

PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

MONDAY

•A man at midnight reported he saw his stolen Honda CRX on the 100 block of Sixth Street, Umatilla, and heading toward Hermiston.

•An Irrigon woman a little after midnight called law enforcement after she thought someone was in her house on Northeast Eighth Street. She said people have been entering the house recently. A Morrow County sheriff's deputy responded; there was no indication a burglar was in the residence.

•Someone broke into and damaged an outbuilding at the Weston Cemetery, Weston, a caller reported at 11:47 a.m. Nothing seemed to be missing, however, the caller said, and a Umatilla County sheriff's deputy took a report.

•A Boardman caller at 12:46 p.m. reported the theft of 150 sprinkler heads from Shoemaker Road.

•A caller at 2:46 p.m. from the Bank of Eastern Oregon, Irrigon, reported a customer tried to pass fake money.

•A Ukiah resident at 3:08 p.m. reported the theft of 30 Norco pills.

•Wild rabbits are plaguing a Pilot Rock resident on Southwest Birch Place, Pilot Rock. An officer at 7:15 p.m. talked to the man who said the rabbits dig in his yard and eat his wife's flowers. He also showed the cop the rabbit hutch in his neighbor's backyard on the 500 block of Southwest Cedar Street. The hutches were empty, and the officer noted they looked empty for some time.

The cop told the man there was nothing city police could do because the rabbits were wild. The man said he was going to try and trap and catch some of them. And if that did not work, he said he was going to start shooting them with a pellet gun.

•The Umatilla County Sheriff's Office at 10:30 p.m. received a call about domestic violence at a residence on South Fifth Street, Athena. The caller reported hearing a lot of banging around and someone yelled, "Stop, you're hurting me."

ARRESTS, CITATIONS

•Pendleton police arrested Bret Patric Maddox, 38, no address provided, for first-degree theft.

•Morrow County Sheriff's Office at 5:40 p.m. received a report about a red Ford Mustang "tearing up roads." Sheriff's deputies found the car on the 500 block of Southeast Utah Avenue and arrested the driver, John Michael Thorp, 57, no address provided, for driving under the influence of intoxicants, reckless driving, resisting arrest and second-degree criminal mischief.

BRIEFLY

Writers' series features Monument native

PENDLETON — Essayist Robert Stubblefield will take the stage during the upcoming First Draft Writers' Series.

Stubblefield, who has published fiction and personal essays, will read from his works Thursday at 7 p.m. at Pendleton Center for the Arts, 214 N. Main St. The event is free and open to the public.

His works have been featured in many anthologies and publications, including "Dreamers and Desperadoes: Contemporary Short Fiction of the American West" and "Best Stories of the American West." Stubblefield's awards include a Georges and Anne Borchardt scholarship from the Sewanee Writers' Conference, a Fishtap Fellowship and Imnaha Writers' Retreat Fellowship.

Raised in Monument, he graduated from Eastern Oregon University and received a master's degree from the University of Montana, where he teaches undergraduate fiction writing and composition.

A short question and answer session and open mic will follow Stubblefield's presentation.

For more information, call 541-278-9201 or visit www.pendletonarts.org.

Leona Harpster to celebrate 90 years

HERMISTON — In celebration of Leona Harpster's 90th birthday, the family is hoping to collect 90 birthday cards to commemorate the occasion.

An open house event is planned Saturday from

1-5 p.m. at the Hermiston Eagles Lodge, 160 N.W. Second St. No gifts are requested, but people are asked to bring a birthday card.

Auditions set for 'The Princess and the Pea'

IRRIGON — A Missoula Children's Theatre production of "The Princess and the Pea" is coming to Irrigon.

Auditions, which are open to kindergarten through 12th graders, are Monday, March 23 from 10 a.m. to noon at AC Houghton Elementary School, 1105 N. Main St., Irrigon.

Some of the cast will be asked to stay immediately afterwards for a rehearsal.

Among the roles to be cast include the Princess, the Pea, King and Queen Size of Riverdom, Storm King and Snow Queen of Glaciendom, the Prince, the mischievous Jack Frost, the citizens of Riverdom and Glaciendom, the Dust Bunnies, some wannabe princesses not to mention some meddling leprechauns.

No advance preparation is needed for the auditions.

Rehearsals will take place throughout the week and the performances are Saturday, March 28 at 4 p.m. and 6 p.m.

For more information, call Angela at 541-314-0166.

Submit information to: community@eastoregonian.com or drop off to the attention of Tammy Malgesini at 333 E. Main St., Hermiston or Renee Struthers at 211 S.E. Byers Ave., Pendleton. Call 541-564-4539 or 541-966-0818 with questions.

