

PUBLIC SAFETY

MONDAY

12:23 p.m. — Pendleton police gave a warning after they were called to Stillman Park, 403 S.E. Byers Ave., for a disturbance.

2:01 p.m. — A fight at Northwest 15th Street, Pendleton, brought Pendleton police to the scene.

4:56 p.m. — A caller at the KOA campground, 1375 S.E. Third St., Pendleton, complained of a vehicle break-in and possible fraud.

TUESDAY

3:18 a.m. — The Morrow County Sheriff's Office received a report of a male assaulting a female at a residence on Brace Road, Irrigon. A deputy and local officer arrived, and the female denied any assault.

9:37 a.m. — An Irrigon resident on Northeast Main Avenue complained about the neighbor's dog running loose again. A Morrow County sheriff's deputy responded and warned the dog's owner the next violation would result in a citation.

10:34 a.m. — The Umatilla County Sheriff's Office checked on possible code violations at Northwest Equipment Sales Inc., 78273 Westland Road, Hermiston.

10:55 a.m. — Morrow County sheriff's deputies responded to the Mountain Glen Apartments, 200 Pioneer Drive, Heppner, on a report a man refused to leave a woman's residence and the situation "may get physical." The person left while law enforcement was there and nothing got physical.

11:27 a.m. — Pendleton police received a report of a car prowler on Southwest Hailey Place.

12:13 p.m. — A 911 caller at Bombing Range Road and Highway 730, Boardman, asked for help for a co-worker who cut open his leg. Emergency services responded and an ambulance took the patient to Good Shepherd Medical Center, Hermiston.

3:09 p.m. — Hermiston police responded to the 1300 block of Southwest Sage Drive on the report of an assault.

5:00 p.m. — One person was arrested when Pendleton police were called to a disturbance at a residence on Southeast Fourth Street.

8:59 p.m. — An Irrigon resident on Southeast Riverside Avenue complained about five youths hanging out near her house and riding bicycles up her driveway. She added she asked them to leave.

11:23 p.m. — A resident of Southeast Second Street, Pendleton, reported a prowler, but police were unable to locate anyone lurking in the area.

MEETINGS

THURSDAY, MAY 16

HERMISTON IRRIGATION DISTRICT, 4 p.m., Hermiston Irrigation District office, 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, 214 N. Main St., Pendleton. (Erin McCusker 541-276-6449)

FRIDAY, MAY 17

No meetings scheduled

MONDAY, MAY 20

NIXYA AWII COMMUNITY SCHOOL BOARD, 4:30 p.m., Nixyaawii Community School, 73300 July Grounds Lane, Mission. (541-966-2680)

ECHO SCHOOL DISTRICT, 6 p.m., Echo Community School, 600 Gerone St., Echo. (541-376-8436)

UMATILLA BASIN WATERSHED COUNCIL, 6 p.m., Pendleton City Hall, 501 S.W. Emigrant Ave., Pendleton. (541-276-2190)

ECHO SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET COMMITTEE, 6 p.m., Echo School board meeting room, 600 Gerone St., Echo. (Mandy Palmateer 541-376-8436)

HELIIX CITY COUNCIL, 7 p.m., Helix City Hall, 119 Columbia St., Helix. (541-457-2521)

PENDELTON YOUTH COMMISSION, 7 p.m., Intermountain ESD office, 2001 S.W. Nye Ave., Pendleton. (541-276-6711)

TUESDAY, MAY 21

ATHENA CEMETERY DISTRICT, 5:30 p.m., Athena City Hall, 215 S. Third St., Athena. (541-566-3862)

IRRIGON CITY COUNCIL, 6 p.m., Irrigon City Hall, 500 N.E. Main Ave., Irrigon. (541-922-3047)

PENDELTON DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION, 6 p.m., Pendleton City Hall, 501 S.W. Emigrant Ave., Pendleton. (541-276-1811)

UMATILLA CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION, 6 p.m., Umatilla City Hall, 700 Sixth St., Umatilla. (Nanci 541-922-3226 ext. 105)

UMATILLA COUNTY SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT, 6 p.m., USDA Service Center, 1 S.W. Nye Ave., Suite 130, Pendleton. (Kyle Waggoner 541-278-8049 ext. 138)

