



Courtesy of Kody Shriver

EOU students who play the violin, viola, cello or string bass in the Grande Ronde Symphony are invited to apply for the new Lorna Spain Orchestra Scholarship.

Symphony association funds scholarship for EOU students

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Eastern Oregon University's Foundation is unveiling a new scholarship and it promises to be a bright note for string musicians.

Funded by the Grande Ronde Symphony Association (GRSA), the Lorna Spain Orchestra Scholarship will provide \$1,500 for an undergraduate EOU student — either newly accepted or currently enrolled — who plays the violin, viola, cello or string bass in the symphony.

The award is renewable for up to five years and students do not need to be music majors to be eligible to apply.

Symphony Board President Patty Sandoz worked with the EOU Foundation to establish the scholarship dedicated to Spain. Sandoz said that Spain, who is the past president of the symphony and remains involved as an honorary board member, "gave tirelessly to the symphony" and that the association wanted to honor her for her contributions.

The Grande Ronde Symphony Orchestra performs at EOU's Loma Hall and is one of the longest running in the state. Membership is comprised of area residents, EOU students, faculty, staff and others. Zeke Fetrow of Portland is the conductor and music director.

Sandoz said GRSA saw an opportunity to "help an EOU student who plays a stringed instrument to keep up with their hard-earned skills" while also buoying the strings section of the symphony.

"We hope the scholarship also brings Lorna the recognition she so richly deserves," Sandoz added.

Students interested in applying for the Lorna Spain Orchestra Scholarship should visit www.eou.edu/music/scholarship-opportunities and complete the University Music Award Online Application.

For information on the scholarships available through the EOU Foundation or how to contribute to this or other funds, call 541-962-3740 or email foundation@eou.edu.

HORSE

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Translation: if a rider does his part, this horse and rider team are set up to earn no

less than 80 points. There's a good chance they'll earn more.

Don't go thinking that means Adalida is a rocking horse who just kicks and bucks in rhythm and gives a guy the opportunity to throw in the pretty moves that make

him look good. She's no day off.

"She has 'salvation' — she changes up her style and game plan throughout the ride depending on her rider," said owner Tim Bridwell of Bridwell Livestock. "She is hard to ride because of this,

but it will keep her bucking at a high level for a long time because guys won't be able to figure her out."

She's a dedicated bucker, for sure, but until the chute gate opens, the mild-mannered mare contently lingers with her herd mates amid the

tall grasses of the pasture, patiently waiting for her turn to wow audiences and carrying cowboys to the pay window.

And maybe, just maybe, someday she will pass on her style and grace to a new generation of Bridwell Buckers.

THE SCENE



Wednesday, July 20

• Liver Down The River, 7 p.m. at Terminal Gravity

Thursday, July 21

• The Noncommittals, 5:30 p.m. at the Wallowa County Courthouse

Wednesday, July 24

• The Riverside, 7 p.m. at Terminal Gravity

Thursday, July 28

• Jennings & Keller, 5:30 p.m. at the Wallowa County Courthouse

Friday, July 29

• Jezebel's Mother, 7 p.m. at Terminal Gravity

Thursday, Aug. 4

• Reckless Kelly (OK Theatre facade fundraiser), 7 p.m. at the OK Theatre. theoldok.com

• Blue Plate Special, 5:30 p.m. at the Wallowa County Courthouse

Thursday, Aug. 11

• Brass Fire, 5:30 p.m. at the Wallowa County Courthouse

Thursday, Aug. 18

• The Sagebrush Sisters, 5:30 p.m. at the Wallowa County Courthouse

Friday, Aug. 19

• Don Fiemons, 8 p.m. at the OK Theatre. theoldok.com

Thursday, Aug. 25

• JW McClure, 5:30 p.m. at the Wallowa County Courthouse

Thursday, Sept. 8

• The Purple Hells, 7 p.m. at the OK Theatre. theoldok.com

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SHOT

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The event was a fundraiser for the Joseph Masonic Lodge.

Contestants included ECSA president Doug Wickre, Deputy Fred Steen and Dustin Schaeffer. After more than an hour of shooting, Schaeffer was declared the winner in both the rifle and pistol events. Wickre place second and Steen third. Wickre said the scores were very close.

Schaeffer said that constant practice put him over the

top. He walked away from the contest with a brand new Marlin .17 HMR bolt-action and a Copper Creek Mercantile gift certificate. The other competitors also received gift certificates.

Wickre said the ECSA does a number of fundraisers and while he hoped for more contestants, this was the contest's first year.

"We put out a lot of publicity out on it, and I'm surprised that we didn't have at least a dozen competitors, but it is what it is," Wickre said. "Hopefully we can build on it next year."

Shooting is a sport that can

be shared by families, Wickre said.

"We have a lot of family memberships. ... It's something a family can do together like we did with our kids as they grew up. The association does have some family events such as hunter safety, and a lot of our matches see kids coming with their dad or mom to shoot or watch."

The association stresses safety, and no one is allowed to shoot on the range without first receiving full orientation and training from a range officer.

"Even though this match was a timed event, first comes safety, second comes accuracy and third comes speed," Wickre explained.

The ECSA range is located north of Enterprise. Take State Highway 3 toward Lewiston for seven miles and turn right on Ant Flat Road, then proceed one mile south. The range will be on the left. The range facility is locked and only members hold the combination to the padlock. If you wish to visit or use the facility please contact an officer or member. Guests are welcome to use the facility.

The facility boasts a main rifle range, pistol bays, a black-powder range and even an archery range. A shotgun trap is slated for the near future. Range/association membership is \$55 per year for an individual, \$75 for a couple and \$100 for family. To learn more, visit <http://eaglecapshooters.com>.

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