



(Top photo from left) Brandi Miller, Chelsea Calhoun, Cassie Wood and Renee Herndon. (Bottom photo) Herndon. (Photos provided by I.V. Prancers)

I.V. Prancers 4-H News

The Illinois Valley Prancers 4-H club had a banner year in 2003, at both the Josephine County Fair and in state competition.

Brandi Miller, Cassie Wood, Chelsea Calhoun and Renee Herndon showed great effort at the fair.

Miller won her first blue ribbons competing in the Novice Division, while Wood had her best year ever earning four blue ribbons in her gaming classes.

Herndon shined, taking champion ribbons in Trail, Gaming, Hunter Hack, Dressage and Gamblers Choice Trail.

Qualifying high for state fair, she came away with medallions in Dressage and English Equitation.

Calhoun, who was planning for college, supported the team from the ground this year.

27th JoCo meth lab bust

Detectives offer informational sessions for groups

Lawmen seized the 27th methamphetamine lab found in Josephine County this year on Saturday morning, Sept. 27 in rural Grants Pass at 7071 Monument Drive, said Josephine Interagency Narcotics Team (JOINT).

solvents -- all precursor chemicals used in the manufacture of meth.

In addition, several grams of finished meth were located in nearly every room of the couple's home. Detectives also found evidence of the sale of meth, including packaging material.

JOINT said that it would like to educate the public on the dangers of meth in the community.

"Our detectives conduct two-hour educational presentations on the production, hazards and effects of methamphetamine," said JOINT.

"If you belong to a civic organization or Neighborhood Watch program, and are interested in knowing more about the meth problem in our community, phone (541) 474-5151."

Arrested were Dennis L. Prior, 49; and Cynthia Ann Prior, 36. Each was charged with manufacturing, delivery and possession of precursor drugs/meth, said JOINT.

The agency provided the following account:

Detectives since early spring followed leads indicating that the Priors may have been involved in manufacturing meth. During the search warrant service, officers found iodine, red phosphorus, pseudoephedrine and various

First chamber golf successful event

Shooting a 67 took the low gross championship for a team sponsored by "Illinois Valley News" at the Sept. 20 golf tournament sponsored by I.V. Chamber of Commerce.

The 1st place team for low net was comprised of Ed Weitzel and Kit Fluck, who were sponsored by Bridgeview Winery. Their score was either "60 or 61 or somewhere else in the low 60s."

The chamber fun fundraiser, held at I.V. Golf Course, is planned as an annual event. Chamber Director Vicki Gill, manager of the Southern Oregon Federal Credit Union

(SOFUC) office in Cave Junction, came up with the idea for the event and organized it. The first golf contest sponsored by the chamber had 10 two-person teams.

Low gross winners with 67 were Mike Inge and Rich Bowers, sponsored by the "Noose."

Second-place gross winners were Todd Johan and Joel Moore, sponsored by Rising Suns Gift Shop. In third place was the I.V. Golf Course team of Charlie McDonald and Kit Fluck.

On the net side, 2nd-place winners were David Lee and Carl Roberts,

sponsored by Carlos Restaurante. Third-place victors were Vern Klicker and Dan Klicker, sponsored by Creative Wildlife Studio.

Other team sponsors were Clouser Drilling, SOFCU, Wild River Brewing & Pizza Co., and Stellflug Construction.

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