

## PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

### WEDNESDAY

3:44 a.m. - An Irrigon caller reported there were horses on city property on West Oregon Lane that had no water and drank from swimming pools. The Morrow County Sheriff's Office contacted the horses' owners, who said there is a water trough and the horses are older.

7:35 a.m. - The Umatilla County Sheriff's Office took a report of a burglary on Milton Cemetery Road, Milton-Freewater.

10:45 a.m. - A juvenile male on the 100 block of East Main Street, Heppner, prompted a call to the Morrow County Sheriff's Office because he was looking for cigarette butts.

1:13 p.m. - A Hermiston mother asked to speak to police about the next-door neighbor harassing her daughter.

2:17 p.m. - Hermiston police responded to a report of a burglary on the 1800 block of North First Place.

4:22 p.m. - Someone stole two bags of cans from the 300 block of Northwest 11th Street, Hermiston. The owner of the cans said the thief left the biggest bag, which would have made the most noise.

5:44 p.m. - A 911 caller reported a fight on South Fifth Street, Athena.

6:24 p.m. - One Hermiston resident on East Wilshire Avenue told police someone has been sending harassing text messages and calls at early morning hours.

7:22 p.m. - Staff at the Hermiston Christian Center, 1825 W. Highland Ave., Hermiston, reported a woman in a car with a young child vomited in the center's parking lot.

10:19 p.m. - Umatilla police received a report of gun shots on Third Street.

11:11 p.m. - An intoxicated female was in the parking lot of the Hermiston Police Department, 330 S. First St.

### ARRESTS, CITATIONS

\*The Morrow County Sheriff's Office arrested Joseph Lee Swope, 37, of 1280 13th Place, Irrigon, for unauthorized use of a vehicle and on multiple warrants for failure to appear.

\*Pendleton police arrested Roger Allen Parrott, 55, of Pendleton, for first-degree rape, first-degree sexual abuse and domestic violence assault.

Pendleton Police Chief Stuart Roberts reported the arrest was the result of an investigation that began almost five months ago.

Pendleton police on Sept. 25 responded to the 2700 block of Southwest Goodwin Avenue for a domestic disturbance, where officers contacted a woman, 55, who was distraught but denied any criminal activity, according to Roberts.

She later called back and said there were things she needed to tell the officers, but she was afraid.

Police eventually got her statement, which triggered the investigation. Robert said officers over several days seized multiple "items of evidentiary value" and submitted them for analysis. The evidence established sufficient probable cause to indict Parrott on the charges, and that led to the Umatilla County District Attorney's Office issuing a warrant on March 13 for Parrott's arrest.

Parrott had moved, according to the police chief, but detectives determined where he was staying. Pendleton police on Wednesday arrested Parrott without incident and booked him into the Umatilla County Jail, Pendleton.

## CALENDAR

**FRIDAY, MARCH 23**  
**PENDLETON MASTERS SWIM CLUB**, 5-6 p.m., Round-up Athletic Club pool, 1415 Southgate, Pendleton. \$5 per session coaching fee; non-RAC members pay \$8 pool fee per session. (Tania Wildbill 541-310-9102)

**PENDLETON EAGLES LADIES AUXILIARY KITCHEN**, 6-8 p.m., Pendleton Eagles Lodge, 428 S. Main St., Pendleton. Members and guests welcome. (541-278-2828)

**SATURDAY, MARCH 24**  
**MEN'S BREAKFAST**, 8 a.m., Bethel Assembly of God Church, 1109 Airport Road, Pendleton. (541-276-7559)

**UMATILLA COUNTY POMONA GRANGE**, 12:30 p.m., Columbia Grange Hall, 32339 Diagonal Road, Hermiston. Lunch will be followed by a meeting. (Tom or Doris 541-567-9742 or 541-567-8663)

**PENDLETON EAGLES STEAK AND LIVE MUSIC**, 6-11:59 p.m., Pendleton Eagles Lodge, 428 S. Main St., Pendleton. Dinner from 6-8 p.m., music from 8 p.m. to midnight. Members and guests welcome. (541-278-2828)

**SUNDAY, MARCH 25**  
**PENDLETON EAGLES BREAKFAST**, 9 a.m.-12 p.m., Pendleton Eagles Lodge, 428 S. Main St., Pendleton. Open to members and guests. (541-278-2828)

