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GODS OF EGYPT PG-13
A mortal teams up with the god Horus in an alliance against Set, the merciless god of darkness who has usurped Egypt's throne.
FRI & SAT (4:00) 7:00 9:40
SUNDAY (4:00) 7:00
MON-THURS (4:00) 7:00

DEADPOOL R
A man is subjected to an experiment that leaves him with accelerated healing powers, adopting the alter ego Deadpool.
FRI & SAT (4:10) 7:10 9:35
SUNDAY (4:10) 7:10
MON-THURS (4:10) 7:10

THE LADY IN THE VAN PG-13
A man forms an unexpected bond with a transient woman living in her car that's parked in his driveway.
FRI & SAT (4:20) 7:20 9:45
SUNDAY (4:20) 7:20
MON-THURS (4:20) 7:20

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Commissioner Harvey Provides Additional Opportunity to Meet

Baker County citizens will now have another opportunity to visit with Commissioner Harvey about issues impacting Baker County. In addition to the "First Friday" session held on March 4, 2016 at 9 a.m., Commissioner Harvey will also be available the evening of Thursday, March 3, 2016 starting

at 6 p.m.

The evening session is being offered for those who cannot attend the day session. Both meetings will be held in the Commission Chambers of the Baker County Courthouse located at 1995 Third Street, Baker City, OR.

RMEF

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event. One such person is from South Dakota and has purchased raffle tickets for several years; last year a truck driver from Texas who was held over in Baker because of the weather called Holden and asked if he could attend. He purchased a life membership (for \$1500) and attended the banquet.

Holden also appreciates the fact the organization gives them input on the wolf issue which is a concern for him and others.

"We have more elk in the Lookout area than ever," he says. Holden wonders if perhaps one of the reasons for increased numbers might be because they're swimming the river from Idaho to escape wolf depredation.

"Elk in the Frank Church Wilderness have been extremely impacted by wolves. They've had a devastating effect," says Holden.

Holden says the banquet is a fun time for the whole family. They work hard to include kids with special raffles, too. Anyone wanting to become a member and purchase tickets for the dinner and raffle items may do so online at <https://events.rmfef.org/!NJ> and scroll down to the Baker City event or call Holden at 541-519-4966.

WRESTLERS

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We could go on and on about each wrestler this weekend as they all contributed to this. If anyone would have lost one more match, we would not have won the district championship.

The team scores were very tight throughout the day between Mac-Hi and Baker. Baker had a slight lead and by the time we entered the finals the score was tied 232 to 232. Baker had 11 in the finals and Mac-Hi had 8. Baker was doubled up however at 106, 113, and 138lbs. Mac-Hi was doubled up at 285.

At the conclusion of the tournament, the team score was still neck and neck. After the conclusion of the heavy weight matches all teams gathered up to listen to the announcements for team scores. We thought we had done enough to win!

The announcer began, "Ontario fourth with 133, La Grande third with 216.5, Baker second with 267 and Mac-Hi first with 268!"

As the Mac-Hi crowd erupted, I immediately disputed the team scores and sought a recount for the team points. So the Regional Title was put on hold for a re-count. Mac-Hi and Baker Coaches met in a classroom and went over each teams points one by one. After the first recount Baker had the lead 255 to Mac-Hi's 253. We ran the numbers a second time and verified that the numbers were accurate and that the Bulldogs had won their first Regional Tournament in 40 years of wrestling!

That new banner will be a nice addition to the BHS Gym! Now we need to set our sights on a top 4 finish at the state meet!

Results:
106-Alex Duran, Fr, 2-0, Regional Champion
106-Colton Anderson, Fr, 2-1, 2nd Place
113-Jace Hays, Jr, 2-0, Regional Champion
113-Dawson Dollarhide, Jr, 1-1 2nd Place
120-Elijah Banister, So, 2-1, 3rd Place
126-James AhHee, Jr, 2-0, Regional Champion
126-Nick Blair, So, 3-1, 3rd Place
138-Korey Grende, Jr, 3-0, Regional Champion
138-Marco Vela, Sr, 1-1, 2nd Place
145-Clay Keller, So, 2-0, Regional Champion
160-Dylan Feldmeier, Jr, 2-0, Regional Champion
170-Sam Harper, So, 1-1, 2nd Place
182-G'ovi Quezada, So, 1-1, 2nd Place

Baker Middle School to Hold Spring Carnival

Baker Middle School will be having their Spring Carnival on Thursday, March 3, 2016 from 6-8 p.m.. Students began selling raffle tickets for the Carnival beginning February 19 and they are still available.

Raffle prizes donated by area businesses include: Traeger Grill, 32 inch Flat screen color T.V., BHS Family Sports Praeger, beef cut and wrapped, gas certificates, sunglasses, Cruiser Bike from Flagstaff Sports valued at \$395 and many more prizes and gift certificates from places like the Boise Zoo and OMSI.

Tickets can be purchased from any BMS Student or at the BMS Office. Winners will be announced at the Carnival or contacted by phone. You do not need to be present to win.

Funds raised through this event provide a tremendous boost to the arts, humanities, field trips, physical education, improved technology, music and other programs with limited funding.

