



Photo contributed by Larry McMillan

Rising above the clouds

This photo capturing Mount St. Helens, Mount Rainier and Mount Adams was taken by Pendleton resident Larry McMillan July 23 while flying to Portland on SeaPort Airlines.

PHS class of '65 celebrates 50-year reunion

More than 100 classmates and friends of the Pendleton High School class of 1965 gathered recently at the Hamley Slickfork Saloon. The group shared old photos of the past, laughed and even cried for those who died far too soon. The event included a program and silent auction to benefit the Mike Selves Scholarship Fund. Known as “Fuzzy,” Selves was killed in the United States Pentagon on Sept. 11, 2001. Those attending came from all over, including Seattle, North Carolina and Australia. The activities included luncheons and a tour of Pendleton High School. The class extends sincere sympathy to **Alma Dile Vinson**, whose husband, **Al**, passed away while attending the reunion.



Photo contributed by Bill Peal

The Pendleton High School class of 1965 recently held a reunion.

ANNIVERSARY

Bernard and Mary Louise Chapman

Bernard and Mary Louise Chapman are celebrating their 70th wedding anniversary in 2015. Mary Louise Ireland met the love of her life in the fall of 1942 at a dance at the University of Washington. Since the nation was at war, there were few men on campus so sailors from Sand Point Naval Station were invited to attend. Bernard Roy Chapman was one of the sailors. When Bernard had to leave in January 1943 to go to sea, he knew Mary Louise was to become a big part of his life. They married Aug. 25, 1945, in Kirkland, Wash., while Bernard was home on leave. After Bernard was discharged from the Navy in January 1946, the Chapmans made their home in Kirkland and then Kennewick, Wash., in 1950. Bernard established his general construction company, BR Chapman Construction, which he ran for 36 years. He also was active in the community, helping to build the Benton-Franklin County Fair and Rodeo grandstands, horse barns and race track, and the Eastern Benton County Historical Museum. Mary Louise gave of her time and talents to Camp Fire, 4-H and Red Cross (35 years as hostess, and donation of 94 units of blood). She also helped establish Kennewick General Hospital and its auxiliary. She was selected as Tri Cities Woman of Achievement in 1966. Both Bernard and Mary Louise served as superintendents at the Benton Franklin Fair and were involved in the rodeo with the Benton County Mounted Posse. In 1986 the Chapmans retired to their mountain cabin in the Tollgate area of the Blue Mountains, where they became involved in the Tollgate Trail Finders Snowmobile Club as well as driving the snowcat and groomer over winter recreational trails



once a week for 26 years, and designing and organizing the construction of a building for equipment, two large warming shelters, a toilet at Morning Creek Snow Park and a clubhouse. Bernard was awarded the national “People Serving People” award from the U.S. Forest Service, and both were honored as Snowmobilers of the Year by the Tollgate Trail Finders and the Oregon State Snowmobile Association. The Chapmans in 2014 were honored again by the USFS with the renaming of the Bone Springs-Chapman Warming Shelter. The Chapmans are the parents of Marcella (Rod) Morrow of Richland, Wash./Tollgate, Richard Chapman (deceased), Les (Dee) Chapman of Kennewick and Barbara (David) Hays, Pasco, Wash. They also have 13 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren. Bernard and Mary Louise still live in their mountain home at the ages of 91 and 90. Send cards of congratulations to Mary Louise and Bernard Chapman, 63696 Bald Mountain Loop, Weston, OR 97886.



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Christine Guenther, president of Pendleton on Wheels, presents a donation to SMART (Start Making A Reader Today) volunteer Pete Wells.

SMART receives donation

The Pendleton on Wheels (POW) bicycle club recently made a donation to the Pendleton SMART (Start Making a Reader Today) program. SMART volunteer Pete Wells said the program is very appreciative of the donation. The \$500 will be used to sponsor books for one child learning to read. POW, a nonprofit organization raises money from its annual Century Ride of Century bike ride. To learn more about the bike club and its activities, visit www.pendletononwheels.org and for more about SMART and how it promotes literacy, visit www.getsmartoregon.org.

Former EO editor wins award

COLUMBIA, Mo. — A former *East Oregonian* managing editor has won the highest international award presented for editorial and commentary writing in weekly newspapers. Roger Harnack, 47, currently publisher and editor of *The Omak-Okanogan County Chronicle* in Omak, Wash., was presented the Golden Quill by Chad Stebbins and Gary Sosniecki on behalf of the International Society of Weekly Newspaper Editors during the organization’s annual conference and gala celebration June 27 at the Missouri School of Journalism. Top weekly newspaper editorial writers and columnists from across the U.S., Canada and Australia attended the event, which also included the Golden Dozen and Eugene Cervi awards. “It’s quite an honor to have received this award among such prestigious colleagues,”



Harnack

during 2014. Specifically, he was credited for his efforts to reopen a 36-mile stretch of the Columbia River for fishing, boating and other recreation last year. Harnack’s career includes stints as publisher of *The Red Oak Express* in Red Oak, Iowa; bureau chief of *Stars and Stripes* in Tokyo, Japan; and as an editor at the *Peninsula Daily News* in Port Angeles, Wash., *East Oregonian* in Pendleton, Ore., *The Daily Record* in Ellensburg, Wash., *The Puyallup Herald* in Puyallup, Wash., *Sentinel-Standard* in Ionia, Mich., and *Decatur Daily Democrat* in Decatur, Ind.

