

## Valley Surf Internet offers I.V. wide range of service for most everyone

Being a full-service provider is accomplished daily at Valley Surf Internet, a new business in Cave Junction in Caves Mall on Caves Avenue behind CJ Select Market.

Owned and operated by Cave Junction residents Jeff and Mara Carnes, Valley Surf Internet offers a number of special services, even for those who don't have their own PCs.

Besides being an Internet provider, with prices starting at \$15 per month; the business has two public, high-speed surf stations. They are available for use on-site for a small fee, but can be used free through Friday, March 18 during the grand opening.

Coffee and cookies are available during the grand opening.

The two surf stations also can be used free to electronically file tax reports. And some like to use them to check eBay.

Mara is a notary public and offers that service too.

Valley Surf Internet is open Tuesdays through Fridays from 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., and Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. The telephone number is 592-4117.

The new business has blank media, including CDs, available for sale, plus PC fans, keyboards, mouse pads and "mice." A couple of flash drives also are stocked.

"We can order almost anything people want," said Mara, who said that she has many years experience in tech support and repair.

She will look at PCs at no charge to determine the cause of problems, and an estimate for repair will be provided. Also at no charge, the couple will provide virus-free filtering of e-mail



MARA and JEFF CARNES

for customers.

Also free, she said, is a customizable spam filter, which she said is especially useful for parents concerned about what their children might get off the Net.

Another item the couple offers is light-speed Web acceleration for those with normal dial-up. It allows surfing up to five times faster than normal.

Her husband, a manager at a Grants Pass market, also has computer experience.

"This is the kind of work I really enjoy and know," said Mara. "I'm really comfortable with it because of my background."

She formerly worked at Sterling Savings Bank in Cave Junction. "With my experience in tech support and repair," she said, "we decided to start our own

business, something we've wanted for a long time."

She said that she provides free PC advice as part of the business.

And as part of the grand opening, the couple is offering free raffle tickets with a drawing April 29. Prizes are a DVD player, three months of free Internet service, and a portable MP3 player.

"The only requirement," said Mara, "is that people need to come in to get their ticket. No purchase is required to enter."

Mara attended Illinois Valley High School, but transferred to Hidden Valley High, where she and her husband both graduated.

"When we're not working, which isn't often," she said, "we look forward to rafting. We just love Cave Junction and the river."

## Valley Obituaries

### Holly Ann Dangerfield

A private family service has been held for Holly Ann Dangerfield, 22, of Cave Junction, and her unborn daughter, Crystal Ann Southard, who died Tuesday, Feb. 22, 2005 as a result of a multivehicle traffic accident on Hwy. 199 near Grants Pass.

Ms. Dangerfield was born Feb. 14, 1983 in Martinez, Calif. She moved to Cave Junction in 1994 from Petrolia, Calif. She was a mushroom picker and buyer.

Ms. Dangerfield enjoyed camping, fishing, picking mushrooms, and shopping with her father.

Surviving are her three sons, Merle Southard Jr., Mark Southard and Christopher Southard, all of Cave Junction; her father and stepmother, Mark E. and Alvretta Dangerfield, of Grants Pass; and her mother, Tammy Breedlove, of Cave Junction.

Also; her grandparents, Dayrl Dangerfield, of Concord, Calif., Frank and Ila Kusar, of Florida, and Sylvia Rogers, of Cave Junction; four brothers, Michael Dangerfield, of Cave Junction, Christopher Dangerfield and Jason Dangerfield, of Grants Pass, and Joshua Dangerfield, of Kerby; a stepbrother, Ernest Buttram, of San Diego; and two sisters, Patricia Buttram, of Nevada, and Crystal Owens, of California.

She also leaves behind her fiancé, Merle Southard, of Cave Junction.

Her stepbrother, Carlyle Buttram, died Sept. 7, 2001.

Arrangements were handled by L.B. Hall Funeral Home.

### Eldon L. Berg

Eldon Louis Berg, 82, died Tuesday March 2, 2005 at home in Cave Junction.

A memorial service will be held Sunday March 13 at 1 p.m. at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Cave Junction. Pastor Don Carlson of Calvary Lutheran Church, Grants Pass, will officiate.

Mr. Berg was born Jan. 30, 1923 in Struble, Iowa. When he was 14, his family moved to Los Angeles. He joined the U.S. Navy on Sept. 30, 1942 and served for three years as a Seabee attached to the U.S. Marine Corps in the South Pacific. He served in Guam, Bougainville, American Samoa, Guadalcanal, Sampan, and other locations.

On May 21, 1950 he married Jean McCants James at Messiah Lutheran Church in Los Angeles. They lived for 26 years in La Habra, Calif. He worked for the Gair Division of Continental Can Co., where he was manager of the mechanical packaging service for the 11 western states.

In 1976 they moved to Hemet, Calif., where he owned Big Al's Mobile Service until the couple retired in 1989.

In April 1991, they moved to Cave Junction. He was a member of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church. He enjoyed building projects, visiting with friends and family; and playing pool, pinochle, whist and cribbage.

He is especially remembered for his ability to fix or build anything well and with a minimum of expense. With the help of two friends, he built a large education wing for Shepherd of the Hills Church in Whittier, Calif. He also built a family cabin in the San Bernardino Mountains in Southern California.

He is survived by his wife, Jean, of 54 years; a son, John Berg, of Lynnwood, Wash.; two sisters, Rosanna Pennington and Hazel Langhofer, both of Fortuna, Calif.; a brother, Lester Berg, of Whittier; two grandsons; and several nieces and nephews. A third grandson, Adrian Berg, preceded him in death.

Southern Oregon Cremation Services is in charge of arrangements. Memorial contributions can be made to Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, P.O. Box 566, in Cave Junction.

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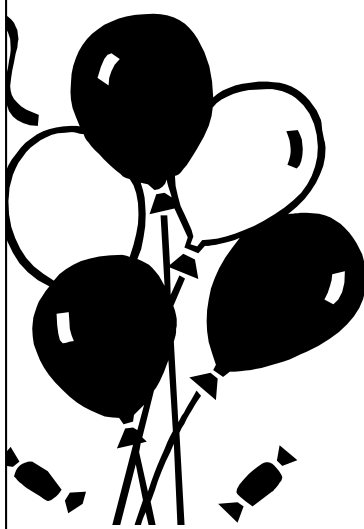
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