

**PUBLIC SAFETY**

**MONDAY, JAN. 10**

7:17 a.m. — A woman called 911 to report she rolled her vehicle at Umatilla River and Bensel roads, Umatilla.

12:31 p.m. — A caller reported that about 20 minutes earlier he saw someone try to break into his car on North First Street, Hermiston, and the suspect took off in a white Toyota Camry with Idaho plates.

4:17 p.m. — A caller reported the theft of a vehicle from Northeast Stone Lane, Hermiston.

5:53 p.m. — A resident at Green Acres RV Park, 80542 Paterson Ferry Road, Irrigon, reported a neighbor's dog attacked their dog.

9:39 p.m. — A 911 caller reported a domestic disturbance on Hemlock Court, Umatilla.

**TUESDAY, JAN. 11**

7:48 a.m. — A caller on Southwest Birch Place, Pilot Rock, reported his girlfriend assaulted him. Police responded and made an arrest on a warrant.

8:44 a.m. — A caller told Hermiston police that she saw on Facebook a post that was four days old about people stealing from Smitty's Ace Hardware, 1845 N. First St., and she could identify the person in the post's photo.

9:58 a.m. — Pendleton police received a complaint about a theft at the Eagles Lodge, 428 S. Main St.

10:18 a.m. — A resident on Curlew Street, Umatilla, asked to speak to an officer about a package she received.

1:51 p.m. — A caller on the 500 block of Northeast Ellis Place, Pendleton, reported her sister and boyfriend are in a fight.

3:44 p.m. — Hermiston police responded to the 1000 block of Southwest 44th Street on a report of an assault.

5:34 p.m. — A caller asked police in Stanfield to check on his mother, who has missed work, not returned phone calls and had a recent illness.

6:28 p.m. — A caller reported hearing gunshots on Appleton Road, Milton-Freewater.

**ARRESTS, CITATIONS**

**Jan. 10**

• Hermiston police arrested Adrian Torres Nava, 22, for felon in possession of a weapon, second-degree theft, aggravated harassment and on a warrant for failure to appear.

• Umatilla Tribal Police arrested Leilani Kay Star, 42, for domestic abuse, menacing and assault.

**MEETINGS**

**THURSDAY, JAN. 13**

**Lower Umatilla Basin Groundwater Management**, 9 a.m., via Zoom. For login information, visit [www.lubgwma.org](http://www.lubgwma.org). (541-969-6282 [janetmgreenup@gmail.com](mailto:janetmgreenup@gmail.com))

**Hermiston Irrigation District**, 4 p.m., Hermiston Irrigation District, 366 E. Hurlburt Ave. (541-567-3024)

**Boardman Rural Fire Protection District**, 7 p.m., Boardman Fire Department Station 1, 300 S. Wilson Lane. (Suzanne Gray 541-481-3473)

**SATURDAY, JAN. 15**

**Umatilla County Special Library District**, 9 a.m. to noon, board retreat via Zoom. For login information and agenda, visit [www.ucsl.org](http://www.ucsl.org). (Erin McCusker 541-276-6449)

**TUESDAY, JAN. 18**

**Pendleton Development Commission**, 6 p.m., Pendleton City Hall, 501 S.W. Emigrant Ave., or via Zoom. For login information, visit [www.pendleton.or.us](http://www.pendleton.or.us). (Charles Denight 541-966-0233)

**Pendleton City Council**, 7 p.m., Pendleton City Hall, 501 S.W. Emigrant Ave. (541-966-0201)

**East Umatilla County Health District**

7 p.m., district office, 431 E. Main St., Athena. (541-566-3813)

**Umatilla City Council work session**, 6 p.m., Umatilla City Hall, 700 Sixth St. For more information, visit [www.umatilla-city.org](http://www.umatilla-city.org). (Nancy Sandoval 541-922-3226)

**Pilot Rock City Council**, 6 p.m., city hall, 143 W. Main St. (541-443-2811)

**WEDNESDAY, JAN. 19**

**Intermountain Education Service District**, 4 p.m., district office, 2001 S.W. Nye Ave., Pendleton. (Danielle Sackett 541-966-3102)

