

HAPPY CANYON

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100th Year



Staff photo by E.J. Harris

Child actors play during a dress rehearsal for the Happy Canyon Night Show on Friday in Pendleton.



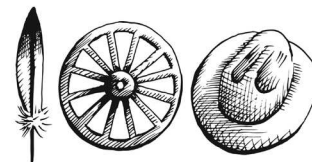
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An actor looks at his phone while waiting for his scene during the 2015 Happy Canyon Night Show in Pendleton.

The show goes on

This week marks the 100th anniversary of the Happy Canyon Indian Pageant and Night Show, a big stage re-telling of the Wild West with a cast and crew of hundreds of locals.

The *East Oregonian* has partnered with Anna King of the Northwest News Network to bring the show



to a wider audience with a multimedia project called “Happy Canyon at 100.” The show will air on radio stations across the northwest this week and at happycanyon.eastoregonian.com.

You can also follow the Happy Canyon (and Round-Up) action on our Facebook page “East Oregonian: Pendleton Round-Up.”

The show is Wednesday-Saturday at the Happy Canyon Arena, and in these pages you’ll find photos from Friday’s dress rehearsal and behind the scenes at last year’s show.



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Happy Canyon director Corey Neistadt, left, draws a pistol as his pants fall down Friday during a dress rehearsal for the night show in Pendleton.



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The Happy Canyon Marching Band plays during a dress rehearsal for the Happy Canyon Night Show on Friday in Pendleton.



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An actor portraying a pony express rider performs a stunt during a dress rehearsal for the Happy Canyon Night Show on Friday in Pendleton.