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HOMETOWN HEROES Sgt. Christman's service spotlighted

Sergeant Alix Christman, a 2010 graduate of Enterprise High School, reported for Boot Camp in August 2010 and earned her Eagle, Globe and Anchor in November of that year. After completing boot camp and additional specialized training at Camp Lejeune, S.C., she was stationed at Camp Pendleton, Calif., for three years, during which she deployed to Afghanistan for eight months.

Alix was promoted to Corporal while deployed and promoted to her current rank of Sergeant in April 2014.

A logistics specialist, she

is now stationed at MAR-FORRES, Marine Forces Reserve, in New Orleans.

Alix is a First Degree black belt in Marine Corps Martial Arts, a Third Award Expert marksman and an instructor for the Corporals Course.

Besides her regular duties, Alix volunteers her time at Special Olympics events, USMC Toys for Tots and is a Sexual Assault Uniformed Victims Advocate.

Wallowa County Hometown Heroes Team honors Sgt. Christman and thanks her for her dedication and sacrifice. Hometown Heroes also thanks her family.



Sgt. Alix Christman

If you would like to send a card to Sgt. Christman, mail it to ECC, 207 E. Main, Enterprise OR 97828, and Hometown Heroes will forward it.

Grand jury drops assault charge

Following an alleged Jan. 26 domestic violence incident that initially planted 33-yearold Tyler Douglas Long in the Union County jail facing one felony and three misdemeanor charges, on Feb. 24 a Wallowa County grand jury dropped the assault-4, Class C felony charge against Douglas and indicted him on three Class A misdemeanor charges and one Class B misdemeanor.

According to Circuit Court records, Long initially was accused of physically injuring Hannah Staicoff on Jan. 26. Staicoff is an adult documented as living at the same rural Enterprise address as Long.

The felony charge was dropped, but Long still faces one Class A misdemeanor charge for the same offense. In addition, Long was indicted on two separate Menacing

Class A misdemeanor charges for allegedly firing a shotgun through the floor of the residence plus throwing and smashing furniture against a wall. The Class B misdemeanor charge alleges that Long made "offensive physical contact" with Staicoff.

Long, released on bond, was arraigned Feb. 25 in the Wallowa County Courthouse and is scheduled for an April 8 hearing plea.

Child custody dispute; overdue hikers found; public indecency

Dispatch Log

Feb. 23

9:50 a.m. Child custody dispute in Enterprise.

11:42 a.m. Request for traffic control to assist with highway cleanup in Lostine.

12:20 p.m. Vacation check requested in Enterprise. 4:58 p.m. Found Black

Lab/Border Collie mix in Enterprise. Owner located. 9:03 p.m. Information plaint in rural Enterprise.

from rural Enterprise.

FOR THE RECORD

Feb. 27 7:27 a.m. Agency assist in Wallowa County.

Feb. 28

1:00 a.m. Traffic complaint in rural Wallowa. 2:45 a.m. Loose horses in rural Joseph.

4:20 a.m. 911 request for ambulance in rural Joseph.

6:45 a.m. Traffic com-

9:05 Information a.m. from WCSO.

for ambulance in rural Joseph.

8:49 p.m. 911 requesting ambulance in Wallowa. 9:23 p.m. Information

March 1

12:00 a.m. Public assist in Enterprise. 7:15 a.m. Information

report in Enterprise. - Enterprise.

Enterprise.

call in Enterprise.

12:15 p.m. Public assist

12:19 p.m. Information – Enterprise.

3:06 p.m. Traffic stop –

Courtesy photo Reesa Sutphin-Knutson and John Knutson, with their sons Nic and Kristoff, recently took the Chieftain along on their vacation to Maui. They are pictured with their friend Frank Woodward who owns a private charter boat business in LaHaina. Reesa, John and Frank are all graduates of Enterprise High School, Class of 1983. The Knutsons currently reside in the Yakima, Wash., area. Pictured, from left: Nic Knutson, Frank Woodward, Reesa Sutphin-Knutson, John Knutson, Kristoff Knutson.

CHIEFTAIN IN HAWAII

EHS pair selling used prom dresses again

ENTERPRISE — Emma Hall and Sarah Madsen, two seniors from Enterprise High School, are collecting used prom dresses which they will be displaying at Stage 1.

This is the third year that Hall and Madsen are operating a business that they call Pride & Preju-Dress. They were looking for a creative, fun way to raise money for a local cause and with prom just around the corner, they figured that girls may need a chic, affordable place to get their prom outfits.

Hall and Madsen say they especially encourage underclassmen who are new to the prom scene and don't want to spend a lot of money to come and look at the selection. There will be a variety of sizes and brands, including Ann

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Taylor Loft and Macy's. Madsen says, "This business isn't only for prom; there are options for other dances and formal events too."

They will be selling these dresses at Stage 1 in Enter-prise March 14. There will be a tea party/fashion show to preview the new dresses. Only 40 tickets are available. Contact Emma Hall at 541263-2899 to order them. The tea party will start at 11 a.m. The sale will go from 12 to 4 p.m.

Dress donations can be dropped off at the Enterprise school office.

As this is Hall and Madsen's last year running the program, they are looking for an underclassman to take over the business for next year.



10:33 p.m. 911 information from Wallowa.

11:08 p.m. Noise complaint of barking dogs in Wallowa.

Feb. 24

5:54 a.m. Cell 911 for Enterprise ambulance in Joseph.

10:25 a.m. Ambulance request in Enterprise.

1:44 p.m. Overdue hikers reported in Imnaha. Subjects located.

4:38 p.m. Public assist in Enterprise.

10:42 p.m. Welfare check in Enterprise.

Feb.25

8:29 a.m. Cell 911 for Enterprise ambulance. 12:39 p.m. Harassment

reported in Enterprise 12:43 p.m. Traffic complaint in Enterprise.

3:24 p.m. 911 reporting public indecency in rural Enterprise. OSP responded and cited Randy Millican, 48, for public indecency.

6:24 p.m. Harassment disturbance in Enterprise.

Feb.26

8:39 a.m. Criminal mischief, 1st degree burglary, reported in Enterprise.

9:10 a.m. Civil dispute in Enterprise.

2:22 p.m. Traffic complaint of juvenile driving without privileges, with underage passengers.

p.m. Wallowa 3:36 County Circuit Court issued arrest warrant for Robert C Rousseau, 50, on charges of probation violation, original charges of theft-3.

4:39 p.m. Lost coat in Enterprise.

6:30 p.m. Follow-up investigation of animal neglect.

11:26 p.m. Disturbance information reported in Enterprise.

9:33 a.m. 911 requesting ambulance in Enterprise. 9:37 a.m. Information from Wallowa.

11:11 a.m. 911 requesting ambulance in rural Enterprise.

1:51 p.m. Officers responded to suicide threat in Enterprise. 7:54 p.m. 911 request

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4:15 p.m. 911 report of unattended death in rural Wallowa County.

5:36 p.m. Alarm at Enterprise business.

7:45 p.m. 911 request for ambulance in Lostine. Patient canceled.

March 2 6:53 a.m. Custody dispute in Enterprise.

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