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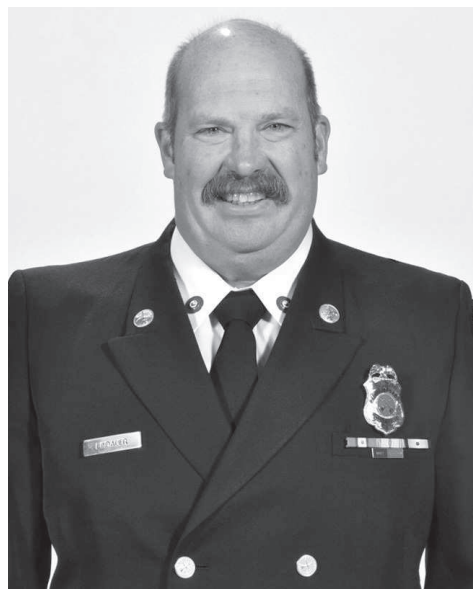
Balek of Springfield, Oregon; and her sister Alicia Hamby of Estacada, Oregon.

Crystal is also survived by her eight grandchildren, Jacob Orion Eyrick, Kaitlyn Nicole Eyrick, Andrea Marie Ritchie, Evan Michael Allen Ritchie, Caiden Ray Ritchie, Atlantis Michelle Froom, Roma Mae Froom, and Madisyn Lyn Froom; and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family suggests that remembrances may be made as contributions to the Wauna Federal Credit Union Account, "Donations Crystal Ritchie and Nathan Gribner" to help offset expenses incurred from the accident.



Terrance Lindauer



Terrance Lindauer, 58, a resident of the Vernonia community, died Thursday, August 30, 2018 at his home. The family suggests that remembrances may be put towards the TERENCE LINDAUER MEMORIAL FUND, c/o the Vernonia Rural Fire Department, 555 E. Bridge Street, Vernonia, Oregon 97064, for our community first responders.

Viewing (Visitation)

St. Mary's Catholic Church
960 Missouri Avenue, Vernonia
Friday, September 7, 2018
5:30 PM - 8:00 PM

Saturday, September 8, 2018
9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

Recitation of the Holy Rosary

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Friday, September 7, 2018
7:00 PM

Celebration of Life

Vernonia High School Gym
1000 Missouri Avenue
Saturday, September 8, 2018
11:15 AM

Burial Rites & Interment

Vernonia Memorial Cemetery
2080 Bridge Street
Saturday, September 8, 2018

Full obituary to be printed in the
September 20, 2018 issue.



Vernonia School Board Meetings are held on the second Thursday of each month. The next School Board Meeting is scheduled for September 13 at 6:00 pm in the Schools Library.

VHS Fall Sports Preview *continued from page 10*

Union, before beating Hepner 3-2 and Weston-McEwen 3-0.

The team was scheduled to open league play at home against Faith Bible on September 5 and City Christian on September 6 before heading to Neah-Kah-Nie on September 11. They return home to face Columbia Christian on September 13 and will then host the Vernonia Tournament on September 15 and face Harrisburg, Waldport, and Clatskanie.

"I feel like we should still be one of the top three in our league," says Williams. "We're still planning on making that state playoff appearance, and hopefully moving on to the second round."

Cross Country – After serving as a co-head coach with Byron Brown last season for both cross country and track and field, John Roady takes over the coaching duties himself for both sports this season.

Roady has several experienced runners returning for both his boys and girls squads, with several talented new comers, but depth may be an issue this season.

Vernonia's runners will just be competing against 1A and 2A teams, following a restructuring by the state. The top three teams will qualify for state (top five runners' times are counted for team qualifying), as well as the top five individual runners.

Senior Jake Handegard will lead the boys squad after finishing 11th at District last year. Roady believes Handegard has a shot to make state this year as an individual qualifier. Roady expects senior Jake Pasko to be the Loggers' number two runner and should push Handegard, although exchange student Abraham Kpirkal from Ghana, a novice long distance runner, has been picking up the sport very quickly and has shown serious potential in early season practice. "He's a natural and a real nice addition for us," says Roady. Roady says senior Sean Coffey put in a lot of work over the summer and looks to be the most improved runner on the team over the last year. Nick Costley is a sophomore running cross country for the first time and will likely round out the Loggers' top five runners. Exchange student Dinu Cejocan of Moldova and freshman Vasili Pedersen are also both new to the sport.

Roady believes his girls squad may have a chance at one of the top three team spots in the District and a chance to qualify for state. Sophomore Jenna

Handegard returns after an excellent freshman year. Handegard will be pushed by freshman Sadie Gump, who had an outstanding season competing in middle school competitions last year. Both have the potential to qualify for state as individuals as well. "They give us a one-two punch and will push each other," says Roady. Senior Grace Costley looks like she'll be the number three runner, followed by Emma Hahn and exchange student Ines De Saintigon of France.

At the middle school level, eighth grade boys Peter Hahn and Max Anderson continue to learn and improve, and sixth grader Dylan Wack is running for the first time but shows some potential. For the girls, Deleaney Dreager is a focused 7th grade runner who is already running nearly as fast as the top high school runners. Eloise Pedersen and Alicia Wack are also 7th graders – Wack ran last year and is improving, and Pedersen is running for the first time.

The team will participate in the Teevin Elk Run in Jewell on September 8, will run at the OES Invitational in Beaverton on September 12, will attend the Oregon City Invitational on September 15, and take part in the Meriwether National Classic in Hillsboro on September 21.

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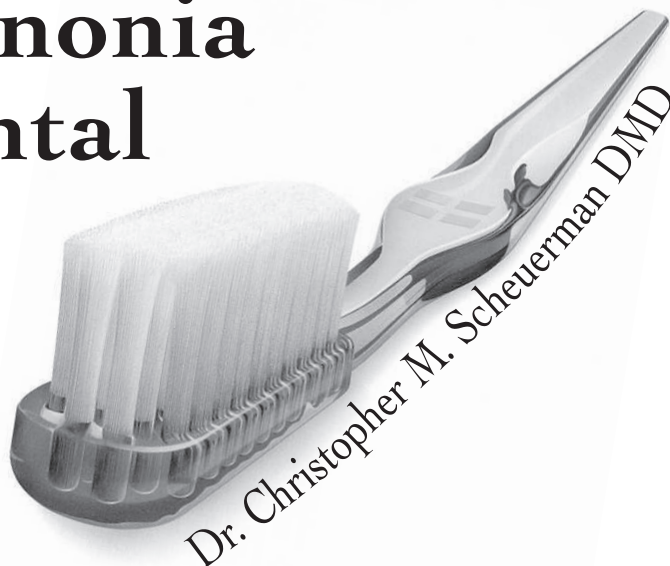
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