

**DEATH NOTICES**

**Steven Marc Burgett**

May 21, 1969 — Nov. 19, 2021  
Pendleton

Steven Marc Burgett, 52, of Pendleton, died Nov. 19, 2021, at Providence St. Vincent Medical Center, Portland. He was born May 21, 1969, in The Dalles. Services in The Dalles and Pendleton are pending and will be announced in a later edition. Arrangements are with Anderson's Tribute Center, Celilo Chapel in The Dalles. Leave a note of condolence at [www.andersontributecenter.com](http://www.andersontributecenter.com).

**Douglas Gregg**

Nov. 14, 1933 — Nov. 19, 2021  
Hermiston

Douglas Gregg, 88, of Hermiston, died Nov. 19, 2021, at a local care facility. He was born Nov. 14, 1933, in Tennessee. Arrangements are with Burns Mortuary of Pendleton. Sign the online guestbook at [www.burnsmortuary.com](http://www.burnsmortuary.com).

**Janis Louise Handley**

Sept. 27, 1930 — Nov. 23, 2021  
Pendleton

Janis Louise Handley, 91, of Pendleton, died Nov. 23, 2021, at St. Vincent Hospital in Portland. She was born Sept. 27, 1930. Arrangements are with Munselle-Rhodes Funeral Home of Milton-Freewater.

**Robert Neil Lewis**

July 3, 1934 — Nov. 20, 2021  
Formerly Pendleton

Former longtime Pendleton resident Robert Neil Lewis, 87, died Nov. 20, 2021, at his home in Show Low, Arizona. He was born July 3, 1934, in Burtrum, Minnesota. No service is planned. Arrangements are with Owens Livingston Mortuary in Show Low, Arizona.

**Josefina T. Marquez**

Feb. 13, 1960 — Nov. 18, 2021  
Milton-Freewater

Josefina T. Marquez, 61, of Milton-Freewater, died Nov. 18, 2021, at Oregon Health Sciences University Hospital in Portland. She was born Feb. 13, 1960. Arrangements are with Munselle-Rhodes Funeral Home of Milton-Freewater.

**Randall L. Severe**

Nov. 3, 1951 — Nov. 21, 2021  
Pendleton

Randall L. Severe, 70, of Pendleton, died Nov. 21, 2021, in Portland. He was born Nov. 3, 1951, in Pendleton. Viewing is Monday, Nov. 29, 6-8 p.m. at Burns Mortuary of Pendleton, 336 S.W. Dorion Ave. Another viewing is Tuesday, Nov. 30, 8-10 a.m., followed by a funeral service at 11 a.m., both at the Pendleton Convention Center, 1601 Westgate. Burial will be at Olney Cemetery, Pendleton. Arrangements are with Burns Mortuary of Pendleton. Sign the online guestbook at [www.burnsmortuary.com](http://www.burnsmortuary.com).

**Irene H. Williams**

July 5, 1924 — Nov. 20, 2021  
Hermiston

Irene H. Williams, 97, of Hermiston, died Nov. 20, 2021, in Hermiston. She was born July 5, 1924, in Sand Springs, Montana. A graveside service will be Tuesday, Nov. 30, 11 a.m. at the Hermiston Cemetery. Arrangements are with Burns Mortuary of Hermiston. Share memories at [burnsmortuaryhermiston.com](http://burnsmortuaryhermiston.com).

**LOTTERY**

**Monday, Nov. 22, 2021**

**Megabucks**  
10-17-25-27-36-44  
Estimated jackpot: \$6.1 million  
**Lucky Lines**  
3-8-11-13-18-22-26-31  
Estimated jackpot: \$24,000  
**Win for Life**  
23-48-55-77  
**Pick 4**  
1 p.m.: 3-7-7-1  
4 p.m.: 1-3-2-6  
7 p.m.: 8-4-2-6  
10 p.m.: 3-7-7-7

