

PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

FRIDAY

5:16 p.m. - Pilot Rock police responded to Northeast Elm Street on a dog complaint and warned a pet owner for having a dog at large.

5:48 p.m. - A Milton-Freewater resident reported the theft of a gun.

6:28 p.m. - The Umatilla County Sheriff's Office received a report of a burglary at Birch Creek Construction, 54107 Birch Creek Road, Milton-Freewater.

SATURDAY

10:41 a.m. - A 911 caller on Staseline Road, Milton-Freewater, reported a dog bit someone.

11:19 a.m. - Umatilla police warned a resident on Eighth Street for having a dog at large.

SUNDAY

10:12 a.m. - A caller reported he boards his horses at the Columbia River Equestrian Center, 81900 Pleasant View Road, Irrigon, and pigs belonging to a neighbor keep getting onto the facility's property. A Morrow County sheriff's deputy responded.

11:28 a.m. - A Morrow County sheriff's deputy was investigating an animal issue and contacted an elderly woman in Umatilla who was the victim of abuse or neglect. The Morrow County Sheriff's Office and Irrigon ambulance responded. The sheriff's office referred the case to Umatilla County.

1:08 p.m. - Umatilla police took a report for graffiti at Pomono Drive and Columbia Boulevard.

1:09 p.m. - Someone kicked in the posts and smashed the solar light at the end of a driveway on Kunze Lane, Boardman. A Morrow County sheriff's deputy took a report for criminal mischief.

8:33 p.m. - A 65-year-old Boardman woman crashed off Interstate 84 near milepost 176. Oregon State Police reported she was driving west in a Toyota Corolla when she lost control, crossed the median and eastbound lanes. The car became airborne when it left the road and landed

on its wheels in a field. An ambulance took the driver to Good Shepherd Medical Center, Hermiston, for her injuries.

ARRESTS, CITATIONS

Wednesday

•Umatilla County Sheriff's Office arrested Darryl James Cobb, 65, last known location was Salem, for reckless driving and driving under the influence of intoxicants.

Friday

•Umatilla Tribal Police arrested Terry Wayne Johnson, 62, no address available, for assault and domestic abuse.

•Hermiston police arrested Chelsey Diane Colpitts, 28, of Hermiston, for misdemeanor probation violation and felonies of methamphetamine and heroin possession.

•Umatilla Tribal Police arrested Jared Elias Case, 24, of Pendleton, for felony assault, felony domestic abuse, restraining order violation, disorderly conduct and menacing.

•Hermiston police arrested Kaitlyn May Kelly, 24, of Hermiston, for second-degree burglary, second-degree theft, second-degree criminal mischief and on warrants for failure to pay fines and failure to appear.

Saturday

•Oregon State Police at about 1:20 p.m. responded to a report of a driver flashing a gun at other motorists during a confrontation while heading west on Interstate 84 about 10 miles east of Pendleton. State police found the blue Honda Pilot and questioned the driver and passengers.

Samuel Wade Howell III, 39, of Lubbock, Texas, admitted he displayed the gun, according to state police, and concealed it in the passenger compartment of the car. Howell, however, does not have an Oregon concealed carry permit.

The trooper seized the gun for evidence and cited Howell for menacing and unlawful possession of a firearm.

•Umatilla County Sheriff's Office arrested Joseph Denton McMillan, 28, no address available, for fourth-degree assault, menacing, reckless endangering

and reckless driving.

•Hermiston police arrested Javier Romo, 58, of Hermiston, for felony domestic violence assault and interfering with making a report.

•Hermiston police arrested Jose de Jesus Rodriguez Acosta, 42, no address available, for DUII, refusal to take a breath test, open container and driving without a license.

•Hermiston police arrested Timothy Allan Kelly, 27, of Hermiston, for second-degree burglary, second-degree theft, and second-degree criminal mischief.

Sunday

•Hermiston police arrested Mariah Kay Hurse, 21, of Hermiston, for second-degree trespass, tampering with physical evidence and on warrants after she took off running.

