

Spring blooms with regional plant sales

East Oregonian

With the weather warming up, it's the perfect time to get out in the garden.

Several FFA chapters and a garden club are hosting upcoming plant sales. Those set for this weekend are planned in Irrigon, Heppner and Pendleton.

Irrigon FFA will sell plants to support its chapter Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Irrigon Jr/Sr High School, 315 E. Wyoming St.

The Heppner FFA plant sale continues Friday from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Saturday from noon to 4 p.m. at the Heppner FFA Greenhouse at Heppner Garden School, 710 N.W. Morgan St.

The Dirt Dabblers Garden Club will host its annual sale Saturday beginning at 9 a.m. at Peace Lutheran Church, 210 N.W. Ninth St., Pendleton. The sale will continue until all plants are sold.

Plants offered at the Dirt Dabblers sale are from members' own gardens, so are proven to grow under local conditions.



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Elery Jones tends to plants in the greenhouse at Hermiston High School prior to a past FFA plant sale. The FFA chapters at several area schools and the Dirt Dabblers Garden Club in Pendleton are hosting plant sales this weekend.

Each plant will be tagged with names and preferred sun and water requirements.

People may also join the club during the sale. The club meets the third Monday of the month, February through November, at 1 p.m. in the Vert Club Room, 345 S.W. Third St., Pendleton. For more information, contact johnsonstubb@yahoo.com.

COMING EVENTS

TUESDAY, MAY 2 ADULT OPEN GYM, 6 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. Half-court basketball. Adults only.

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

TERRIFICALLY FREE TUESDAY, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Children's Museum of Eastern Oregon, 400 S. Main St., Pendleton. Free admission all day. (541-276-1066)

PRESCHOOL STORY TIME, 10:30-11 a.m., Stanfield Public Library, 180 W. Coe Ave., Stanfield. (541-449-1254)

SENSORY EXPLORATION, 11 a.m., Children's Museum of Eastern Oregon, 400 S. Main St., Pendleton. For ages 0-3. Sensory Bins provide endless ways for little ones to experience new things with all of their senses and boost essential skills. (541-276-1066)

PENDLETON SENIOR MEAL SERVICE, 12 p.m., Pendleton Senior Center, 510 S.W. 10th St., Pendleton. Costs \$3.50 or \$6 for those under 60. Pool, puzzles, crafts, snacks. Second Time Around thrift store 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. For Meals On Wheels, call 541-276-1926. (541-276-7401)

BOARDMAN SENIOR MEAL SERVICE, 12 p.m., Boardman Senior Center, 100 Tatone St., Boardman. Cost is \$4 for seniors 55 and over or \$5 for adults. (541-481-3257)

HERMISTON SENIOR MEAL SERVICE, 12 p.m., Hermiston Senior Center, 435 W. Orchard Ave., Hermiston. Cost is \$4 for adults, free for children 10 and under, \$4 for Meals on Wheels. Extra 50 cents for utensils/dishes. Bus service to local charities. Public welcome. (541-276-2828)

STORY AND CRAFT TIME, 6:30 p.m., Milton-Freewater Public Library, 8 S.W. Eighth Ave., Milton-Freewater. For elementary school-age children. (541-938-8247)

EVANGELIST RICHARD GREEN, 7 p.m., Pendleton Baptist Church, 3202 S.W. Nye Ave., Pendleton. Green, who has conducted evangelistic crusades in 63 countries, will share God's word. A light meal will be served from 5:30-6:30 p.m. before each evening meeting. Free.

ATHENA TUESDAY MARKET, 4-7 p.m., Dugger Park, Main Street, Athens. Local vendors featuring food, crafts and more. Vendor spaces are free. (April McKenna or Katie Zmuda 541-310-9557)

CRATERNONOS, 4:15 p.m., Pendleton Public Library, 502 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. Drop in for a group or individual craft project. All ages. (541-966-0380)

BINGO, 5 p.m., Hermiston Senior Center, 435 W. Orchard Ave., Hermiston. Doors open at 5 p.m., games begin at 6:30 p.m. Everyone welcome. (541-567-3582)

ECHO KINDERGARTEN ROUND-UP, 5 p.m., Echo Community School, 600 Gerone St., Echo. Children who will be five years old on or before Sept. 1 and their parents are encouraged to attend. Bring birth certificate and immunization records. Activities for children will be available while parents fill out registration forms. (Beth Gehrke 541-376-8436)

WALK HERMISTON, 5:30 p.m., Riverfront Park, Southwest 23rd St., Hermiston. No fee, includes T-shirt, website access, fitness tips and essentials. Registration requested. (541-567-5521)

INSIDE OUTSIDE THE LINES ADULT COLORING, 6-7:30 p.m., Irrigon Public Library, 400 N.E. Main St., Irrigon. Materials provided. Bring snacks to share. (541-922-0138)

