

PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

TUESDAY

8:30 a.m. - That dam cat.
The Umatilla County Sheriff's Office reported at the agency's headquarters in Pendleton noticed a "little bundle huddled beneath a vehicle in our parking lot." While rabbits hop around there on occasion, a kitten was an unusual sight.
Staff "immediately deduced something was amiss," according to the sheriff's office, and applied rescue training to coax the cautious kitten to come in from the cold.
After some "ooing" and "ahhning," the sheriff's office reported, deputies "started an investigation into the origin of our small visitor."
The kitten hitched a ride with one of the sheriff's civil deputies.

She visited a residence in Hermiston after work. The kitten crawled inside the engine compartment of the deputy's vehicle, stayed there when she drove to her home in Hermiston, spent the night in the vehicle, and took the ride all the way to the sheriff's office in Pendleton.
"That is a huge effort just to get a tour of the sheriff's office," the agency stated. Sterrin Holcomb, civil division lieutenant, said the cute ball of fur must have had quite the experience, but it was fine, and staff fed, watered and gave the little guy a warm place to sleep.

Holcomb also said the kitten is back home with its owner.
8:26 a.m. - Milton-Freewater police received a report that a vehicle during the night damaged a street sign at Northwest Fifth Avenue and Lamb Street.
10:22 a.m. - Pendleton police received a report of harassment from the Oregon Division of Child Support office, 800 S.E. Emigrant Ave., Suite 100.
11:16 a.m. - Umatilla police received a complaint about a dog at Chinook Court and John Day Street. The department also issued a citation around 3:40 p.m. for a dog complaint on Carolina Road, and at 3:48 p.m. a caller on K Street told police the neighbor's dogs were in her yard.

12:54 p.m. - The Morrow County Sheriff's Office responded to Northwest Morgan and West streets, Heppner, on a report of a deer in a fence. The sheriff's office freed the deer.
4:58 p.m. - A caller reported a female was on the ground and crying in front of her car at Ranch & Home, 85342 Highway 11, Milton-Freewater.

7:49 p.m. - Pendleton police responded to a distraught man on the overpass at Southgate Drive and Interstate 84. Police detained the man, and he was taken to St. Anthony Hospital, Pendleton. Police shut down eastbound traffic on Interstate 84 and on Southgate while dealing with the individual.
9:28 p.m. - Stanfield police received a report of a burglary from a site on South Main Street.

ARRESTS, CITATIONS

Tuesday
•Hermiston police arrested Kelly Renee Carroll, 33, of Hermiston, for possession of methamphetamine and for failure to appear and violating parole.
Wednesday
•Hermiston police arrested April Mae Bautista, 40, of Hermiston, for a probation violation and possession of methamphetamine.

•Pendleton police early Wednesday caught two people who were wanted on warrants from the west side of Oregon.
Loy Kinslow Minton, 34, of Coos Bay, failed to appear in Coos County Circuit Court on Sept. 20 to change his plea in a robbery and theft case, according to state court records. And Rachael Elizabeth Swigert, 31, of Myrtle Point, had multiple warrants out of Benton and Linn counties.

DEATH NOTICES

Keith Elliot Barton

Boise, Idaho
Nov. 3, 1944 - Nov. 8, 2017

Former Umatilla resident Keith Elliot Barton, 73, of Boise, Idaho, died Wednesday, Nov. 8, 2017, at a Boise hospital. He was born Nov. 3, 1944, in Enterprise. Arrangements are under the care of Flahiff Funeral Chapel in Caldwell, Idaho.

Ruth Karm

Hermiston
April 27, 1932 - Nov. 7, 2017

Ruth Karm, 85, of Hermiston died Tuesday, Nov. 7, 2017, in Pendleton. She was born April 27, 1932. A graveside funeral service will be held Thursday, Nov. 9 at 1 p.m. at the Hermiston Cemetery. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Sign the online condolence book at burns-mortuaryhermiston.com

Patricia E. 'Patti' Morrison

Hermiston
May 26, 1946 - Nov. 3, 2017

Patricia E. "Patti" Morrison, 71, of Hermiston died Friday, Nov. 3, 2017, at her home. She was born May 26, 1946, in Berkeley, Calif. At her request, no service will be held. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Sign the online condolence book at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com

Kristofer Webber

Pendleton
Nov. 6, 2017

Kristofer Webber, 28, of Pendleton died Monday, Nov. 6, 2017, in Pendleton. A service will be held Friday, Nov. 17 at 2 p.m. at Burns Mortuary of Pendleton.

Ruth Helen Whitmore

Walla Walla
Dec. 19, 1933 - Nov. 4, 2017

Former Milton-Freewater resident Ruth Helen Whitmore, 83, of Walla Walla died Saturday, Nov. 4, 2017, at her home. She was born Dec. 19, 1933. Memorial services will be held Monday, Nov. 13 at 2 p.m. at the former Centerpoint Church, 2139 Fern St., Walla Walla. Munselle-Rhodes Funeral Home in Milton-Freewater is in charge of arrangements.

