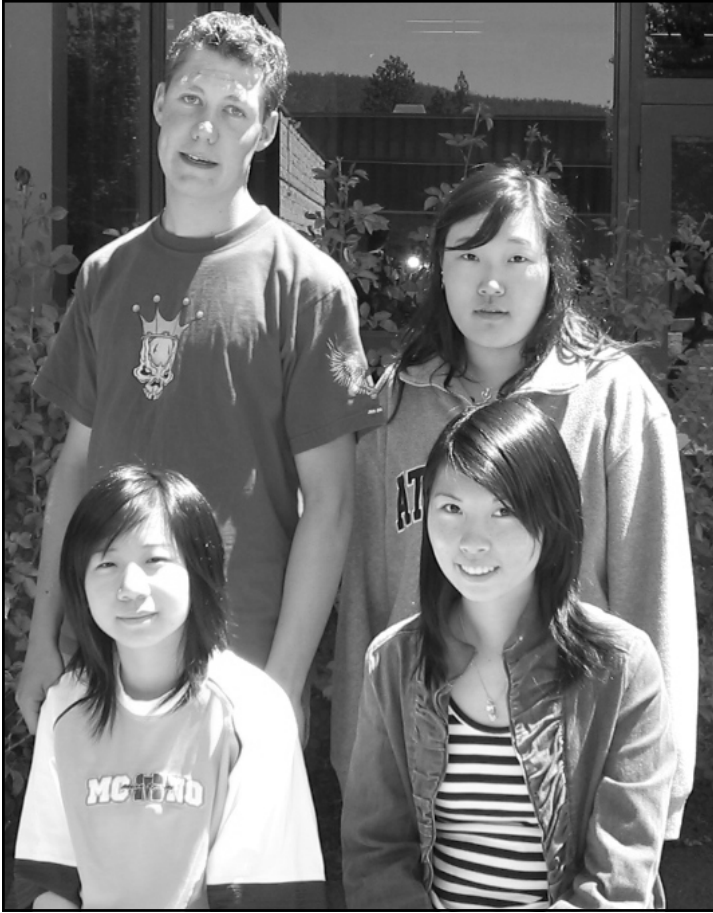


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(Rear from left) Christoph Kiahforst, Ahron Yoon; (front) Tammy Kim, Emily Wu. (Shane Welsh photo)

Not-so-funny areas topics for three-person comedy

"What's Funny About Climate Change," a three-person comedy review on melting icecaps, rising sea levels and record high temperatures, will be performed at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, May 24, in the Lorna Byrne Middle School theater.

The show is a production of Petrolia's Human Nature theater company. Human Nature has toured the United States and Europe with musical comedy shows about pressing social and environmental issues. It first came to public attention in the early 1990s, when its musical comedy, "Queen Salmon," traveled in the Pacific Northwest.

"What's funny about global warming is not the changes our planet is undergoing, but the way in which people attempt to deny it, hide it, exploit it, or explain it away," said David Simpson, one of the show's writers and a founding member of Human Nature.

"Live theater can reach people in ways that no other medium can," according to Jane Lapiner, artistic director and performer. "If you apply this capacity for deeper communication to human-kind's most important issues and goals, lighten it with broad, forgiving humor, the result can be life-changing," she said.

Another aspect of this performance is that "it provides an unusual family collaboration." Simpson and his partner, Lapiner, have been working together on stage since they acted as members of the San Francisco Mime Troup during the 1960s.

They are joined on stage by their youngest daughter, Joyful Simpson, who has been dancing and performing in the San Francisco Bay Area for the past two years. She has the central role of "Raven." Everything is seen through the perspective of "Raven," who observes and interacts with people on her path to help restore balance to the world.

TOP MOVIES

1. "13 Going on 30," starring Jennifer Garner Rated: PG-13
 2. "Mean Girls," Lindsay Lohan PG-13
 3. "Kill Bill Vol. 2," Uma Thurman R
 4. "Laws of Attraction," Julianne Moore PG-13
 5. "Godsend," Robert DeNiro PG-13
 6. "Johnson Family Vacation," Cedric The Entertainer PG-13
 7. "Man on Fire," Denzel Washington R
 8. "The Passion of the Christ," Jim Caviezel R
 9. "Connie and Carla," Nia Vardalos PG-13
 10. "Hellboy," Ron Perlman PG-13
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Exchange students at I.V. offer worldly valley views

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Four foreign exchange students are providing an international flavor at Illinois Valley High School this year.

