

Wagner lands 28-inch rainbow trout

OUT OF THE PAST

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100 YEARS AGO May 25, 1922

J. R. Wagner landed a real trout while fishing in Wallowa river near Minam. Experts called it a true rainbow. It measured 28 inches in length and weight 5-1/4 pounds.

Bishop L. H. Wells of the Episcopal church came from Tacoma to confirm 17 new members of the church. Bishop Wells is a real pioneer of eastern Oregon. He made his first trip to Union county in 1871 and was in Wallowa valley before Enterprise was started.

The first street dance in Enterprise was held after down town business men

gave the streets a cleaning which made them fairly shine, in preparation for the stockmen's convention. The result, with the bright colors of the banners strung across the streets, was to make the town look more animated than ever before in its history.

75 YEARS AGO May 29, 1947

Heavy equipment was moved in yesterday to start construction on the final .88 mile of road which will complete the Enterprise-Lewis-ton highway.

The directors of the Alder Slope school district No. 2, Lee Cook, Vernon Hays and Oscar Shafer, went to Walla Walla to purchase a school bus to be used in transporting their grade pupils to the Enterprise school this coming year.

The Bartlett neighborhood had two fires last week when the houses of Ira Wilson and Floyd Wilbur burned. The Wilbur house burned down on Thursday evening and the Wilson house on Saturday afternoon.

50 YEARS AGO May 25, 1972

The 4-H Duke and Duchess were chosen during the horse judging at the county fairgrounds last week. Burke Lathrop was chosen Duke and Jackie Nash, was picked for Duchess.

Randy Strohm of Enterprise was one of three high school football players in the state of Oregon who'll attend the Dave Wilcox Football Camp in McMinnville this summer, compliments of the Pacific Power & Light Co.

Wallowa's Bobb Lewis claimed the State Class A shot put title last weekend by unleashing a 52'3" toss to win the event.

Nine competitors from Wallowa County brought home eight medals when they competed in the State Special Ed Track Meet in Eugene. Steve Ingram claimed the only gold medal for the local youngsters by winning the boys 16-18 year old high jump with a 5'1" leap.

25 YEARS AGO May 22, 1997

A Florida woman escaped a brush with disaster after her kayak capsized in the raging Minam River and she had to spend a cold night in the wilderness before walking 12 miles to safety.

The BPA has completed the reseeded of about 1,500 acres of canyon lands around the Grande Ronde River and Joseph Creek in an effort to stabilize soils eroded by mudslides last winter.

Shannon Ables of Enterprise and Rory Johnson of Wallowa were the top Wallowa County performers at the Oregon Class 2A-1A track and field championships. Ables won the 100-meter and 200-meter dashes, while Johnson won the boys 800.

WHAT'S HAPPENING

SEE THE EXPANDED ONLINE CALENDAR AT EASTERNOREGONEVENTS.COM

WEDNESDAY, MAY 25

ROTARY CLUB OF WALLOWA COUNTY: Noon to 1 p.m. Odd Fellows Hall, Enterprise.

WALK WITH A DOC: 12:30-1:30 p.m. Meet outside in front of Wallowa Memorial Hospital. Every Wednesday Dr. Emily Sheahan will host a brief discussion around a health topic, and then the group will head out on the walking path that encircles the hospital campus — about a half mile long, flat and well equipped with resting benches along the way.

LIFESTYLE WELLNESS CLASS: 5-7 p.m., Wallowa Memorial Medical Clinic, Joseph. Wednesday evenings March 16-May 25. Focusing on nutrition, exercise, sleep, decreasing stress, increasing social contacts and avoiding health risks. A supportive environment with like-minded people dealing with the same issues and wellness concerns. Call 541-426-7908 to register.

ENTERPRISE CEMETERY MAINTENANCE DISTRICT MEETING: 5:30 p.m. Thornton Conference Room, Wallowa County Courthouse.

FRIDAY, MAY 27
DRAGONS ON THE LAKE PADDLING CLUB: 5:30 p.m. 501 E. 7th Street, Joseph. Monthly meeting and potluck. 541-432-1121 for more info.