10 p.m.: 1-2-4-8

**Wednesday, Nov. 24, 2021**

**Megabucks**  
20-29-37-39-40-46  
Jackpot: \$6.2 million  
**Lucky Lines**  
3-6-9-13-18-22-27-31  
Estimated jackpot: \$27,000  
**Powerball**  
10-16-32-63-65  
Powerball: 17  
Power Play: 2  
Jackpot: \$243 million  
**Win for Life**  
27-28-35-62  
**Pick 4**  
1 p.m.: 9-5-2-1  
4 p.m.: 7-7-4-4  
7 p.m.: 8-6-3-6  
10 p.m.: 6-0-3-1

**Thursday, Nov. 25, 2021**

**Lucky Lines**  
2-7-11-16-19-24-26-32  
Jackpot: \$27,000  
**Pick 4**  
1 p.m.: 6-1-7-4  
4 p.m.: 6-6-0-4  
7 p.m.: 8-9-0-2  
10 p.m.: 5-4-4-0

**OBITUARY**

**Bertha Giesler**

Jan. 2, 1925 — Nov. 17, 2021  
Pendleton

Bertha Giesler, 96, passed peacefully on Nov. 17, 2021, in her residence at Juniper House, Pendleton, Oregon. Bertha was born Jan. 2, 1925, in Mercer County, North Dakota to Mike and Elizabeth Boschee.

She was No. 3 of nine children, all born in the same family home. Brothers, George, Bill, Paul, Walt, Al and Dave Boschee; and sisters, Edna Strand and Helen Foreman. She was preceded in death by all her

siblings except Edna Strand of Kingsburg, California.

The family moved to Milton Freewater, Oregon, where she met and married John Giesler. They had a son, Albert Giesler, and daughter, Barbara (Giesler) Glus, whom all three preceded her in death.

Bertha loved cooking and baking, her

Christmas cookies and treats, chocolate pies and chocolate chip cookies will be fondly remembered by her grandchildren. Bertha loved bingo and was quite competitive in her card game of 31 and rarely missed "The Price is Right" and "Wheel of Fortune."

She is survived by her daughter-in-law, Janie Giesler of Pilot

Rock, Oregon; grandchildren, Jeremy Allen of Minneapolis, Minnesota; Brian Patten and Andrea Munkers of Pilot Rock, Oregon. She has five great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

A graveside service will be held at the Pilot Rock Cemetery on Friday, Dec. 3 at 2 p.m.

Burns Mortuary of Pendleton is in charge of arrangements. Sign the online guestbook at [www.burnsmortuary.com](http://www.burnsmortuary.com).



Giesler

**PUBLIC SAFETY**

**WEDNESDAY, NOV. 24**

10:37 a.m. — Pendleton police responded to the 700 block of Southwest 28th Street on a report of a burglary.  
11:41 a.m. — Pendleton police responded to the 100 block of Southeast Court Avenue on a report of a burglary.  
12:03 p.m. — Pendleton police responded to the 1500 block of Southeast Byers Avenue on a report of a burglary.  
4:13 p.m. — Hermiston police responded to the 800 block of South Highway 395 on a report of an assault.  
10:44 p.m. — A Morrow County sheriff's deputy told a female at the Don Baxter Skate Park, 8 N.E. Main Ave., Irrigon, that the park was closed.

**THURSDAY, NOV. 25**

3:20 a.m. — Hermiston police responded to the 1700 block of North First Street on a report of an assault.  
8:35 a.m. — A Milton-Freewater resident reported the theft of a gray 2005 four-door Chevrolet Colbalt from the 400 block of

Willow Street.

2:29 p.m. — A caller on Southeast Seventh Street, Irrigon, reported youths were jumping from the roof of a property under construction. A Morrow County sheriff's deputy spoke with the juveniles and notified their parents.

**ARRESTS, CITATIONS**

**Nov. 24**

- The Umatilla County Sheriff's Office arrested Aaron Wesley Carper, 37, for driving under the influence of intoxicants (alcohol).
- The Morrow County Sheriff's Office arrested Garrett Lee Holley, 25, for third-degree escape, misdemeanor and felony fleeing and reckless driving.