Hermiston police Capt. Scott Clark reported officers tried to contact Hurse at the Hermiston Walmart Supercenter, which has trespassed her, but she bolted. Police also discovered two warrants for her arrest, one of which had a "no bail" attachment.

During the arrest, Hurse told officers she had swallowed some heroin — the same claim she made to another agency previously that resulted in a citation and her release, according to Clark. Hermiston police called for an ambulance, which transported Hurse to the emergency department at Good Shepherd Medical Center, Hermiston.

Police stayed at the hospital more than 24 hours, until hospital staff cleared Hurse. Her next trip was to the Umatilla County Jail, Pendleton.

Monday

•Boardman police arrested Clifford Eugene Bradley, 52, of Hermiston, for first-degree burglary.

OBITUARIES

Joanna M. White

La Grande
February 1, 1952 - August 18, 2018

Joanna M. White, daughter of John and Mary Katona, was born February 1, 1952, and raised in Seattle. She passed away in La Grande, Oregon, August 18, 2018. She is survived by four brothers, Jerry, Brian, Tom and Kevin Katona, all from the Seattle area, and sister Karen Early of Pilot Rock.

Joanna received a Bachelor of Science in biology from Seattle University and obtained an advanced cooking degree in London

from Le Cordon Blue culinary school. She was a prolific cookbook author. She loved to cook and she loved to decorate for the holidays, and usually had an art project.

Our gratitude to Wildflower Lodge Memory Care Unit and Heart 'n Home Hospice in La Grande for their loving care of our sister Joanna.

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



White

DEATH NOTICES

Judith Anders Holden

Pendleton
April 2, 1942 - Aug. 25, 2018

Judith Anders Holden, 76, of Pendleton died Saturday, Aug. 25, 2018, in Pendleton. She was born April 2, 1942, in San Mateo, Calif. Arrangements are being handled by Pendleton Pioneer Chapel, Folsom-Bishop. Online condolences may be sent to www.pioneerchapel.com.

Mary Doretta Roderick

The Dalles
April 10, 1942 - Aug. 23, 2018

Former Pendleton resident Mary Doretta Roderick, 76, of The Dalles died Thursday, Aug. 23, 2018, at a care facility. She was born April 10, 1942, in Fort Sumner, N.M. Spencer Libby & Powell Funeral Home in The Dalles is in care of arrangements.

Charles Elwood Hoeft

Tucson, Ariz.
May 18, 1935 - Aug. 21, 2018

Former Pendleton resident Charles Elwood Hoeft, 83, died Tuesday, Aug. 21, 2018, in Tucson, Ariz. He was born May 18, 1935. A graveside service will be held Saturday, Sept. 8, at 2 p.m. at Skyview Cemetery in Pendleton. Burns Mortuary of Pendleton is handling local arrangements.

Thomas Lee Roy Clark

Pendleton
Oct. 7, 1953 - Aug. 23, 2018

Thomas Lee Roy Clark, 64, of Pendleton died Thursday, Aug. 23, 2018. He was born Oct. 7, 1953. Graveside services will be held Friday, Aug. 31, at 10 a.m. at Olney Cemetery in Pendleton. Burns Mortuary of Pendleton is in charge of arrangements.

Lanson Dean Gambill

Pilot Rock
March 25, 1960 - Aug. 25, 2018

Lanson Dean Gambill 58, of Pilot Rock died Saturday, Aug. 25, 2018, at a local care facility. He was born March 25, 1960. Burns Mortuary of Pendleton is in charge of arrangements.