"HEARTWOOD" OPENING RECEPTION: 6:30-9 p.m., Joseph Center. Opening reception for the Steve Arment/Anna Vogel exhibit "Heartwood." Fancy dress encouraged, live music, no host bar.

SATURDAY, MAY 28
HURRICANE CREEK HALF MARATHON/5 MILE/5K/1 MILE KIDS RUN: 8 a.m.-noon. Starting line at Joseph City Park. Pick up race packet starting at 6:30 a.m. For registration and fees, go to www.runnersofthesage.com.

DISCOVERY WALKS: 9-11 a.m. Meet in the lobby of Wallowa Lake Lodge. Join Wallowology's Nature Discovery Guide for family-friendly walks.

WALLOWA COUNTY FARMERS' MARKET: 9 a.m.-2 p.m. 604 N. Main, Joseph, next to Stein Distillery. Vegetable, herb and flower starts, crafts and produce.

EAGLE CAP EXCURSION TRAIN: 10 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Elgin Depot in Elgin. 25-mile round trip along the Grande Ronde River. Boxed lunch included. 541-437-3652 for prices and to book.

WALLOWOLOGY GRAND OPENING: 10 a.m.-7 p.m. 508 N. Main St, Joseph. Celebrating their ninth season with activities, snacks, speakers, stories and art.

EHS GRADUATION CEREMONY: 1 p.m. Enterprise High School's football field (weather permitting), or high school gym.

WHS ANNUAL ALUMNI BANQUET: Doors open at 5 p.m., dinner at 7 p.m. Beth Johnson Room, Wallowa Elementary building. For info call 541-910-2230.

MONDAY, MAY 30
WALLOWA COUNTY CHESS CLUB: 3:30-5:30 p.m. Joseph Center, Joseph. Free. Players of all ages and levels are welcome.

TUESDAY, MAY 31
QUILTING GROUP: 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Wallowa Senior Center.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1
ROTARY CLUB OF WALLOWA COUNTY: Noon to 1 p.m. Odd Fellows Hall, Enterprise.

WALK WITH A DOC: 12:30-1:30 p.m. Meet outside in front of Wallowa Memorial Hospital. Every Wednesday Dr. Emily Sheahan will host a brief discussion around a health topic, and then the group will head out on the walking path that encircles the hospital campus — about a half-mile long, flat and well-equipped with resting benches along the way.

THURSDAY, JUNE 2
COURTHOUSE CONCERT SERIES: 5:30 p.m. Courthouse gazebo and lawn.

VETERANS APPRECIATION DINNER: 6-7:30 p.m. Cloverleaf Hall, Enterprise. Hosted by Wallowa Valley Center for Wellness and Wallowa County Veterans Services. Come have a meal on us, connect with other veterans and get a goodie bag of resources. Catered by Chuckwagon Sisters. Free, but please RSVP at 541-426-0539.

FRIDAY, JUNE 3
JHS GRADUATION CEREMONY: 4 p.m. Joseph Charter School football field.

SATURDAY, JUNE 4
DISCOVERY WALKS: 9-11 a.m. Meet in the lobby of Wallowa Lake Lodge. Join Wallowology's Nature Discovery Guide for family-friendly walks.

STATE PARKS DAY AT WALLOWA LAKE: 9 a.m.-noon. Volunteer event at the state park cutting back overgrown brush, covering social trails and improving the trail where necessary. Refreshments and basic tools provided. Meet at the "Nature Trail" trailhead in the marina parking lot.

WALLOWA COUNTY FARMERS' MARKET: 9 a.m.-2 p.m. 604 N. Main, Joseph, next to Stein Distillery. Vegetable, herb and flower starts, crafts and produce.

FLORA SCHOOL DAYS: 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Historic Flora schoolhouse, north of Enterprise on Highway 3.

WHS GRADUATION CEREMONY: 11 a.m. Nez Perce Homeland Grounds.