Jean Marie Gilliam

Condon

June 14, 1923-March 14, 2015

Jean Marie Gilliam, 91, of Condon died Saturday, March 14, 2015, at Summit Springs Village Memory Care, Condon, Oregon. Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, March 21, 2015, at St. John Catholic Church in Condon. Burial will follow the mass at St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery in Condon. A rosary will be held on Friday evening, March 20, 2015 at 7:30 p.m. at St. John's.

The first of two children, Jean Marie Cline was born June 14, 1923, in Jordan, New York, the daughter of Charles and Faye Grego Cline. Jean graduated in 1941 from North High School in Syracuse, New York. She later graduated from business school in 1942.

Jean's war time romance with Louis L. Gilliam culminated in marriage on April 19, 1947. They moved to Heppner where their first daughter, Cheryl Jean, was born in January of 1948. Jean and Lou then moved from Heppner to Condon when Lou transferred from the U.S. Forest Service to the U.S. Department of Agriculture, where he was assigned to serve as the unit conservationist in Gilliam County. After moving to Condon three more children were born: Richard Louis in 1951, Mary Jane in 1952 and Juliann in 1957.

Jean was a journalist and

worked as a staff writer for the *Condon Globe Times* from 1965 until 1976. She also was a stringer for the *East Oregonian* and *Ruralite Magazine*. Beginning in 1964, she chaired the Gilliam County Democratic Central Committee for several decades. She served as secretary to the Condon Chamber of Commerce for 17 years. Jean was an active member of St. John Catholic Church in Condon, serving as the organist for almost 60 years. She was an avid seamstress. She and Lou enjoyed traveling by car, trains and ships. They enjoyed many cruises on the Holland America Line.

Jean was preceded in death by her husband, Lou, in 2010. She is survived by her sister Mary Jane Williams of Biglerville, Pa., and her children and their spouses: Cheryl and Charles Lopez of Camas, Wash.; Rick and Evelyn Gilliam of Eugene, Ore.; Mary Jane and Jim Gleeson of Beaverton, Ore., and Juliann and Herschel Lantis of Condon. She is also survived by eight grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren, two nieces and two nephews.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that remembrances be sent to St. John Catholic Church, P.O. Box 485, Condon, OR 97823

Funeral arrangements are in care of Sweeney Mortuary of Condon.



Gilliam

DEATH NOTICES

Louis L. Clark

Hermiston

Nov. 3, 1932-March 17, 2015

Louis L. Clark, 82, of Hermiston died Tuesday, March 17, 2015, in Hermiston. He was born Nov. 3, 1932, in South Wheatland Township, Decatur, Illinois. Services are pending at Burns Mortuary of Hermiston. Sign the online guest book at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com

William 'Bill' Miller

Pendleton

Nov. 20, 1941-March 17, 2015

William "Bill" Miller, 73, of Pendleton died Tuesday, March 17, 2015, in Pendleton. He was born Nov. 20, 1941. Arrangements are pending with Pendleton Pioneer Chapel, Folsom-Bishop.

James I. Myers

Stanfield

March 3, 1931-March 17, 2015

James I. Myers, 84, of Stanfield died Tuesday, March 17, 2015, in Hermiston. He was born March 3, 1931, in Weston, Ore. A memorial service will be held Saturday, March 21 at 11 a.m. at the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah Witnesses, 2260 N.E. Fourth St., Hermiston. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Sign the online guest book at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com

Isadora Louise Sandmeier

West Richland, Wash.

Nov. 10, 1932-March 16, 2015

Former Walla Walla resident Isadora Louise Sandmeier, 82, of West Richland, Wash., died Monday, March 16, 2015, in Kennewick, Wash. She was born Nov. 10, 1932, in Sheyenne, N.D. A memorial service will be held Friday, March 20 at 11 a.m. at Redeemer Lutheran Church in Richland, Wash., with a reception immediately following. Graveside committal service will follow the reception at 2:30 p.m. at the Blue Mountain Memorial Cemetery in Walla Walla. Munselle-Rhodes Funeral Home in Milton-Freewater handled arrangements.

OBITUARIES

Joan LaVelle Rice

Athena

May 29, 1937-March 9, 2015

Joan LaVelle Rice, 77, of Athena, Ore., passed away on March 9th, 2015, in Milton-Freewater, Ore. She was born in Walla Walla, Wash., on May 29th, 1937, to Elmer and Virginia VanOcker. Joan started school in Adams, Ore., before moving with her family to Athena where she attended Athena schools, graduating from McEwen High School in 1955. Between her junior and senior year, she was a delegate to Girls State in Salem, Ore., where she excelled and was elected Secretary of State. Following graduation, she worked for Pacific Northwest Bell in Portland, Ore., for a few months before joining her parents in Haines, Ore. While living in Haines, she was a lifeguard and swimming instructor at Radium Hot Springs.

