

PUBLIC SAFETY

MONDAY

7:56 a.m. — A caller at Southwest 17th Street and West Highland Avenue, Hermiston, reported following the driver that took off after rear-ending their car.

9:42 a.m. — A gas attendant on West Highland Avenue, Hermiston, put regular fuel into a diesel truck.

10:53 a.m. — Pendleton police took a report for drug activity at Sunridge Middle School, 700 S.W. Runnion Ave.

11:44 a.m. — An empty metal tank for containing chemicals fell from a flatbed pickup on Interstate 84 between Depot Lane and Paterson Ferry Road, Hermiston. A semitrailer behind the pickup struck the large container, which caused more than \$2,500 damage to the left front of the semi. The container did not damage any other vehicles. Oregon State Police cited the 21-year-old male pickup driver for not securing the load.

12:20 p.m. — The Umatilla County Sheriff’s Office took a report for an assault at Elmer’s Irrigation & Supplies, 80527 Highway 395, Hermiston.

1:15 p.m. — Milton-Freewater fire departments took on a old cannery that caught fire.

The Milton-Freewater Rural Fire Department reported it along with the Milton-Freewater Fire Department responded to the 53000 block of West Ferndale Road for a fire at an 80-year-old building that was built as a cannery.

The fire was throughout the building as crews and equipment arrived. Firefighters prevented the blaze from spreading to nearby structures and were on the scene almost 4 hours.

Milton-Freewater Rural Fire also reported the cause is under investigation.

5:27 p.m. — Emergency services responded to a single-vehicle rollover on Interstate 84 near milepost 210, Pendleton. The driver, a 46-year-old Pendleton woman, suffered minor injuries, and an ambulance took her to St. Anthony Hospital, Pendleton. Oregon State Police were among the responders, and a trooper secured three firearms from the damaged Ford Expedition and placed them in a locker at the state police command in Pendleton.

11:12 p.m. — Umatilla police found graffiti at Cline Avenue and Third Street.

ARRESTS, CITATIONS

•Oregon State Police arrested Gilberto Calmo Ramirez, 25, of Hermiston, for driving under the influence of intoxicants and driving while suspended or revoked.

•Two Umatilla teens ended up in police handcuffs following an investigation of a hit-and-run.

An 18-year-old driver at about 3:30 p.m. reported a male he knows chased him for about 15 minutes in Umatilla, brandished a gun, rear-ended his vehicle and took off.

Oregon State Police found the damage on the rear of the first car, a Dodge Neon, was consistent with the damage on the front of the second, a Toyota Scion FR-S. Troopers also found the Toyota’s driver, an 18-year-old male, at his home in Umatilla and arrested him for the hit-and-run and then for resisting arrest, both misdemeanors.

During the arrest, a 16-year-old boy interfered. State police arrested him for the interference and resisting arrest as well.

Deutz named to COCC Dean’s List

BEND — **Avery Deutz** of Pilot Rock was among the students named to the Winter 2019 Dean’s List at Central Oregon Community College.

The Dean’s List recognizes students enrolled in 12 or more graded credits who receive a term GPA of 3.60 or better.

LOTTERY

Monday, April 29, 2019	12-48-58-72
Megabucks	Pick 4
04-06-24-29-38-44	1 p.m.: 9-6-6-6
Estimated jackpot: \$2.6 million	4 p.m.: 6-2-7-8
Lucky Lines	7 p.m.: 3-6-6-0
04-05-11-13-FREE-19-23-25-30	10 p.m.: 5-7-4-8
Estimated jackpot: \$33,000	Tuesday, April 30, 2019
Win for Life	Pick 4
	1 p.m.: 0-9-6-7

RECORDS

OBITUARIES

Terri Lee Linnell

Hermiston
March 15, 1951 — April 26, 2019

Terri Lee Linnell of Hermiston was born March 15, 1951, in Pendleton, Oregon, the daughter of Hubert and Mary (Clark) Senn. She passed away in Hermiston on Friday, April 26, 2019, at the age of 68.

