# December . . . Neighborhood Happenings

## Cason's Place seeks grief recovery help

PENDLETON — Cason's Place Grief Support for Children and Families of Eastern Oregon is looking for a few compassionate community members. The new grief support organization welcomes volunteers, willing to help families after the loss of a loved

On Thursday, Jan. 4. at 6 p.m., those interested can drop by Pendleton Early Learning Center, 455 S.W. 13th St. for a general meeting of the group. For details, call 503-720-1620.

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#### Tiny hoopsters get a chance to shoot

HERMISTON — In addition to their usual youth basketball leagues and clinics, which start in January, Hermiston Parks & Rec is adding something new for 2018: kindergarteners will get their first experience on the basketball court. Each ses-

> sion will consist of 30-minute practice, followed by a 30-minute game; score will not be kept. All equipment is provided. Classes meet Saturdays at at Desert View Elementary, from Jan. 6 to March 3. Cost: \$40 residents; \$50 non-resident; \$15 for

P&R jersey, if needed. Registration deadline is Dec. 15. For more information, visit www.hermistonrecreation.com or call 541-567-5521.

## **Guaranteed snow** days in Hermiston!

HERMISTON — No snow from above? No problem: Hermiston Parks & Rec will make it for you! This year, if the white stuff doesn't arrive naturally, they will use a snow machine to create a sledding park on Sunset Elementary Hill. When the right weather conditions occur (a night consistently in the mid-20s or below), the parks

department will cover the hill with their own snow for sledding.

To find out when the weather will oblige, visit the Parks & Rec Facebook page or download their app for an an-

And just like a natural snow day, sledding is always free.



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