On Sept. 9th, 1956, Joan and James Richmond Rice were married at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer in Pendleton, Ore. They lived in Pullman, Wash., for two years before returning to Athena where Jim took over farming the McIntyre farm that belonged to his grandfather. On January 11, 1962, a son, James Kevin Rice, joined the family. Joan enjoyed being a homemaker and a stay-at-home mom. In April 1972, Jim unexpectedly passed away leaving Joan a single mother.

In the 1980s Joan was diagnosed with Retinitis Pigmentosa. She eventually lost her eyesight and yet continued to live a fiercely independent life. She was active in several fundraising events for different organizations in the community. Joan had an outgoing personality and was willing to help others in need. She was also a member of the WM Booster Club.

Swimming and children were two of her passions, which she actively pursued until ill health forced her to stop. Joan loved teaching swimming lessons and entertaining different high school groups and others at her swimming pool.

The last few years Joan was especially blessed to have special friends, Trish Crawford and Ann and Mike Countryman, helping with her care.

Joan is survived by a son, James Kevin Rice, and two grandsons, Clayton and Jacob Rice, all of Alpharetta, Georgia. She is also survived by two brothers, Garry (Joan) of Athena and Steve (Barbara) of Boise, Idaho, and several nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Weston-McEwen High School, 540 E. Main, Athena, OR 97813.

Memorial Service will be Friday, March 20th at 10:30 a.m. at Athena Christian Church.



Rice

UPCOMING SERVICES

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18

JOHANNES, ALBERTA — Memorial graveside service at 11 a.m. at the Heppner Masonic Cemetery.

THURSDAY, MARCH 19

MOSES, JUNIOR — Graveside funeral service with military honors at 4 p.m. at the Echo Cemetery.

OBITUARY POLICY

The East Oregonian publishes paid obituaries. The obituary can include small photos and, for veterans, a flag symbol at no charge. Obituaries may be edited for spelling, proper punctuation and style. Expanded death notices will be published at no charge. These include information about services.

Obituaries and notices can be submitted online at www.eastoregonian.com/obituaryform, by email to obits@eastoregonian.com, by fax to 541-276-8314, placed via the funeral home or in person at the East Oregonian office.

For more information, call 541-966-0818 or 1-800-522-0255, ext. 221.

MEETINGS

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18

MORROW COUNTY COURT, 9 a.m., Port of Morrow Conference Room, 2 Marine Drive, Boardman.

UMATILLA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, 9 a.m., Umatilla County Courthouse room 130, 216 S.E. Fourth St., Pendleton.

MILTON-FREEWATER CEMETERY MAINTENANCE DISTRICT NO. 3, noon, Shelly's Last Shot Restaurant, Milton-Freewater Golf Course, 299 Catherine Ave.

INTERMOUNTAIN ESD, 5 p.m., district office, 2001 S.W. Nye Ave., Pendleton.

UMATILLA COUNTY FAIR BOARD, 6:30 p.m., Stafford Hansell Government Center room D-3, 915 S.E. Columbia Drive, Hermiston. (541-567-6121).

BOARDMAN PLANNING COMMISSION, 7 p.m., Boardman City Hall, 202 N. Main St.

OREGON TRAIL LIBRARY DISTRICT, 7 p.m., OTLD Board-

man Library, 200 S. Main St., Boardman.

PILOT ROCK SCHOOL DISTRICT, 7 p.m., Pilot Rock High School library, 101 N.E. Cherry St.

UMATILLA HOSPITAL DISTRICT, 7:30 p.m., Umatilla Medical Clinic, 1890 Seventh St.

LOTTERY

Monday, March 16

Megabucks
05-17-25-28-34-38
Estimated jackpot: \$1 M

Lucky Lines
01-06-09-14-FREE-18-21-28-31
Estimated jackpot: \$19,000

Win for Life
32-33-75-76

Pick 4
1 p.m.: 9-0-1-2
4 p.m.: 8-1-0-3
7 p.m.: 4-5-7-7
10 p.m.: 3-1-5-0

Tuesday, March 17

Pick 4
1 p.m.: 7-1-0-5

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18

WALKING FOR WELLNESS, 8:30-9:30 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. (541-276-8100).

BABY BOOGIE & TAPPIN'

TODDLERS, 10-10:45 a.m., Hermiston Public Library, 235 E. Gladys Ave. (541-567-2882).

PRESCHOOL STORY TIME, 10:15 a.m., Pendleton Public Library, 502 S.W. Dorion Ave. (541-966-0380).

STORY TIME, 11:15 a.m. to noon, Hermiston Public Library, 235 E. Gladys Ave. (541-567-2882).

