

PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

WEDNESDAY

12:38 p.m. - A caller told Umatilla police he was at West Park on Third Street and Scaplehorn Road watching a pickup drive with a leash out the window to run a dog. The caller stated he thought this was abusive.

Dispatch noted this was an animal complaint call, but really, you can't blame the dog on this one.

2:08 p.m. - A mother came to the Hermiston Police Department and reported her son lost his wallet somewhere in town. She also said he is in Mexico at the moment so she is reporting the missing wallet for him.

9:03 p.m. - An employee at the Taj Food Mart, 84802 Highway 11, Milton-Freewater, reported a driver left with the fuel hose still attached.

11:02 p.m. - Hermiston police responded to a person suffering from mental issues.

ARRESTS, CITATIONS

•Getting to work is not always easy.

An Oregon State Police trooper at 6:12 a.m. tried to stop a Honda Civic for speeding in the eastbound lanes of Interstate 84 near exit 207, Pendleton. The driver continued on the overpass, took the exit, headed up Airport Road and pulled into the driveway of the OSP Pendleton command.

Jeronimo Vasquez, 22, from Kennewick told the trooper she was trying to get to a job site on Airport Road and admitted he had no license or insurance. The trooper cited him for the violations and warned him for speeding.

State police also had a tow company impound the Honda.

•Pendleton police arrested Justin Lee Whipple, 25, on Southeast Dorion Avenue on three felony counts of burglary and one count of felony possession of methamphetamine. His bail for that and several misdemeanor charges is \$97,000.

•The Blue Mountain Enforcement Narcotics Team made two arrests on Wednesday.

The first was at 2:35 p.m., when Nikole Rae Patterson, 24, was taken into custody on Glenm Road and Quail Lane in Hermiston. She was jailed for unlawful delivery and possession of methamphetamine, with bail set at \$60,845.

Bryan Tate, 36, was arrested at 5:15 p.m. at 333 S. First Street on the same charges and the same bail, minus \$45 for a contempt of court charge Patterson was given.

BRIEFLY

Neighborhood will be without water Tuesday

HERMISTON — Water will be shut off for Hermiston customers on a portion Southwest 11th Street, Orchard Avenue and Highland Avenue for most of the day Tuesday.

Affected customers have been notified and a map of the area — which includes Foxwood Apartments, Butter Creek Apartments and the Hermiston School District offices — is available on the city website at [hermiston.or.us](http://hermiston.or.us).

According to a city news release the shutoff will allow “important” isolation valves at the intersection of 11th and Orchard to be replaced in conjunction with above-ground streetwork going on at the corner in preparation for installation of a new traffic signal. The valves date back to the 1960s and are failing.

Veterans’ event swings for the fences

WALLA WALLA — Veterans and their family mem-

bers are invited to a special event during an upcoming Walla Walla Sweets baseball game against the Corvallis Knights.

Hosted by the Walla Walla VA Medical Center, the “Welcome Home Event” is Sunday with the gates opening at 4 p.m. at Borleske Stadium, 409 E. Rees Ave., Walla Walla. The first pitch is at 4:35 p.m. Tickets for active military personnel, veterans and their immediate family members are \$6.50 each, which includes a drink and a hamburger or hot dog.

The colors will be presented by the Civil Air Patrol, and the national anthem will be sung by U.S. Navy Chaplain Corps Rear Adm. (retired) Darold F. Bigger. In addition, representatives from a number of organizations will offer information about services available to veterans. Also, it’s Sunday Funday at the ballpark, which includes face painting, bouncy houses and other activities for kids.

For more information, contact Linda Wondra, Walla Walla VA public affairs, at 509-525-5200 or [linda.wondra@va.gov](mailto:linda.wondra@va.gov) or visit <https://t.co/4sedHitLel>

Hospital auxiliary announces scholarships

HERMISTON — Several area students who are pursuing higher education in the field of medicine were recently awarded \$2,000 scholarships from the Good Shepherd Medical Center Auxiliary.

