THURSDAY SATURDAY TODAY Mostly sunny Sunny; breezy in Sunshine Hot with plenty of Very hot with plenty of sunshine the afternoon PENDLETON TEMPERATURE FORECAST 61° 59° 96° 100° 67° 60° 64° TEMPERATURE I 61° 63° 103° 70° 60° 98° 100° 98° 61° 98° Seattle **ALMANAC** Spokane 79/60 Wenatchee 90/62

93/67 **PENDLETON** Tacoma Moses through 3 p.m. yesterday Lake Aberdeen Olympia **TEMPERATURE** Yakima 96/65 71/56 HIGH LOW Longview Yesterday Walla Walla Kennewick 77/58 99/63 96/67 42° (1897) Astoria 114° (1928) Records 70/59 **PRECIPITATION** Portland Hermiston 24 hours ending 3 p.m 82/61 Pendleton 89/54 The Dalles Month to date 0.80' Normal month to date 0.26" 90/61 Salem La Grande 7.32['] 5.00['] Year to date 91/52 Last year to date 86/57 Albany Normal year to date Corvallis 86/56 **HERMISTON** John Day 87/56 through 3 p.m. yesterday 93/55 Ontario Eugene Bend **TEMPERATURE** 101/66 88/54

> Shown is today's weather. Temperatures are today's highs and tonight's lows. **REGIONAL FORECAST**

Klamath Falls

88/50

Coastal Oregon: Areas of low clouds and fog giving way to sun today.

Medford

96/62

Eastern and Central Oregon: Mostly sunny today; very warm in the south and upper Treasure Valley. Clear tonight.

Western Washington: Some clouds, then sunshine today; however, areas of low

Partly cloudy tonight. Cascades: Sunshine today; pleasant across the north. Clear tonight

Eastern Washington: Sun and some clouds

today, except sunnier toward the Cascades.

Burns

94/49

Northern California: Clouds, then sun at the coast today; hot in central parts. Sunshine

REGIONAL CITIES Today Hi Lo W Wed. Hi Lo W Astoria Baker City 59 pc 59 pc 48 s 70 90 72 92 50 s 57 pc 53 s 58 s Bend Brookings Burns 49 s 95 51 s 54 s 54 pc 57 s Enterprise 89 92 Eugene 88 56 s 57 s 61 s 61 s Hermiston 98 98 56 s 53 s John Day 93 55 52 La Grande 91 52 s 55 s 49 s 62 s 88 96 49 s 63 s Medford 52 pc 56 pc 67 70 Newport North Bend 100 Ontario 66 66 s Pasco 98 94 62 59 Pendleton 61 s 61 s 48 s Portland 82 63 s 49 s Redmond 92 57 pc 62 pc Salem 59 s Ukiah 87 50 s 88 51 s 59 Walla Walla 67 66 s 63 s Yakima

WORLD CITIES

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London	71	61	рс	73	61	t	
Mexico City	73	56	t	73	52	t	
Moscow	82	63	sh	82	64	рс	
Paris	77	56	рс	76	62	рс	
Rome	86	70	S	85	68	S	
Seoul	87	77	C	82	73	t	
Sydney	65	51	S	64	45	S	
Tokyo	78	73	r	81	76	C	

WSW 6-12 WSW 7-14 **UV INDEX TODAY**

WINDS

Today

Wednesday

WSW 4-8

8 a.m. 10 a.m. Noon 2 p.m. 4 p.m. 6 p.m. 0-2. Low **3-5**, Moderate **6-7**, High; 8-10, Very High; 11+, Extreme The higher the AccuWeather.com UV Index™ number, the greater the need for eye and skin protection.

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Shown are noon positions of weather systems and precipitation. Temperature bands are highs for the day National Summary: Heavy downpours could cause flooding in parts of Texas today. Severe thunderstorms may threaten the North Central states. Storms will dot parts of the Southeast and Southwest, while the West Coast stays dry. Yesterday's National Extremes: (for the 48 contiguous states) High 110° in Blythe, Calif. Low 31° in Boca Reservoir, Calif.

