

# Local

## — COMMUNITY CALENDAR —

### COMMUNITY CONNECTION BBQ FUNDRAISER

Friday, October 14, 5 p.m. Community Connection is having its annual BBQ rib dinner and silent auction to raise funds to support the dining center and Meals-on-Wheels program. They need to raise an addition \$3000 this year to keep the program going as it currently is. The auction will be from 5-6:30 p.m. with dinner served from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Tickets are \$13 for pre-purchase or \$10 for children under 12, \$15 at the door. Directions: Community Connection 2810 Cedar Street in Baker City.

### CROSSROADS GALA FUNDRAISER

Saturday, October 15, 5:30-10 p.m. Save the Date for the 2016 Crossroads Carnegie Art Center Gala Fundraising Dinner and Auction this year we go Southeast of Disorder to a place called Margartaville celebrating the music and lifestyle of Jimmy Buffett.

### DOG PARK MEETING

Thursday, October 20 at 5 p.m. at the City Hall Council Chambers. Come learn about the potential for a dog park in Baker City with Baker City Partners for PAWS. Contact Gail, gduman@live.com, for more information.

### EAGLE VALLEY FALL FESTIVAL

Sunday, October 30. The last Sunday in October the 7th Annual Eagle Valley Grange Fall Festival will take place. Activities will kick off at 4 p.m. and at 5 p.m. the potluck will start. There will be kids' games, cake walks, Trunk-or-Treat, costume contest, and all manner of fun, including a raffle, Tractor Parade. For anyone interested in showing off a vintage piece of farming equipment or something new for that matter, this is your opportunity to share your favorite farm machine with the community. Costumes are strongly encouraged, and those of you that are attending are asked to remember that this is a family friendly festival. festival organizers ask that there be no gruesome or other inappropriate costumes. Prizes will be awarded in numerous categories, including adults. The popular Trunk-or-Treat will be back this year, with participants invited to dress up their vehicles, and the trick-or-treats will come to you. For more information contact, Mary Jane Ward, 541-893-6346, Deanna Pennock 541-893-3377 or Marty Pennock 541-540-1413.

### HUNTINGTON CULTURAL FESTIVAL AND HIGHLAND GAMES

Saturday, November 5, Heritage & Cultural celebration with living history, cultural demonstrations, craft & food vendors, & Celtic games. Call (541) 523-1589 for more information.

### ST. FRANCIS TURKEY DINNER

Sunday, November 6, 2 p.m. or 4 p.m. Adults \$10. Children \$5. Dinner includes roast turkey, dressing, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, fruit salad, homemade pumpkin pie with whipped cream. Tickets available from Del Tholen at 523-3430 or the parish office at 523-4521. St. Francis, 2235 First Street in Baker City.

### CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

November 19-20. The "Local is the New Black" Christmas Bazaar is an annual event that takes place the weekend before Thanksgiving. Over 50 handmade, direct sales, and food vendors fill the fairground buildings with items to help fill your Christmas lists! Baker County Fairgrounds and Event Center, 9 a.m.

### TWILIGHT CHRISTMAS PARADE AND TREE LIGHTING

Saturday, December 3, 5 p.m. Lighted holiday parade through the streets of historic downtown Baker City followed by the lighting of the community Christmas Tree. For additional information – please contact Jeff Nelson at 523-5556.

### HISTORIC HOMES TOUR

Saturday, December 10, 1-5 p.m. Included in this year's tour are several homes, and other historically significant or architecturally important buildings. The emphasis of the tour is on the fancy parlor where historically families always displayed their most extravagant holiday decorations to impress the neighbors walking by. This is a self-guided tour. The tour starts at the Baker Heritage Museum which will open at 10 a.m. for those wishing to view the exhibits.

To our reporter Eileen Driver and her family, sincere condolences from the staff and Editorial Board of The Baker County Press during this time of loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.



