

## LEARN ABOUT THE NEZ PERCE AT 'NIMIIPUU EXPERIENCE'

BAKER CITY — Nez Perce Tourism will present "Nimiipuu Experience" Aug. 28-29 at the National Historic Oregon Trail Interpretive Center. Each day includes three performances on the center's porch — 10:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m., and 2:30 p.m. A performance is also set for 5 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 28, in Geiser-Pollman Park.

Admission is free to all performances. To learn more, visit the website <https://nezperce traditions.com>, or find the organization on Facebook.

## WALLOWA MOUNTAIN CAR CRUISE AUG. 27-28

JOSEPH — The 32nd Wallowa Mountain Cruise is happening Friday and Saturday, Aug. 27 and 28. On Friday registration runs from 4-6 p.m. outside the Joseph Community Center at the corner of East First and South Lake streets.

The street dance is from 6-10 p.m. Friday, taking place near the Community Center with live music by the band Good

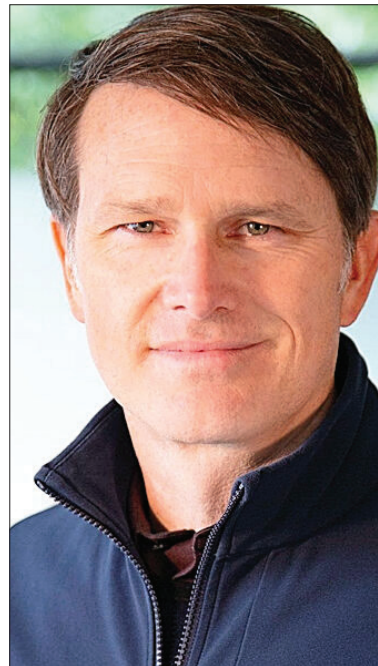
Question. The chamber will offer mixed drinks, beer, wine and food for purchase.

On Saturday, Aug. 28, the car show runs from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. on Joseph's Main Street. Voting is between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m., and Good Question will again perform, from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Following the car show is the Ragman Memorial Cruise to Enterprise and back. The group drive is in honor of Jim Tuschhoff, one of the Wallowa Mountain Cruise's founders.

## FAITH-BASED FESTIVAL FEATURES ANDREW PALAU

HERMISTON — The Hermiston-area faith community has teamed up with Portland-based Luis Palau Association to present the Greater Hermiston CityFest with Andrew Palau. After more than 18 months of planning, the free non-denominational event is Saturday, Aug. 28, from 3:30-9:30 p.m. at Butte Park, 1210 NW Seventh St., Hermiston.

It features music, action sports, youth activities and multiple opportunities to hear about Jesus Christ, including from



Contributed photo  
A faith-based festival in Hermiston on Aug. 28 features Andrew Palau.

global evangelist Andrew Palau. He is the author of "The Secret Life of a Fool: One Man's Journey from Shame to Grace." The festival also includes performances by contemporary Christian music artists Danny Gokey, We Are Messengers, George Moss and Marisol Park.

"We're all feeling the sense that the time is right for us to be gathering together in this kind of way," Palau said.

For more information, visit [www.cityfest.org](http://www.cityfest.org). For questions, email [info@cityfest.org](mailto:info@cityfest.org) or call Mary Corp at 541-720-3859.

## HERMISTON RACEWAY GEARS UP FOR HOLIDAY WEEKEND

HERMISTON — Race fans can start getting revved up for the Labor Day Spectacular at the Hermiston Raceway, 81236 N. Highway 395.

Billed as the best three-day racing event in the Pacific Northwest, the action kicks off Friday, Sept. 3, and runs through Sunday, Sept. 5. The gates open nightly at 5 p.m. with a fan fest at 6:30 p.m. and racing at 7 p.m. Speedy's Grill will be open, offering a variety of food and drinks.

Special three-day passes are available from \$50-\$130. Also, tickets for individual nights can be purchased: Friday night tickets for adults are \$20, students/seniors/military are \$15; and a family pass is \$50 (for two adults and three youths). Saturday and Sunday tickets cost \$5 more than Friday prices.

Those planning to attend are encouraged to purchase tickets

in advance via [www.hermistonraceway.com](http://www.hermistonraceway.com). For more information, call 509-845-5510 or email [info@hermistonraceway.com](mailto:info@hermistonraceway.com).

## CHICAGO TO PERFORM AT WALLA WALLA FAIR

WALLA WALLA — Chicago, who was inducted into the 2016 Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, will kick off the Walla Walla Fair and Frontier Days.

The group is known for such hits as "Saturday in the Park," "25 or 6 to 4" and "Does Anybody Really Know What Time It Is?" The concert is Wednesday, Sept. 1, at 8 p.m. at the Walla Walla Fairgrounds. Tickets start at \$30.

A demolition derby is set for Thursday, Sept. 2, at 6 p.m. Advance tickets, which are \$18-\$25, are recommended as the show usually sells out.

Also, pro rodeo action is Friday through Sunday nights at 6:30 p.m. Tickets range from \$16-\$22.

For more information or a link to purchase tickets, visit [www.wallawallafairgrounds.com](http://www.wallawallafairgrounds.com) or call 509-527-3250.

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