

Local

— COMMUNITY CALENDAR —

HAINES ELEMENTARY CHILI FEED

The Haines Elementary Chili Feed and raffle is Friday, February 3, 2017, from 4:30 to 7:00 p.m. This fundraiser is our largest of the school year, and money raised is used to improve school technology and other Parent Teacher Community Organization programs for the students. Items are donated by local businesses and community partners. If you would like to make a donation, please contact Bri Peppers at 541-519-0716 or email the Haines PTCO at hainesptco@gmail.com. Tickets are presold by Haines students and are also available at the door. Raffle tickets are \$2 each, three tickets for \$5.00, seven tickets for \$10.00 and 15 tickets for \$20.00. You do not have to be present to win! Dinner tickets are \$5.00 for adults (11 and up), \$3.50 for children ages 4-10; and free to children under 3. The all-you-can-eat meal includes: homemade chili, cornbread, baked potato, salad and lemonade. For questions or to purchase tickets, please call Haines Elementary School at 541-524-2400.

PROFESSIONAL WELDING COURSE

February 6 at Baker Technical Institute. \$2,500 for a 12-week course. Call 541.519.2671 or visit www.bakerti.org for more information.

WAGONS HO! BEGINS

February 16 at the Oregon Trail Interpretive Center. The popular hand-on exhibit returns! Test your pioneering skills by packing a full-scale replica wagon and see what you look like in a pioneer's clothes. Spin the Wagon Wheel of Fortune and test your luck as you travel along the Oregon Trail. Compose some pioneer Poetry or find out what wildlife you might have seen along the way. An interactive experience for visitors of all ages. Exhibit last through June 14.

FREE DAY AT THE INTERPRETIVE CENTER

February 18, 2017, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at 22267 Highway 86, Baker City, Oregon, Exit 302 from Interstate 84.

VALENTINE'S FUNDRAISER

February 18, 6 p.m. Venetian Masquerade Ball to raise funds for Veterans and their Families in Malheur and surrounding communities and those who are in need along the I-84 corridor including Baker County. The proceeds will go to mental health counseling, family counseling, gas vouchers and parenting education for Veterans and their families who do not have insurance or who chose not to go to the VA. We also have a food pantry to supplement nutritional needs. Location: National Guard Armory in Ontario Oregon. See our webpage at www.tfp-services.org.

OLD AUBURN CASINO NIGHT AT THE HERITAGE MUSEUM

February 25, 2017, 6-10 p.m. "A Night at Old Auburn" Casino Style Fundraiser to benefit Baker Heritage Museum. 2480 Grove Street, Baker City, OR 97814, corner of Grove & Campbell Street in Baker City. Call 541-523-9308 for more information.

OSAA STATE BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

March 1-4. State 1A Basketball Tournament. Top 8 Boys and top 8 Girls basketball teams in the State of Oregon. These are the small schools.

JAIL ROSTER

HENDRIKSEN, Carmon
KANALZ, Jacob
LATTYMER, Melissa
ENTERMILLE, Forrest
MADER, Casey
MAY, Michael
BALTZELL, Branden
STEPHENS, Quinten
WENTZ, Oliver
FOLLETT, Kenneth
MARCKESANO, Paul
LARA, Tyler
CALDER, Douglas
LEECH, Teressa
WILLIAMS, Tiffany
IHRIG, Melissa
PERSICKE, Zachary
COUNTS, Michael
HELLER, Paul
HANSON, Coty
TAYLOR, Jason
CUTSHALL, David
MILES, Dock
WHITE, Alden
SPEELMAN, Beth
URLACHER, John

— NEWS OF RECORD —

O'DONNELL, Michael
WINSTON, Brandy
WATSON, Nickolas
GAGNON, Roderick
STEELE, Zachary
BAXTER, Benjamin
BROWN, Geoffrey
MCNAIR, Frank
CULBERTSON, Brandon
FURTNEY, Jeffery
GUZMAN, Miguel
LANNING, James
STEELE, Alan

