

PUBLIC SAFETY

MONDAY

8:25 a.m. — An Irrigon resident on Wagon Wheel Loop, Irrigon, reported his neighbor moved another trailer onto his property and other code violations.

9:08 a.m. — Stanfield police received a report about a person walking with a gas can in the area of Elizabeth Drive and Mamie Street, Stanfield.

10:22 a.m. — A caller at Pioneer Memorial Hospital, Heppner, reported his wife died and her necklace was missing. The Morrow County Sheriff’s Office is investigating.

10:25 a.m. — A caller on Mumm Lane, Milton-Freewater, reported lost goats.

2:31 p.m. — The Pendleton code enforcement officer dealt with a yard sale sign on a utility pole at Southeast Byers Avenue and 15th Street, and then a real estate sign in Roy Raley Park, 1205 S.W. Court Ave.

10:28 p.m. — Pendleton police took a report for graffiti at Community Park near Southwest 44th Street.

ARRESTS, CITATIONS

Sunday

•Pendleton police arrested Tyler Rowdy Browning-Haskett, 20, of Pendleton, for felony assault with a weapon.

Browning-Haskett argued with his girlfriend’s father over his parenting style, according to Pendleton police, brought out a black-powder pistol and struck the father.

The victim received medical treatment at St. Anthony Hospital, Pendleton, and police arrested Browning-Haskett, who went to jail for second-degree assault, pointing a firearm at another and unlawful use of a weapon.

Monday

•Umatilla County Sheriff’s Office arrested Eric Nava, 24, of Hermiston, for first-degree theft, second-degree trespass and second-degree burglary.

•Morrow County Sheriff’s Office arrested Adam Alexander Ewert, 22, for two counts of first-degree sodomy, two counts of attempt to commit a crime, and three counts of first-degree sexual abuse.

•Pendleton police arrested James Lee Anthony Andrew Hacker, 25, of Pendleton, for first-degree criminal mistreatment.

State court records show the Umatilla County District Attorney’s Office charged Hacker with that Class C felony and one more — third-degree assault. According to court documents, the state has accused Hacker of harming a child he cared for who was no more than 10 years old.

•Morrow County Sheriff’s Office arrested Katina Lacrie Ruiz, 22, of Yakima, Washington, for assault of a public safety officer and supplying contraband (drug related), both felonies.

Tuesday

•Morrow County Sheriff’s Office arrested Miguel Mojica Rua, 25, for fourth-degree assault, harassment and felony strangulation, all domestic violence crimes.

MEETINGS

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 6

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)

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

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

BLUE MOUNTAIN BOARD OF EDUCATION, 6 p.m., Blue Mountain Community College, 311 N. Columbia St., Milton-Freewater. 4 p.m. board study session, 4:30 p.m. work session, 6 p.m. regular board meeting. (Shannon Franklin 541-278-5951)

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, NOV. 7

PENDLETON DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION ADVISORY COMMITTEE, 4-5:30 p.m., Pendleton City Hall John Brenne Room, 502 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. (Charles Denight 541-966-0233)

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

FRIDAY, NOV. 8

No meetings scheduled

MONDAY, NOV. 11

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., Weston Middle School library, 205 E. Wallace St., Weston. (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)

IRRIGON FIRE DISTRICT, 7 p.m., Irrigon Fire Department, 705 N.E. Main Ave., Irrigon. (541-922-3133)

UPCOMING SERVICE

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 6

No services scheduled

THURSDAY, NOV. 7

EVANS, DENNY — Services at 1 p.m. at Pendleton Pioneer Chapel, Folsom-Bishop, 131 S.E. Byers Ave.

LOTTERY

Monday, Nov. 4, 2019	14-17-55-58
Megabucks	Pick 4
08-22-26-29-36-40	1 p.m.: 2-1-2-6
Estimated jackpot: \$5.6 million	4 p.m.: 3-5-2-9
Lucky Lines	7 p.m.: 3-4-1-9
04-06-09-13-18-24-28-30	10 p.m.: 2-1-7-0
Estimated jackpot: \$39,000	Tuesday, Nov. 5, 2019
Win for Life	Pick 4
	1 p.m.: 4-3-9-2

Alexander Lucius Mitzimberg

Pendleton
February 23, 1983 — October 27, 2019

Alexander Lucius Mitzimberg passed away at his home October 27, 2019, at age 36. He was born in Walla Walla, Washington, on February 23, 1983, to David and Deborah Sue Mitzimberg.

