

Local

BAKER COUNTY CALENDAR

FRIDAY, SEPT. 28

■ **Live Music by Keith Taylor:** Ragtime piano, 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., Crossroads Carnegie Art Center, 2020 Auburn Ave.; no charge.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 29

■ **National Historic Oregon Trail Interpretive Center Free Fee Day:** National Public Lands Day at the center, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., 5 miles east of Baker City on Highway 86.

MONDAY, OCT. 1

■ **Haines Fire Protection District Board:** 7 p.m. at the Haines Library.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 3

■ **Baker County Board of Commissioners:** 9 a.m., Courthouse, 1995 Third St.

■ **Baker City Farmers Market:** 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., at the Fairgrounds, 2600 East St.

FRIDAY, OCT. 5

■ **First Friday Art Shows:** Baker City art galleries are open late to showcase the month's new artwork; opening times vary between 5:30 p.m. and 6 p.m. at Crossroads Carnegie Art Center and other galleries.

MONDAY, OCT. 8

■ **Medical Springs Rural Fire Protection District Board:** 7 p.m. at the Pondosa Station.

TURNING BACK THE PAGES

**50 YEARS AGO
from the Democrat-Herald
September 28, 1968**

Photo: Out East Eagle Way — Enjoying the summer splendor in the grassy hills near the Wallows, Jean Seberg is filmed in this scene for Paramount's "Paint Your Wagon." Time is running out and Baker will soon lose its Hollywood visitors.

**25 YEARS AGO
from the Baker City Herald
September 28, 1993**

An open house is scheduled Friday at the new Women's and Children's Residential Care Facility at 1840 Resort St.

The open house, to dedicate the new facility, will be from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The event will include a tour of the facility and refreshments.

The facility, operated by the Baker County Council on Drug and Alcohol Problems and Baker House, will provide drug- and tobacco-free housing and child care for up to nine women.

**10 YEARS AGO
from the Baker City Herald
September 28, 2008**

The Legislative Emergency Board approved \$119,000 Friday to hire a state entomologist and offset costs already shouldered by farmers to fight a grasshopper infestation in Baker County and other areas of North-eastern Oregon.

"I want to thank Senate President Peter Courtney, D-Salem, for his attention to this issue," said Senate Minority Leader Ted Ferrioli, R-John Day, who led a fight for E-Board approval of grasshopper spraying funds to hire an entomologist position for Northeastern Oregon in the Oregon Department of Agriculture budget.

**ONE YEAR AGO
from the Baker City Herald
September 29, 2017**

David Henry would like to return the mixed plastics bin to Baker Sanitary Service's recycling center in Baker City.

But he has no idea when that might be feasible.

"I don't see a solution on the horizon," said Henry, president of Baker Sanitary Service.

OREGON LOTTERY

MEGABUCKS, Sept. 26

7 — 17 — 24 — 35 — 38 — 41

Next jackpot: \$7.6 million

POWERBALL, Sept. 26

1 — 2 — 7 — 30 — 50 PB 8

Next jackpot: \$213 million

WIN FOR LIFE, Sept. 26

13 — 25 — 32 — 41

PICK 4, Sept. 27

• 1 p.m.: 8 — 9 — 3 — 1

• 4 p.m.: 0 — 5 — 0 — 6

• 7 p.m.: 1 — 8 — 4 — 1

• 10 p.m.: 3 — 8 — 3 — 6

LUCKY LINES, Sept. 27

2-8-9-15-20-21-26-32

Next jackpot: \$39,000

SENIOR MENUS

- **MONDAY:** Chicken ala king over biscuit, broccoli-blend vegetables, fruit ambrosia, cookies
- **TUESDAY:** Breaded pork loin, baked potato, baby carrots, roll, pasta salad, lemon bar

Public luncheon at the Senior Center, 2810 Cedar St., 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.; \$4.50 donation (60 and older), \$6.75 for those under 60.

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Food drive planned for October

The Eastern Oregon FFA District has paired up with the local Les Schwab Tire Centers to launch a state-wide hunger initiative beginning Monday to raise food to help #DriveAwayHunger and meet the growing need in our community, a press release announcing the event states.