NATIONAL WEATHER TODAY

NATIONAL CITIES

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		oday		Wed.			Today			Wed.		
	Hi	Lo W	Hi	Lo	_		Hi	Lo		Hi	Lo	
Albuquerque	90	68 t	94	70		Louisville	88	74	-	90	75	
Atlanta	94	73 s	92	73	S	Memphis	95	77	t	90	75	
Atlantic City	90	75 pc	86		рс	Miami	91		рс	91	80	
Baltimore	94	73 pc	93	72		Milwaukee	86	69	S	88	69	pc
Billings	91	63 t	86	62		Minneapolis	89		рс	84	68	-
Birmingham	93	75 pc	89	74	-	Nashville	94	75	-	91	74	-
Boise	100	66 s	100	66		New Orleans	88	76	-	87	78	-
Boston	92	72 s	88	72	-	New York City	93	74	-	91	76	-
Charleston, SC	95	78 s	96	78		Oklahoma City	87	71	-	91	70	
Charleston, WV	84	69 t	88	70		Omaha	87		рс	86	70	
Chicago	87	67 s	88		рс	Philadelphia	95		рс	95	75	
Cleveland	84	64 s	89	68	-	Phoenix	111	90	рс	113	92	pc
Dallas	96	79 t	94	76		Portland, ME	88	65		85	63	
Denver	93	62 t	92	61		Providence	93	70		90	68	
Detroit	87	68 s	90			Raleigh	95		рс	95	75	
El Paso	98	74 t	96	74		Rapid City	90		t	80	58	pc
Fairbanks	73	55 c	74	55		Reno	100	63		102	65	-
Fargo	84	62 t	79	59		Sacramento	105	62		105	64	
Honolulu	89	74 s	88	77	-	St. Louis	88	74		87	75	-
Houston	89	76 t	91	78	-	Salt Lake City	101		рс	101	72	
Indianapolis	85	69 pc	88		рс	San Diego	79	69	pc	79	69	
Jacksonville	94	73 t	96	74	-	San Francisco	78	56	pc	77	57	pc
Kansas City	87	70 pc	88	70	рс	Seattle	79		S	82	61	-
Las Vegas	111	88 s	111	89	-	Tucson	103	81		103	81	-
Little Rock	96	76 t	92	75		Washington, DC	95	77	-	95	77	pc
Los Angeles	87	66 pc	86		рс	Wichita	89	71	рс	91	71	pc
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Weather (W): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice.

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HIGH

109° (1928)

45° (1953)

0.30"

0.18" 4.94" 3.25"

5.91"

5:32 a.m.

8:31 p.m.

1:18 p.m.

Full

Aug 18

First

Aug 10

Yesterday

<u>Normals</u>

Records

PRECIPITATION

Month to date

Last year to date Normal year to date

Year to date

Sunrise today

Sunset tonight

Moonrise today

Moonset today

Last

24 hours ending 3 p.m

Normal month to date

SUN AND MOON

New

Aug 2

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Local, state and federal law enforcement officials gathered on Friday to remove an explosive device from the water near the public beach area at the north end of

Authorities remove explosive device from Wallowa Lake

Discovered pipe bomb weeks ago

By SCOT HEISEL **EO** Media Group

Federal, state and county law enforcement officials converged at Wallowa Lake on Friday afternoon to retrieve and disable a small device that was discovered under water near a public beach.

Wallowa County Sheriff Steve Rogers said a group of off-duty search and rescue members was diving near the area at the north end of the lake "about two weeks ago" and found the device during a recreational dive.

The divers their discovery as a possible explosive device and reported it to the sheriff's office, which notified state and federal authorities. An FBI dive team was then assembled and tasked with removing the

Members of the Oregon State Police also were brought in to handle the device once it was removed from the water. OSP Explosives Specialist Dennis Wagner from the Hermiston office described the pipe bomb as a cylinder "about one inch in diameter and eight inches long and wrapped in black tape."

Wagner and another OSP trooper took the device to a safe location outside of Joseph and detonated it soon after it was removed from the lake.

Wagner said it was difficult to estimate how powerful the pipe bomb was since other explosives were used to



The explosive device was discovered underwater in the small channel (background, right) that feeds into the Wallowa River.

initiate detonation. However, he agreed that it certainly was more powerful than an M80 and closer to a stick of dynamite.

"In my opinion, it probably was some teenagers who made this and left it there," Sheriff Rogers said. "Our main concern was the safety of the public. There was concern that this thing would be dragged out onto the bank, dry out and then detonate."

The device was discovered just east of the public beach and boat launch area at the north end of the lake. It was in the small channel that feeds into the Wallowa River.

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Outdoor School initiative qualifies for ballot

Bv PARIS ACHEN

Capital Bureau

SALEM — An initiative petition to fund a statewide outdoor education program with Oregon Lottery revenue has qualified for the November general election ballot.

The Secretary of State's Office confirmed Friday that the campaign for IP 67 gathered 93,102 valid signatures, about percent more than the 88,114 requirement. The campaign turned in 135,538 signatures, but not all of those could be verified.

Campaign leaders said earlier this month they were confident the proposed measure would qualify.

'We are very excited Oregonians are going to get a chance to support statewide funding for outdoor school," said Paige Richardson, campaign director of the Outdoor School initiative.

The ballot measure would dedicate 4 percent of lottery revenue — as much as \$22 million per year — to pay for a week of outdoor school for 50,000 students and 3,000 high school counselors.

State Sen. Betsy Johnson, D-Scappoose, has criticized the measure because it would siphon money from other lottery-supported programs. The measure also would reduce the flexibility of the lottery fund, which has allowed lawmakers to use lottery money during the recession to sustain services, Johnson said.

"IP 67 sounds great on the surface, but it is fraught with unintended consequences," Johnson said. "The bottom line is there is only so much money, and lottery money is the most flexible money we have, and if we are repurposing the money for specific financial obligations, we are taking it away from something else.

The Secretary of State's Office has until Aug. 7 to verify signatures for initiative petitions, which were due July 8. The only initiative petition still awaiting verification is a proposed measure to prohibit the sale of products made from 12 endangered

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