursue flight training in Pensacola, Florida and Corpus Christi, Texas graduating in 1954.

He led a distinguished career as a fighter pilot flying aircraft that included the F9F Panther, the F-4 Phantom and the A4 Skyhawk serving with the VMF-312 Checkerboard Squadron, VMF-314 Bobcats, VMFA-223 Bulldogs and VMFA-122 Crusaders. In 1960 Cliff graduated from the Cranfield Institute of Technology in England with a Master's Degree in Aeronautical Engineering. He was subsequently assigned to the U.S. Naval Missile Center, Point Mugu, CA as director of missile research and development.

He served honorably as commanding officer of VMA-223, H&MS-33 and VMFA-122, and participated in the Counterinsurgency Operation at Chu Lai and Danang during the Vietnam War. Some of his most notable accomplishments include the development of ballistic missile systems, earning the title of Top Gun at Miramar, and contributing indispensable expertise in formulating the 1967 Treaty

of Outer Space with the international community. He served as an advisor to the Commandant of the Marine Corps and submitted a proposal to Congress paving the way for women to enter U.S. military academies.

Cliff retired from the Marine Corps in 1972 and settled down with his family in Baker, Oregon. He was dedicated to the community, serving the public as Chief Parole and Probation Officer for 20 years and Chairman of the 5-J School Board for two terms.

Cliff generously offered his time and talents for charity as a member of the Knights of Columbus, Rotary, Optimists, Boy's State and the Elks Club.

Cliff is survived by his loving wife of 47 years, Dr. Constance "Connie" Helen Colvin and his children, Michael Wilson Colvin, Kathryn Jean Robbins, Dr. Mary Patricia Colvin, Gy. Sgt. Timothy Clifford Colvin USMC Ret. and Fr. "LCDR" Andrew Bryan Colvin, USN, as well as six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

A viewing was held on Tuesday, April 7, 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at Cole's Funeral Home. A rosary vigil was at 7:00 p.m., also on Tuesday, April 7 at St. Francis de Sales Cathedral. The Funeral Mass was celebrated on Wednesday, April 8 at 11:00 a.m., St. Francis de Sales Cathedral. Please direct any donations to the Wounded Warrior Project, P.O. Box 758517, Topeka, KS 66675 (www.woundedwarrior.org) and St. Francis de Sales Food Bank, 2235 First Street, Baker City, OR 97814.

MayDay recognizes sexual assault awareness month

Across the United States, April is recognized as Sexual Assault Awareness and Prevention Month to draw attention to the prevalence of the problem and the barriers which prevent victims from seeking help.

Confusion, fear of reprisals, embarrassment, and other barriers prevent most victims from reporting sexual assault or seeking the help they need.

MayDay, Inc. in Baker City works to reduce those obstacles by offering free,

confidential information and support to help victims deal with the difficult legal, medical, and personal decisions they face.

While MayDay works closely with law enforcement, it does not share victims' information with authorities without their written consent.

The Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) has been a federal law for over 20 years, providing funding to agencies like MayDay for both prevention and services to victims.

MayDay also receives funding from other federal, state, and local sources to pay for trained advocates, a 24-hour crisis phone line and other operational costs.

In January of last year the White House released a report called "Rape and Sexual Assault: A New Call to Action."

The document calls for policy changes, improved training for law enforcement and medical providers, and increased services for victims.

But the strongest con-

clusion in the report is that changes in public attitudes must occur.

"Sexual assault is pervasive because our culture still allows it to persist," the report states.

Report efforts, it says, must include everyone, not just victims and perpetrators.

MayDay's phone number is 541-523-9472, and the crisis line is 541-523-4134 or toll free 1-888-213-4134.