Alex grew up in Pendleton and graduated from Pendleton High School in 2001. His lifelong love was theater and he acted in, wrote, and produced plays in high school. He also played saxophone in the band along with participating in baseball and football. Alex attended Eastern Oregon University, particularly enjoying classes in the theater department. His talent was recognized and he was asked to join the department.



Mitzimberg

He enjoyed writing, movies, video games, and a diverse and devoted social circle. Alex will be remembered for his contagious smile and fun-loving spirit. He brought a spark of creativity to many people in his life.

Alex is survived by his father, David Mitzimberg (Pendleton); his mother Deborah Sue Jackson (Portland); his uncle Daniel Mitzimberg (Pendleton); and his older sisters Elizabeth Currin (Vermont) and Emily Haskell (Massachusetts). He was predeceased by his grandmother, Lillian Mitzimberg, and great-grandparents Robert and Opal Sussman, all of Pendleton.

A celebration of Alex’s life will be held at the Pendleton Center for the Arts Saturday, November 9, 2019, at 3 p.m. There is a viewing at Pendleton Pioneer Chapel, Folsom-Bishop, on Friday, November 8, from 3-5 p.m. and Saturday, November 9, from 2-5 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations to the EOU Theater Department or to a fund for a memorial tree to be planted in a Pendleton park.

Online condolences may be shared with the family at www.pioneerchapel.com.

Mary Ann Palmer

Ione
November 17, 1934 — October 31, 2019

Mary Ann Jensen Palmer, longtime Ione resident, died Thursday, October 31, 2019, at Heppner. A funeral service will be held Monday, November 11, 2019, at 1 p.m. at the Ione Community Church, with concluding service and burial at the High View Cemetery in Ione.

She was born at Portland, Oregon, on November 17, 1934, the daughter of Harold and Bernice Nogowski Jensen. Her father Harold died in 1936 and Bernice married Lincoln Nash in 1938. Lincoln was the only father she knew.

Mary Ann was raised in Hood River before moving to Heppner in the eighth grade. She graduated from Heppner High School in 1953. While in high school Mary Ann worked in the Heppner Laundry, Mary Vans Flower Shop and Court St. Market. After graduation she started working for First Nation Bank in Heppner.

On February 26, 1957 she married Marion Lee Palmer at Heppner. The couple spent their married life in Ione. Mary Ann worked as the head cook at the Ione School, where she retired after working there for over 20 years. She was chaperone for the

Morrow County rodeo court for several years.

She was a member of the Ione community Church where she taught Sunday School and was their secretary/treasure as well as serving as a deaconess for a number of years and also served on the Memorial Committee and the Hospitality Committee.



Palmer

As a member of the Willows Grange she served as lady assistant for several years, as well as home ec. chairman and treasurer.

Survivors include her four daughters: Barbara Zeller and her husband Norm of Ione, Donna Rietmann and her husband Joe, also of Ione, Debora Wood and her husband Dan of Hermiston, and Anita Pranger and her husband David of Heppner; brother Lyle Jensen of La Grande; sisters Shirley Conner of Heppner, and Rose Gott of Hanford, California; nine grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her father, mother and stepfather.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Ione Community Church, P.O. Box 346, Ione, OR 97843.

You may sign the online condolence book at sweeney-mortuary.com.

Lillian L. ‘Lil’ Smith

Hermiston
February 2, 1923 — November 2, 2019

Lillian L. “Lil” Smith was born on February 2, 1923, in Chicago, Illinois, to parents Emil and Otillie Rauch Welke. She died on November 2, 2019, at her home in Hermiston, Oregon, at the age of 96 years.



She was raised and attended schools in Chicago, Illinois. Lil was united in marriage to Jack H. Smith on March 20, 1948, in Hermiston, Oregon. She worked at the Umatilla Army Depot where she retired as the transportation officer in 1978. She and Jack raised their children, Judy, Art and Tim, in Hermiston.

Lil was a member of the Emblem Club and Trinity Lutheran Church in Hermiston, Oregon. She enjoyed bowling, golfing, socializing, entertaining and had a great sense of humor.

She is survived by her sons: Art Smith and wife Judy, Wellsville, Utah, and Tim Smith and wife Holly, Burns, Ore.; son-

in-law Bill Jung, Boise, Idaho; sister-in-law Maxine Hermann, Baker City, Ore.; five grandsons; and numerous great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Lil was preceded in death by her husband of 58 years, Jack Smith; daughter Judith Patricia Jung; and three brothers: Henry and Alfred Welke, and George Hermann.