PENDLETON KNITTING GROUP, 6 p.m., Prodigal Sign Brewery & Pub, 230 S.E. Court Ave., Pendleton. (541-966-0380)

PENDLETON EAGLES TACOS AND BINGO, 6 p.m., Pendleton Eagles Lodge, 428 S. Main St., Pendleton. Regular packet \$10, special packet \$5. Proceeds donated to local charities. Public welcome. (541-276-2828)

STANFIELD SENIOR MEAL SERVICE, 12 p.m., Stanfield Community Center, 225 W. Roosevelt, Stanfield. Cost is \$3.50 for seniors, \$6 for others. (541-449-1332)

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(Christina White 541-276-7590)

OSU MASTER GARDENERS: POLLINATORS, 7 p.m., Pendleton Public Library National Parks Program area, 502 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. Mathew Campbell will speak. Free. (541-966-0380)

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TAI CHI: MOVING FOR BETTER BALANCE, 9 a.m., Good Shepherd Wellness Center, 610 N.W. 11th St., Hermiston. Improves balance, increases flexibility and improves core muscle strength. Can be done standing or seated. No experience required; wear comfortable clothing and shoes with flexible soles. Free, but registration is requested. (Helena Wolfe 541-922-2822)

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Hospital auxiliary sets Collective Goods sale

HERMISTON — A variety of books and gifts at affordable prices are available for purchase during the Collective Goods sale.

Hosted by the Good Shepherd Hospital Auxiliary, the event is Thursday and Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. in Conference Room 1 at Good Shepherd Medical Center, 610 N.W. 11th St., Hermiston.

Money raised from the event will be used to support scholarships for those pursuing a medical career and medical equipment for Good Shepherd.

Membership in the auxiliary is open to all who are interested in volunteering at Good Shepherd Medical Center. Applications can be picked up at the hospital in the gift shop.

Harris Junior Academy to host open house

PENDLETON — A registration event and open house is planned at Harris Junior Academy.

The public is invited to stop in to learn more about the school, take a tour, meet the teachers and fill out pre-registration paperwork for the 2017-18 school year. The event is Thursday from 4-7 p.m. at the school, 3121 S.W. Hailey Ave., Pendleton. In addition, refreshments will be served.

Harris Junior Academy is a faith-based school affiliated with the Seventh-day Adventist Church. It serves students from kindergarten through eighth grade.

For more information, contact Myron Egbert at egbertm98@charter.net, or president Ron Runyon at 541-993-6143.

Stroke group hosts F.A.S.T. Walk

PENDLETON — A fun walk to raise awareness for Rebounders: Stroke & TBI Support Group is this weekend.

The F.A.S.T. Walk is Saturday at 10 a.m. at Roy Raley Park, 1205 S.W. Court Ave., Pendleton.

F.A.S.T. is a mnemonic to help detect and responsiveness to stroke victims. The acronym stands for Facial drooping, Arm weakness, Speech difficulties and Time to call emergency services.

For more information about the event or support group, contact Shawna Kirk at shamriakirk@gmail.com or 541-969-1865.

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During Oldies Night in Milton-Freewater, BJ the DJ will spin tunes from 50 years ago. This also marks the anniversary of Bob Jones' debut on college radio, so attendees also get to hear part of his program on WGVU at the University of Dubuque from 50 years ago.

The lineup will include Lulu's "To Sir With Love," the biggest hit by a newcomer to the charts; Bobbie Gentry's "Ode to Billie Joe," and the first American hit by the Bee Gees, "New York Mining Disaster 1941."

The event is Saturday at 7 p.m. at Wesley United Methodist Church, 816 S. Main St., Milton-Freewater. There is no admission charge. For more information, contact Jones at dubuquer@charter.net or 541-938-7028.

Submit information to: community@eastoregonian.com or drop off to the attention of Tammy Maglesini 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.

Carol Elliott celebrates 90th birthday

PILOT ROCK — Friends and family are cordially invited to an open house 90th birthday party for Carol Elliott in Pilot Rock.

The party will be held Saturday from 2-4 p.m. in the Pilot Rock Baptist Church fellowship hall, 585 S.W. Birch St. The family requests no gifts.

For more information, contact Teresa Vanderpool at blueyedteresa@yahoo.com.

BRIEFLY

Wasco County pioneers meet Saturday

THE DALLES — The Wasco County Pioneer Association will hold its 93rd annual meeting and luncheon Saturday at Fort Dalles Readiness Center, 402 E. Scenic Drive, The Dalles.

Meeting registration begins at 9:30 a.m., followed by lunch at 11:30 a.m. and the main program at 1 p.m. Cost to attend is \$15 per person for lunch; annual dues for the association are \$12.50 for an individual or \$15 for a family.