PENDLETON SENIOR MEAL SERVICE

12 noon, Pendleton Senior Center, 510 S.W. 10th St., Pendleton. Cost is \$33.50 for seniors, \$6 for those under 60. Meet new friends, enjoy pool, puzzles, crafts, snacks, Second Time Around thrift store and more from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. For Meals On Wheels call CAPECO at 541-276-1926. (Maxine 541-276-5303).

STANFIELD SENIOR MEAL SERVICE, 12 noon, Stanfield Community Center, 225 W. Roosevelt. Suggested donation is \$3.50 for seniors, \$6 for those under 65.

TOT TIME, 1-2 p.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave. For children ages 0-5. Cost is \$1 per child. (541-276-8100).

ADULT BEGINNING COMPUTER CLASS, 3 p.m., Pendleton Public Library, 502 S.W. Dorion Ave. Learn the most basic of basics. Free, but pre-registration re-

quired. (541-966-0830).

LENTEN SERVICE, 6 p.m. soup supper, 7 p.m. worship service, Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, 241 S.E. Second St., Pendleton.

CRIBBAGE NIGHT, 6:30 p.m., Great Pacific Wine & Coffee Co., 403 S. Main St., Pendleton. New and experienced players welcome. Bring boards and cards. (509-240-7460).

VEGAN/SUSTAINABLE LIVING POTLUCK SUPPER, 7 p.m., call 541-969-3057 to RSVP and for driving directions. Bring a veggie dish and recipe. New vegans welcome. Gluten-free friendly group.

THURSDAY, MARCH 19 LEGISLATIVE TELECONFERENCE, 7 a.m., Blue Mountain Community College Pioneer Hall boardroom, 2411 N.W. Carden Ave., Pendleton. Join Sen. Bill Hansell and Rep. Greg Barreto for information on the happenings in Salem. Everyone welcome.

WALKING FOR WELLNESS, 8:30-9:30 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. (541-276-8100).

VETERANS BENEFITS ROUNDTABLE, 10 a.m., Stokes Landing Senior Center, 195 N.W. Opal Place, Irrigon. Information about changes in veterans burial benefits, survivor benefits and government markers. All veterans welcome. (541-922-6420).

PRESCHOOL STORY AND CRAFT TIME, 10:30 a.m., Milton-Freewater Public Library, 8 S.W. Eighth Ave. (Lili Schmidt

COMING EVENTS

541-938-8247).

BOARDMAN SENIOR MEAL SERVICE, 12 noon, Boardman Senior Center, 100 Tatone St., Boardman. Costs \$4 for seniors 55 and older and \$5 for adults. (541-481-3257).

HERMISTON SENIOR MEAL SERVICE, 12 noon, Hermiston Senior Center, 435 W. Orchard Ave. Costs \$3.50 for seniors 50 and over, \$4 for adults under 50, \$4 for Meals on Wheels home delivery. Extra 50 cents if center provides table service. Transportation can be arranged by donation. (541-567-3582).

PENDLETON SENIOR MEAL SERVICE, 12 noon, Pendleton Senior Center, 510 S.W. 10th St., Pendleton. Cost is \$33.50 for seniors, \$6 for those under 60. Meet new friends, enjoy pool, puzzles, crafts, snacks, Second Time Around thrift store and more from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. For Meals On Wheels call CAPECO at 541-276-1926. (Maxine 541-276-5303).

SKILLS FOR LIFE, 3-5 p.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. The first hour includes gym activities, the second hour focuses on life skills for middle and high school students. Free, but registration requested. (Danny Bane 541-379-4250).

"BENEFICIAL BUGS," 6-8 p.m., Prodigal Son Brewery & Pub, 230 S.E. Court Ave., Pendleton. The OSU Master Gardeners will give a presentation on insects that are beneficial to local gardens. (Shevon Hatcher 541-278-5403).

THE ARC UMATILLA COUNTY BINGO, 6 p.m. doors open, bingo starts at 7 p.m. 215 W. Orchard Ave., Hermiston. (541-567-7615).

FIDDLER'S NIGHT, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Hermiston Terrace Assisted Living, 980 W. Highland Ave., Hermiston. Join jam session or just listen. Refreshments served. (541-567-3141).

FIRST DRAFT WRITERS' SERIES, 7 p.m., Pendleton Center for the Arts, 214 N. Main St., Pendleton. Gathering features a reading by author Robert Stubblefield; participants can sign up for open mic time of 3-5 minutes.

MARIJUANA REGULATIONS

OPEN HOUSE, 7 p.m., Pendleton City Hall council chambers, 501 S.W. Emigrant Ave. Pendleton City Council and Planning Commission members will accept public input on marijuana regulations for the city and engage in discussion, but no decisions will be discussed or made. Everyone welcome. (Evan MacKenzie 541-966-0261).

FRIDAY, MARCH 20 WALKING FOR WELLNESS, 8:30-9:30 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. (541-276-8100).

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