

Arts & Entertainment



Atmosphere enhancement is provided by Illinois Valley High School cheerleaders and the pep band during many games and activities. Such was the case Friday, Feb. 1 in Ken Mann Memorial Gym at IVHS in Cave Junction. The varsity cheerleaders are led by Alex Whitford and Crystal Gasser. Heather Merrill is the coach. The IVHS music director (playing trombone) is Sean McKee. (Photos by *Illinois Valley News*).

Food, music, arts, crafts at Winter Gala

Illinois River Valley Arts Council (IRVAC) is sponsoring its fifth annual winter fund-raiser Sunday, Feb. 24 from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Deer Creek Center, 1241 Illinois River Road, in Selma.

“Our purpose is to gather the community for a lively, fun-filled afternoon to benefit our two primary programs: Learning Through Art (LTA) and Second Friday Art Walk,” said Dorothea Hover-Kramer, IRVAC president.

She added, “The Winter Gala will feature wonderful live music, fine food by Kate Dwyer Catering, a cash-bar featuring Foris Wines; and to top it off, silent and live auc-

tions of distinctive art, crafts, and services donated by local artists and businesses.”

The lineup of musicians: Tim Wallace and Michelle le Comte of *Oregon Little Big Band* fame will play Jazz and Pop; Anwyn and George Leverett will share their “Around the Hearth” music with Celtic harp and Old World instruments; Jen Ambrose, well-known singer/songwriter from Grants Pass, will offer Folk, Blues, and world music; and *I.V. String Band* will round out the afternoon program.

IRVAC is the sole sponsor of the LTA project which works closely with Lorna Byrne Middle and Evergreen Elementary schools to enrich children’s learning.

“We’re proud that LTA has recently been awarded two grants in the face of fierce competition,” said Hover-Kramer. “We need to demonstrate community support to these grantors by raising matching funds.

“We also need help from the public to cover expenses generated by Second Friday Art Walk, which offers wonderful arts experiences to the community each month from April through December.”

Nearly all aspects of IRVAC activities are accomplished by volunteers, including organizing Winter Gala. The steering committee con-

sists of Judy Hoyle, Cate Bendock, Bonnie Campanoli, Alice Pace, Linda Naydol and Helen Roxborough.

Advance tickets, with a lesser price than the door price, can be purchased at Evergreen Federal Bank in Cave Junction or Evergreen’s main branch in Grants Pass.

“We’re asking folks to buy tickets at Evergreen Bank as soon as possible so we can best plan for seating and refreshments,” said Hoyle. “We’ll be auctioning everything from gift baskets to gourmet meals delivered to homes, as well as a special dinner for two at Oregon Caves Chateau.”

Phone 592-4444 for more information on tax-deductible donations of auction items. IRVAC is a registered 501(c)3 not-for-profit organization.

Club & Organization Notes

Forestry Action Committee

The annual selection of officers will be conducted during a meeting Thursday, Feb. 7 at 1 p.m. at the lower compound of the forest service complex in Cave Junction.

The committee is well into its sixth year of riparian tree-planting. Anyone can attend meetings. Phone 592-4098 for more information.

Zonta Club of Grants Pass

Every year to honor a woman of the community the club selects one who has given her time and energy to causes that help create growth in education, environment, leadership and other areas that positively affect the community.

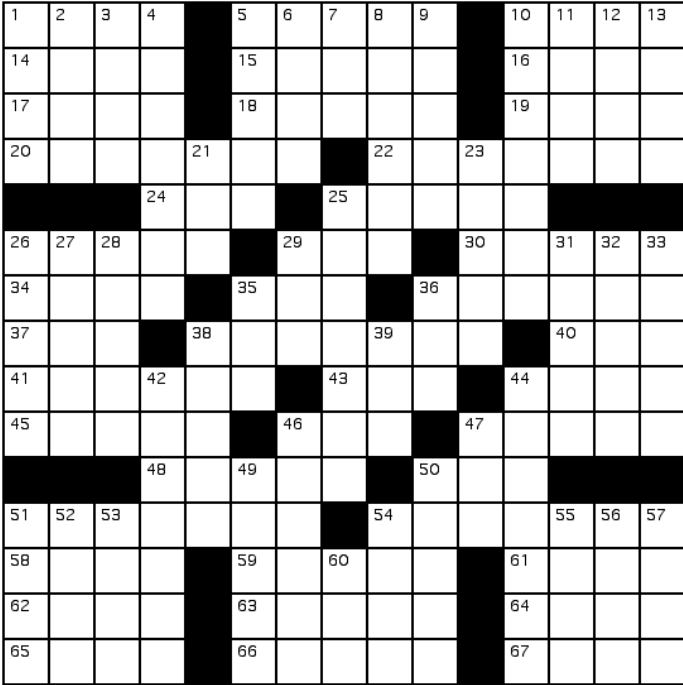
With its Touch of Class citation, this year the club is honoring Brandi Williamson, a dedicated volunteer and advocate for The Relay for Life. The club also will disburse a \$1,000 cash award to The Young Women in Public Affairs Scholarship winner.