**UNION PACIFIC EMPLOYEES CLUB**, 1:30 p.m., Hermiston VFW Hall, 45 W. Cherry, Hermiston. All UP employees, working or retired, welcome to attend. Bring a main dish or dessert and table service. (541-567-5260)

**SUNDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY**, 4-5 p.m., Landmark Missionary Baptist Church, 120 E. Beech, Hermiston. Sunday Evening Bible Study begins at 4pm. Check us out on Facebook. (Pastor David 541-567-3232)

**MONDAY, MARCH 26**  
**BOARDMAN QUILT GROUP**, 9 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Boardman Senior Center, 100 Tatone St., Boardman. Quilt construction, quilting updates, education, history and friendship. Free. (Kathy Hyder 541-571-7009)

**NARFE OF HERMISTON**, 12 p.m., Desert Lanes Bowling Alley, 1545 N. First St., Hermiston. No-host lunch. All federal employees, retirees and spouses are welcome. (541-567-2648)

**IRRIGON MOOSE LODGE TACOS AND BINGO**, 6-9 p.m., Irrigon Moose Lodge, 220 N.E. Third St., Irrigon. Tacos from 6-9 p.m., bingo from 6:30-9 p.m. Open to members and guests. (541-922-1802)

**WESTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**, 6 p.m., Memorial Hall, 210 E. Main St., Weston.

**VFW POST NO. 922 SOCIAL**, 6:30 p.m., Pendleton VFW Hall, 1221 S.E. Court Place, Pendleton. (541-278-2720)

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**SISTERS IN SONG RE-HEARSAL**, 6:30-8 p.m., Pendleton High School choir room, 1800 N.W. Carden Ave., Pendleton. Community women's choir performs a variety of music in an atmosphere of supportive and good-humored cooperation. Spring concert May 20. No auditions required. (Lezlee Flagg or Cheryl Carlson 541-263-2755 or 541-429-0160)

**INLAND NORTHWEST MUSICIANS CHORALE RE-HEARSAL**, 7 p.m., Harris Jr. Academy gymnasium, 3121 S.W. Hailey Ave., Pendleton. No tryouts; all welcome. No rehearsals June-July-August or Christmas-New Year. (RaNiel Dunn 541-289-4696)

**TUESDAY, MARCH 27**  
**PENDLETON TOASTMASTERS NO. 154**, 6:30 a.m., Pendleton City Hall community room, 501 S.W. Emigrant Ave., Pendleton.

**GREENFIELD GRANGE PINOCHLE**, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., Greenfield Grange 579, 209 N.W. First St., Boardman. (541-481-7397)

**BIBLE STUDY**, 10 a.m., First United Methodist Church, 352 S.E. Second St., Pendleton. (Rev. Jim Pierce 541-276-2616)

**HERMISTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**, 11:45 a.m., Hermiston Conference Center, 415 S. Highway 395, Hermiston. Cost is \$10 for members, \$13 for non-members. RSVP requested. (Debbie Pedro 541-567-6151)

**"THE LIFE MODEL: LIVING FROM THE HEART JESUS GAVE YOU" BOOK STUDY GROUP**, 1-2:30 p.m., Bowman Building, 17 S.W. Frazer Ave., Pendleton. (Pat 541-276-6671)

**STUDYING THE MIRACLES OF JESUS**, 4-6 p.m., Good Samaritan Ministries, 319 W. Locust Ave., Hermiston. (541-564-1041)

**WILLOW CREEK SYMPHONY REHEARSAL**, 6-7:30 p.m., Irrigon Jr./Sr. High School, 315 E. Wyoming Ave., Irrigon. Preparatory orchestra for all ages. Does not rehearse June-July-August or during Christmas-New Year holidays. (RaNiel Dunn 541-289-4696)

**COLUMBIA RIVER TOASTMASTERS**, 6-7 p.m., Umatilla Senior Center, Umatilla.

**HOUSE OF HOPE**, 6:30 p.m., Hermiston Assembly of God Church, 730 E. Hurlburt Ave. (use Seventh St. entrance), Hermiston. Help for needy and homeless individuals in the Hermiston community. (Linda Durant 541-449-5038)

**AWANA**, 6:30-8 p.m., Pendleton Baptist Church, 3202 S.W. Nye Ave., Pendleton. For children age 3 through sixth grade. (541-276-7590)

**A SHARP PLAYERS ORCHESTRA REHEARSAL**, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Pendleton High School band room, 1800 N.W. Carden Ave., Pendleton. Intermediate orchestra for players of any instrument. (JD Kindle 541-276-0320)

## OBITUARIES

### James C. Conner

Mission  
 Nov. 17, 1954 - March 21, 2018

James Cameron Conner, 63, of Mission, died March 21, 2018, at St. Mary's Hospital in Walla Walla, Wash.

