

**PUBLIC SAFETY**

**TUESDAY**

12:43 a.m. — A resident on Kunze Lane, Boardman, called 911 and reported a male came onto his property and assaulted him with a plastic light saber. Where's a Jedi knight when you need her?

10:37 a.m. — A caller reported someone is dumping black water from their trailer at Green Acres RV Park, 80542 Paterson Ferry Road, Irrigon, and the stench stretches a distance away.

11:59 a.m. — Pendleton police found graffiti at Southwest Goodwin Place.

12:21 p.m. — A Lexington caller reported someone poisoned his dog during the night and he has an idea who did it.

3:38 p.m. — A 911 caller reported someone stole his maroon Chevrolet Impala from West Hermiston Avenue, Hermiston, and headed toward Old River Road on Southwest 11th Street.

4:20 p.m. — A caller reported finding a backpack containing knives and a hatchet in the dugout at the softball field at North Main and Commercial streets, Adams.

4:25 p.m. — A caller at Stataline Road and Highway 11, Milton-Freewater, called 911 and said a white female in a black-and-white striped dress was carrying a United States flag down the middle of the road and yelling obscenities.

5:34 p.m. — Irrigon residents reported they got back their car someone stole, and they found a gun inside it. A Morrow County sheriff's deputy responded and determined the gun was an Airsoft.

10:08 p.m. — The manager of Pendleton Square Apartments Phase One, 300 S.W. 28th Drive, reported someone entered an apartment belonging to a resident who recently died, and there is screaming coming from inside. The manager asked for an officer to meet her in front of the apartment.

**ARRESTS, CITATIONS**

Pendleton police arrested Cassandra Renee Cortez, 35, of Pendleton, for first-degree forgery, possession of a forged instrument and identity theft, all felonies.

**Local students graduate from OSU**

CORVALLIS — Local students graduating this June from Oregon State University include:

**Adams:** Noah A. Szumski, Bachelor of Science, biology; **Athena:** Melina R. Baker, Bachelor of Science, interior design; Molly C. Von Borstel, Bachelor of Fine Arts, *summa cum laude*, graphic design; **Boardman:** Sonia A. Barrera, Bachelor of Science, *cum laude*, human development and family sciences; Lizbeth Gaytan, Bachelor of Science, business administration; Jaqueline N. Lezama, Bachelor of Science, management; Chase H. Simpson, Master of Science, civil engineering; **Echo:** Alexander P. Olsen, Bachelor of Science, horticulture; **Heppner:** Caitlynn N. Bailey, Bachelor of Science, management; Makenzi K. Hughes, Bachelor of Science, agricultural sciences; Mekayla S. Kindle, Bachelor of Science, *magna cum laude*, education, Bachelor of Science, *magna cum laude*, human development and family sciences; Earl J. Prophet, Bachelor of Science, business information systems, Bachelor of Science, accountancy; John B. Prophet, Bachelor of Science, horticulture; **Hermiston:** Trestton W. Bailey, Bachelor of Science, food science and technology; Breana L. Berger, Bachelor of Science, animal sciences; Robert C. Coleman, Bachelor of Science, agricultural business management; Zachary C. Cook, Bachelor of Science, history; Chad R. Davis, Bachelor of Science, natural resources; Jordan M. Giordano, Bachelor of Arts, liberal studies; Tiffani A. Godwin, Bachelor of Science, business administration; Chantal M. Hinkley, Bachelor of Arts, *cum laude*, English; Mackenzie L. Juul, Bachelor of Science, *cum laude*, education, Bachelor of Science, *cum laude*, human development and family sciences; Taylor S. Katsel, Bachelor of Arts, sociology, Bachelor of Science, psychology; Vanessa Leñn-Guerrero, Bachelor of Science, management; Karen G. Montes, Bachelor of Science, merchandising management; Yaneli Y. Ornelas, Bachelor of Science, psychology; Yosiel A. Ornelas, Bachelor of Science, *summa cum laude*, finance; Ricki L. Rock, Bachelor of Science, sociology; Erin K. Shaver, Bachelor of Science, biohealth sciences; Mitchell D. Thompson, Master of Arts, interdisciplinary studies, education; Rebecca J. Walker, Doctor of Veterinary Medicine; Dale R. Wilkerson, Bachelor of Science, biohealth sciences; Saraya K.