### JAIL ROSTER

HARTMANN, Chanae  
PURKEY, Danielle  
ROBINSON, Justin  
BROOKS, Russell  
ELKSHOULDER, Ida  
BAUGHMAN, Donna  
BACON, Michael  
GRAMMON, Jacob  
LACKEY, Carl  
SMITH, Brendon  
STEELE, Zachary  
SYPERD, Crystol  
HAYS, David  
WONG, David  
GROVE, James  
MADER, Casey  
BAXTER, Benjamin  
KOONTZ, Kyle  
SIMMS II, George  
BROWN, Geoffrey  
MCNAIR, Frank  
CULBERTSON, Brandon  
DARNELL, Jason  
MYERS-GABIOLA, Michael  
WHITTING-GOOD, Travis  
GUZMAN, Miguel  
BOLANOS, Ann  
LANNING, James  
STEELE, Alan  
WILKERSON, Harold  
MULDER, Antoine

### POLICE LOG

Hartmann, Chanae Renese. 10.11. Attempted Assault, Elude.  
Smith, Brendon Michael. 10.9. Violation of Release Agreement. Original charge is assault IV and

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Criminal Trespass II.  
Sypherd, Crystol Morgan. 10.9. Violation of Release Agreement.  
Zeller, Dakota Authur. 10.9. Probation Violation.  
Purkey, Danielle Christine. 10.9. Parole and Probation Detainer.  
Robinson, Justin Marshall. 10.8. Out of County Warrant.  
Day, Kelsey Warren. 10.8. DUII Diversion.  
Baggerly, David Allen. 10.8. Fail to Pay Fines.  
Huyett, Lindsey Marie. 10.8. Recklessly Endangering another person and Unlawful possession of a Firearm.  
Winston, Brendan Herbert. 10.7. Contempt of Court.  
Herrin Jr, Joe Earl. 10.6. DUII.  
Baughman, Donna Lee. 10.6. Out of County Warrant.  
Hester, Randi Ann. 10.6. Initiating a False Report.  
Davis, Sheila Fae. 10.6. DUII.  
Elkshoulder, Ida. 10.6. Oregon Parole Board Warrant:  
Kautz-Hjorten, Anita C. 10.5. Fail to Pay Fines.  
Bacon, Michael Duane. 10.5. Violation of Restraining Order, Burglary I x 2, Criminal Mischief II, and Menacing.  
Cooney, Holly Melinda. 10.5. Assault IV.  
Grammon, Jacob Kyle. 10.5. Disorderly Conduct, Offensive Littering, Harassment and Criminal Trespass II.  
Smith, Brendon Michael. 10.4. Fail to Appear.

Womack, Cody, 10.4. Fail to Appear.  
McCoy, Elizabeth Mae. 10.4. Fail to Appear.

### FUNERAL AND DEATH NOTICES

**Bob Bern.** A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, October 15, 2016 at 1 p.m. the Jehovah Witness Kingdom Hall on Bridge Street in Baker City. Arrangements are under the direction of Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home & Cremation Services.  
**Ernie Gruenzner Jr.** A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, October 15, 2016 - 11 a.m. at the New Bridge Nazarene Church in New Bridge, Oregon. Arrangements are under the direction of Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home & Cremation Services.  
**Shirley Sorrels.** A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, October 22, 2016 ~ 1:00 p.m. at the Haines Methodist Church in Haines, Oregon. Those who wish to make a memorial donation in memory of Shirley may do so to the Haines Methodist Church through Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home and Cremation Services PO Box 543 Halfway, Oregon 97834.  
**Michael "Mike" Ham,** 62, of Baker City died on Thursday, October 6, 2016 at Settler's Park Assisted Living in Baker City. A private family gathering will be held at a later date. Arrangements are under the direction of Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home.

## — OBITUARIES —

### Edwin Earl Hughes, Jr.

Huntington, 1938-2016  
Edwin Earl Hughes, Jr., 78, of Huntington, died at home on October 5 of binary cancer. He was born June 28, 1938, in



Ed Hughes, Jr.

Vancouver, Washington, the son of Edwin Earl and Bernice Skinner Hughes.