POLICE LOG

Smithhart, Rhiannan E. 1.23. Computer Crime.
Moffitt-Cobian, Shenese. 1.23. Assault IV in the Presence of Minors.
Kanalz, Jacob Paul. 1.23. Fail to Appear from Clackamas County.
Funderburk, Devon Lee. 1.23. Two Baker County Justice Court Warrants for Failure to Perform the Duties of a Driver.
Gwin, Lucas. 1.22. Cite and release warrant from Baker County

Circuit Court.
Lattymer, Melissa Jean. 1.22. Baker County Parole and Probation Detainer.
Mays, Michael. 1.21. Disorderly Conduct II.
Entermille, Forrest Lee. 1.21. Parole and Probation Violation.
Colton, Jamie Marie. 1.18. Baker County Parole and Probation detainer for Probation Violation.

DEATH AND FUNERAL NOTICES

Dale Young - A Celebration of Dale's Life and Memorial Service will be held on Saturday April 8, 2017 ~ 2:00 at Baker City Church of the Nazarene. For those who would like to make a donation in memory of Dale, the family suggests the Northeast Oregon Compassion Center through Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home PO Box 543 Halfway, Oregon 97834. Online condolences maybe shared at www.tamispinevalleyfuneralhome.com.

— OBITUARIES —

Ardella Willis Freeman Briggs

Baker City, 1922-2017

Ardella Willis Freeman Briggs, 94, died January 20, 2017 at her daughter's home in Baker City.



Ardella Briggs

A Visitation will be held at Flamm Funeral Home 61 N 1st E in Rexburg, Idaho on Saturday, January 28, 2017 from 10 a.m. to noon (MST). Following the visitation we will process to the Sugar City Cemetery for a Graveside Service starting at 1 p.m. Friends are invited to join the family for a reception which will be held at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints 4th & 15th Wards - 166 S 1st E in Rexburg, Idaho.

Ardella was born in Salem, Idaho on November 11, 1922 to parents Jessie and George Willis. She was raised in Salem and Rexburg, Idaho, graduating from Sugar-Salem High School.

Ardella met Bud Freeman through friends and it was love at first sight. Bud wanted to marry right away, however, Ardella's father told her she had to wait until she was 18 before he would give permission. The day after her 18th birthday, November 12, 1940, they were married in the Madison County Courthouse. Together they were blessed with three daughters.

After Bud's death in 1987, she married Don Briggs. They were married for 10 years before his passing.

Ardella's working career began as a teenager working at Bill's Café. After she was married, she was employed for 28 years with Joy Rexall Drug, Thriftway Drug for 3 years and retired from Porters Book Store. Throughout this time she volunteered at the local courthouse during the elections.

Ardella enjoyed serving the VFW Post and was a lifetime member of the Auxiliary #3012 and where she and Bud would spend countless hours collecting flag dues from the local businesses. She also adored going to the cabin, fishing, boating, and visiting with her family.

Ardella lived in numerous locations throughout her life including Salem, Sugar City, Burton, and Thornton Idaho, Baker City, Oregon as well as California during WWII. Ardella was an accomplished bowler, winning

numerous trophies in her life.

She was also well known for her homemade popcorn balls at the Madison County Fair. A treasured catch phrase she liked to say was, "Lov ya a bushel and a peck!"

Memorable dates in Ardella's life include the births of her grandchildren and attending her grandson's graduation from college. She cherished watching her great grandchildren play sports and all of her grandchildren grow up.

She was preceded in death by both of her parents; husbands Bud Freeman and Don Briggs; daughters Jane Diane Ard and Merle Freeman; great grandchildren Tiffany and Christopher Bates; brothers Evian, Irvin, Tracy Willis; sisters Eliza, Eloise and Barbara Willis; numerous nieces and nephews.

Ardella is survived by her daughter Sheila and Husband Mike Merrill of Baker City, Oregon; son-in-law Tom Ard of Boise, Idaho; 9 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren and 4 great-great grandchildren.

For those who would like to make a donation in memory of Ardella, the family suggests Heart and Home Hospice through Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home and Cremation Services PO Box 543, Halfway Oregon 97834. Online condolences may be shared at www.tamispinevalleyfuneralhome.com.