Eligible applicants must have already successfully completed at least one year of study and their home residence must be within the areas served by Good Shepherd Health Care System. Recipients from Hermiston, including their field of study, are Briana Wolfe, pharmacy; Kaira Ludwig, nursing; and

Vanessa Stackhouse, diagnostic imaging/X-ray. Students from Stanfield, who are both pursuing a master’s degree, are Elizabeth Sperr, healthcare and organization leadership; and Tina Goff, nursing leadership and management.

The hospital auxiliary raises money through sales at the Good Shepherd gift shop and other fundraisers, including bake sales, book sales and miscellaneous merchandise sales. For more information about the auxiliary, call volunteer services at 541-667-3690.

College high school grads, university students awarded Alison Furnish scholarships

PENDLETON — Three local college students seeking a career in the medical profession were recently awarded the PEO Chapter CM’s Alison Furnish Memorial Scholarship for the 2018-19 academic year.

This year’s recipients, each receiving \$1,000, are **Clancy Deutz**, a nursing student at Gonzaga University in Spokane, Washington; **Elizabeth Olsen**, a veterinary student at St. Matthew’s University in Orlando, Florida; and **Jodi Primus**, a nursing student at Blue Mountain Community College in Pendleton.

And six Pendleton High School grads also received Alison Furnish Memorial Scholarships, each in the amount of \$2,000.

**Alexi Brehaut**, the daughter of David and Kathleen Brehaut, will major in exercise science at Western Oregon University; **Paige**



Summerfield



Brehaut



Larsen



Graber



Johnson



Skinner

Skinner, the daughter of (the late) Mark Skinner and Dawn Skinner, will major in biology at the University of Oregon; **Doria Summerfield** will attend Oregon State University majoring in biology. Her parents are

John and Dena Summerfield; **Matthew Larsen**, the son of Eric and Leigh Larsen, will major in forensic science at Western Oregon University; **Kaci Graber** will attend Oregon State University where she will

RECORDS

LaFrance Grubbs

Pendleton  
June 24, 1918 - June 1, 2018

After a long and brilliant life, LaFrance Grubbs left us on June 1, 2018. She passed peacefully in her sleep.

LaFrance was born on June 24, 1918, at Mrs. Nichols Maternity Home. She was the third daughter of John and Winnie Blanchet. LaFrance attended a one-room school house in Coombs Canyon first through eighth grade. She moved to town where she attended and graduated high school from St. Joseph’s Academy.

She met the Grubbs love of her life at a dance and married James Oscar Grubbs on May 29, 1938. Together they had three daughters, Judy Kay Grubbs Pranger, Gaynell Grubbs Woodell and Rachelle Grubbs Doherty. LaFrance had 12 grandchildren, 19½ great-grandchildren and 1 great-great-grandchild. She also has numerous nieces, nephews and unofficial children and grandchildren.

LaFrance had a long and very active career in the world of credit. She served locally, regionally and internationally with Credit Professionals International. She received many awards and some of the highest honors the organization has to give. LaFrance final retired from her third career as executive director of Consumer Credit



Counseling Service at the age of 85.

In 1987 she worked tirelessly for over a year with Rudy Rada on the Clocktower project. In 1990 she was named First Citizen in Pendleton for all her work for the community.

LaFrance will always be remembered for her beauty, class, graciousness and love of family and friends.

LaFrance is survived by her daughters Judy Kay Pranger, Cornelius, Oregon; Gaynell Woodell, Merrill, Oregon; and Rachelle Doherty, Pendleton, Oregon; and countless loved ones.

She is preceded in death by her husband Oscar Grubbs; parents John and Winnie Blanchet; and six siblings, Marguerite Sartin, Verlie French, Bobbie Futler, John Blanchet, Cressie Depew and Jim Blanchet.

The rosary will be held Friday, June 8, 2018, at 7:00 p.m. at Burns Mortuary in Pendleton. Mass of Christian Burial will be held Saturday, June 9, 2018, at 10:00 a.m. at St. Andrews Mission. Burial will follow at Olney Cemetery.

Donations may be made to St. Andrews Mission or a charity of your choice.