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PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

FRIDAY

3:59 p.m. - Two males were fighting at Tienda La Comadre, 567 E. Main St., Hermiston, but left before police arrived.

5:19 p.m. - The Umatilla County Sheriff's Office took a report of a burglary at a home on South Edwards Road, Stanfield.

6:17 p.m. - A tipster told Hermiston police a man who received a citation may have told police he was his brother.

8:24 p.m. - The Boardman ambulance service responded to Wilson Lane, Boardman, for a 28-year-old woman who said she was intoxicated, drank all day and was very sick.

11:08 p.m. - Umatilla police received a 9-1-1 report of a female screaming during possible domestic violence at a home on Second Street.

SATURDAY

5:47 a.m. - Hermiston police received a report of a male and female screaming at each other at Southgate Village Apartments, 1105 S. First St.

8:15 a.m. - The Umatilla police code enforcement officer sent nine certified letters to residents notifying them of noxious vegetation violations.

10:15 a.m. - A Hermiston resident asked to have an officer talk to his 15-year-old daughter about stealing.

4:23 p.m. - A man on Northeast Riverside Avenue, Pendleton, called 9-1-1 to report his estranged wife assaulted him.

8:05 p.m. - A Pendleton man reported his girlfriend assaulted and bit him.

SUNDAY

3:39 a.m. - Residents on North Hunt Street, Athena, complained about loud music from the neighbor's home.

8:36 a.m. - Someone crashed through a fence on Staneline Road, Milton-Freewater, the property owner reported. The cattle now can get out and pieces of the vehicle were on the road.

9:33 a.m. - The Umatilla County Sheriff's Office took a report of a burglary at the Waterhole Tavern, 51993 Highway 332, Milton-Freewater.

9:55 a.m. - A 9-1-1 caller on East Gladys Avenue, Hermiston, told police her brother and boyfriend were fighting.

11:10 a.m. - A Heppner man on Northeast Court Street reported someone broke into his unattached basement and stole all of his tools.

11:10 a.m. - Dogs running around Southeast Idaho Avenue, Irrigon, prompted a resident to ask the Morrow County Sheriff's Office to send a deputy to talk to the owner about licensing and containing the dogs.

1:06 p.m. - The Morrow County Sheriff's Office responded to a home on Tyler Road, Boardman, on a report of a father hitting his son. Deputies determined the report was unfounded.

1:25 p.m. - The resident of a home on Southwest Desert Oak Drive, Hermiston, told police a male was in his driveway about 30 minutes earlier looking for a gun. Police did not find the person.

1:57 p.m. - A caller at Knights Inn, 100 First St. N.W., Boardman, said a male hit a female in the face.

2:42 p.m. - A Heppner resident on Linden Way reported someone went into her greenhouse and destroyed all the plants and more.

7:21 p.m. - Pilot Rock police received a report of a resident on Southwest Third Street "out in his own yard drinking beer, yelling, and cursing" at a neighbor's guest.

9:44 p.m. - Law enforcement received an emergency report of two males fighting on Northeast McCallister Lane, Hermiston.

ARRESTS, CITATIONS

Friday

The Morrow County Sheriff's Office arrested Hugo Ivan Hernandez Dominguez, 26, of Irrigon, for felony fourth-degree assault.

Milton-Freewater police arrested Larry Michael Brumbach, 42, of 815 Lamb St., Milton-Freewater, for domestic violence charges of second-degree assault, strangulation, harassment, and coercion.

Milton-Freewater police arrested Nicolas Maurice Ramirez, 30, no fixed address, for first-degree theft, unauthorized entry into a motor vehicle, second-degree mischief and second-degree trespass.

Oregon State Police cited Dolores Rae Nunney, 28, of Irrigon, for reckless driving.

Sgt. Seth Cooney stopped her at about 7 p.m. going south on Powerline Road near milepost 5, Umatilla, for driving a Chevrolet Silverado at 85 mph in a 40 mph zone. State police reported she passed "vehicles in the area of numerous residences, agriculture accesses, intersections as well as livestock and other domestic animals in an open range area."

Cooney also found she had a 3-year-old boy and a 6-year-old girl in the pickup.

Oregon State Police arrested James Cody Labelle, 30, no address provided, for driving under the influence of intoxicants (alcohol).

Oregon State Police arrested Stasia Marie Farr, 26, of Pendleton, for DUII and cited her for possession of methamphetamine.

Saturday

Hermiston police arrested Ricky Cletus Ayers, 57, of Hermiston, for violating parole and possession of hydrocodone.

Sunday

Pendleton police arrested Kenneth James Doughty, 29, of Pendleton, for failure to display a driver's license, interfering with a peace officer, and DUII (alcohol).

Pendleton police arrested Gary Zachary Smith, 27, of Hermiston, for altering the identification number on a firearm, possession of methamphetamine and unlawful possession of a firearm.