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.

UPCOMING SERVICES

THURSDAY, NOV. 9

KARM, RUTH — Graveside funeral service at 1 p.m. at the Hermiston Cemetery.

FRIDAY, NOV. 10

NUSSER, DICK — Celebration of life service at 2 p.m. at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 862 45th Ave. N.E., Salem.

MEETINGS

FRIDAY, NOV. 10

No meetings scheduled

MONDAY, NOV. 13

IRRIGON FIRE DISTRICT, 7 a.m., Irrigon Fire Department, 705 N.E. Main Ave., Irrigon. (541-922-3133)

PENDLETON SCHOOL DISTRICT, 6 p.m., Pendleton School District office, 107 N.W. 10th St., Pendleton. (541-276-6711)

HERMISTON SCHOOL DISTRICT, 6:30 p.m., district office, 502 W. Standard Ave., Hermiston. (541-667-6000)

MILTON-FREEWATER SCHOOL DISTRICT, 6:30 p.m., Central Middle School, 306 S.W. Second St., Milton-Freewater. (541-938-3551)

ATHENA-WESTON SCHOOL DISTRICT, 6:30 p.m., Athena Elementary School library, 375 S. Fifth St., Athena. (Kim Thul 541-566-3551)

HEPPNER CITY COUNCIL, 7 p.m., Heppner City Hall, 111 N. Main St., Heppner. (541-676-9618)

MILTON-FREEWATER CITY COUNCIL, 7 p.m., Milton-Freewater Public Library Albee Room, 8 S.W. Eighth Ave., Milton-Freewater. (541-938-5531)

PILOT ROCK FIRE DISTRICT, 7 p.m., Pilot Rock Fire Department, 415 N.E. Elm St., Pilot Rock. (541-443-4522)

HERMISTON CITY COUNCIL, 7 p.m., Hermiston City Hall council chambers, 180 N.E. Second St., Hermiston. (541-567-5521)

ADAMS CITY COUNCIL, 7 p.m., Adams City Hall, 190 N. Main St., Adams. (541-566-9380)

TUESDAY, NOV. 14

BUTTER CREEK/ECHO IRRIGATION DISTRICTS ELECTION, 7 a.m.-8 p.m., River Point Farms pack plant office, 28790 Westport Lane, Hermiston. Members will vote on a proposal to reduce the number of directors. (Bonnie Kyger 509-820-3202)

For a complete listing of regional events, visit eastoregonevents.com

THURSDAY, NOV. 9
UMATILLA - MORROW COUNTY FARM BUREAU, 12 p.m., TBA, Pendleton. (Julie Spratling 541-457-8045)

BOARDMAN RURAL FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT, 1 p.m., Boardman Fire Department, 300 S. Wilson Lane, Boardman. (541-481-3473)

HERMISTON PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION, 5:30 p.m., Hermiston City Hall, 180 N.E. Second St., Hermiston. (541-567-5521)

ATHENA CITY COUNCIL, 6:30 p.m., Athena City Hall, 215 S. Third St., Athena. (541-566-3862)

UMATILLA SCHOOL DISTRICT, 7 p.m., Umatilla School District office, 1001 Sixth St., Umatilla. (541-922-6500)

LOTTERY

Tuesday, Nov. 7

Mega Millions
01-54-60-68-69
Mega Ball: 11
Megaplier: 4
Estimated jackpot: \$59 M

Lucky Lines
01-07-09-16-FREE-17-21-26-30
Estimated jackpot: \$13,000

Pick 4
1 p.m.: 9-1-0-3
4 p.m.: 8-9-6-5
7 p.m.: 1-5-4-2
10 p.m.: 8-1-0-7

Wednesday, Nov. 8

Pick 4
1 p.m.: 7-4-2-2

Japanese-American shares about time spent in concentration camp

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A Portland man will recount his family's experiences living in an American concentration camp during World War II.

In May 1942, George Nakata's family was forced to give up their possessions, lived in a stockyard surrounded by barbed wire, and was sent to Minidoka Relocation Center near Jerome, Idaho. Thousands of other Japanese-American families experienced similar treatment in the years following the 1941 attack at Pearl Harbor.

"Experiences in an American Concentration Camp" is Saturday from 1-2:30 p.m. at Tamástlikt Cultural Institute, located near Wildhorse Resort & Casino in Mission. Admission is free and refreshments will be served.

The presentation is held in conjunction with the current exhibit, "Art of Survival: Enduring the Turmoil of Tule Lake." The northern California site was the largest confinement center, housing those considered "disloyal" to the United States.

Initially, Nakata and his family were taken to the North Portland Livestock Yard — now the Portland Expo Center. They lived in plywood stalls created for livestock for six months, Nakata said, while permanent camps were constructed.

"I remember walking into that building to this day — the pungent odor of manure seeping through the wooden floors, the urine



Contributed photo

George Nakata of Portland will share about his family's experiences in an American concentration camp during World War II. The free event is Saturday at Tamástlikt Cultural Institute in Mission.

smell permeating throughout the building, fly paper hung with flies all over, pigeons flying around, surrounded by barbed wires and a guard station," Nakata said.