Wise, Master of Counseling, counseling; Briana H. Wolfe, Bachelor of Science, biohealth sciences; **Irrigon:** Krysta K. Feyder, Bachelor of Science, business information systems; Rachel A. Hulett, Master of Counseling, counseling; Ashli Roberts, Bachelor of Science, kinesiology; Melanie M. Tegner, Bachelor of Science, human development and family sciences; Ryan T. Young, Bachelor of Science, electrical and computer engineering; **Milton-Freewater:** Gerardo A. Flores, Bachelor of Science, finance; Dalton T. Holt, Bachelor of Arts, speech communication; Collyn T. Kidd, Bachelor of Science, fisheries and wildlife sciences; Brandon W. Kralman, Bachelor of Science, agricultural sciences; Katie L. Sotelo, Master of Science, agricultural education; Jade A. Wheeler, Bachelor of Science, human development and family sciences; **Pendleton:** Chyenne S. Carey, Bachelor of Science, business administration; Cristin C. Childress, Master of Counseling, counseling; Jolie H. Dickerson, Bachelor of Science, animal sciences; Kierin P. Doherty, Bachelor of Science, computer science; Riley A. Kendrick, Bachelor of Science, chemical engineering; McKenzie A. Nokes, Bachelor of Science, business administration; Kevin O'Rourke, Master of Arts, applied ethics; Samuel A. Reeves, Master of Science, education; Hannah G. Smith, Bachelor of Science, human development and family sciences; Taryn L. Sokoloski, Bachelor of Arts, *magna cum laude*, speech communication; Christina L. Thompson, Bachelor of Science, kinesiology; Trinity M. Whitaker, Bachelor of Science, *magna cum laude*, education, Bachelor of Science, *magna cum laude*, human development and family sciences; Trevor R. Wilson, Bachelor of Arts, music; **Pilot Rock:** Kaleigh M. Waggoner, Bachelor of Science, agricultural sciences; **Stanfield:** Samuel D. Grogan, Bachelor of Science, energy systems engineering; Dillon K. Zimmerly, Bachelor of Science, nuclear engineering; **Umatilla:** Daisy P. Armenta, Bachelor of Science, psychology; Gabriela Lemus-Macias, Bachelor of Science, human development and family sciences; James A. McKnight, Bachelor of Science, agricultural sciences; **Weston:** Jarett W. Bousquet, Bachelor of Arts, *magna cum laude*, English; Thomas L. Clark, Bachelor of Science, forest engineering; Renee D. Saxton, Doctor of Veterinary Medicine.

**OBITUARIES**

**Wendell Hugh Paris**

**Hermiston**  
August 15, 1941 — May 26, 2019

Wendell Hugh Paris of Hermiston was born August 15, 1941, in Sidney, Nebraska, the son of Hugh and Thelma (Walker) Paris. He passed away on Sunday, May 26, 2019, at the age of 77.



Paris

Wendell grew up on his family farm near Sidney, Nebraska, where he attended his schooling. He moved to Hermiston, Oregon, in 1966 where he has lived for over 50 years. He worked for Marlette Homes in Hermiston for 20 years. He then began working for Lamb Weston, where he worked in maintenance for 20 years until retiring in 2018.

Wendell was a big basketball fan and had enjoyed being a referee for both high school and junior high basketball games. He also enjoyed shooting pool and being in pool leagues, and had shot pool at the Hermiston Eagles Lodge for many years. He was a big fan of Elvis and a lifelong fan of Nebraska Cornhuskers.

Wendell married Billie Smith in Sidney, Neb., in 1961. The couple later divorced. He later married Sharon Jones in Hermiston. The couple later divorced.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Wendy Jean Schlink, two brothers and two sisters.