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

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

STANFIELD CITY COUNCIL, 7 p.m., Stanfield City Hall council chambers, 160 S. Main St., Stanfield. (541-449-3831)

EAST UMATILLA COUNTY HEALTH DISTRICT, 7 p.m., district office, 431 E. Main St., Athena. (541-566-3813)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 22

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

HERMISTON LIBRARY BOARD, 4 p.m., Hermiston Public Library, 235 E. Gladys Ave., Hermiston. (541-567-2882)

OBITUARIES

William Lee Quimby

Aloha

November 11, 1951 — May 11, 2019

William (Lee) Lee Quimby passed away on May 11, 2019, at his home in Aloha, Oregon, at the age of 67 years old, after a courageous battle with ALS. He was born on November 11, 1951, to John and Clara Quimby. He grew up in Pendleton, Oregon, and graduated from Pendleton High School in 1970.



Quimby

Bill began his career with Pacific Power & Light in Pendleton in 1974. He then worked in Bend, Astoria, Lincoln City and Portland where he retired in 2012.

He met the love of his life Christel J. Tholberg in 1965. They were married on August 27, 1971. They raised two daughters, Staci and Stephanie.

Bill's passion besides his family was his dedication to raising money for the Oregon Burn Center at Emanuel Hospital.

Among many of the awards he received for his philanthropic efforts was

the Treasure of Emanuel Award in 2002.

He also enjoyed bowling, golfing, gold mining and traveling with his family.

He is survived by his wife, Christel, his daughters, Staci Quimby and Stephanie (Jesse) Enright, his grandchildren Cooper, Isabelle, and Ian, his sister Cheri (Pat) Reilly, numerous nieces, nephews and family all of whom adored him. He was preceded in death by his parents John and Clara Quimby.

Please join the family for a Celebration of Life on Friday, June 14, 2019, from 3-6 p.m. at IBEW Local 125, 17200 N.E. Sacramento St., Portland, OR 97230.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the Oregon Burn Center or the ALS Association-Oregon and SW Washington Chapter.

<http://www.springerandson.com/category/on-line-obituary/>

Richard Dean 'Dick' Justus

Pendleton

April 14, 1946 — May 3, 2019

Dick (Richard Dean) Justus rode into the sunset of this life on May 3, 2019. He passed peacefully after fighting valiantly over this year with grace and humor. Dick was 73 years old. He was born the second child to Curley and Evelyn Justus on April 14, 1946, in Baker City, Ore.



Justus

Dick was raised on a dairy farm and graduated from Hermiston High School in 1965. He "cowboyed" in the Hermiston-Boardman area during the 1960s. Dick worked for Harris Pine Mills, Marlette and Prowler. In 1979 to 1983 Dick and Sharon (his wife) ran the Mallard Creek Outfitters in Elk City, Idaho.

Dick married Sharon Whitsett on November 25, 1972. Dick gained a stepson, Jeff Evans, and his daughter, Jodi Ann (Justus) Satterfield of Citrus Hills, Calif. Grandchildren are Ian and Ella McDonald and Justin Evans. Dick was blessed with many nieces and a nephew and their children. Dick and Sharon later divorced but remained friends.

He is survived by his older sister, Carol A. Justus of Milton-Freewater, and his younger brother, Steve Justus of Corvallis, Ore. Birchie Westerlund was his beloved companion of 25 years.

Dick was a talented artist and did leather tooling. He made two saddles.

Dick backpacked Europe and was enthralled with the art in the Louvre

in Paris and the Hermitage in St. Petersburg, Russia. He was an avid reader of Clive Cussler and James Patterson.

Dick lived simply and did not have to keep up with others.

Dick and Birchie loved to go to yard sales and second-hand stores. He loved fishing, watching the Seahawk games, and weekends at the Oregon coast. Dick did not like his Life Flight helicopter rides to hospitals.

Dick was a member of the Eagles and he was Santa Claus, hid the Easter eggs, and decorated for Hawaiian Days and Halloween. He washed many dishes at the Eagles.

Dick was a one-man comic show and, with a little fortification, he could tell jokes all night long.

He was known as "Tricky Dickie," "Uncle Buck," and "Dickers" to family and friends. He had a heart of gold who moved many a friend. He helped his aunt and sister when they had health issues.

Dick handled his dying with dignity and humor. He will be sorely missed.

