

# Memorial Day weekend was one of the most destructive at park

## OUT OF THE PAST

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### 100 YEARS AGO

June 5, 1919

A marked reduction in the toll rate charged by the mutual telephone companies centering at Flora was put into effect. The new toll rate is 5 cents for calls within a quarter of a mile of the Flora central. A war tax of 10 cents is charged on calls amounting to more than 50 cents, but the tax is only 5 cents on calls under that. New rates to farms beyond Flora will vary according to the distance.

Sidewalks in the business district of Enterprise will be made a uniform width of 15 feet, according to the city council decision.

In the Circuit court room of the court house now hangs the honor flag given to Wallowa county last night as a tribute to its perfect record in war bonds performance.

The flag has as its center a great blue V in a field of white, bordered by red, typifying the Victory loan. Oregon's record in Liberty bonds was so remarkable that every county is to receive this recognition.

### 70 YEARS AGO

June 2, 1949

Candidates for queen of the Chief Joseph Days celebration are already being nominated. Beverly Oliver has been named as candidate from Wallowa High School. Lostine has nominated Diane Snodderly. Marian



Mawhin has been named as candidate from Enterprise High School and Ruby Malton nominated from Joseph High School. A candidate from Flora has not yet been announced.

Dorothy Taylor, Wallowa, was awarded the Carl Raymond Gray \$100 college scholarship for being the county's outstanding 4-H Club member in 1948.

### 50 YEARS AGO

June 5, 1969

Memorial Day week-

end was one of the most destructive weekends in the past three years at Wallowa Lake State Park. Not only was vandalism prevalent at the park, but all along the highways over the weekend, according to police officers.

Wallowa county voters, following a statewide trend, registered a resounding "no" to the sales tax proposal on Tuesday. Voting throughout the county and the state was 10-1 against the sales tax.

Several buildings in

Enterprise suffered damage to windows. The Enterprise School suffered damage to six windows, a rock was thrown through a large display window at Milligan Motors and through one of the windows at the Jaycee Hall, as well as through a window at Jack's Laundromat on the west end of North Street in Enterprise.

Memorial services were held last Friday at the Enterprise cemetery at which time the local chapter of the Veterans of Foreign Wars dedi-

cated a new memorial at the cemetery. Master of ceremonies for the occasion was commander Jerry Cross.

25 years ago - June 2, 1994

Boise Cascade's Joseph sawmill closed permanently after sawing its last log 9am Friday, May 27. Boise Cascade blames difficulty in obtaining logs from national forest lands for the closure. Approximately 50 local workers were affected by the closure.

Linda and Fred Casa-

day spearheaded a project on behalf of the Wallowa County Rotary Club to round up stuffed toys for distribution to Romanian orphans.

Almost 1500 toys and 129 blankets were collected locally.

The Enterprise Savages golf team finished sixth at the Oregon Class 2A-3A championships held in Salem. The team is comprised of Derek Eddy, Ryan Wulff, Rob Anderson and Brian Rahn.

## FOR THE RECORD

### MAY 27

2:27 p.m. - Possible wolf depredation rural Wallowa.

4:05 p.m. - 911 possible intoxicated driver in Joseph.

4:56 p.m. - Traffic complaint in rural Wallowa.

### MAY 28

7:02 a.m. - 911 reporting propane smell in a cabin.

9:02 a.m. - Alarm at Joseph business. False alarm.

10:02 a.m. - Gregory Rex Stephens, 72, of Enterprise arrested by Enterprise Police Dept. for Trespass x 3 and Probation Violation. Transported to Umatilla County Jail.

12:00 p.m. - 911 one vehicle crash in rural Enterprise.

1:12 p.m. - Criminal mischief reported in rural Joseph.

5:23 p.m. - Abandoned vehicle in rural Enterprise.

6:32 p.m. - Found property in Enterprise.

9:29 p.m. - Loose cattle reported in rural Enterprise.

### MAY 29

9:28 a.m. - Trespass call in Enterprise.

12:42 p.m. - Entered a parole and probation detainer warrant on Phillip Milton Evans,

41, of Enterprise for Probation Violation, original charge Public Indecency. No bail.

11:22 p.m. - Report of business alarm in Joseph.

### MAY 30

4:29 p.m. - 911 report of loose cow on Eggleston Lane.

11:12 p.m. - Wallowa County Circuit Court issued a statewide misdemeanor warrant for Starlynn Marie Brown, 39, of Baker City for Failure to Abide by Release Conditions. Original charge Harassment.

### MAY 31

9:27 a.m. - 911 call reporting a domestic in Wallowa.

10:28 a.m. - Dog barking complaint in Enterprise.

12:47 p.m. - Abandoned vehicle in Enterprise.

12:50 p.m. - 911 reporting a traffic complaint in rural Enterprise.

2:15 p.m. - 911 report of a civil issue in Joseph.

3:50 p.m. - Civil dispute reported in Enterprise.

5:06 p.m. - Theft report in Joseph.

5:26 p.m. - 911 report of traffic complaint in rural Enterprise.

6:52 p.m. - 911 report of upside down kayak in Wallowa River.

10:47 p.m. - 911 request for law enforcement in Enterprise.

### JUNE 1

8:09 a.m. - 911 report of a vehicle in the creek in rural Imnaha.

3:49 p.m. - Traffic complaint in rural Joseph.

11:37 p.m. - Illegal fireworks reported in Wallowa.

### JUNE 2

10:50 a.m. - Noise complaint from ATV's in Enterprise.

2:22 p.m. - 911 report of road hazard in rural Enterprise.

6:35 p.m. - Dog complaint in Enterprise.

### STUDENT of the WEEK

**SAMANTHA WIGHTMAN**  
Wallowa High School

Samantha is currently a sophomore at Wallowa High School. She is an FFA Officer who is active on multiple FFA teams and activities as well as participating at the Wallowa County Fair. Samantha is a conscientious, cheerful student who works to understand her course materials. She is helpful to others, consistent, dependable, and trustworthy.

The Student of the Week is chosen for academic achievement and community involvement. Students are selected by the administrators of their respective schools.

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## Thank You!

On behalf of the Donald (Biden) Tippett family, we would like to express our sincere thanks and gratitude to everyone for the prayers, flowers, cards, food, donations and volunteer work. We would also like to extend a special thank you to the First Baptist Church and Bollman Funeral Home; if not for them, Dad's memorial service would not have been as great as it was.

The Family of Biden Tippett - Joseph, Oregon

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