He was born November 17, 1954, in Pendleton, Ore., to Gilbert Cecil and Virginia Wilkinson Conner.



Conner

He was the fifth of 12 children and the second-eldest son. James attended Keizer and Washington elementary schools, John Murray Junior High in Pendleton, and Madras Junior High. He graduated from Madras High School in 1973 where he lettered four years each in football, basketball and tennis. He was named Most Valuable Player for his senior football season and went to state finals twice in tennis. He attended Linfield College and Willamette University.

For most of his life, James was a Happy Canyon participant in various scenes over time from little war dancer to scout, raider, cliff fall-over, silhouette, and war party roles. James was notable for reading every newspaper and magazine he picked up from front to back. He tuned in regularly for "Washington Week," "Face the Nation," and old movies. He enjoyed cross-country skiing, zydeco music, quaffing, and cooking excellent chili, fried potatoes, and spaghetti for family and friends. He also competed in marathons in his younger years.

He was employed by Kahneeta Resort, Madras Safeway, Cove State Park, Ranch of the Canyon, the Wildhorse Resort, Confederated Tribes of Umatilla and numerous construction contractors. For many years, he served his family as a caregiver for his mother and youngsters.

James was an avid Oregon Ducks and Montana Grizzlies fan. He loved golf and, like every sport he played, excelled at it. He was particularly gifted at creating

nicknames for family members and created and sang little songs for children in his care.

He was preceded in death by his parents, elder brother John Macy Conner, niece Elena Gonzales, and grandnephew Elijah Conner.

Surviving siblings are Cheryl, Kit, Verna, Matthew, Carol and Kristen Conner, Pendleton; Jody Conner, Wallowa; Elaine Miller, Madras; Carla Conner-Greene, Warm Springs; and Thomas Conner, Ukiah.

Nephews and nieces bidding fond farewell to much-loved Uncle Jamesy include Marcus, Vanessa, Gus, Lucas and Virginia Conner, Jason Lamere and Appolonia Saenz, Pendleton; Cyrus Conner, Portland; Dyan Lamere, Rocky Boy; Damien Webster, New York; Bryce Bear, Wallowa; WeetahLoo Bear, Spokane; Valerie Miller, Louisiana; Logan Miller, LaPine; Benjamin Gonzales, Salem; Gari Conner and Thomas Bear, Arizona; Rico Saenz, Madras; Manuel Greene, Lapwai; Perry Greene, Redmond; and Jerrod Miller.

Dozens of cousins who were James' rivals and partners from childhood on, grandnieces and grandnephews who were tended, teased, sung to, and nicknamed by James, and his close cronies will miss his affection, witticisms and special charm.

Family viewing will be at 4 p.m. at Burns Mortuary with funeral service at 6 p.m., Friday, March 23. Immediately following a dinner will be held at the Longhouse. In accordance with James' wishes, his ashes will be laid to rest at a later date by family.

Burns Mortuary of Pendleton is in charge of arrangements. Sign the online condolence book at www.burnsmortuary.com.

## DEATH NOTICES

### Michael A. Banks

Hermiston  
 March 12 1968 - March 13, 2018

Micheal A. Banks, 50, of Hermiston died Tuesday, March 13, 2018, at his home. He was born March 12, 1968, in Chicago, Illinois. A graveside service will be held Saturday, March 31 at 2 p.m. at Hermiston Cemetery. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Leave an online condolence at www.burnsmortuaryhermiston.com

### Brad Pieper

Hermiston  
 July 14, 1954 - March 20, 2018

Brad Pieper, 63, of Hermiston died Tuesday, March 20, 2018, at his home. He was born July 14, 1954, in Crescent City, Calif. A funeral service will be held Saturday, March 24 at 2:30 p.m. at the Burns Mortuary chapel. Burial will follow at the Hermiston Cemetery. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Leave an online condolence for the family at www.burnsmortuaryhermiston.com

## UPCOMING SERVICES

### FRIDAY, MARCH 23

**CONNER, JAMES** — Funeral service at 6 p.m. at Burns Mortuary, 336 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. A dinner will follow the service at Agency Longhouse, Mission.

