

Esprit earns top printing industry honor

By Wallowa County Chieftain

Skip and Shannon Novakovich, owners of Esprit Graphic Communications with offices in Enterprise and Kennewick, Wash., were honored at the 2018 Pacific Printing Industries PrintRocks Award celebrating excellence in print.

Esprit received a best of category award for a full-color and gold-foiled poster produced for St. Anthony's Hospital in Pendleton. The company also received a second-place award for their production of the Chief Joseph Days poster for the event held annually in Joseph.

More than 180 people from throughout the Northwest attended the event at the Melody Ballroom and Event Center in Portland, paying honor to the finest printing produced in the Northwest.

"Esprit, and Skip and Shannon, have been a consistent award winner at the Annual Print Rocks event year after year," said Jules Van Sant, PPI Executive Director. "Their extreme attention to excellence in all they produce is as sterling as is their reputation in the



Skip and Shannon Novakovich were recently honored by Pacific Printing Industries.

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Northwest printing industry." Shannon Novakovich said they were honored to be recognized by their peers, adding "Esprit's philosophy has always been to provide our cli-

ents with the highest value they can receive for the dollars they spend on printing," she said.

Pacific Printing Industries is a Northwest Printing Trade organization affiliated with

Printing Industries of America, the world's largest graphic arts trade association serving Alaska, Hawaii, Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana and Utah.

Joseph Branch Railriders becomes Railrider Cycling

Joseph Branch Railriders, along with the Oregon Coast Railriders and Vance Creek Railriders, will soon change their company to name to Railrider Cycling.

Each of the locations henceforth will be referred to as a branch. The concession opened to the public in May 2014, offering guided tours along the railroad tracks five days a week from the Saturday before Memorial Day in May to the first week of October.

The Joseph Branch is located at 501 W. Alder, Joseph. Other branches are in Bay City, Ore., and Shelton, Wash.

Railrider Cycling is owned and operated by Kim and Anita Metlen of Imbler. The business has enjoyed a rapid evolution from the first railrider prototype that Kim constructed from an Internet idea to the current design. Kim continues to improve the two and four seated designs.

A new use and unique activity on formerly unused historic rails in Wallowa and Tillamook counties in Oregon as well as Mason County in Washington have given new life to old rails.

The next season for Railrider Cycling opens May 18.

Lottery shines spotlight on Wallowa River

The Oregon Lottery will be highlighting watershed restoration work done in Wallowa County as part of a new fall campaign that will feature ways in which lottery funds are spent.

Throughout this fall, a series of segments airing on television and within social

media channels will highlight watershed restoration.

Complementing the television and social media segments, Lottery is featuring more in-depth videos and written stories online at <https://www.oregonlottery.org/beneficiaries/watershed-enhancement>

Four tourism projects secure funds from transit lodging tax receipts

By Kathleen Ellyn
Wallowa County Chieftain

Enterprise City Council approved all four requests for Transient Lodging Tax grants to promote tourism within city limits at the regular city council meeting Monday, Oct. 8.

Applicants for this round of awards were Wallowa County

Athletic Network, GEMS Winterfest Celebration, Fishtrap Fireside Program and the Wallowa Valley Community Ice Rink. All applicants were awarded the full \$2,000 grant.

The Wallowa County Athletic Network is raising money for a variety of recreational projects around the county, including the pro-

posed \$450,000 indoor facility at Jensen Field in Enterprise. This grant money is earmarked for repositioning the left field fence in order to begin construction of the facility while still allowing for baseball games outdoors when the facility is complete.

GEMS (Greater Enterprise Main Streets group)

approached the city for assistance in meeting their budget of \$3,800 for the annual Winterfest Celebration. The all-volunteer, merchant-supported event drew approximately 350 people to the downtown area last year. Primary costs include lights for 15 trees and the gazebo on the courthouse lawn, as well as the cost of installation, insurance and advertising.

Fishtrap, Inc. requested the grant to support their pop-

ular Fishtrap Fireside program, which costs approximately \$7,000 per year. Fishtrap covers \$4,961 of the amount through general operating funds, sponsorships, donations and in-kind support.

Fireside is hosted at the Fishtrap House in Enterprise the first Friday of every month from October through April and provides platform for local writers to share their work. The event draws approximately 50 to 60 people every first Friday.