Burns Mortuary of Pendleton is in charge of arrangements.

UPCOMING SERVICES

FRIDAY, JUNE 8

**ALEXANDER, BETTY** — Funeral services at 10 a.m. at Christ the King Lutheran Church, 325 S.W. Sixth Ave., Milton-Freewater. Interment will follow at the Milton-Freewater Cemetery.

**GRUBBS, LAFRANCE** — Recitation of the rosary at 7 p.m. at Burns Mortuary, 336 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton.

SATURDAY, JUNE 9

**CROXEN, JEAN** — Celebration of life service at 10 a.m. in the chapel at Burns Mortuary, 685 W. Hermiston Ave., Hermiston.

**DALLAS, DAVE** — Celebration of life from 2-5 p.m. at Dallas Ranch, Pendleton.

**GRUBBS, LAFRANCE** — Mass of Christian Burial at 10 a.m. at St. Andrew’s Mission, 48022 St. Andrews Road, Mission. Graveside burial services will follow at Olney Cemetery, Pendleton.

**KUHLMANN, HARRY** — Services at 1 p.m. at the Pendleton Free Methodist Church, 1711 S.W. 44th St.

**MUTH, DAVID** — Memorial service at 10 a.m. at Pilot Rock Baptist Church, 585 S.W. Birch St.

**WHITE, MAHALA** — Celebration of life service at 1 p.m. in the chapel at Burns Mortuary, 685 W. Hermiston Ave., Hermiston.

FRIDAY, JUNE 8

**PORT OF MORROW COMMISSION SPECIAL MEETING**, 11 a.m., Port of Morrow, 2 Marine Drive, Boardman. An executive session will be called during the meeting. (Dori Drago 541-481-7678)

MONDAY, JUNE 11

**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)

**ADAMS CITY COUNCIL**, 6:30 p.m., Adams City Hall, 190 N. Main St., Adams. (541-566-9380)

**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)

**ATHENA-WESTON SCHOOL DISTRICT**, 7 p.m., Athena Elementa-

OBITUARIES

Timothy K. Smith

Pendleton  
May 2, 1956 - May 29, 2018

Timothy K. Smith, 62, of Pendleton, Ore., passed away peacefully on Tuesday, May 29, 2018.

On May 2, 1956, Tim was born to Gerald E. Smith and Betty L. Smith in Boise, Idaho. He lived in Boise for his first three years, then the family moved to Santa Clara, Calif., where his parents worked in the banking business. Later they transferred to Palo Alto, Grass Valley, and Nevada City, Calif., where Tim started school. In 1968, the family settled in Pendleton, where Tim finished his education.

He later moved to Echo, Ore., where he lived for several years working for his brother Randy in his store, Smith’s Jewelers, in Hermiston and later for Selectric in Umatilla. From Echo he moved to Lake Havasu, Ariz., where he lived for five years and worked in construction.

While in Arizona he met a lovely English girl, Linda, and in 1990 he moved to England for two years where they got married in 1992. They left England and moved to Pendleton where Tim’s father employed him as a mechanic at his business, Jerry Smith Auto and Ugly Duck Car Rental.

In 1994 he became a father to Cristina Lynn. His dad retired and the business closed. The building was remodeled and Advantage



Trading was established. Tim took over the business from his brother, and ran it until his passing.

He was also a member of the Barean Baptist church.

Tim loved to go fishing with his daughter and spent many weekends down by the river. He exceeded in everything he engaged in including mechanics, clock/jewelry repair, electrical and plumbing; he was the perfect handyman! He also liked music and played the guitar, but especially loved playing his

drums.

Tim was preceded in death by his father.

He is survived by his mom Betty Smith, his daughter Cristina Smith, his brothers Geoff and Randy Smith and Cristina’s mom Linda Smith, all of Pendleton, along with many aunts, uncles and cousins, his nephew Todd, and many many friends.

