

Full agenda set for Welches school board

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The Welches Board of Education will hold its December meeting tonight at 7:30 p.m. in the library of the new building.

On the agenda is a report

from Gary Dieterich, building principal, concerning the first meeting of the educational screening committee, which recently reviewed a child abuse presentation.

A discussion of the district's 1983-84 budget is

also planned, along with the process the board of directors will employ for developing it.

A representative from the community will be appointed to fill a six month vacancy on the budget committee. Dick Hoffman, school board chairperson, said the person will be appointed from a list of individuals who have notified the district that they are interested in the position.

The new representative will serve a three-year term. The budget committee, said Hoffman, meets regularly for about three months out of the year.

The board is also scheduled to make a decision as to when to present their proposed \$900,000 tax base to the voters. On Nov. 2 voters rejected the district's first attempt to gain approval, 792 to 395.

Also on the agenda to

speaks is Carl Ostergren, the Parent-Teacher Association liaison with the school board. He will read a letter to the board concerning the PTA's concerns with fifth-grade consolidation and the first-grade split.

In addition, the letter reportedly will also address some questions the

PTA has on the extra-duty contracts the board denied for teachers Jeanine Boldt and Tom Well.

Bruce Traasdahl, a parent who said he is upset over the actions of the board on both the fifth- and first-grade class changes, and the extra-duty contract issue, is also scheduled to make a presentation.

Band to donate time for SUHS fund raiser

A canned food drive is underway at Sandy Union High School, with students in the different classes competing with one another.

The Associated Student Body is sponsoring the competition. The cans of food and money raised will be donated to a member of

the Sandy Kiwanis Club at an assembly Dec. 17 for use in their food baskets.

Last year the ASB contributed 2,400 cans of food.

On Dec. 20 there will be a special assembly featuring the band Ariel. Cost of admission for the combination concert-dance will be \$2 or four cans of food.

Sale, classes planned

The annual Christmas celebration and sale at the Damascus Pioneer Craft School will be held Dec. 12 from 1 to 5 p.m.

The traditional Open House features student work in fiber crafts. Special Christmas refreshments baked by the students will be served.

Registration for winter term classes is now open. Offered are beginning spinning with wool, cotton and linen, and advanced novelty spinning, floor and Navajo loom weaving.

machine and hand knitting. Special workshops scheduled include basketry using reed, cedar bark, cattails, willow and pine needles, to be taught by Allen Keeney and Rosalie Nast. Ancient and modern dyeing will be taught by Celia Dunford, Barb Miller and Joane Duncan.

Featured this quarter are the traditional Japanese crafts of Sashiki quilting taught by Joana Frick and Kumihime silk braiding taught by Rosalie Neilson.

The school is located at 14711 S.E. Anderson Road in Damascus.

Benefit to aid family

A flea market will be held this weekend at the Welches Mountain Center (home of Bebo's Candies and Wrege's Jewelry) Dec. 11, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., and Dec. 12, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The flea market is being sponsored by the Hoodland Lutheran Church as a fund raiser for the Asechow family.

To get to the Mountain Center take a right off Highway 26 (if traveling east) and go one block.

Items to be sold include contractors tools, household items and clothing.

For more information call 622-3552.

Local man selected soldier of the month

Spec. 4 Doug Buhler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Verne Buhler of Sandy, was selected as soldier of the month at Fort Rucker, Ala.

Lt. Col. John Bradley, commanding officer, said that his selection from among 2,300 "is a singularly outstanding accomplishment."



Doug Buhler

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Play set for Dec. 12

"Go Tell It On the Mountain," the annual Christmas program for Mt. Hood Evangelical Free Church, is scheduled for Dec. 12 at 6:30 p.m.

The program will feature an estimated 75 children,

who range from two through high school age. The youngsters will perform skits that involve singing and music. They have been rehearsing the past five weeks.

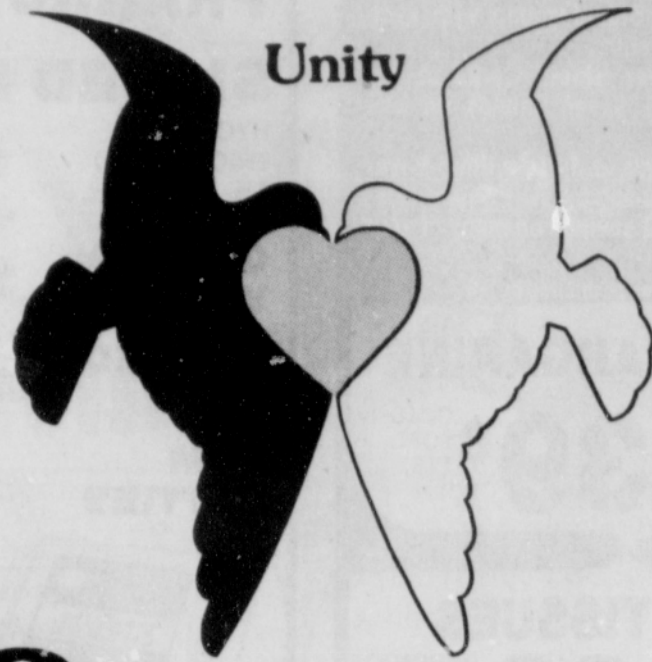
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