A funeral service will be held on Saturday, November 9, 2019, at 10 a.m. at Burns Mortuary chapel, Hermiston, Oregon. Burial will follow at the Hermiston Cemetery, Hermiston, Oregon.

Those who wish may make contributions in Lil’s memory to the Wounded Warrior Project at woundedwarriorproject.org/Donate.

Please share memories of Lil with her family at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

Burns Mortuary of Hermiston, Oregon, is in care of arrangements.

OBITUARIES

Geraldine Joann Brosnan Weister

Heppner
December 5, 1939 — October 24, 2019

Geraldine Joann Brosnan Weister, 79, passed away peacefully on Thursday, October 24, 2019, with family members by her side at Pioneer Memorial Hospital.

A graveside memorial service will be held on Saturday, November 9, 2019, at 11 a.m. at the cemetery at Vinson, Oregon. Following the burial, a meal will be shared at the Heppner Elks Lodge at 1 p.m.

She was born in Heppner, Oregon, to Jerry and Marian Good Brosnan on December 5, 1939. Joann grew up with three brothers, John, Eddie and Dan, on the family’s six-generation ranch on Little Butter Creek. How she enjoyed ranch life, especially riding horses!

Joann attend school in Heppner and graduated from Heppner High School in 1958 as class valedictorian. She earned a trip to Girls State as a delegate, and after winning a speech contest, she earned a 6,000-mile trip across the country to visit the United Nations in New York. She was also honored to represent the Morrow County Rodeo as a princess after graduation. She then attended Oregon State University on an academic scholarship.

Joann wed Leland Robison in 1959, and had three children, Craig, Susan and Shawn. She was later married to Norman Weister.

She was employed by Carl Spaulding, CPA, in Heppner from 1961 through 1971, when the family moved to the Portland area, where she raised her children. Joann

was employed by Fred Meyer as a corporate accountant for 25 years in Portland, before retiring to Heppner. During her retirement, she worked part time at Murray Drug and did bookkeeping to stay busy.

She enjoyed water skiing, snow skiing, camping, and reading. Her greatest joy was spending time with her children, five grandchildren and her great-grandson.

Survivors include her brother Dan Brosnan and his wife Doris; her children: Craig Robison and his wife Meg of Gresham, Susie Thompson and her husband Brian of Heppner, and Shawn Robison and his wife Lisa of Vancouver, Washington; grandchildren Ashley Maddox and her husband Jake, Dr. Emily Jack and her husband Keenan, Stephen Thompson, Katie Robison and Kyle Robison; and great-grandson Elijah Maddox.

Memorial contributions may be made to Willow Creek Valley Assisted Living, 400 Frank Gilliam Drive, Heppner, OR 97836.

You may sign the online condolence book at www.sweeneymortuary.com.



Weister

Doris E. Mentzer Richards

Pendleton
September 18, 1932 — November 3, 2019

Doris passed away Sunday morning at the age of 87. She was a kind, generous and loving mother of six, grandmother of 10 and great-grandmother of 11.

A lifelong Pendleton resident and a country girl at heart, Doris lived her life as she wanted to live it, but still put those around her before herself. She was a true matriarch of the family, and a friend to everyone. Doris

will forever be missed and always remembered.

A private family graveside service will be held at Skyview Memorial Park in Pendleton, Ore.

In lieu of any flowers or gifts, the family asks for a donation to Pendleton PAWS.

Burns Mortuary of Pendleton is in care of arrangements. Please sign the online guest-book at www.burnsmortuary.com.



Richards

DEATH NOTICES

Lita L. Connell

Hermiston
Jan. 5, 1943 — Nov. 4, 2019

Lita L. Connell, 76, of Hermiston, died Monday, Nov. 4, 2019, in Hermiston. She was born Jan. 5, 1943, in La Grande. A memorial service will be held Saturday, Nov. 9 at 2 p.m. in the Burns Mortuary chapel in Hermiston. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Share memories with the family at www.burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

David A. Schwarz

Hermiston
Oct. 16, 1931 — Oct. 26, 2019

David A. Schwarz, 88, of Hermiston, died Saturday, Oct. 26, 2019, at his home. He was born Oct. 16, 1931, in Chehalis, Washington. At his request, no services will be held. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Share memories with the family at www.burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

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