

Meet You at the Inland Cafe'

Story / photo by Gina Perkins

The Inland Cafe' is a favorite hot spot of many. Our family has enjoyed going there for years. Generations, in fact. I can remember when two of our boys who were playing sports at the time would order two meals at a time....the turkey dinner with mashed potatoes and gravy and a grilled cheese sandwich. Not kidding.

Now, it's a favorite place of one of those double entendre ordering sons and his little almost-2 year old daughter. They are regulars for breakfast and share French Toast and bacon. Their favorite waitress is Cloie Christensen, a family friend for years. Little Gloria zooms in on Cloie's whereabouts first thing and waltzes back behind the counter like she owns the place. Cloie scoops her up and takes her around to the tables to say hello.

At the conclusion of the French Toast feast, Glo gets



to take the payment to Cloie who again picks her up. Gloria is especially fascinated by the cash register.

Want a great meal in an

family restaurant? Need to catch up on the local news (also know as local gossip)?

I'll meet you at the Inland!

Cline High Point Earner

Story and photo by Eden Taylor

The Baker Track Teams were divided into two meets this past week. On April 1 some Baker athletes went to the Don Walker Track Meet in Nyssa and the others went to the 81st Annual Carnival of Speed in Milton-Freewater. The temperature was in the 70s, the first warm day for Baker Athletes.

With a partial team, the Bulldog Men's Team placed second at the Carnival of Speed. Pendleton won the meet for both the girls and boys. Baker Girls Team tied for sixth.

Porter Cline was the high-point man for the Bulldogs, winning the pole vault and the 100 meter run and taking second in the 4x100 relay. Teancum Taylor placed in four events: second in the pole vault, second in the 4x100 relay, third in the triple jump and fifth in the long jump. Trace Thamert placed fourth in the triple jump and was on the second place 4x100 relay team. Sam Hamilton rounded out the 4x100 relay team and was also on the 4x400 relay team. Chris Conant took second in the 200 meter run, missing first by .13 seconds. Conant also took fourth in the 100 meter run and third in the 4x400 relay. Darian Villalobos and Cody DeCarli were also on the 4x400 relay team. DeCarli placed fifth in the high jump. Connor Cline placed sixth in the high jump with a personal best. Three of Connor's events took place at the same time: pole vault, 1500 meters, and high jump. He was a trooper as he ran between events to compete in all three. Connor also ran the 3000 meters.

The Baker Girls' team placed high in the relays. The team of Jayme Ramos, Brittanee Conant, Rory Scilacci and Shane McCauley took second in the 4x100 relay. Amy Wong, Summer Phillips, Kaeli Flanagan and Rory Scilacci placed third in the 4x400 relay. Phillips also took second in the triple jump. Flanagan placed fifth in the high jump and Ramos placed fifth in the long jump.

At the Don Walker Invitational in Nyssa, Trevor Ball placed second in the shot put, and Cody Denton took third in the discus. The boys team finished twelfth. The girls' team did not place.

Coach Suzy Cole said, "Yet another great week ending with the meets in Mac-Hi and at Nyssa. Even though they were very hot and long meets, especially Mac-Hi, the kids all did awesome - lots of personal (season) records (PR) and even some life times records (LR)."



High flying Porter Cline won the pole vault with a vault of 13 feet 6 inches.

EOU Announces Dean's List

Eastern Oregon University named 570 students to the dean's list for the 2016 winter term. Qualifying students achieve and maintain a grade point average of 3.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale while completing a minimum of 12 hours of graded coursework for the duration of the term.

Baker City students

named include:

Lydia Andersen
Amanda Bailey
Charlotte Bowers
Riley Carter
Erin Elms
Devon Galiszewski

Angelina Gomez
Chelsea Krohn
Whitney Lemmon
Paul Marckesano
Samantha O'Conner
Raven Shipsey
Brian Staebler Siewell

No Political Signs on State Highway Right of Way

With the May 17 primary elections approaching, ODOT reminds campaigns that political signs may not be posted on any Oregon state highway right of way.

No signs except official traffic control devices are allowed in the state highway right of way. Improperly placed political signs will be removed without notice and held at local a nearby ODOT District Maintenance office for 30 days.

Campaigns should contact AskODOT (1-888-ASK-ODOT or 1-888-275-6368 or Ask.ODOT@odot.state.or.us) to retrieve signs. Complaints about illegally placed signs can also be registered by contacting AskODOT.

Signs are prohibited on trees, utility poles, fence posts and natural features within highway right of way. They also are prohibited within view of a designated scenic area.

Temporary political signs are allowed on private property within view of state highways with the following restrictions:

- New signs are limited to 12 square feet.
- No flashing or intermittent lights, animated or moving parts are allowed.
- Signs must not imitate an official highway sign or device.
- Signs are not allowed in scenic corridors.
- Local municipalities may also regulate the placement of political signs.

BLM Sets Meeting of Wild Horse and Burro Advisory Board

The Bureau of Land Management's National Wild Horse and Burro Advisory Board will meet on April 13-14 in Redmond, Oregon to discuss issues relating to the management and protection of wild horses and burros on Western public rangelands.

The two-day meeting will take place on Wednesday, April 13, from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m., and Thursday, April 14, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. The meeting will be live-streamed at <http://www.blm.gov/live/>.

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51 School District Building
2090 4th Street, Baker City OR 97814
Join us to learn about the role that hunters historically have played in conservation. Jim will discuss current opportunities that cover land designations, wildlife management (with wolves back in the system), and conservation efforts on a watershed scale. All families are welcome, snacks and beverages provided. For more information please contact Anna at (541) 523-7280
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