He is survived by a son, Scott (Charlotte) McBride; daughter Lori (Dee) Carey; son Robert (Melissa) Paris; son Kenneth Hugh Paris; son Aaron (Alexia) Paris; 17 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren; sister Marilyn Paris; and many nieces, nephews and extended family members.

A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, June 1, 2019, at the Living Faith Church, 1611 Diagonal Blvd., Hermiston, Ore.

Arrangements by Burns Mortuary of Hermiston.

To leave an online condolence for the family please go to [www.burnsmortuaryhermiston.com](http://www.burnsmortuaryhermiston.com)

**Oromel Raymond 'Buster' Gammond**

**Pilot Rock**  
December 17, 1927 — May 24, 2019

Oromel Raymond "Buster" Gammond, 91, died May 24, 2019, at his home.



Gammond

He was born December 17, 1927, in Leavenworth, Washington, to William and LuVern (Montgomery) Gammond. He attended school in Pilot Rock. In 1946, he enlisted in the U.S. Navy serving in Okinawa, Japan, during WWII and also served on a ship off North Korea. He married Geraldine Morford on September 17, 1951, in Walla Walla, Washington.

After returning home from the Navy, he started working in the logging industry and later owned his own truck. After retiring from logging, he went to work for Jim Hatley Construction repairing trucks.

Buster liked to fish and hunt but his greatest joy was his family. Above all, he was a devoted Christian

and loved the Lord with all his heart.

Survivors include his wife of 67 years, Geraldine; daughters Gina and Bobbie; sister Valetta Davis; brothers Melvin and Paul; 10 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his son, Terry Gammond.

Visitation will be held Thursday, May 30 from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at Pendleton Pioneer Chapel. A graveside service will be held on Friday, May 31, 2019, at 2 p.m. at the Pilot Rock Cemetery.

A potluck will follow at the Life Church in Pilot Rock. Feel free to bring a favorite dish.

Memorial contributions can be made the American Cancer Society or the Pilot Rock Food Pantry in care of Pendleton Pioneer Chapel, 131 S.E. Byers Ave., Pendleton, OR 97801.

**Paul Curtiss 'Wally' Rogers**

**Helix**  
September 26, 1958 — May 25, 2019

Paul "Wally" Curtiss Rogers, 60, of Helix, Oregon, passed away on May 25 in Walla Walla, Washington. He was born in Springfield, Oregon, on September 26, 1958.

He leaves behind Carla, his wife of 30 years; daughter Kylee (Chad Masters); son Garrett (Chancey Rogers); grandkids Remmy and Riggs; sisters Roberta, Paula, Beverly, Donna and Linda; brothers Ron, Mike and Jim; and numerous nephews and nieces.

Wally grew up in Meacham, Oregon, with the Bosworth family. He loved to hunt, rope, ride his motorcycle, play poker and to tell Wild West stories.

He owned and operated Wally's Heating & Air for 16 years, and up to his death worked as the road supervisor of CTUIR.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Ida Pruitt, Alpha Rogers, and Delbert and Betty Bosworth, and his sister Kathy Bosworth.

There will be a celebration of life in Pendleton, Oregon, at Mustangers Arena, June 1 at 9:45 a.m. We will miss his quick wit and ability to make us all laugh.

In lieu of flowers, the family would like donations to be made to Kadlec Foundation, ALS Clinic, 888 Swift Boulevard, Richland, WA 99352.

**OBITUARY POLICY**

Obituaries can be submitted online at [EastOregonian.com/obituaryform](http://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. Call 541-966-0818 or 1-800-522-0255, ext. 221.

**DEATH NOTICES**

**Ryan Cory Bailey**

**Hermiston**  
Nov. 17, 1986 — May 25, 2019

Ryan Cory Bailey, 32, of Hermiston, died Saturday, May 25, 2019, in Hermiston. He was born Nov. 17, 1986, in Hermiston. Arrangements by Burns Mortuary of Hermiston.

**Larry C. Carrick**

**Hermiston**  
Jan. 17, 1934 — May 26, 2019

Larry C. Carrick, 85, of Hermiston, died Sunday, May 26, 2019, in Hermiston. He was born Jan. 17, 1934, in Boardman. A celebration of life service will be held Saturday, June 8 at 4 p.m. in the Burns Mortuary chapel in Hermiston. Arrangements by Burns Mortuary of Hermiston.