Harnack said. Harnack’s award stems from his editorial drive to keep access open to public lands, forests and waters

Wildhorse Pow Wow announces winners

The 21th annual Wildhorse Resort & Casino Pow Wow was hosted over the Fourth of July weekend. Hundreds of dancers and drummers were on hand to compete for their chance at more than \$80,000 in cash and prizes. DRUMMING: Cree Confederation of St. Paul, Alberta, Canada; Iron Horse of Teec Nos Pos, Arizona; Wild Rose of White Swan, Washington; Eagle Spirit of Wapato, Washington DANCE: JUNIOR GIRLS FANCY: Miriam Walsey of Toppenish, Washington; Keeala Walsey of Tuba City, Arizona; Keira Wak Wak of Wapato, Washington; Kaleen Joseph of Pendleton JUNIOR BOYS FANCY: GlenMylo Jones of Toppenish; Dillon Sampson of Pendleton; Sunhawk Barney of Portland; Caden Stewart of Pendleton JUNIOR GIRLS JINGLE: Layla Buckskin of Fort Hall, Idaho; Alexis Herrera of Lapwai, Idaho; Jasmine Barney of Portland; Alaynna Bevis of Pendleton JUNIOR BOYS GRASS: Kenton Walsey of Toppenish; Dominico Leonard of Tafoya, Culver; Rusty McCloud of Harrah, Washington; Sabine Browneagle of Cusick, Washington JUNIOR GIRLS TRADITIONAL: Marjorie Heath of Culver; Layla Sohappay of Pendleton; Zoe Bevis of Pendleton; Tamisa Sherwood of Brownstown, Washington JUNIOR BOYS TRADITIONAL: Bryson Wallahee of White Swan; Jon Mareno of Pendleton; Casey Storm James of Portland; Jace Ashley of Pendleton TEEN GIRLS FANCY: Mariah Leavitt of Toppenish; Heaven Walsey of Granger, Washington; Aurelia Johnson of Salem; Teata Oatman of Pendleton TEEN BOYS FANCY: Garrett Begay of Satus, Washington; Braxton Chief of Tempe, Arizona; Brian George of Toppenish TEEN GIRLS JINGLE: Kia McCloud of Harrah, Washington; Destiny Buck of Mattawa, Washington; Shandiin Moreno of Pendleton; Nixa Yazzie Weeks of Portland

TEEN BOYS GRASS: Devin Branson of Cusick; Manny Hawley of Kent, Washington; Dezlin Walsey of Toppenish; Josiah Barney of Portland TEEN GIRLS TRADITIONAL: Kourtney Arriwhite of Pocatello, Idaho; Ashley Meanus of Warm Springs; Dancingstar Leighton of Pendleton; Abigail Totus of White Swan TEEN BOYS TRADITIONAL: Justus Eaglesmith of Taylorville, California; Ethan Wallahee of White Swan; Nakia Cloud of Lapwai; Andrew Williams of Adams WOMEN’S GOLDEN AGE: Wilma Buck of White Swan; Katie Blackwolf Bevis of Pendleton; Lynn

Pinkham of Lapwai; Patricia Heemsah of Toppenish MEN’S GOLDEN AGE: Leroy Seth of Lapwai; John Meninick of Lapwai; Gary Greene of Lapwai; Peter Jo Olney of White Swan WOMEN’S FANCY: Urseloria Walsey of Tuba City; Katrina Blackwolf of Toppenish; Desba White of Teec Nos Pos; Irene Onepennee of Wapato MEN’S FANCY: Gary Olney of White Swan; Jay Meninick of Lapwai; Kenneth Shirley of Gilbert, Arizona; Manny Totus of Pendleton WOMEN’S JINGLE: Acosia Red Elk of Pendleton; Andrea Whiteplume of Lapwai; Tennille Wahtomy of White Swan;

Ashley Walsey of Wapato MENS GRASS: Gary Villa of Warm Springs; Mason McGwik of Kent; Mario Hawley of Kent; Morris Crookedneck of Tempe WOMEN’S TRADITIONAL: Thea McCloud of Harrah; Katrina Walsey of Satus; Dolly Heemsah of Harrah; Tilda Walsey of Toppenish MEN’S TRADITIONAL: Russell McCloud of Harrah; Nakia Williamson of Lapwai; Paris Leighton Sr. of Lapwai; Red Bear McCloud of Tukwila, Washington MEN’S PRAIRIE CHICKEN: Jordan Yazzie of Georgeville, Washington; Jeremy Barney of Portland; Jesse Bevis Sr. of Pendleton; Alex Meninick of Harrah

Pet of the Week

Rufus
3 Yr Old Mastiff Mix.

Rufus is a very sweet dispositioned young neutered male who is looking for his forever home. He is approximately 68 lbs with a docked tail. He is a very loving guy who adores children. A little leash training, however, wouldn't hurt a bit. Just look at this face - wrinkles and all - who can say no to this? Come on down and get acquainted with Rufus, you definitely won't be sorry you did!

Visit Rufus at the Pioneer Humane Society/PAWS
517 SE 3rd St., Pendleton, OR
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