The Touch of Class Brunch will be held Saturday, March 8 at 11 a.m. at The Brewery Restaurant. For tickets contact Margaret Reid at 476-2425 days and 476-3471 evenings.

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1 Pear
5 Lackluster finish
10 Lake bird
14 Flirt's look
15 Watching
16 Scotch
17 Poetic name for a nation
18 four
19 Go skyward
20 Crawling creature
22 Overdue
24 Small deer
34 Sink
26 Island nation
29 "The Golden State": abbr.
30 Wader
34 Military acronym
35 Bell and Barker
36 Expresses derision.
37 Aviator's guide
38 Happy events
40 "The flowers that bloom in the | spring, _____"
41 Tried to influence illegally
43 Composer George's brother
44 Coffin platform
45 French governing body
46 Female
47 Toboggans
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50 Early Coloradan
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54 Replace a regularly scheduled program
58 Invisible emanation
59 Little offshoot
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2 Meanie
3 Make a boo-boo
4 Pivotal
5 Tree
6 Nautical endings
7 Asian celebration
8 Of a clan
9 Diminutive
10 Weird
11 Sit patiently
12 Semicircular projection
13 Must have
21 Charged atom
23 Legal claims on property
25 Strong defense
26 Door frame parts
27 Conscious
28 Visit unexpectedly
29 Chauffeur's spot
31 Make another bow
32 Miscalculated | 33 Ivan V and Peter I
35 Out of one's mind
36 Cousteau's milieu
38 Part of a daisy
39 Wrath
42 Songs that tell stories
44 Phrase deleted by a TV show editor: abbr.
46 Absolute ruler
47 Genevieve's title: abbr.
49 78s and 45s
50 Importuned
51 Price indicators
52 Reign
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Unions said OK

Domestic partnership declaration forms are available following the Friday, Feb. 1 federal court ruling that allows Oregon’s domestic partnership law to go into effect.

Oregon Dept. of Human Services added that forms can be obtained at www.oregon.gov/DHS/ph/chs/index.shtml. They also are available at the Josephine County Clerk’s office.

- IVHS School Menu - Sponsored by



AVAILABLE DAILY

*Cheeseburger, hamburger, turkey & cheese sandwich, Chef or Mandarin chicken salad, cheese or pepperoni pizza, nachos.
THURSDAY, FEB. 7
*Daily Favorites
Pasta with Marana/meat sauce, beef & bean burrito, chicken burger, Hawaiian pizza, ham & cheese sandwich & garden salad.

FRIDAY, FEB. 8

*Daily Favorites
Nacho Supreme, corn dog, hot dog or Polish corn, spicy chicken burger, supreme or taco pizza, Italian sandwich, & chicken Caesar salad.

MONDAY, FEB. 11

*Daily Favorites
Beef soft tacos, chicken nuggets, spicy chicken burger, vegetarian or sausage pizza, ham & cheese sandwich or fiesta salad.

TUESDAY, FEB. 12

*Daily Favorites
Chicken fajitas, Rib-B-que sandwich, chicken burger, supreme pizza, roast beef & cheese, garden salad.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 13

*Daily Favorites
Taco salad, chicken or beef rice bowls, spicy chicken burger, taco pizza, veggie sandwich, antipasto salad.

IVHS Activities Calendar Brought to you by the folks at



WEDNESDAY, FEB. 6

* Booster Club Meeting 6 p.m. - cafeteria
FRIDAY, FEB. 8
* Wrestling at Districts at Rogue River, 12 p.m.

* Girls Basketball vs. Phoenix, JV: 5:30 p.m. Varsity: 7 p.m.
* Boys Basketball at Phoenix, JV: 5:30 p.m. Varsity: 7 p.m.

SATURDAY, FEB. 9

* Wrestling at Districts at Rogue River, 10 a.m.
MONDAY, FEB. 11
* TRSD Board Meeting at North Valley High School 7 p.m.

TUESDAY, FEB. 12

* Mathletes at SOU 7 a.m.
* Fish Watch Meeting 12:06 p.m. Barker's Room
* Girls Basketball at Rogue River, JV: 5:30 p.m. Varsity: 7 p.m.
* Boys Basketball vs. Rogue River, JV: 5:30 p.m. Varsity: 7 p.m.