Thomas Lee Christensen

Haines, 1933-2017

Thomas Lee Christensen, 83, of Haines passed away January 15, 2017 at his residence.



Thomas Christensen

A celebration of his life will be planned for a later date and published, when the weather is more accommodating.

Tom was born March 19, 1933 in Baker City to William Oscar and Edna Fay (Culbertson) Christensen. He graduated from North Powder High School and went on to attend Oregon State University. He worked as a dairy farmer and in the real estate field for A-1 realty. He also had a landscaping business for some time. In 1957, he married Jessica Dunn in Baker City. The couple remained married for 10 years.

Some of Tom's favorite hobbies were planting flowers and reading. He also really enjoyed playing his trumpet and the bongo

drums.

Tom is survived by his three children; Thomas Lee Christensen Jr. of Winchester, Idaho, Lisa Massey of Tucson, Arizona, and Janet Johnson of Craigmont, Idaho. He is also survived by 12 grandchildren and his 99 year old aunt, Alta Rose Moore of Union, Oregon.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother, Paul Christensen.

Memorial contributions in Tom's memory may be made to the Haines Firework Celebration through Gray's West & Co. Pioneer Chapel. To light a candle for Tom or to offer condolences to his family, please visit www.grayswest.com.

Marion Rosalie Gately

Baker City, 1933-2017

Marion Rosalie Gately, 83, of Baker City died January 10th, 2017 at Beehive Homes in Baker City. No services are planned at this time. The burial of her urn will be planned for a later date in the North Powder Cemetery.

Marion "Rose" Gately, the second of four children, was born March 20th, 1933 to David S. and Marian (Yarber) Gately in Eugene, Oregon. She married Leslie Thomas "Tom" Gately on February 14th, 1959 while he was serving in the military. She traveled with her husband to several locations throughout his 20 year enlistment, and while stationed in Stuttgart, Germany, they adopted their first son, then had their second son two years later. Upon retirement, Rose and Tom along with their sons, settled down in North Powder, Oregon where they would live out their remaining days. A fixture of the community, Rose was known for working at the North Powder Café until she retired.

Rose leaves behind her sons, David and Daniel, her youngest brother David, six grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband Tom, her older sister Babe and a brother Robert.

Memorial contributions may be made to the charity of one's choice through Gray's West & Co. Pioneer Chapel. To light a candle for Marion or to offer condolences to her family, please visit www.grayswest.com.

Roger Brian Morin

Baker City, 1950-2016

Roger Brian Morin passed away at the age of 66, on Sunday, December 11, 2016 in Baker City Oregon. Roger was the son

of the late Peirce and Helen Fisher Morin,



Roger Morin

having been born on November the 21st, 1950 in Baker City, where he was raised. When he was six years of age he moved to Lakeview, Oregon where he and his family resided for ten years. Returning to Baker City when his father retired from the BLM.

He attended schools in Lakeview, South Ogden, Utah, and Baker City. He was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Roger proudly served in the U.S. Navy from 1970-1974 on the U.S.S. Midway, making two tours to Vietnam.

In August of 1971, he became the proud father, with the birth of his daughter, Tonya Sherise Morin, from his first marriage.

Roger was a gifted pianist, had a great sense of humor and also had a great love and respect for nature and all animals.

He continued his education and became a skillful, compassionate nurse, working at St. Elizabeth Hospital and while there he met the love of his life Robin M. Hull.

They were married on July 15, 2001. Robin preceded him death on July 22, 2016.

He was forced into a early retirement, due to the physical manifestations of contact with Agent Orange, while serving his country in Vietnam.

Roger is survived by his daughter Tonya, and grandson Tyler of Kenai, Alaska; brother Gerald Morin of Whittier California; sisters Vivian Haag of Pleasant View Utah and Virginia Morin of Ontario, Oregon, as well as several nieces, nephews and numerous cousins.

The Morin family would like to thank his caregiver James Taylor, and the loving staff at The Beehive House of Baker City. Memorial services will be held when Spring arrives to Baker County.

For those who would like to make a memorial donation in memory of Roger, the family suggests to the funeral home to defray funeral 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

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