**Umatilla Hospital District**, 6 p.m., Umatilla Medical Clinic, 1890 Seventh St. (541-922-3104)

**Oregon Trail Library District**, 6:30 p.m., Oregon Trail Library District office, 200 S. Main St., Boardman. For Zoom login information, call the district office or visit [www.otld.org](http://www.otld.org). (Kathy Street 541-481-3365)

**THURSDAY, JAN. 20**

**East Umatilla County Ambulance Area Health District**, 7 p.m., district office, 431 E. Main St., Athena. (541-566-3813)

**DEATH NOTICES**

**Virginia Carol Carnes**

**Sept. 16, 1944 — Jan. 8, 2022**  
**Pilot Rock**

Virginia Carol Carnes, 77, of Pilot Rock, died Jan. 8, 2022, at her home. She was born Sept. 16, 1944, in Gasconade, Missouri. Arrangements are with Pendleton Pioneer Chapel, Folsom-Bishop. Online condolences may be sent to [www.pioneerchapel.com](http://www.pioneerchapel.com).

**Russell J. 'Rusty' Estes**

**Aug. 12, 1958 — Dec. 9, 2021**  
**Heppner**

Russell J. "Rusty" Estes, 63, of Heppner, died Dec. 9, 2021, at his home. He was born Aug. 12, 1958, in Enterprise, the son of Sarah Jane Sannar and James Franklin Estes. A celebration of life will be Saturday, Jan. 15, 11 a.m. at the Heppner Fire Hall. A dinner follows at the Heppner Elks Lodge. Arrangements are with Sweeney Mortuary of Heppner. Sign the online condolence book at [www.sweeneymortuary.com](http://www.sweeneymortuary.com).

**Lorena A. Hall**

**Sept. 29, 1935 — Jan. 6, 2022**  
**Pendleton**

Lorena A. Hall, 86, of Pendleton, died Jan. 6, 2022, at a family home. She was born Sept. 29, 1935, in La Grande. Services will be held at a later date. Arrangements are

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

**Victor Alfred Jewell Jr.**

**July 11, 1963 — Jan. 9, 2022**  
**Pendleton**

Victor Alfred Jewell Jr., 58, of Pendleton, died Jan. 9, 2022, at St. Anthony Hospital, Pendleton. He was born July 11, 1963. Arrangements are with Pendleton Pioneer Chapel, Folsom-Bishop. Online condolences may be sent to [www.pioneerchapel.com](http://www.pioneerchapel.com).

**Carl Grant Reedy**

**Aug. 12, 1951 — Jan. 9, 2022**  
**Milton-Freewater**

Carl Grant Reedy, 70, of Milton-Freewater, died Jan. 9, 2022, at his home. He was born Aug. 12, 1951. Arrangements are with Munselle-Rhodes Funeral Home, Milton-Freewater.

**Roger Nicholas Weiler**

**May 10, 1951 — Jan. 9, 2022**  
**Walla Walla**

Former Milton-Freewater resident Roger Nicholas Weiler, 70, of Walla Walla, died Jan. 9, 2022, at his home. He was born May 10, 1951. Arrangements are with Munselle-Rhodes Funeral Home, Milton-Freewater.

**UPCOMING SERVICES**

**THURSDAY, JAN. 13**

**Bauer, Wilma** — Memorial service, 11 a.m. at the Grant County Fairgrounds Pavilion, 411 N.W. Bridge St., John Day. A potluck reception will follow.

**FRIDAY, JAN. 14**

**Irusta, John** — Graveside service, 1 p.m. at the Hermiston Cemetery.  
**Johnson, Charlotte** — Memorial service, 2 p.m., at Burns Mortuary Chapel, 685 W. Hermiston Ave., Hermiston.

**SATURDAY, JAN. 15**

**Estes, Rusty** — Celebration of life, 11 a.m. at the Heppner Fire Hall, 188 W. Willow St. A dinner will follow at the Heppner Elks Lodge, 142 N. Main St.  
**Harrell, Kenny** — Celebration of life service, 1 p.m. at the Hermiston Community Center, 415 S. Highway 395.