Still mastering the English language, but doing just fine, are:

*Emily Wu, 18, a senior from Taiwan, who is living with Sam and Diane Steverson in Cave Junction. Steverson teaches at Lorna Byrne Middle School, and his wife is an aide at IVHS.

*Tammy Kim, 17, a senior who's from South Korea, and who also is hosted by the Steversons.

*Christoph Kiahforst, 17, from Germany, a guest of Gary Reel in Cave Junction. Kiahforst is in the senior class.

*Ahron Yoon, 17, a junior class student from South Korea, who is hosted by John and Linda Swinson in C.J.

The four visitors each said that they chose the West Coast for factors including its beauty, safety and lack of blackouts.

"When I was choosing

where to go, the East Coast had the terror attacks, and the big blackout, so that's why I wanted to come to the West Coast," said Wu. "The landscape is nice here too," she said, "and I was surprised when I saw a wild deer."

"This area reminds me of France," said Kiahforst. "I've been there, and both places have a lot of mountains."

Besides being entranced by the landscape and wildlife, the students also have been enjoying new flavors for their taste buds.

"I never had peanut butter or jelly beans before I came here," noted Kiahforst.

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9	LIFE	Paid Program	Paid Program	Fit & Lite	Daily Workout	Suddenly Susan	Designing Women	Golden Girls	The Nanny	Golden Girls	The Nanny	Laverne & Shirley	Golden Girls	Unsolved Mysteries	Varied Programs							Any Day Now	Strong Medicine	Varied Programs	
10	KTVL	News	The Early Show			The 700 Club				The Price Is Right	The Young and the Restless	News	Bold, Beautiful	Maggie-Beast	As the World Turns			Guiding Light		Starting Over	Family Feud	Family Feud	News	CBS News	
11	NICK	Varied Programs	Hey Arnold!	Rocket Power	Rugrats	Sponge-Bob	Max & Ruby	Rubba-dubbers	Dora the Explorer	Blue's Clues	Little Bill	Maggie-Beast	News-watch Md	Hollywood Squares	All My Children	One Life to Live			Rugrats	Rugrats	Varied Programs	Judge Joe Brown	Oprah Winfrey	Sponge-Bob	Amanda
12	KORV	News Cont'd	Good Morning America			Live With Regis and Kelly			The View									Walker, Texas Ranger		Varied Programs	Movie	Walker, Texas Ranger			
13	USA	Living Single	Living Single	JAG	Nash Bridges	Movie			Varied Programs	Movie				Varied Programs	JAG	Varied Programs		Walker, Texas Ranger		Movie		Varied Programs	Walker, Texas Ranger		
14	ABC	Paid Program	Varied Programs							Murder, She Wrote	Murder, She Wrote	City Confidential		American Justice				Movie				Murder, She Wrote	Murder, She Wrote		
15	HBO	Movie	Varied Programs							Movie															
16	SHOW2	Movie Cont'd								Movie															
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21	AMC	Movie Cont'd								Movie															
22	TNT	Pensacola: Wings of Gold	The Lost World	The Pretender	Charmed	ER			ER			Judging Amy	Law & Order	NYPD Blue	NYPD Blue	Judging Amy									
23	DISN	Winnie-Pooh	Bear in House	JoJo's Circus	Stanley	The Wiggles	JoJo's Circus	The Wiggles	Stanley	Rolie Polie Olie	Rolie Polie Olie	Out of the Box	PB&J Otter	The Koala Brothers	The Wiggles	JoJo's Circus	Stanley	Winnie-Pooh	House of Mouse	House of Mouse	Recess	Lilo & Stitch	Recess	Kim Possible	The Proud Family
24	SCIFI	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Earth: Final Conflict	The Sentinel	Sliders															Incredible Hulk	The X-Files	
25	DISC	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Assignment Discovery	Double Agents	Designer Guys	Designer House	Rally Round the House	Surprise by Design	Surprise by Design	Rally Round the House	Double Agents									
26	ANPL	Wild Rescues	Adoption Tales	That's My Baby	That's My Baby	Pet Story	Pet Story	Emergency	Emergency	Wild Rescues	Adoption Tales	That's My Baby	That's My Baby	Animal Videos	Animal Videos	Animal Miracles	Emergency	Emergency	Emergency	The Crocodile Hunter	Funniest Animals	Funniest Animals	Funniest Animals	Varied Programs	
27	COM	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Movie	The Daily Show	Com-Presents	Com-Presents	Com-Presents	Com-Presents	Com-Presents	Com-Presents	Late Night											
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