MONDAY, JUNE 6
WALLOWA COUNTY CHESS CLUB: 3:30-5:30 p.m. Joseph Center, Joseph. Free. Players of all ages and levels are welcome.

TUESDAY, JUNE 7
QUILTING GROUP: 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Wallowa Senior Center.

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FOR THE RECORD

MAY 16
12:19 a.m. — Search and rescue incident in rural Joseph.
8:42 a.m. — Loose horses reported in rural Joseph.
12:43 p.m. — Scam reported in Wallowa.
4:35 p.m. — Abandoned vehicle in the city of Joseph.

MAY 17
7:10 a.m. — Public assist in Enterprise.
9:04 a.m. — Commercial alarm in Enterprise; false alarm.
11:19 a.m. — Theft reported in Lostine.
12:49 p.m. — Theft complaint in Joseph.
4:16 p.m. — Unauthorized use of a vehicle in rural Wallowa.
4:44 p.m. — Traffic stop by the Enterprise Police Department; citation issued for failure to display registration.
9:24 p.m. — Report of a suspicious person in Enterprise.

MAY 18
10:20 a.m. — Request for public assist in Enterprise.
11:56 a.m. — Report of loose cattle causing a road hazard in rural Enterprise.
1:34 p.m. — Public assist in Joseph.
1:39 p.m. — Traffic complaint in Joseph.
5:35 p.m. — Report of found dog; caller located the owner in Joseph.
6:26 p.m. — Traffic complaint in rural Enterprise.

MAY 19
12:31 a.m. — Report of a single vehicle disabled in rural Wallowa, needing a tow.
11:42 a.m. — Fraud reported in Enterprise.
11:53 a.m. — Public assist requested in Lostine.
12:06 p.m. — Welfare check requested in Enterprise.
2:16 p.m. — EPD resident contact.

MAY 20
8:19 a.m. — Scam calls reported in Wallowa.
10:20 a.m. — First-degree

theft reported in rural Troy.
10:47 a.m. — Public assist in Wallowa County.
12:23 p.m. — Welfare check requested in Lostine.
3:01 p.m. — Noise complaint in Enterprise.
4:06 p.m. — Traffic complaint in rural Enterprise.
4:59 p.m. — Traffic complaint in rural Wallowa.
5:30 p.m. — Traffic complaint in rural Enterprise.
9:06 p.m. — Civil dispute in Enterprise.
9:26 p.m. — Report of fire in Enterprise.

MAY 21
9:54 a.m. — Commercial fire alarm in Enterprise.
5:13 p.m. — Attempt to locate statewide probation violation warrant in Joseph.
5:45 p.m. — Two female border Collie dogs reported missing from rural Enterprise.
5:56 p.m. — Welfare check requested in rural Imnaha.
7:52 p.m. — Traffic stop in rural Joseph.
9:18 p.m. — Traffic stop in rural Wallowa.
9:35 p.m. — Traffic stop in rural Wallowa.
10:08 p.m. — Traffic stop in Enterprise.
10:51 p.m. — Sheila Christine Sweeney, 48, of Wallowa, was arrested at a traffic stop in Enterprise by the EPD on a charge of DUI. Sweeney was cited and released; her vehicle was towed.




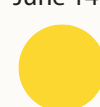
MAY 22
6:17 a.m. — Loose cow on Highway 82 in rural Joseph.

Weather Forecast

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	High	Low	Conditions
May 26	73	48	thunderstorms
May 27	59	41	showers
May 28	55	39	showers
May 29	53	38	showers
May 30	57	40	mostly cloudy
May 31	64	44	partly cloudy
June 1	65	44	partly cloudy

Phases of the moon

May 22	May 30	June 7	June 14
			
Last Quarter	New Moon	1st Quarter	Full Moon

WALLOWA COUNTY SUNRISE & SUNSET DATE MAY 26 – JUNE 1
(from the U.S. Naval Observatory)

THUR	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUES	WED
5:05	5:05	5:04	5:03	5:03	5:02	5:02
8:26	8:27	8:28	8:29	8:30	8:31	8:32



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