**Lula 'Marie' Case Slinker**

**Pendleton**  
Aug. 28, 1922 — May 28, 2019

Lula "Marie" Case Slinker, 96, of Pendleton, died Tuesday, May 28, 2019, at a local care facility. She was born Aug. 28, 1922, in La Grande. Arrangements are with Pendleton Pioneer Chapel, Folsom-Bishop.

**Dorothy E. Wood**

**Pendleton**  
Sept. 20, 1927 — May 24, 2019

Dorothy E. Wood, 91, of Pendleton, died Friday, May 24, 2019. She was born Sept. 20, 1927. A celebration of her life will be held Saturday, June 8 at 1 p.m. at Burns Mortuary of Pendleton. Private family interment will be held at Evergreen Cemetery in Ontario. Burns Mortuary of Pendleton is in charge of arrangements.

**UPCOMING SERVICES**

**THURSDAY, MAY 30**

**BAKER, RON** — Celebration of life service at 5 p.m. at the Hermiston Christian Center, 1825 W. Highland Ave. A celebration will follow the service.

**COLE, DUANE SR.** — Funeral services at 1 p.m. at Christ the King Lutheran Church, 325 S.W. Sixth Ave., Milton-Freewater. Interment will follow at the Milton-Freewater Cemetery.

**GAMMOND, BUSTER** — Visitation from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at Pendleton Pioneer Chapel, Folsom-Bishop, 131 S.E. Byers Ave., Pendleton.

**NEWBY, CAROL** — Celebration of life at 10:30 a.m. at Agape House's Altrusa Room, 500 W. Harper Road, Hermiston.

**FRIDAY, MAY 31**

**GAMMOND, BUSTER** — Graveside service at 2 p.m. at the Pilot Rock Cemetery. A potluck will follow at the Life Church, 222 S.W. Third St. Bring a dish to share.

**GROSSMAN, BARBARA** — Celebration of life at 10:30 a.m. at Guardian Angel Homes, 540 N.W. 12th St., Hermiston.

**KELLEY, KRIS** — Celebration of life with hors d'oeuvres and no-host bar from 4-7 p.m. at the Pendleton Country Club, 69772 S. Highway 395, Pendleton.

**MEETINGS**

**THURSDAY-FRIDAY, MAY 30-31**

No meetings scheduled

**MONDAY, JUNE 3**

**STOKES LANDING SENIOR CENTER BOARD**, 6 p.m., Stokes Landing Senior Center, 150 Columbia Lane, Irrigon. (Karen 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.

**Knights of Columbus award scholarships**

HERMISTON — The Knights of Columbus Hermiston #3999 awarded \$1,000 scholarships to five local students for their continuing education needs. This is the first year the Knights of Columbus has awarded scholarships.



Galdamez

Students earning scholarships include Yessinia Sanchez, Ben Pihl, Allison Galdamez, Ann Klein and Joanna Pihl. The Knights hold a yearly raffle, for which the \$20 tickets are only sold in

the month of June. Three drawings are held the first Sunday of the month after the 9 a.m. mass in Our Lady

of Angels Catholic Church parish hall. First prize is \$125, second prize is \$50 and the third prize is \$25.

The tickets are good the entire year, so participants can win multiple times.

Only 500 tickets are sold. The funds support the scholarship program and other projects throughout the year.

**LOTTERY**

**Tuesday, May 28, 2019**  
**Mega Millions**  
09-21-34-42-50  
Mega Ball: 21  
Megaplier: 2  
Jackpot: \$418 million  
**Lucky Lines**  
01-07-12-16-18-24-28-32  
Jackpot: \$32,000

**Pick 4**  
1 p.m.: 3-7-2-6  
4 p.m.: 8-7-9-3  
7 p.m.: 1-6-3-4  
10 p.m.: 0-3-8-6  
**Wednesday, May 29, 2019**  
**Pick 4**  
1 p.m.: 2-4-7-1

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