Dick's funeral will be at Pendleton Pioneer Chapel, 131 S.E. Byers Ave. in Pendleton, at 11:00 on Sunday, May 19 with a "Celebration of his Life" at the Eagles, where a meal will be served.

He will be buried on Monday, May 20 at 10:00 in Olney Cemetery.

Online condolences may be sent to www.pioneer-chapel.com.

Kenneth J. 'Ken' Cromer

Hermiston

November 16, 1946 — May 12, 2019

Kenneth J. "Ken" Cromer of Hermiston, Oregon, was born on November 16, 1946, in Walla Walla, Washington, to parents Joe and Alberta Weed Cromer. He died on May 12, 2019, in Hermiston, Oregon, at the age of 72 years.



Cromer

Ken was raised and attended schools in Hermiston, Oregon, graduating from Hermiston High School in the class of 1965. He enlisted in the United States Navy in 1968 and served for three years during the Vietnam War until his honorable discharge in 1971.

Ken had a painting and drywall business for many years. He was united in marriage to Sally Peatow on December 21, 1991, in Hermiston, Oregon.

Ken enjoyed fishing, hunting, gardening and working around his home.

He is survived by his wife of 27 years, Sally Peatow; sons Greg and Douglas Cromer; daughter Kimberly Cromer Adkins; sisters Lenielle Starrett Sloan, Connie Joy Cromer Powers and Marcia Cromer Schneidmiller; brother Brian Starrett; three grandchildren; and numerous great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Ken was preceded in death by his parents.

A celebration of life service with military honors will be held on Friday, May 17, 2019, at 10 a.m. at Burns Mortuary chapel, Hermiston, Oregon.

Please share memories of Ken with his family at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com

Arrangements by Burns Mortuary of Hermiston, Oregon.

Hospital auxiliary announces medical scholarship winners

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 the Good-Shepherd Health Care System.

Recipients from Hermiston, including their field of study, are: **Amanda McGloin**, BMCC Nursing Program, graduating June 2020; **Cori Briscoe**, OHSU Nursing Program at La Grande, completed two years; **Kyler Mikami**, BYU biophysics/chemistry, pre-med; and **Megan Gering**,

BMCC Nursing Program, currently employed as CNA in the GSHCS rehab center.

Also receiving a scholarship was Stanfield's **Elizabeth Sperr**, OHSU Masters Program, health care systems and organization leadership. Sperr is in the third term of the seven-term program.

The hospital auxiliary raises money through sales at the hospital gift shop and other fundraisers, including bake sales, book sales and miscellaneous merchandise sales.

For more information about the auxiliary, call the Director of Volunteer Services at 541-667-3690 or stop by the gift shop at Good Shepherd Hospital, 610 N.W. 11th St., Hermiston.

Insurance companies ask for smaller increase in 2020 rates

BEND (AP) — Health insurers in Oregon continue to request smaller annual increases in health insurance rates from year to year and are expanding into new service areas — both signs the market is stabilizing.

The Bulletin reports that Oregon Insurance Commissioner Andrew Stolfi on Tuesday released the rates Oregon insurance companies requested for plans sold to individuals and businesses with 50 or fewer employees. The rates do not apply to most Oregonians who are covered by large employer sponsored plans or public plans such as Medicare or Medicaid.

Seven requested 2020 premium changes ranging from a 3.2% decrease to a 13.5% increase from 2019 rates.

Premiums increased by 23% in 2016 and 27% in 2017, followed by increases of 13% in 2018 and 7% in 2019. The requested rates for 2020, which are likely to be adjusted by the state, represent an average increase of 3.3%.

No insurer pulled out of any of the counties in which they offered plans in 2019, and four plans are entering new services areas in 2020. Bridge Span Health and Regence are both expanding into Deschutes County, bringing the total number of plans serving Central Oregon to six.

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LOTTERY

Tuesday, May 14, 2019 Mega Millions

11-59-66-67-68

Mega Ball: 18

Megaplier: 4

Estimated jackpot: \$316 million

Lucky Lines

01-08-12-13-FREE-18-23-27-32

Estimated jackpot: \$18,000 Pick 4

1 p.m.: 0-1-9-7

4 p.m.: 6-8-0-6

7 p.m.: 5-3-2-4

10 p.m.: 1-2-1-0

Wednesday, May 15, 2019 Pick 4

1 p.m.: 2-1-1-9

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