**LOTTERY**

**Monday, Jan. 10, 2022**

**Megabucks**  
8-14-24-32-33-46  
Estimated jackpot: \$8.2 million

**Lucky Lines**  
2-5-12-15-18-21-26-31  
Estimated jackpot: \$73,000

**Win for Life**  
32-35-40-52

**Pick 4**

1 p.m.: 4-1-2-1  
4 p.m.: 4-4-7-7  
7 p.m.: 9-6-3-9  
10 p.m.: 1-8-3-0

**Tuesday, Jan. 11, 2022**

**Mega Millions**  
2-3-19-52-58  
Mega Ball: 16  
Megaplier: 2x

Estimated jackpot: \$325 million  
**Lucky Lines**  
1-6-12-15-17-23-26-31  
Estimated jackpot: \$74,000

**Pick 4**

1 p.m.: 6-6-2-3  
4 p.m.: 7-2-6-1  
7 p.m.: 7-2-9-2  
10 p.m.: 6-3-3-1

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**Kenneth Van Harrell**

**April 23, 1977 - November 13, 2021**

Kenneth Van Harrell (also known as Kenny, or Junior) was born at Community Hospital in Pendleton, OR on April 23rd, 1977, to parents Ken & Karen Harrell. He passed away peacefully at Kadlec Hospital on Saturday, November 13th, 2021, with his mom, wife and son by his side at the age of 44.



When Kenny was two years old, the family, which now included younger sister, Kilee, moved to Hermiston. Kenny attended elementary school at West Park and Sunset, and went to Armand Larive Junior High. He attended Hermiston High School for his freshman year, then transferred to Echo High School, where he completed his high school years. In grade school he was on the swim team for several years, and absolutely loved it. He also played Little League baseball, and high school football.

Kenny's biggest passion was being outdoors, in the mountains hunting every season he was able to. He also loved to fish. If you didn't find him with a gun or fishing pole, there was a pretty good chance you would find him with a chain saw somewhere, looking for that one tree that would be the biggest challenge to cut down to prevent it from falling on any nearby structures. He got great satisfaction when the tree would fall exactly where he had planned for it to. He loved sharing his love of the mountains, hunting, fishing, and cutting wood with his wife and boys. Kenny was also an avid gun collector, and strongly believed in the 2nd Amendment, and our right to keep and bear arms.

At the age of 16, Kenny went to work at the Umatilla, OR branch of Wilbur Ellis Company. His dad Ken, also worked there at the time, and that is where Kenny got the nickname "Junior." At the time of his death, Kenny worked for Western Ag Improvements.

Kenny met his wife Tiffany, and her two boys Justin and Beau, in August 2001. On July 19, 2003 the four of them became a family when Kenny and Tiffany married

with the boys by their side. From the start of their relationship, Kenny considered the boys his own. He took them everywhere. They would paintball or go to the mountains hunting or fishing. You could also find Kenny and the boys eating breakfast at Jack in the Box nearly every Sunday morning.

The newest addition to the family was a granddaughter, Kinslee Ann Jones. She was Papa's girl, and absolutely had him wrapped around her little finger. Kenny bought Kinslee her very first rifle, a .22 Cricket for her 1st birthday, and he was so looking forward to teaching her to shoot & taking her to Hunters Safety class, and sharing his love of the mountains, and time at the cabin with her.

Kenny is survived by his loving wife of 18 years, Tiffany, his son Justin Jones, granddaughter Kinslee Ann, his parents Ken & Karen, sister Kilee (Kevin) Mc-Neeley, nephew Jordan, nieces Jenna & Hannah. He is also survived by his in-laws Don & Sandy Obrist, Kim (Jim) Sexton, nephew Tyler (Alanna) Sexton, Emily (Kyler) Barton, a great niece & nephew, and Grandma Thelma, as well as many other aunts, uncles and cousins. Kenny undoubtedly left a mark on the lives of those who knew and loved him, and he will be missed beyond measure.

He was preceded in death by his Grandparents Elizabeth & William O'Dell, his best friend - his Great Grandpa Van, Grandpa Bud, Uncle Jim, Tiffany's Grandpa Bill, and several aunts and uncles.

A Celebration of Life service following state guidelines will be held on Saturday, January 15th, 2022 at 1:00 P.M. at the Hermiston Conference Center, Hermiston, Oregon.