**HODGEN, LEROY AND CLARA** — Celebration of life and potluck dinner at 12:30 p.m. at the Milton-Freewater Rebekah/IOOF Lodge, 209 N. Main St.

**SKOLD, EDNA** — Viewing from 9 a.m. to noon at Munselle-Rhodes Funeral Home, 902 S. Main St., Milton-Freewater. Burial will follow at 3 p.m. at the Milton-Freewater Cemetery.

### SATURDAY, MARCH 24

**GRIMES, STEVEN** — Memorial services at 11 a.m. at the Munselle-Rhodes Funeral Home, 902 S. Main St., Milton-Freewater. A potluck dinner will follow at the Oregon National Guard Armory, 149 S. Main St., Milton-Freewater.

**JOHNSON, MARK** — Celebration of life at 11 a.m. at the Vert Club Room, 345 S.W. Fourth St., Pendleton. A gathering of friends and family will follow at Hodgen Distributing, 4340 Westgate, Pendleton.

**KOFTA, GENE** — Celebration of life from 1-5 p.m. at the Milton-Freewater American Legion hall, 424 N.E. Eighth St.

**KRAUSE, CAROL** — Memorial service at 1 p.m. at Crossroads Community Church, 350 N. Sherman St., Stanfield.

**PIEPER, BRAD** — Funeral service at 2:30 p.m. in the chapel at Burns Mortuary, 685 W. Hermiston Ave., Hermiston. Burial will follow at the Hermiston Cemetery.

**STEPHAN, ANITA** — Graveside service at 2 p.m. at the Pilot Rock Cemetery. A celebration of life will follow at the Pilot Rock Community Center, 285 N.W. Cedar Place.

**SKOLD, EDNA** — Memorial service at 3 p.m. at Christ the King Lutheran Church, 325 S.W. Sixth Ave., Milton-Freewater.

**TOMPKINS, MEL** — Graveside service with military honors at 11 a.m. at the Hermiston Cemetery.

**WEBB, STEVEN** — Graveside memorial service with military honors at 11 a.m. at the Arlington Cemetery. A potluck luncheon will follow at the Catholic Church parish hall.

## OBITUARY POLICY

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## COMING EVENTS

**FRIDAY, MARCH 23**  
**SHE ALSO SERVED VETERANS EXHIBITION**, 12 p.m., SAGE Center, 101 Olson Road, Boardman. Friday exhibition opens at noon, reception at 4:30 p.m.; Saturday exhibition open all day, Lionsess documentary at 11 a.m. Free. (Stefanie Swindler 541-481-7243)

**HERMISTON HOME AND OUTDOOR SHOW**, 12-7 p.m., Hermiston Community Center, 415 S. Highway 395, Hermiston. More than 45 vendors to help with planning spring and summer projects. Food will be available for purchase. Kids' activities. Free admission. (541-567-6151)

**STORY AND CRAFT TIME**, 2 p.m., Echo Public Library, 20 S. Bonanza, Echo. (541-376-8411)

**FISH FRY**, 5:30-7 p.m., Our Lady of Angels Catholic Church parish hall, 565 W. Hermiston Ave., Hermiston. Dinner includes clam chowder, fried fish, macaroni and cheese, tater tots, dessert and beverages. Cost is \$12 for adults, \$7 for children or \$35 for a family of 6. Tickets available at the church office or at the door. (541-567-5812)

**VFW BINGO**, 6 p.m., Hermiston VFW, 45 W. Cherry St., Hermiston. Doors open at 6 p.m., games begin at 7 p.m. Everyone welcome. (541-567-6219)

**UMATILLA COUNTY DEMOCRATIC PARTY CANDIDATE FORUM**, 6-8 p.m., Blue Mountain Community College Bob Clapp Theatre, 2411 N.W. Carden Ave., Pendleton. Meet the six candidates running for Congress in CD2, including Michael Byrne, Jim Cray, Raz Mason, Jamie McLeod-Skinner, Jennifer Neahring and Tim

White. (Mark Petersen 541-377-0891)

**DRAMA SHOWCASE**, 7 p.m., Pendleton High School auditorium, 1800 N.W. Carden Ave., Pendleton. PHS students will perform. Admission is \$3 per person. (Shannon O'Rourke 541-966-3830)