Terri lived in Irrigon during most of her childhood where she attended her schooling. She married Michael Linnell on March 18, 1968, and from this union four children were born. The couple operated Sea Hutch Incorporated. They divorced many years later.

Terri worked throughout her career as a waitress at several local restaurants. She loved spending her time with her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Her dog “Oakie” and her cat “Kitty” brought her much joy. She enjoyed bowling in a senior league, watching reality TV shows (especially “Survivor”) and walking to meet new people. She had a quirky sense of humor and took pleasure in making people laugh.

She is survived by her

daughters Tia Richards, Stephanie Linnell and Misty Morrison; son Scott Linnell; 13 grandchildren, Marissa, Hailey, Marlee, Kaycee, Braden, Trevor, Kiana, Katrina, Brandon, Shelby, Sarah, Connor and Madison; three great-grandchildren, Mason, Orion and Dawson; sisters Gloria Miller and Stacy Meyer; brothers Dallas Senn and Cloyd Senn; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; sister Linda McRae; and longtime partner Lloyd Brundage.

Funeral services will be at 11:00 a.m. Saturday May 4, 2019, at Burns Mortuary of Hermiston, 685 W. Hermiston Ave., Hermiston, Oregon. Burial will follow in Desert Lawn Memorial Cemetery in Irrigon.

Family suggest memorial donations in Terri’s memory to Pet Rescue-Humane Society of Eastern Oregon.

To leave an online condolence for the family go to www.burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.



Linnell

Colette Gates

Pendleton
November 7, 1954 — April 23, 2019

Colette Gates was born November 7, 1954, in Rexburg, Idaho, to Hallie Davidson (Mortensen) and Faron Davidson. She passed away in her home in Pendleton April 23, 2019, at the age of 64.

Colette was raised on a farm and attended her schooling in first Moses Lake and then finished in Ephrata. At age 18 she married Ed Gates and later gave birth to Mandy Nichole Gates before divorcing. She gave birth to Ryan Faron Gates whom she raised before moving to first Hermiston and then later Pendleton, where she has resided since.

Being raised on a farm and holding down multiple jobs over many years, she was a hardworking and capable mother. She loved to cook, kept an immaculate home, and was always growing a variety of plants. Until health issues made it impos-

sible to do so, she worked as a medical aid in a nursing home and part time in the local middle school cafeteria. Even after health issues prevented her from working, she was always looking for jobs she could do.

Colette is preceded in death by her father Faron, and siblings Alta, Jane and Gary. Colette is survived by her mother Hallie, siblings Susan, Dorothy, Lot-tie, Lanney and Warren, and children Mandy and Ryan. All of these she loved deeply and was loved deeply by in return.

A celebration of life and potluck will be held May 19 at Roy Raley Park from 10 a.m. to noon.

Burns Mortuary of Pendleton is in charge of arrangements.

To leave an online condolence for the family, please go to www.burnsmortuary.com.



Gates

DEATH NOTICES

Florencio Lomeli Rivera

Hermiston
Sept. 5, 1947 — April 29, 2019

Florencio Lomeli Rivera, 71, of Hermiston, died Monday, April 29, 2019, at his home. He was born Sept. 5, 1947, in Guanajuato, Mexico. Rosary will be held Thursday, May 2 at 1 p.m. at Our Lady of Angels Catholic Church, Hermiston, with funeral mass to follow at 1:30 p.m. Burial will follow at the Hermiston Cemetery. Arrangements by Burns Mortuary of Hermiston. Share memories with the family at www.burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

Jack U. Duffee

Hermiston
Sept. 30, 1935 — April 27, 2019

Jack U. Duffee, 83, of Hermiston, died Saturday, April 27, 2019, in Hermiston. He was born Sept. 30, 1935, in Chicago, Illinois. A private family ceremony with burial will be in Willamette National Cemetery in Portland. Arrangements by Burns Mortuary of Hermiston. To view the full obituary or to leave an online condolence for the family, go to www.burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

UPCOMING SERVICES

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1

SWANCUTT, KATHRYN, AND ESTELLE WHARTON — Joint celebration of life at 1 p.m. in the chapel at Burns Mortuary, 685 W. Hermiston Ave., Hermiston.