Vernal 'Vern' Willcox

Pendleton
Sept. 16, 1941 - Aug. 10, 2018

Vernal "Vern" Willcox, 76, of Pendleton died Friday, Aug. 10, 2018, at his home. He was born Sept. 16, 1941, in Dayton, Wash. A "Celebration of a Life Well Lived" will be held Friday, Aug. 31, from 1-3 p.m. at the Grecian Heights Park South picnic shelter (new location). Food and beverages will be provided. Pendleton Pioneer Chapel, Folsom-Bishop handled arrangements. Online condolences may be sent to www.pioneerchapel.com

UPCOMING SERVICES

TUESDAY, AUG. 28

FRIEDRICHSEN, GIL — Memorial services at 2 p.m. at Christ the King Lutheran Church, 325 S.W. Sixth Ave., Milton-Freewater.

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 29

HOBBS, PEYTON — Celebration of life service at 3 p.m. in the chapel at Burns Mortuary, 685 W. Hermiston Ave., Hermiston. A potluck gathering will follow at Spillway Park, below McNary Dam, in Umatilla.

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A life of courage, politics came down to 1 vote for McCain

By **NANCY BENAC**
Associated Press

WASHINGTON (AP) — For John McCain, a lifetime of courage, contradictions and contrarianism came down to one vote, in the middle of the night, in the twilight of his career.

The fate of President Donald Trump's long effort to repeal Barack Obama's health care law hung in the balance as a Senate roll call dragged on past 1 a.m. on a July night in 2017.

Then came McCain — 80 years old, recently diagnosed with brain cancer, his face still scarred from surgery, striding with purpose toward the well of the Senate.

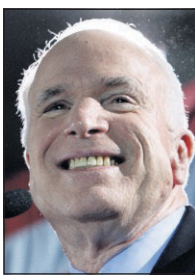
The Arizona Republican raised his right arm, paused for dramatic

effect and flashed a determined thumbs-down, drawing gasps from both sides of the aisle.

Trump's health care bill was dead. McCain's life-long reputation as free thinker, never to be intimidated, was very much alive.

It was the capstone of a political career that had taken McCain from the House to the Senate to the Republican presidential nomination, but never to his ultimate goal, the White House.

McCain, who faced down his captors in a Vietnamese prison of war camp and later turned his trademark defiance into a political asset, died Saturday. He was 81.



McCain

With his irascible grin and fighter-pilot moxie, McCain won election to the House from Arizona twice and the Senate six times. But twice he was thwarted in his quest for the presidency. His upstart bid for president in 2000 took flight in New Hampshire only to be quickly flattened in South Carolina.

Eight years later, he fought back from the brink of defeat to win the GOP nomination, only to be overpowered by Democrat Obama in the general election. McCain had chosen a little-known Alaska governor as his running mate for that race, and in the process helped turn Sarah Palin into a political celebrity.

Neil Simon, Broadway's master of comedy, dies at 91

By **MARK KENNEDY**
AP Entertainment Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Playwright Neil Simon, a master of comedy whose laugh-filled hits such as "The Odd Couple," "Barefoot in the Park" and his "Brighton Beach" trilogy dominated Broadway for decades, has died. He was 91.

Simon died early Sunday of complications from pneumonia at New York Presbyterian Hospital in Man-

hattan, said Bill Evans, a longtime friend and spokesman for Shubert Organization theaters.

In the second half of the 20th century, Simon was the American theater's most successful and prolific playwright, often chronicling middle class issues and fears. Starting with "Come Blow Your Horn" in 1961 and continuing into the next century, he rarely



Simon

stopped working on a new play or musical. His list of credits is staggering.

The theater world quickly mourned his death, including Tony Award-winning actor and playwright Harvey Fierstein, who tweeted that Simon "could write a joke that would make you laugh, define the character, the situation, and even the world's problems."

EOU announces spring 2018 graduates

LA GRANDE — Eastern Oregon University awarded 754 degrees during the 2017-18 academic year. Those who earned GPAs between 3.5 and 3.69 graduated with *cum laude* honors, 3.7 to 3.84 graduated *magna cum laude*, and 3.85 to 4.0 graduated *summa cum laude*. The following local students earned degrees or certificates:

Athens: Tara Fox, BS, multidisciplinary studies and elementary education; Terry Simpson, BS, business administration; Crystal Wortman, MA in Teaching.