DEATH NOTICES

Donna 'Arlene' Crow Hermiston

Sept. 21, 1926-April 28, 2017

Donna "Arlene" Crow, 90, of Hermiston died Friday, April 28, 2017, in Hermiston. She was born Sept. 21, 1926, in Union, Ore. A celebration of life service will be held Thursday, May 11 at 5 p.m. at the Solid Rock Community Church, 140 S.W. Second St., Hermiston. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Sign the online condolence book at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com

Nikki Lee Mikesell Pilot Rock

May 23, 1948-April 29, 2017

Nikki Lee Mikesell, 68, of Pilot Rock died Saturday, April 29, 2017, in Walla Walla. She was born May 23, 1948, in Hermiston. A full obituary will follow. Burns Mortuary of Pendleton is in charge of arrangements. Sign the online condolence book at www.burnsmortuary.com.

Yvonne L. 'Bonnie' Phillips Hermiston

July 10, 1932-April 26, 2017

Yvonne L. "Bonnie" Phillips, 84, of Hermiston died Wednesday, April 26, 2017, at her home. She was born July 10, 1932, in Douglas, Wyo. A celebration of life service will be held Friday, May 5 at 4 p.m. at Landmark Missionary Baptist Church in Hermiston. Burial will follow at the Hermiston Cemetery. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Sign the online condolence book at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com

John 'Jack' Richartz Umapine

Feb. 23, 1929-April 30, 2017

John "Jack" Richartz, 88, of Umapine died Sunday, April 30, 2017, in Walla Walla. He was born Feb. 23, 1929. Munselle-Rhodes Funeral Home in Milton-Freewater is in charge of arrangements.

IN UNIFORM

U.S. Air Force Airman Connor S. Lloyd graduated from basic military training at Joint Base San Antonio-Lackland, San Antonio, Texas.

Lloyd completed an intensive, eight-week program that included training in military discipline and studies, Air Force core values, physical fitness, and basic warfare principles and skills. Airmen who complete basic training also earn four credits toward an associate in applied science degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Lloyd is the son of Rebecca Demmon of Kennewick, Wash., and Gerry Lloyd of Eugene. He is a 2013 graduate of Hermiston High School.



Lloyd

LOTTERY

Friday, April 28 Megamillions 06-13-18-20-31 Megaball: 13 Megaplier: 4 Estimated jackpot: \$61 million Lucky Lines 04-06-12-14-FREE-20-23-25-31 Estimated jackpot: \$49,000 Pick 4 1 p.m.: 4-7-9-2 4 p.m.: 5-1-0-9 7 p.m.: 5-4-4-4 10 p.m.: 3-5-1-1

Powerball 22-23-24-45-62 Powerball: 5 Power Play: 2 Estimated jackpot: \$113 million Megabucks 07-08-22-25-28-32 Estimated jackpot: \$5 million Lucky Lines 03-07-11-13-FREE-20-24-26-31 Estimated jackpot: \$50,000 Pick 4 1 p.m.: 9-1-4-9 4 p.m.: 6-3-5-1 7 p.m.: 4-2-4-2 10 p.m.: 5-4-3-7

Win for Life 01-13-58-61 Sunday, April 30 Lucky Lines 03-07-12-16-FREE-18-24-26-30 Estimated jackpot: \$51,000 Pick 4 1 p.m.: 2-4-0-9 4 p.m.: 9-1-5-1 7 p.m.: 8-1-3-5 10 p.m.: 1-0-1-7 Monday, May 1 Pick 4 1 p.m.: 1-6-4-9

Saturday, April 29

UPCOMING SERVICES

TUESDAY, MAY 2

MORRIS, JAMES — Funeral services at 11 a.m. at the United Methodist Church, 150 Hemlock St., Arlington. Concluding service with military honors will follow at the Arlington Cemetery, Joseph. Casual dress preferred.

TALBOTT, FRED — Graveside service at 2 p.m. at Prairie Creek Cemetery, Joseph. Casual dress preferred.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 3

No services scheduled

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

TUESDAY, MAY 2

PENDLETON SCHOOL DISTRICT WORK SESSION, 8 a.m., Pendleton School District office, 107 N.W. 10th St., Pendleton. (541-276-6711)

UMATILLA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, 9 a.m., Umatilla County Courthouse, 216 S.E. Fourth St., Pendleton. (Doug Olsen 541-276-6208)

HERMISTON AIRPORT ADVISORY COMMITTEE, 4 p.m., Hermiston Airport lounge, 1600 Airport Way, Hermiston. (541-567-5521)

BLUE MOUNTAIN BOARD OF EDUCATION, 6:30 p.m., Blue Mountain Community College Pioneer Hall boardroom, 2411 N.W. Carden Ave., Pendleton. (Shannon Franklin 541-278-