Eventually, the Nakata family was sent to Minidoka, which housed nearly 10,000 people from 1942-45. Although conditions were brutal, Nakata said the Japanese were resourceful people — starting their own schools, hospitals and even creating a baseball diamond.

As the war ended, the concentration camp residents — 120,000 Japanese-Americans were held in Utah, Arizona, Idaho and California — were given \$25 and a ticket back to their home states, Nakata said. However, he said most had lost their homes and businesses.

"I believe that in America,

freedom is fragile. We have been careless with our Constitution," he said. "Using the example of my people is why I tell my story."

According to the National Park Service, most of what's left of the Minidoka National Historic Site in on private property. However, tourists may walk through remains of the entry station, waiting room and rock garden. Also, interpretive signs include commemorative plaques listing the names of Japanese-American troops from Minidoka who served during the war.

For more information about Tamástlikt programs, visit www.tamastlikt.org.

Contact Community Editor Tammy Malgesini at tmalgesini@eastoregonian.com or 541-564-4539

BRIEFLY

Traveling Lantern introduces King Arthur

HERMISTON — A young boy stumbles upon an unusual friend in a beloved sorcerer named Merlin in a presentation by the Traveling Lantern Theatre Company.

"The Sword in the Stone" tells the story of Young Wart, who will grow up to become King Arthur. The performance is Monday, Nov. 13 at 5 p.m. at the Hermiston Public Library, 235 E. Gladys Ave. The free program is suitable for the whole family.

Based in Portland, Traveling Lantern combines education and entertainment while bringing live theater to schools, libraries parks and courtyards. An interactive process, audience members are invited onstage to perform with the presenters.

For questions about the local performance, call 541-567-2882. For more about the theatre company, visit www.travelinglantern.com.

Congressional candidate to visit Hermiston

HERMISTON — Jim Crary, a candidate for Oregon's 2nd Congressional District, is coming to Hermiston to meet with a pair of target audiences.

A town hall meeting and a gathering for veterans are planned:

- Wednesday, Nov. 15 from 3-4:30 p.m. at Agape House, 500 Harper Road, Hermiston. Target group includes administrators and employees of assisted living facilities.
- Thursday, Nov. 16 from 1-2:30 p.m. at VFW Desert Post No. 4750, 45 W. Cherry St., Hermiston. A veteran himself,

Crary wants to hear from Umatilla County veterans regarding their concerns and ideas.

A Democrat from Ashland, Crary is running for Greg Walden's seat. Crary has a law degree from the University of San Diego. In addition, he lived and worked in Anchorage for many years.

For more information about the Hermiston events, contact Bernie Sanderson at cln42da87@yahoo.com or 541-626-9189.

Red Kettle campaign rings in with fundraiser

PENDLETON — With the holiday season just around the corner, The Salvation Army Pendleton Corps is kicking off the Red Kettle Campaign with a fundraising dinner.

The event is Saturday, Nov. 18 at 5:30 p.m. at The Salvation Army, 150 S.E. Emigrant Ave., Pendleton. In addition to dinner, the evening includes an auction. Tickets are \$25.

The Red Kettle Campaign helps ensure that children get a toy for Christmas, families have food on the table and people receive assistance to keep a roof over their head. Bell ringers accept donations that helps raise money for year-around programs to help the needy that are served by The Salvation Army.

For more information, contact 541-276-3369 or darcy.coleman@usw.salvationarmy.org.

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.

'Tis the season for bazaar shopping in Pendleton

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Upcoming holiday bazaars in Pendleton include:

•**Altrusa Holiday Bazaar**: Saturday, Nov. 18 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Pendleton Convention Center, 1601 Westgate. Admission is \$1. Features more than 100 vendors and raffle prizes, including \$2,000 holiday cash and gift baskets. Also, there are children's activities and lunch is available for purchase. For more information, find the event on Facebook.
•**Wildhorse Holiday Bazaar**: Saturday, Nov. 25

from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Wildhorse Resort & Casino. Free admission. In addition to vendors selling items throughout the day, Santa will be on hand for photos from 1-3 p.m. For more information, call 800-654-9453.
•**Retired Teachers Christmas Bazaar**: Saturday, Dec. 2 from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at Roosters Restaurant, 1515 Southgate. Free admission. Features homemade crafts, goodies and raffle items. For more information, call OREA Unit 9 at 541-379-2010.

•**St. Mary's Bazaar**: Saturday, Dec. 9 from 9

a.m. to 2 p.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church, 800 S.E. Court Ave. Admission is \$1, which includes a raffle ticket. In addition to vendor shopping, brunch, lunch and desserts available for purchase. Vendor space is \$60. For more information, call 541-276-2751.

•Incoming about upcoming bazaars is available on the Coming Events calendar, which typically runs daily in the print edition. Also, the full calendar is viewable at www.eastoregonevents.com. For more information, contact community@eastoregonian.com.

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