**Nov. 25**

- Milton-Freewater police responded to the 300 block of Northeast 11th Avenue and subsequently arrested Richard Franklin Kendall, 67, of Milton-Freewater, for domestic violence fourth-degree assault.

**MEETINGS**

**MONDAY, NOV. 29**

**Morrow County Health District**, 6:30 p.m., Pioneer Memorial Clinic, 130 Thompson St., Heppner, via Zoom at bit.ly/315LC2T or call 669-900-6833; Meeting ID: 844 0346 2333; Passcode: 998069. (541-676-2942)

held in conjunction with the Tri-State Convention via Zoom at [www.zoom.us/join](http://www.zoom.us/join) or call 253-215-8782; Meeting ID: 837-3323-6057; Passcode: 169620. (Tana Simpson 503-467-2161, [tsimpson@oregonwheat.org](mailto:tsimpson@oregonwheat.org))

meeting, BMCC, 2411 N.W. Carden Ave., Pendleton, or via Zoom/call-in. Login and agenda available via [www.bluecc.edu](http://www.bluecc.edu). Public comment accepted by Nov. 30, 5 p.m. to [sfranklin@bluecc.edu](mailto:sfranklin@bluecc.edu). (Shannon Franklin 541-278-5951)

**WEDNESDAY, DEC. 1**

**Blue Mountain Board of Education**, 4:30 p.m. work session; 6 p.m. regular

**Umatilla Rural Fire Protection District**, 7 p.m., Umatilla Fire Department, 305 Willamette Ave., Umatilla. (541-922-2770)

**TUESDAY, NOV. 30**

**Oregon Wheat Commission**, 2-4 p.m.;

**COMMUNITY BRIEFS**

**'Tis the season for bell ringers**

UMATILLA COUNTY — The Salvation Army Pendleton Corps is seeking additional bell ringers for its 2021 Red Kettle campaign. The charitable organization needs bell ringers in Pendleton and Hermiston.

Money raised helps ensure area families have a happy holiday season, providing funds for gifts, as well as hot meals, shelter as well as year-round social services. Red Kettles and bell ringers often provide a visual and auditory reminder the Christmas season is just around the corner.

The Salvation Army invites people to apply in person Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., at 150 S.E. Emigrant Ave., Pendleton.

The Red Kettle season kicked off Nov. 19 and runs through Dec. 24. It operates Monday through Saturdays. People must have their own transportation, be on time and display a welcoming appearance to customers.

For more information, contact Maj. Toni Halstad at 541-276-3369, [toni.halstad@usw.salvationarmy.org](mailto:toni.halstad@usw.salvationarmy.org), visit [pendleton.salvationarmy.org](http://pendleton.salvationarmy.org) or search Facebook.



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**Bell ringer Kevin Jernstrom of Pendleton greets customers while volunteering in November 2018 for the Salvation Army outside Bi-Mart in Pendleton. The Red Kettle campaign is seeking additional bell ringers for Pendleton and Hermiston.**

**BJ the DJ to spin country roads**

MILTON-FREEWATER — After dropping out of college in Texas, Henry John Deutschendorf Jr. headed to Los Angeles to pursue his musical dreams. The singer-songwriter achieved success when Peter, Paul and Mary had a No. 1 hit in 1969 with his song, "Leaving on a Jet Plane." Two years later,

"Take Me Home Country Roads" became John Denver's first big hit as a singer.

BJ the DJ will spin many of Denver's tunes during Oldies Night in Milton-Freewater. The free event is Saturday, Dec. 4, 7-10 p.m. at Wesley United Methodist Church, 816 S. Main St., Milton-Freewater.

Denver garnered 33 Billboard Hot 100 hit singles, including eight which

reached the top 10. And four that climbed all the way to No. 1: "Sunshine on my Shoulders," "Annie's Song," "Thank God I'm a Country Boy," and "I'm Sorry."

Bob Jones also will share tidbits about Denver's life — including the tragic end of his life in a plane crash. For more information, contact Jones at [dubuquer70@gmail.com](mailto:dubuquer70@gmail.com) or 541-938-7028.

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