**SATURDAY, MARCH 24**  
**ADULT OPEN GYM**, 7-8 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. Pick-up basketball for adults only. Free. (541-276-8100)

**L'IL BUCKS OPEN GYM**, 8:30-9:30 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. For students in first through third grades. (541-276-8100)

**PARKING LOT SALE**, 8:30-11:30 a.m., Agape House, 500 W. Harper Road, Hermiston. Clothing like new items for \$1, bikes and furniture priced as marked, knick-knacks you-name-the-price. Sale will be inside in inclement weather. (Dave 541-567-8774)

**HERMISTON HOME AND OUTDOOR SHOW**, 9 a.m.-6 p.m., Hermiston Community Center, 415 S. Highway 395, Hermiston. More than 45 vendors to help with planning spring and summer projects. Food will be available for purchase. Kids' activities. Free admission. (541-567-6151)

**FREE FOR ALL**, 9:30-10:15 a.m., Pendleton Center for the Arts, 214 N. Main St., Pendleton. Free art classes for children up to age 12. Children under 8 should be accompanied by an adult. (Roberta Lavador 541-278-9201)

**FRIDAY, MARCH 23**  
**OPEN AA MEETING**, 12 p.m., complex, 680 W. Harper Road, Hermiston. (800-410-5953)

**OPEN AA MEETING**, 12 p.m., Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, 241 S.E. Second St., Pendleton. Coffee is provided. (Ed 541-207-2548)

**CELEBRATE RECOVERY GROUP**, 6 p.m., Salvation Army, 150 S.E. Emigrant Ave., Pendleton. (541-276-3369)

**OPEN AA MEETING**, 7 p.m., Yellowhawk Tribal Health Center,

73265 Confederated Way, Mission. (800-410-5953)

**NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS**, 7 p.m., Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, 241 S.E. Second St., Pendleton.

**OPEN AA MEETING**, 7 p.m., complex, 680 W. Harper Road, Hermiston. (800-410-5953)

**OPEN AA MEETING**, 7:30 p.m., Lone Community Church, 395 Main St., Lone. (800-410-5953)

**NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS**, 7:30-9 p.m., First United Method-

ist Church, 191 E. Gladys Ave., Hermiston.

**SATURDAY, MARCH 24**  
**AA OPEN BOOK STUDY**, 10 a.m., St. John's Episcopal Church, 665 E. Gladys Ave., Hermiston.

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**PARKS & RECREATION DISTRICT**, 7 p.m., Irrigon Fire Station, 705 N. Main St., Irrigon. (541-922-3047)

**MORROW COUNTY HEALTH DISTRICT**, 7 p.m., Port of Morrow, 2 Marine Drive, Boardman. (541-676-9133)

**TUESDAY, MARCH 27**  
**WEST UMATILLA MOSQUITO CONTROL DISTRICT**, 3 p.m., district office, 3005 S. First St., Hermiston. (Janie Cuellar 541-567-5201)

**MORROW COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION**, 7 p.m., Port of Morrow Riverfront Center, 2 Marine Drive, Boardman. (Stephanie Loving 541-922-4624)

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28**  
**BUTTER CREEK IRRIGATION DISTRICT**, 8 a.m., River Point Farms conference room, 28790 Westport Lane, Hermiston. (Bonnie Kyger 509-820-3202)

**ECHO IRRIGATION DISTRICT**, 8:30 a.m., River Point Farms conference room, 28790 Westport Lane, Hermiston. (Bonnie Kyger 509-820-3202)

**MORROW COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**, 9 a.m., Bartholomew Government Building upper conference room, 110 N. Court St., Heppner. (Roberta Lutcher 541-676-9061)

**OPEN AA MEETING**, 12 p.m., Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, 241 S.E. Second St., Pendleton. Coffee is provided. (Ed 541-207-2548)

## LOTTERY

**Wednesday, March 21, 2018**

**Megabucks**  
 02-25-32-36-41-44  
 Estimated jackpot: \$1.8 million

**Powerball**  
 03-04-18-29-61  
 Powerball: 25  
 Power Play: 2  
 Estimated jackpot: \$40 million

**Win for Life**  
 42-43-62-64

**Lucky Lines**  
 04-07-09-14-FREE-17-23-26-32  
 Estimated jackpot: \$12,000

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

**Thursday, March 22, 2018**

**Pick 4**  
 1 p.m.: 9-5-8-4

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