He served in both the Marine Corps and the Army, but he always called himself a Marine. He served in Korea just after the Korean War while troops were guarding the Dematerialized Zone.

He graduated from Warner Pacific College in Portland, Oregon, and took graduate work at Seattle Pacific University. He was pastor of Twin Falls (Idaho) East Heyburn Church of the Nazarene and Vancouver, Washington, Free Methodist Church. He worked at U-Haul of Orange County (California), and as a security guard.

He was a member of Vancouver's Safe Harbor Church of the Nazarene, and attended Huntington Christian Center. He was a member of the board of Huntington Food Bank.

He is survived by his loving family: his wife of 59 years, Kathy, daughter Ellen (Lance) Holt of Lake View Terrace, California, daughter Eileen (Allan) Driver of Huntington, and son Scott (Cathy)

of Fort Worth, Texas. Grandchildren, Melani (Ken) Lyons and Aimee Hughes of Seattle; Chrystopher (Ashton) Hughes, Zachary (Susannah) Hughes, Samuel Hughes, and Tabitha Hughes, all of Fort Worth; Ariana, Madison, Mabel and Harry Holt of Lake View Terrace, Great-grandchildren, Ella and William Lyons, Seattle; Claire Hughes and Oliver Hughes of Fort Worth. Also survived by sisters, Virginia (Wilbur) Thompson of Winlock, Washington; Lucille Borsch of Tigard, Oregon, and brother Martin (Evelyn) Hughes of Port Orchard, Washington.

His remains will be cremated, and the ashes interred in Huntington's Old Oregon Trail Cemetery in a private service. A memorial service will be held on Sunday, November 6 at 11 am at Huntington Christian Center. Donations may be made to Huntington Christian Center or Huntington Food Bank.

### Dona Gene Storie Sheehy

Formerly of Baker County, 1928-2016

Dona Gene Storie Sheehy, 88, amazing mother and role model for her twelve children passed away in her sleep on September



Dona Sheehy

19th, 2016 at her home. Services are open to the public, and are planned for the 29th of October at 11 a.m. at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Union with a luncheon to follow in the church hall.

Born to Thomas Leonard Storie and Lettie Harriet Sisley, in Grandview, Idaho on July 16, 1928, she and her family soon returned to the Storie family ranch near Dixie Creek, Oregon. She graduated from Huntington High School in 1947 and married Robert Clinton Sheehy of Durkee, in Baker, Oregon on June 29, 1947. During their early married years they lived in Weiser, Baker and on Dixie Creek in the Rye Valley area. In September 1956 they moved to a ranch out of Union where they raised the family, worked the ranch and became a viable part of the community. They had been married for 58 years when he passed away in 2005.


Dona, born early and allergic to milk survived on carrot juice but grew to be a strong woman who was very efficient and hard working homemaker most of her life. After all her children were in school she worked as a cook and baker for the cafeteria in Union Public Schools. She soon earned a reputation as an excellent cook and valuable employee. She has passed her love of baking on to many, including her children, in-laws, and grandchildren and taught many to bake her famous

rolls, which she often provided for community events.

A woman who valued the simple things in life: a bird singing in the sagebrush, a pretty flower in the garden or a mischievous child skipping down the walk, she was able to feed and clothe a family of twelve on the income from a small farm and the wages of her husband, a millwright. The grocer once admired her saying, "She could buy more groceries with less money than anyone I know." She washed eight loads of laundry nearly everyday and hung the wash on the line to dry year round, raised a garden, baked all of the bread used by her family, canned and froze food for the winter, made pancakes for breakfast every morning and meanwhile managed to keep her children out of trouble. She often helped with the sheep during lambing season or when her husband Bob was away shearing or working extra hours at the mill. Dona encouraged her children to keep trying, do their best, finish what was started and to stand up for what is right.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Clinton Sheehy; brother, Sydney Dwayne "Bud" Storie, granddaughter, Jena Ann Haga and great granddaughter Jena Rose Simonson.

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**Michael Rushton, DPM**  
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