

PUBLIC SAFETY

WEDNESDAY

6:51 a.m. — Batteries and wires were reported stolen from a tractor on Telephone Pole Road in Milton-Freewater.
 11:38 a.m. — Police responded to a report of shots fired at Stillman Park on Southeast Byers Avenue in Pendleton.
 1:10 p.m. — A purse was reported stolen from Madison Street in Umatilla.
 4:03 p.m. — Police responded to a reported theft on Southeast Emigrant Avenue in Pendleton.
 5:49 p.m. — A theft was reported on Northwest Bailey Avenue in Pendleton.
 6:10 p.m. — Police responded to a reported burglary on West Orchard Avenue in Hermiston.
 6:28 p.m. — Police responded to a reported burglary on North Sherman Street in Stanfield.
 8:45 p.m. — Police responded to a report of shots fired on North-

west 14th Street and Northwest Despain Avenue in Pendleton.
 9:16 p.m. — A domestic disturbance occurred on Blue Bucket Lane in Hermiston.
 10:08 p.m. — Police responded to a reported theft on South Highway 395 in Hermiston.

THURSDAY

12:38 a.m. — Police responded to a reported burglary on East-side Road in Milton-Freewater.

ARRESTS, CITATIONS

•The Umatilla Tribal Police Department arrested Donovan Carino Alamar, 26, on three charges, including one count of felony possession of methamphetamine.
 •The Umatilla Tribal Police Department arrested Thomas Soaring Eagle, 37, on one felony count of attempting to elude police.

MEETINGS

Editor's note: Due to concerns about the coronavirus, many activities have been postponed or canceled. Contact the venue before attending any public gathering to ensure the event is still scheduled.

FRIDAY, APRIL 10

No meetings scheduled

MONDAY, APRIL 13

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 Cortaberra 541-667-6000)
ATHENA-WESTON SCHOOL DISTRICT, 6:30 p.m., Athena Elementary School library, 375 S. Fifth St., Athena. (Paula Warner 541-566-3551)
HEPPNER CITY COUNCIL, 7 p.m., Heppner City Hall, 111 N. Main St., Heppner. (541-676-9618)
PILOT ROCK FIRE DISTRICT, 7 p.m., Pilot Rock Fire Department, 415 N.E. Elm St., Pilot Rock. (541-443-4522)
IRRIGON FIRE DISTRICT, 7 p.m., Irrigon Fire Department, 705 N.E. Main Ave., Irrigon. (541-922-3133)

TUESDAY, APRIL 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, APRIL 15

MORROW COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, 9 a.m., Bartholomew Government Building upper conference room, 110 N. Court St., Heppner. (Roberta Lutcher 541-676-5613)
INTERMOUNTAIN EDUCATION SERVICE DISTRICT, 4 p.m., InterMountain ESD office, 2001 N.W. Nye Ave., Pendleton. Meeting will be held via videoconference. An executive session will be called at the end of the meeting to discuss real property transactions. (Marla Royal 888-437-6892)
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, APRIL 16

ECHO CITY COUNCIL, 4 p.m., Old VFW Hall, 210 W. Bridge St., Echo. (541-376-8411)

FRIDAY, APRIL 17

No meetings scheduled

MONDAY, APRIL 20

NIXYAAWII COMMUNITY SCHOOL BOARD, 4:30 p.m., Nixyaawii Community School, 73300 July Grounds Lane, Mission. (Carrie Phinney 541-966-2680)
ECHO SCHOOL DISTRICT, 6 p.m., Echo Community School, 600 Gerone St., Echo. (541-376-8436)
HELIX CITY COUNCIL, 7 p.m., Helix City Hall, 119 Columbia St., Helix. (541-457-2521)
PENDLETON YOUTH COMMISSION, 7 p.m., Intermountain ESD office, 2001 S.W. Nye Ave., Pendleton. (541-276-6711)

DEATH NOTICES

Ricky F. Hulsey

Pendleton
July 21, 1961 — April 6, 2020

Ricky F. Hulsey, 58, of Pendleton, died Monday, April 6, 2020, at a local care facility. He was born July 21, 1961, in Rockmart, Georgia. Burns Mortuary of Pendleton is in charge of arrangements. Sign the online guestbook at www.burnsmortuary.com.

Aaron Wade Van Fossen

Irrigon
July 9, 1977 — March 30, 2020

Aaron Wade Van Fossen, 42, of Irrigon, died Monday, March 30, 2020, in Hermiston. He was born July 9, 1977, in Weiser, Idaho. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston was in care of arrangements

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BRIEFLY

Morrow County plans virtual candidates' forum

MORROW COUNTY — Candidates for Morrow County offices in the May election will participate in a virtual forum on Monday, April 20, beginning at 6 p.m. via the Zoom online meeting platform and Facebook Live. All Morrow County residents are encouraged to log into the forum to hear the candidates speak, in order to make informed voting decisions.