THURSDAY, MAY 2

RIVERA, FLORENCIO — Recitation of the rosary at 1 p.m. followed by a funeral mass at 1:30 p.m. at Our Lady of Angels Catholic Church, 565 W. Hermiston Ave., Hermiston. Burial will follow at the Hermiston Cemetery.

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MEETINGS

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1

MORROW COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, 9 a.m., Bartholomew Government Building upper conference room, 110 N. Court St., Heppner. (Roberta Lutcher 541-676-5613)

HERMISTON AIRPORT ADVISORY COMMITTEE, 4 p.m., Hermiston Airport lounge, 1600 Airport Way, Hermiston. (541-567-5521)

UMATILLA COUNTY SPECIAL LIBRARY DISTRICT SPECIAL MEETING, 5 p.m., UCSLD office, 211 S.W. First St., Pendleton. (Dea Nowell 541-966-0917)

BLUE MOUNTAIN BOARD OF EDUCATION, 6 p.m., Blue Mountain Community College Pioneer Hall boardroom, 2411 N.W. Carden Ave., Pendleton. 5 p.m. executive session, 6 p.m. regular meeting. (Shannon Franklin 541-278-5951)

MEACHAM VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT, 6 p.m., Meacham Fire Department, Meacham. (541-786-2069)

STANFIELD CITY COUNCIL, 6 p.m., Stanfield City Hall, 160 S. Main St., Stanfield. (Nikki McCann 541-449-3831)

CONDON CITY COUNCIL, 7 p.m., Condon City Hall, 128 S. Main St., Condon. (541-384-2711)

UMATILLA RURAL FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT, 7 p.m., Umatilla Fire Department, 305 Willamette St., Umatilla. (541-922-2770)

THURSDAY, MAY 2

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

FRIDAY, MAY 3

No meetings scheduled

MONDAY, MAY 6

STOKES LANDING SENIOR CENTER BOARD, 6 p.m., Stokes Landing Senior Center, 150 Columbia Lane, Irrigon. (541-922-3137)

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

MILTON-FREEWATER PLANNING COMMISSION, 7 p.m., Milton-Freewater Public Library Albee Room, 8 S.W. Eighth Ave., Milton-Freewater. 6:30 p.m. study session, 7 p.m. regular meeting. (Lisa Wasson 541-938-8235)

TUESDAY, MAY 7

UMATILLA MORROW RADIO & DATA DISTRICT, 1:30 p.m., Boardman City Hall, 200 City Center Circle, Boardman. 1:30 p.m. budget committee, regular meeting at 2:15 p.m. (541-966-3774)

PENDLETON SCHOOL DISTRICT WORK SESSION, 3 p.m., Pendleton School District office, 107 N.W. 10th St., Pendleton. (541-276-6711)

WESTON LIBRARY BOARD, 5 p.m., Weston Public Library, 108 E. Main St., Weston. (541-566-2378)

IRRIGON PLANNING COMMISSION, 6 p.m., Irrigon City Hall, 500 N.E. Main St., Irrigon. (541-922-3047)

PILOT ROCK CITY COUNCIL, 7 p.m., Pilot Rock City Hall council chambers, 143 W. Main St., Pilot Rock. (541-443-2811)

UMATILLA CITY COUNCIL, 7 p.m., Umatilla City Hall council chambers, 700 Sixth St., Umatilla. (Nanci 541-922-3226 ext. 105)

PENDLETON CITY COUNCIL, 7 p.m., Pendleton City Hall council chambers, 501 S.W. Emigrant Ave., Pendleton. (541-966-0201)