Boardman: Briton Hansen, BA, biology, *summa cum laude*; Melissa Keefer, MA in Teaching; Javier Di Mauro, BS, business administration; Gregory Shimer, BS, business administration.

Hermiston: Telisha Boedigheimer-Goodwin, BS, integrative study (2 minors); Samantha Cooley, BS, multidisciplinary studies; Joshua Ego, MA in Teaching; Helena Hains, MA in Teaching; Maryanna Hardin, BS, multidisciplinary studies and elementary education; Xochilt Juarez, BS, multidisciplinary studies and elementary education; Hannah Mabbott, BS, physical

activity & health; Tasha Marshall, BS, psychology; Meghan McDonough, BS, multidisciplinary studies and elementary education; Makenna Ramos, MA in Teaching; Celeste Rodriguez, BS, multidisciplinary studies and elementary education; Caitlin Shimer, BS, multidisciplinary studies and elementary education; Debra Smith, BS, multidisciplinary studies and elementary education, *magna cum laude*; Katrina Vanderploeg, BS, early childhood education.

Ione: Lisa Hollingsworth, MA in Teaching; Tara Proudfoot, MA in Teaching.

Irrigon: Ashlynn Burnett, BS, multidisciplinary studies and elementary education; James Creason, BS, business administration.

Milton-Freewater: Amy Arnzen, BS, physical activity & health, *cum laude*; Brittney Anne Hall, MA in Teaching.

Pendleton: Maritsa Alvarez, BS, multidisciplinary studies and elementary education; Nyssa Desmond, BA, art, *magna cum laude*; Natasha Forkner, BS, physical activity & health; Amanda Fowler, MA in Teaching; Quincy George,

BS, business administration; Mayra Mendoza, BS, anthropology/ sociology; Paige M. Navratil, BA, psychology, *cum laude*; Elizabeth Olsen, BS, biology, *cum laude*; Carlin Sacco, BS, politics & economics; Naomi Sherbahn, BS, business administration; Shiloh Simrell, BA, biology; Christine Johnston Wilson,

MA in Teaching.

Pilot Rock: Brittany Doherty, MA in Teaching; Bailey Weinke, BS, physical activity & health, *cum laude*.

Stanfield: Kory Morgan, BS, multidisciplinary studies and elementary education.

Umatilla: Kasandra Galbraith, BS, history.

LOTTERY

Friday, Aug. 24, 2018
Megamillions
01-06-13-18-49
Megaball: 8
Megaplier: 2
Estimated jackpot: \$118 million
Lucky Lines
02-08-09-14-FREE-20-22-27-29
Estimated jackpot: \$27,000
Pick 4
1 p.m.: 8-7-5-6
4 p.m.: 0-9-9-8
7 p.m.: 4-5-6-0
10 p.m.: 9-4-6-4

Saturday, Aug. 25, 2018
Powerball
20-25-54-57-63
Powerball: 8
Power Play: 2
Estimated jackpot: \$70 million
Megabucks
04-14-28-39-41-46
Estimated jackpot: \$6.1 million

Friday, Aug. 24, 2018
Lucky Lines
03-06-10-15-FREE-20-21-27-30
Estimated jackpot: \$28,000
Pick 4
1 p.m.: 7-8-4-0
4 p.m.: 9-2-1-2
7 p.m.: 4-6-7-6
10 p.m.: 2-2-8-0
Win for Life
18-54-56-77

Sunday, Aug. 26, 2018
Lucky Lines
03-07-11-15-FREE-18-22-28-31
Estimated jackpot: \$29,000
Pick 4
1 p.m.: 2-0-6-9
4 p.m.: 2-2-3-9
7 p.m.: 8-4-6-3
10 p.m.: 6-8-0-3

Monday, Aug. 27, 2018
Pick 4
1 p.m.: 5-1-5-5