The Wallowa Valley Community Ice Rink is gearing up for another winter season, from mid-December through February, and continues to make small improvements every year. The group plans to spend the grant money on a shed to house rental skates. The plan is to rent a shed from DJ Jannuzzi for three months. In addition, the group intends to improve the fencing around the rink. The chain link fencing borrowed from the fairgrounds is very difficult to erect and tear down. They now want to have their own fence of a different design that is easier for volunteers to handle.

The ice rink draws 40 to 50 people per day on Saturdays and Sundays. The group estimates that on any given weekend day, 15 of those visitors are from out of town. They estimate the rink is used by 30 people per day on weekdays.

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1. Type of cleaner (abbr.)
4. Going out
10. ___ Jima, WWII battlefield
11. Closed
12. Air Force
14. Moved swiftly
15. Will not (obsolete)
16. Type of tank
18. Raise
22. Represent
23. Gives a new moniker
24. Adversary
26. Anno Domini
27. Lillian ___, actress
28. Bunch of something
30. This (Spanish)
31. A guitarist uses one
34. Small stem bearing leaves
36. Soviet Socialist Republic
37. Actress Rooney
39. Dark brown or black
40. Matter
41. Atomic number 87 (abbr.)
42. Food company
48. Trips to see wildlife
50. Elderly
51. Famed chapel
52. Something to grab
53. City in Oklahoma
54. Muckraking journalist Tarbell
55. Thallium
56. Corroded
58. A Brooklyn NBAer
59. Most liberated
60. Google certification (abbr.)

CLUES DOWN

1. High moral behavior
2. Expects
3. Fanciful notions
4. Spanish be
5. All the people of approximately the same age
6. Berated
7. Trailblazing comedienne
8. Fabric edge
9. South Dakota
12. Amazon ID number
13. A wife (law)
17. Printing speed measurement
19. Wrong
20. Exams
21. Outlying suburb of London
25. Replaces
29. Prints money
31. Accumulate
32. New Zealand conifer
33. College teachers
35. A way of grating
38. Novice
41. Having limits
43. Shining with jewels or sequins
44. Existing at birth but not hereditary
45. ___ Caesar, comedian
46. A young male horse under the age of four
47. Russian industrial city
49. Wash off
56. Radio frequency
57. Delirium tremens

Church Directory

<p>Church of Christ</p> <p>502 W. 2nd Street • Wallowa 541-398-2509</p> <p>Worship at 11 a.m. Mid-week Bible Study 7 p.m.</p>	<p>Grace Lutheran Church</p> <p>409 West Main -Enterprise</p> <p>SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES 9/30—We worship at St. Patrick's at 9:30 AM October—every Sunday at 9 AM Mission Project: Harvest Food Drive for Food Bank phone (message): 541-426-4633 web: gracelutheranenterprise.com</p>
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<p>Joseph United Methodist Church</p> <p>3rd & Lake St. • Joseph Pastor Cherie Dearth Phone: 541-432-3102 Sunday Worship Service 10:00 am</p> <p>JosephUMC.org</p>	<p>Summit Church</p> <p>Gospel Centered Community Service time: 10:30 am Cloverleaf Hall in Enterprise 541-426-2150 Interim Pastor: Rich Hagenbaugh</p> <p> www.summitchurchoregon.org</p>
<p>Enterprise Christian Church</p> <p>85035 Joseph Hwy • (541) 426-3449</p> <p>Worship at 9 a.m. Sunday School at 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship at 6 p.m. (nursery at A.M. services)</p> <p>"Loving God & One Another" David Bruce, Sr. - Minister</p>	<p>Christ Covenant Church</p> <p>Pastor Terry Tollefson Church Office: 541-263-0505</p> <p>Family Prayer: 9:30 AM Sunday School: 10 AM Worship Service: 11 AM</p> <p>723 College Street Lostine</p>
<p>Lostine Presbyterian Church</p> <p>Discussion Group 9:30 AM Worship Service 11:00 AM Childrens program during service <i>Blog: dancingforth.blogspot.com</i></p> <p>541.398.0597 Hwy 82, Lostine Stephen Kliever, Minister</p>	<p>Enterprise Community Congregational Church</p> <p>The Big Brown Church with an open door Pastor Archie Hook Sunday Worship 11am Bible Study 9:30am Ark Angels Children's Program Ages 4-6th grade, 11am Nursery for children 3 & under 301 NE First St. • Enterprise, OR Find us on Facebook! 541.426.3044</p>
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