Candidates participating in the forum include Joseph Armato, Jim Doherty, Joel Peterson and Michael Sweek, campaigning for Morrow County Commissioner Position 1; Theresa Crawford, Glen Diehl and Kelly Doherty, running for Morrow County Justice of the Peace; and Morrow County Treasurer candidates Sabrina Bailey Cave, Cody High, Jaylene Papineau and Eric Patton. Questions will be asked of every candidate by position or to all candidates, if applicable. Each candidate will be given the same time to respond.

Immediately following the candidates' forum, a discussion will be held about the city of Boardman's GO Bond, Ballot Measure 25-81.

Morrow County residents can submit questions for the candidates through Sunday, April 19 to the Boardman Chamber of Commerce by emailing torrie@boardmanchamber.org, by phone at 541-481-3014, or by text at 541-571-2394; or to the Heppner Chamber of Commerce by email to heppnerchamber@centurytel.net, by phone at 541-676-5536, or by text at 503-970-7226. Submitted questions must reference "Candidates' Forum" in the subject line of emails or texts.

Those wishing to listen in to the Zoom conference on April 20 can sign in before 6 p.m. via the internet at https://zoom.us/j/287416202 and type in Meeting ID 287416202. Those not able to use Zoom can call into the meeting center phone conference option at 541-676-5692 and enter access code 13038#, or visit the Boardman Chamber's Facebook page.
 — EO Media Group



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The 142nd Wing of the Oregon Air National Guard includes one of only two Air National Guard special tactics squadrons in the nation, which is why the old name of 142nd Fighter Wing was outdated.

Oregon Air National Guard's 142nd Fighter Wing redesignated

By **DICK HUGHES**
 For the Oregon Capital Bureau

SALEM — In times of war, Oregon Air National Guard's citizen-airmen and airwomen may fly fighter missions abroad, infiltrate hostile territory to establish airfields or go behind enemy lines to rescue downed pilots and crews. Within the U.S., they put those skills to use assisting with search-and-rescue missions in the Pacific Northwest, preparing for the Cascadia earthquake and responding to such disasters as hurricanes and the 2007 flood in Vernonia. They also have helped with Oregon's

coronavirus response. And 24 hours a day, they guard America's skies from Northern California to the Canadian border. That wide-ranging mission is reflected in a new designation for about 1,400 members of the Oregon Air National Guard — 142nd Wing. However, the mission remains the same. The wing, based at Portland Air National Guard Base, has flown fighter missions since World War II and currently operates F-15 Eagle fighter jets. "We are still fully committed to flying fighters, and we'll continue to excel in that mission area," said Col. Adam Sitrler, wing commander. The 142nd Wing also

includes one of only two Air National Guard special tactics squadrons in the nation, which is why the old name of 142nd Fighter Wing was outdated. Special tactics airmen and airwomen are "amazingly well-suited" for a range of complex tasks, Sitrler said. They include air traffic controllers, weather forecasters, communication specialists and pararescue experts. They are trained to operate in hostile territory and behind enemy lines. The wing's members, which includes 450 who are full time, come from Oregon and Southwest Washington. "We're here. We're part of the community. A great majority of our mem-

bers have grown up here. They've gone to high school here or college here," Sitrler said. Oregon National Guard units have been deployed around the world for combat, peacekeeping or humanitarian missions. As with the rest of the National Guard, Oregon's air and army units serve both the state and the nation. "Not only do we report to President Trump but we also report to Gov. Brown," Master Sgt. Steven Conklin said. The Oregon Air National Guard also includes the Klamath Falls-based 270th Air Traffic Control Squadron and 173rd Fighter Wing, which trains F-15 pilots.

LOTTERY

Wednesday, April 8, 2020	14-21-66-67
Megabucks	Lucky Lines
06-08-13-26-29-30	03-08-10-16-17-24-28-31
Estimated jackpot: \$2.2 million	Estimated jackpot: \$21,000
Powerball	Pick 4
02-37-39-48-54	1 p.m.: 3-8-8-2
Powerball: 5	4 p.m.: 7-4-9-3
Power Play: 3	7 p.m.: 0-5-4-0
Estimated jackpot: \$190 million	10 p.m.: 0-2-3-1
Win for Life	Thursday, April 9, 2020
	Pick 4
	1 p.m.: 7-9-9-3



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