For more information contact BMS at 524-2500.

Greg Walden Announces 2016 Congressional Art Competition for High School Students

Winner's artwork to hang in U.S. Capitol; winner receives airfare for two to Washington, D.C. to view exhibit

Tess Lewis of Phoenix High School won last year's Congressional Art Competition for her artwork "Petrichor". This piece is currently on display in the U.S. Capitol.

U.S. Rep. Greg Walden (R-Hood River) announced Tuesday that the 2016 Congressional Art Competition is now open to high school students throughout Oregon's Second District. This nationwide event is an exciting chance for artistically talented high school students to showcase their talents and have their artwork displayed in the U.S. Capitol where it will be seen by members of Congress and visitors from around the world. A panel of experts, including local artists and art professors, will judge each student's work and choose the winner and the runners-up.

Besides having their artwork displayed in the 2016 national student art exhibit in the Capitol, the winner will receive complimentary round-trip airfare for two to visit Washington, D.C., see the exhibit, and attend a reception in their honor. The runners-up will be recognized locally and have their artwork hung in one of Walden's offices in Bend, Medford, La Grande, or Hood River.

To enter the contest, students must submit no more than two pieces of artwork and the Student Information & Release Form by April 20, 2016. Please email photos of the artwork (JPEG format), along with the student release form to Kirby Garrett at kirby.garrett@mail.house.gov. All forms and further information can be found on Walden's website at <http://walden.house.gov/art-competition>

Vendors for Miners Jubilee Sought

Vendor space reservations for Miners Jubilee 2016, taking place at Geiser Pollman Park in Baker City on July 15-17 are now being accepted. If you want to be a vendor in the park, please contact Savannah Lay at 541-523-3673 or visit minersjubilee.com and download the appropriate forms, found under Vendor Information and send to Baker City Herald, 1915 First Street, Baker City, OR 97814. Booths include art, merchandise, food, entertainment, and information.

Organizers of all Jubilee events are invited to attend a Jubilee planning meeting at the Baker City Herald conference room, March 1, 2016, 5:30 pm.

Miners Jubilee makes the heritage and history of Baker County come to life with the exciting Bronc and Bull riding, parade, vendors in the park with a huge food court, downtown sidewalk sales, mining demonstrations, live music and kids activities. Miners Jubilee is a full weekend of events that draw families and class reunions to Baker City every year.

Miners Jubilee Quilt Show is Back

The Baker City Quilt Club is announcing that July 15 and 16 are the dates to remember for this year's Quilt Show, "Quilting in the Valley." More information will available later.

The new address for the Quilt Show is the YMCA Gym at 2020 Church, next to the Catholic Church.

"We hope to fill the YMCA Gym with quilts. There will be no judging of the show this year and admission is \$3 per person, Friday and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.," says Virginia Lowry.

"We're hoping to spread this news so everyone that wants to display their quilts will have time to get them ready. Quilt Club members are busy making small wall hangings to raffle. We're excited to have our local show again during Miners Jubilee," Lowry added.

Quilt Club members were also busy making 57 quilts and 57 pillow cases for the "Foster Kids" in our community for Christmas 2015. It was a big undertaking, and everyone loves making quilts and pillow cases for kids.

For questions, please call: Virginia Lowry 541-523-3038 or Mary Jane Hackwith 541-523-3752.

Exploring Your Natural Resources...A to Z

Tree School East is About More than Trees

By Bob Parker, Extension Forester

Do you want to know how to create high quality bird habitat on your property? Are you interested in raising healthy hives of honey bees? Perhaps you'd like to know what climate change means for NE Oregon? Maybe you'd like to know all about the geology of northeast Oregon or how to prune your ornamental and fruit trees to keep them healthy and productive?

Well, have we got a deal for you! Tree School East 2016 offers classes on a whole lot more than just trees and woodlands, although we have many excellent forestland management classes too. From post-wildfire restoration, how to operate and maintain a chainsaw, controlling insect and disease problems, or minimizing your tax burden, there's a lot to choose from.

Tree School East is coming to eastern Oregon on Saturday, April 23, 2016 at the Baker High School campus in Baker City. This OSU Extension Service mini-college is offering 25 classes on a wide variety of topics, so we've truly got something for everybody.

The daylong event will offer classroom and field sessions taught by OSU Extension educators, professional land managers, and other specialists. Classes will vary in length from 1.5 to 3.5 hours and you can participate in up to four over the course of the day. We'll have quite a variety of interesting vendors and exhibitors to check out plus we'll throw in snacks and a great lunch to keep energy levels high.

For a brochure and registration information, contact the Baker County OSU Extension Office in Baker City (541-523-6418) or check out our website at: <http://extension.oregonstate.edu/baker/>, which includes an online registration tool.

Registration must be done in advance by Friday, April 15 (sorry, no walk-ins allowed), so act now and reserve your spot for this fun and informative forestry program. The registration fee is just \$50 per person; \$20 per youth (18 & younger) when attending with an adult family member. Bring the whole family so you can take advantage of as many class offerings as possible.

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