Please share memories of Kenny with his family at [burnsmortuaryhermiston.com](http://burnsmortuaryhermiston.com) Burns Mortuary of Hermiston, Oregon is in care of arrangements.

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- Includes name, age, town of residency and information about any funeral services or life celebrations.
- No add-ons available (photos, etc.).

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**PAID OBITUARY CONTACT INFORMATION**

Audra Workman  
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541-564-4538

**DEADLINES**

East Oregonian  
Tuesday: Friday by NOON.  
Thursday: Tuesday by NOON.  
Saturday: Thursday by NOON  
Hermiston Herald: Fridays by 3 p.m.

**DEATH NOTICE CONTACT INFORMATION**

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541-564-4532

**DEADLINES**

East Oregonian:  
11a.m. day prior to publication (Monday/Wednesday/  
Friday)  
Hermiston Herald  
Tuesdays at NOON

**Sandra Losceal (Dirks) Gall**

**May 23, 1944 - December 25, 2021**

Sandra Losceal (Dirks) Gall passed away on Saturday, December 25, 2021. A beloved wife, mother, sister, aunt, grandmother, and great-grandmother, she was born in McKinney, Texas on May 23, 1944 to Walter and Ellen Dirks. Sandy was 77 years old.



Growing up, she lived in Aberdeen, Idaho where she graduated from high school in 1962. While in high school, she was the class treasurer, editor of the yearbook, drum majorette for the band, and won the title of Aberdeen Junior Miss in 1962. She received her license as a Practical Nurse in 1963 from St. Anthony Mercy Hospital in Pocatello, Idaho.

She married Norman E. Gall on August 7, 1963 in Pocatello, Idaho and lived there until Norman graduated from Idaho State University and was transferred to California for work in 1967.

They resided in Downey, California for 39 years with their family. During those years, Sandy worked at J.C. Penney as a switchboard receptionist, in the offices of a few doctors in town, and eventually retired in 2006 from the City of Downey, where she worked at City Hall in the Finance Department for 20+ years. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Downey for over 30 years, spent many years on PTA boards and enjoyed being a room mom and a team mom for her children's various sports teams.

Following retirement, she and Norm moved to Pendleton, Oregon to enjoy their retirement on their "farm" and to leave the hustle and bustle of the city. While in Pendleton, she became a substitute classified employee for the school district and enjoyed working in classrooms and helping teachers. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Pendleton and served as an Elder on the Caring Commission, and was a member of the Presbyterian Women's Group, providing support for the Salvation Army and volunteering at the Outreach Thrift Store and

Food Pantry. She helped at the annual soup supper, hosted the Easter Sunrise service on her property, and volunteered in the kitchen at Westminster Woods Day Camp. She was honored with lifetime membership in Presbyterian Women in 2015.

Sandy was an amazing seamstress and delighted in giving others her cloth creations. When she wasn't filling her home with warmth and kindness, you could find her gardening, cooking, or baking. Her homemade bread, cinnamon rolls and coffee cake are family favorites.

Sandy took great pride in her family and dedicated her life to being a compassionate and giving mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother by supporting her family with their many passions over the years. She never missed a performance, a game, or a special event in their lives. She strived to live her life by always giving to others and her generous spirit will live on in those who loved her. She is loved by many and will be greatly missed.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 56 years, Norman Gall, and her parents Walter and Ellen Dirks.

She is survived by her son and daughter-in-law Jeffrey and Sharon Gall of Rancho Santa Margarita, CA, her daughter and son-in-law Kristin and Matthew Bean of Murrieta, CA, her son Gary Gall of Eastvale, CA, her daughter Jennifer Gall of Phoenix, AZ, grandchildren Jaelyn (Jacob) Manlapaz, Garrett Gall, Alyson Bean, Kaiden Bean, Jacob Gall, and her great-grandchildren Ryder and Emery Manlapaz. She is also survived by her brother and sister-in-law Terry and Paula Dirks of Pendleton, OR, her sister and brother-in-law Barbara and Leland Sanderson of Sun City, AZ, her sister-in-law Nona Gall of Prosser, WA, and many nieces and nephews.

A service will be held this summer, with specific date, time, and location to be determined.