BOARDMAN CITY COUNCIL, 7 p.m., Boardman City Hall, 200 City Center Circle, Boardman. (Jackie McCauley 541-481-9252)

WESTON PLANNING COMMISSION, 7:30 p.m., Memorial Hall, 210 E. Main St., Weston. (Sheila 541-566-3313)

Senator who helped secure Soviet arsenal dies

Former longtime U.S. Sen. Richard Lugar of Indiana helped spur the dismantling of thousands of nuclear weapons

By TOM DAVIES
Associated Press

INDIANAPOLIS — Richard Lugar worked to alert Americans about the threat of terrorism years before “weapons of mass destruction” became a common phrase following the Sept. 11 attacks.

The longtime Republican senator from Indiana helped start a program that destroyed thousands of former Soviet nuclear and chemical weapons after the Cold War ended — then warned during a short-lived 1996 run for president about the danger of such devices falling into the hands of terrorists.

“Every stockpile represents a theft opportunity for terrorists and a temptation for security personnel who might seek to profit by selling weapons on the black market,” Lugar said in 2005. “We do not want the question posed the day after an attack on an American military base.”

The soft-spoken and thoughtful former Rhodes



AP Photo/Daniel R. Patmore, File
In a March 23, 2016, file photo, former U.S. Sen. Richard Lugar talks with reporters at the University of Southern Indiana in Evansville, Ind.

Scholar was a leading Republican voice on foreign policy matters during his 36 years in the U.S. Senate, but whose reputation of working with Democrats ultimately cost him the office in 2012. He died Sunday at age 87 at a hospital in Virginia, where he was being treated for a rare neurological disorder called chronic inflammatory demyelinating polyneuropathy, or CIPD, the Lugar Center in Washington said in a statement.

Lugar’s long popularity in Indiana gave him the freedom to concentrate largely on foreign policy and national security matters — a focus highlighted by his collaboration with Democratic Sen. Sam Nunn

on a program under which the United States paid to dismantle and secure thousands of nuclear warheads and missiles in the former Soviet states after the Cold War ended.

Lugar served for decades on the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, twice as chairman, where he helped steer arms reduction pacts for the presidential administrations of George H.W. Bush, Bill Clinton and Barack Obama, supported an expansion of NATO and favored aid to Nicaragua’s Contra rebels.

“Lugar was a leader not only in the Senate but also on the world stage, where he worked tirelessly to bring pressure to end apartheid in South Africa and enforce treaties that destroyed Soviet weapons of mass destruction,” Vice President Mike Pence, a former governor of Indiana, said in a statement.

Another former governor, Purdue University President Mitch Daniels, who spent more than a decade as chief of staff to Lugar, said, “The world is safer from nuclear danger because of him.”

Lugar tried to translate his foreign policy expertise into a 1996 presidential run. But his campaign for the GOP nomination went badly from the start. His kickoff rally began just hours after the 1995 bombing of

the Oklahoma City federal building, and he struggled to build name recognition and support.

He withdrew a year into the race after failing to win a single convention delegate, but not before foreshadowing the threat of terrorism that would become all too real on Sept. 11, 2001. Three of his television ads depicted mushroom clouds and warned of the growing danger of weapons of mass destruction in the hands of terrorist groups.

Lugar’s time as a Washington foreign policy expert was the highlight of a political career that began with his election to the Indianapolis school board in the early 1960s. City GOP leaders encouraged him to run for mayor in 1967. He spent eight years at the city’s helm.

He first ran for Senate in 1974, narrowly losing to Sen. Birch Bayh in a Democratic landslide after the Watergate scandal. He ran again two years later and easily unseated three-term Democratic Sen. Vance Hartke, launching a 36-year Capitol Hill career that made him Indiana’s longest-serving senator.

He built a reputation as someone willing to work across the aisle and showed he could buck his party, notably with two major disagreements with President Ronald Reagan.