PUBLIC SAFETY

WEDNESDAY

6:54 a.m. — A 33-year-old Hermiston woman crashed a Toyota Corolla on Interstate 84 westbound near milepost 196 when she crossed from the right lane to the left lane and subsequently rolled down a ravine. Oregon State Police reported she claimed she hit a rock and over-corrected. She also declined medical treatment. State police gave her a citation.

8:20 a.m. — Umatilla police took a report for a male transient breaking into an area at Umatilla High School and stealing pop cans.

8:28 a.m. — A Hermiston resident asked for an officer to call her because the person who has been telephonically harassing her and her family just tried to run her off the road near Safeway.

9 a.m. — Pendleton police received a report for a burglary at the decrepit Edwards Apartments, 602 S.E. Dorion Ave.

11:06 a.m. — A man asked for a Hermiston officer to call him. He said he wanted to know if it is legal to hold a leash out of his pickup window to have his dog run as he drove.

1:55 p.m. — Pendleton police responded to a report of possible child abuse.

1:57 p.m. — A caller reported an assault at Shadeview RV Park, 1417 S.W. 37th St., Pendleton.

2:48 p.m. — A woman told Stanfield police a dog jumped on her she she went into a house at East Furnish Avenue and South Wayne Street and she thinks the dog is dangerous.

3:48 p.m. — A female told Hermiston police she and her boyfriend received threats about having their vehicles damaged.

8:26 p.m. — Pendleton police arrived to the Eighth Street Bridge on Southeast Byers Avenue on a call about drug activity, but anyone suspicious had left.

ARRESTS, CITATIONS

•Hermiston police arrested Laura Michelle Dewey, 21, of Hermiston, for reckless driving and misdemeanor and felony attempt to elude.

LOTTERY

Wednesday, May 8, 2019
Megabucks
22-35-40-41-45-46
Estimated jackpot: $1 million
Powerball
01-45-53-64-66
Powerball: 3
Power Play: 3
Estimated jackpot: $215 million
Win for Life
01-15-18-77

Lucky Lines
02-06-12-13-FREE-18-24-28-29
Estimated jackpot: $12,000
Pick 4
1 p.m.: 7-1-9-2
4 p.m.: 9-1-9-6
7 p.m.: 0-9-2-3
10 p.m.: 9-0-0-0
Thursday, May 9, 2019
Pick 4
1 p.m.: 8-6-5-6

UPCOMING SERVICES

FRIDAY, MAY 10

JAMES, JIM — Funeral service at 11 a.m. at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 609 N.W. 12th St., Pendleton.

JOLLEY, GREG — Visitation from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Burns Mortuary of Pendleton, 336 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. A memorial service will follow at 1 p.m. at St. Anthony Hospital chapel, 2801 St. Anthony Way, Pendleton.

SATURDAY, MAY 11

HARGETT, BOB — Graveside service with military honors at 11 a.m. at Olney Cemetery, Pendleton. A reception will follow at the Pendleton Eagles Lodge, 428 S. Main St.

MITCHELL, GENE — Funeral service at 10 a.m. at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1035 S.E. Ninth St., Hermiston. Burial with military honors will follow at the Hermiston Cemetery.

OBITUARIES

Greg Dean Jolley

Pendleton
Dec. 30, 1951 — May 6, 2019

Greg Dean Jolley was born December 30, 1951 in Eureka, California, to Loyd and Rita Jolley. He passed away on Monday May 6, 2019, at the age of 67. Though many at the hospital knew him as "Punkin Head."

Jolley

Greg was raised and attended school in Crescent City, California. He then joined his father in the family contracting business. He lived in Salem and then moved to Pendleton. He enjoyed watching sports, such as football and baseball.

Greg is preceded in death by his parents, Loyd and Rita Jolley, and a niece, Breena.

Greg is survived by his siblings Terry, Oma, Jenny, Karen, Ruby and Tim; daughters Rosie Daniels, Ruby Daniels and Shania Jolley; and also his longtime caregiver, Margie Newsom. "I love you Greg."

Visitation will be held Friday, May 10, 2019, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Burns Mortuary. Memorial service will be held at the St. Anthony Chapel at 1 p.m. Burns Mortuary of Pendleton is in charge of arrangements. Sign the online guestbook at www.burnmortuary.com

DEATH NOTICES

Jean Musselman

Irrigon
June 4, 1950 — May 5, 2019

Jean Musselman, 68, of Irrigon, died Sunday, May 5, 2019, in Kennewick, Wash. She was born June 4, 1950, in Snowville, Utah. A funeral service will be held Saturday, May 18 at 10 a.m. at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 500 Wilson Road S.W., Boardman. Burial will follow in Desert Lawn Memorial Cemetery in Irrigon. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements.