A celebration of Life will be held at the Barean Baptist church, 8 N.W. Ninth St., Pendleton, Ore., at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, June 15.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the National Down Syndrome Society at <https://www.ndss.org/>

Burns Mortuary of Pendleton is in charge of arrangements. Sign the online condolence at [www.burns-mortuary.com](http://www.burns-mortuary.com)

DEATH NOTICES

Levi Joseph Steiner

Boardman  
May 2, 1980 - June 6, 2018

Levi Joseph Steiner, 38, of Boardman died Wednesday, June 6, 2018, at his home. He was born May 2, 1980, in Lewistown, Montana. A celebration of life service will be held Saturday, June 16 at 10 a.m. at the Westside Church of Christ, 2185 W. Orchard Ave., Hermiston. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Sign the online condolence book at [burnsmortuaryhermiston.com](http://burnsmortuaryhermiston.com)

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](http://www.eastoregonian.com/obituaryform), by email to [obits@eastoregonian.com](mailto: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

ry School library, 375 S. Fifth St., Athena. Budget committee meeting at 5:30 p.m., board meeting at 6:30 p.m. (Kim Thul 541-566-3551)

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

**TUESDAY, JUNE 12**

**PENDLETON TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE**, 10 a.m., Pendleton City Hall administrative conference room, 500 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. (Linda Carter 541-966-0331)

**PENDLETON PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION**, 12 p.m., Pendleton City Hall community room, 500 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. (541-276-8100)

**PORT OF UMATILLA COMMISSION**, 1 p.m., Port of Umatilla offices, 505 Willamette Ave., Umatilla. (541-922-3224)

**PENDLETON FARMERS MARKET BOARD**, 5:30 p.m., Pendleton Early Learning Center, 455 S.W. 13th St., Pendleton. (541-969-9466)

**WESTON CEMETERY BOARD**, 6 p.m., Memorial Hall, 210 E. Main St., Weston. (541-566-3313)


**PENDLETON LIBRARY BOARD**, 6 p.m., Pendleton Public Library meeting room, 502 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. (541-966-0380)

**LEXINGTON TOWN COUNCIL**, 7 p.m., Lexington Town Hall, 425 F St., Lexington. (541-989-8515)

**PENDLETON CITY COUNCIL WORKSHOP**, 7 p.m., Pendleton City Hall, 500 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. (Donna Biggerstaff 541-966-0209)

LOTTERY

<b>Wednesday, June 6, 2018</b>	Estimated jackpot: \$39,000
<b>Megabucks</b>	<b>Pick 4</b>
07-08-20-32-36-48	1 p.m.: 1-3-1-8
Estimated jackpot: \$6.9 million	4 p.m.: 1-5-9-3
	7 p.m.: 9-6-7-7
	10 p.m.: 2-4-8-9
<b>Powerball</b>	
23-28-41-53-56	<b>Thursday, June 7, 2018</b>
Powerball: 14	
Power Play: 3	<b>Pick 4</b>
Estimated jackpot: \$87 million	1 p.m.: 5-1-8-0
<b>Win for Life</b>	
08-26-62-74	
<b>Lucky Lines</b>	
02-06-10-16-FREE-18-22-28-29	



Fri - Wed, June 8 - June 13, 2018  
Subject to change. Check times daily.

**Hermiston Stadium 8**  
Hwy 395 & Theatre Ln - 567-1556  
**MoviesInHermiston.com**

OCEAN’S 8 (PG-13)
HEREDITARY (R-17)
ADRIFT (PG-13)
ACTION POINT (PG-13)
SOLO: A STAR WARS STORY (PG-13)
BOOK CLUB (PG-13)
DEADPOOL 2 (PG-13)
AVENGERS: INFINITY WAR (PG-13)

**\$5.<sup>50</sup> Bargain Tuesdays\*\***  
\*\*ALL DAY TUESDAY, MOST MOVIES.

Check ONLINE for more information!



**Summer Kickoff Party**  
ON THE LAWN  
**Friday, June 8**  
LIVE MUSIC 5-10pm  
*Scott Wilson & Murray Dunlap*

**HAMLEY STEAKHOUSE & SALOON**  
8 SE COURT AVE, PENDLETON • 541.278.1100