MEETINGS

FRIDAY, MAY 10

No meetings scheduled

MONDAY, MAY 13

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)
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)
HERMISTON SCHOOL DISTRICT, 6:30 p.m., district office, 305 S.W. 11th St., Hermiston. (Briana Cortaberria 541-667-6000)
ATHENA-WESTON SCHOOL DISTRICT, 6:30 p.m., TBD. (Paula Warner 541-566-3551)
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)
HERMISTON CITY COUNCIL, 7 p.m., Hermiston City Hall council chambers, 180 N.E. Second St., Hermiston. (541-567-5521)

TUESDAY, MAY 14

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, 6:30 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)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15

MORROW COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, 9 a.m., SAGE Center, 101 Olson Road, Boardman. (Roberta Lutcher 541-676-5613)
INTERMOUNTAIN EDUCATION SERVICE DISTRICT, 5 p.m., InterMountain ESD office, 2001 N.W. Nye Ave., Pendleton. Work session at 5 p.m. with regular board meeting to follow at 6 p.m. (Marla Royal 888-437-6892)
OREGON TRAIL LIBRARY DISTRICT, 6:30 p.m., Heppner Public Library, 444 N. Main St., Heppner. (Kathy Street 541-481-3365)
BOARDMAN PLANNING COMMISSION, 7 p.m., Boardman City Hall, 200 City Center Circle, Boardman. (541-481-9252)
PILOT ROCK SCHOOL DISTRICT, 7 p.m., Pilot Rock High School library, 101 N.E. Cherry St., Pilot Rock. (541-443-8291)
UMATILLA HOSPITAL DISTRICT, 7:30 p.m., Umatilla Medical Clinic, 1890 Seventh St., Umatilla. (541-922-3104)

THURSDAY, MAY 16

WEST EXTENSION IRRIGATION DISTRICT, 9 a.m., Irrigon Fire Department, 705 N.E. Main St., Irrigon. (Lisa Baum 541-922-3814)
HERMISTON IRRIGATION DISTRICT, 4 p.m., Hermiston Irrigation District office conference room, 366 E. Hurlburt Ave., Hermiston. (541-567-3024)
ECHO CITY COUNCIL, 4 p.m., Old VFW Hall, 210 W. Bridge St., Echo. (541-376-8411)
UMATILLA COUNTY SPECIAL LIBRARY DISTRICT, 5:15 p.m., Pendleton Center for the Arts boardroom, 214 N. Main St., Pendleton. (Erin McCusker 541-276-6449)

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In this Jan. 14, 2007, file photo, Maria Xuncax, left, stands beside her daughter Policarpia Gaspar, center, during her marriage to Juan Mendez, right, at the Sacred Heart Church in Lake Worth, Fla. Gaspar, a Guatemalan civil war exile who co-founded a Florida organization mentoring Indian refugee children and connecting pregnant women to doctors has died at 53. Gaspar's family said she battled leukemia for three years.

Exiled Guatemalan who started Florida refugee nonprofit dies

By ADRIANA GOMEZ LICON
Associated Press

MIAMI — Policarpia Gaspar, a Guatemalan civil war exile who co-founded a Florida organization mentoring Indian refugee children and connecting pregnant women to doctors has died, her family said Wednesday. She was 53.

Her son, Glenn Mendez, said his mother had been battling leukemia for more than three years and died last week. She was buried Wednesday.

Gaspar gained a prominent role in helping many Guatemalan families adapt to a new life in Florida during and after their country's brutal armed conflict. She continued to speak her native Maya language and dress in traditional indigenous garb.

"She was all about helping Guatemalans transition properly into the U.S. culture and helping their kids to advance," said Mendez. "But she wanted them to still maintain their heritage."

Born to peasant farmers on Dec. 3, 1965, in the village of San Miguel Acatan, Gaspar and her family fled their country's hostilities in 1980, when the Guatemalan government was systematically destroying villages seeking to root out leftist guerrillas.

According to the United Nations, about 200,000 people were killed during Guatemala's 36-year conflict, which ended in 1996. The conflict forced thousands of Guatemalans to escape, and many exiles settled in Florida.

Gaspar attended high school in California, where her family originally arrived, before moving to Florida. She then graduated with an associate's degree from Palm Beach Community College, now known as Palm Beach State College.

Gaspar and a Catholic priest who ran the diocese immigration and refugee office in West Palm Beach founded the Guatemalan Maya-Center in nearby Lake Worth in 1992. Father Frank O'Loughlin had already worked with the petite Guatemalan woman assisting other refugees with immigration procedures in Indiantown, where many Guatemalans worked in the farm fields.

Growing up speaking the ancient language of Kanjobal, Gaspar would help translate information between immigrants and lawyers. She also drove pregnant women to doctor's visits, so they wound understand the medical orders.

The nonprofit has grown since its creation and now serves 1,000 families monthly. There are some 80,000 Guatemalans living in Florida, many of them are concentrated in Palm Beach County, home to Lake Worth.

Known as Polly, Gaspar and her husband Juan Mendez also began a Saturday mentoring program to help refugee children with little schooling and limited English.

Gaspar was known for wearing traditional long and loose tunics designed with vivid patterns of birds, flowers or geometrical shapes, known as huipiles.

"She was unapologetic. She was taken out of her country, but the country wasn't taken out of her," said her daughter Mallyn Mendez.

Gaspar is survived by her two parents, her husband, eight siblings and three children.

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