The statewide FFA service initiative will take place during the entire month of October.

"Last year the Eastern Oregon FFA District and Les Schwab Tire Centers were selected as the most engaged district for this drive in the state," Bibiana Giff, Baker Technical Institute agriculture science teacher and

FFA adviser at Baker High School stated in an email to the Herald.

The Eastern Oregon FFA District includes the Baker; North Powder; Pine Eagle, Union, Cove, La Grande, Imbler, Elgin, Wallowa, Enterprise, and Joseph FFA chapters.

"This is a special project for the Oregon FFA, because FFA members are given the opportunity to live out their motto of "learning to do, doing to learn, earning to live and living to serve," the release stated.

In this service initiative, FFA members can follow in the footsteps set by those at Les Schwab Tire Centers, as you see them giving back to

their communities every day.

Paper bag inserts will be included in the Baker City Herald and The Observer in La Grande to allow their readers the opportunity to fill the bags with nonperishable food items.

Since 2008, the Oregon Food Bank has seen the demand for emergency food boxes increase by 44 percent, the press release stated. A total of 1,117,000 boxes of food are distributed to people in Oregon every year.

The food drive is Les Schwab and FFA's way of helping fight hunger and partnering together to lend a helping hand, be on the lookout for activities and collections happening throughout

our community the month of October.

People are encouraged to drop food donations at any Les Schwab Tire Store or local FFA Chapter.

In addition to nonperishable food, the FFA is seeking farm and ranch crop donations. Those interested in donating a portion of their food crop, are asked to contact their local FFA Chapter.

All donations received will be given to the local food pantries in each community. If there is more food donated than can be used in each community, it will be distributed by the Oregon Food Bank to other pantries throughout the state.

Utah dance company to perform Oct. 11

Crossroads Carnegie Art Center is welcoming Repertory Dance Theatre from Salt Lake City, Utah — the oldest modern dance repertory company in the country — for a one-night performance on Thursday, Oct. 11.

The performance starts at 7 p.m. at Baker High School, 2500 E St., Baker City.

Tickets are \$10 for Crossroads members and \$15 for nonmembers. Family tickets are \$30 members or \$35 nonmembers. Tickets are available at Crossroads, 2020 Auburn Ave., Betty's Books, 1813 Main St., online at www.crossroads-arts.org or at the door.

Repertory Dance Theatre was founded in 1966 in Salt Lake City, Utah. It is a professional modern dance repertory company dedicated to the creation, performance, perpetuation and appreciation of modern dance.

On Oct. 11, the company will perform selected works by the choreographer Michio Ito.

According to a press release, "It was one of a boundary-crossing generation that brought about the literary, musical and artistic breakthroughs of modernism and the eclectic beginnings of American modern dance. He was an electrifying performer who collaborated with major writers, musicians, and artists. In New York and Los Angeles before World War II, he developed a unique system of teaching that was carried on after his death in 1961 by his disciples in Japan."

Sarah Donohue's "Still Life with Flight," an uplifting duet, reveals a chance meeting between two strangers who find themselves seated uncomfortably close together on a bus.

The Company will also present "Her Joy" by Tiffany Rea-Fisher, a piece featuring four women, celebrating the choreographer's love of being female.

Finally, RDT will present "Crippled Up Blues" by William (Bill) Evans. This

panoramic, humorous work pairs RDT distinguished alumnus William (Bill) Evans and Emmy Award-winning musician/folklorist Hal Cannon with 3hattiro. Originally premiered in RDT's 50th anniversary season, the work features "desert music" created by 3hattrio, which acknowledges the cultural traditions of generations who have worked and lived in the deserts of the American Southwest. As native Utahns, Evans and Cannon harness their artistic sensibility and deep love for the history and landscape of the region to crystallize heartfelt and whimsical versions of stories of the unique peoples who lived and live there.

Crossroads will be assisted by Loran Joseph, who will handle sound for the event, and Baker High School FBLA, who will be providing the refreshments at intermission in the BHS Commons for a free-will donation.

Performing arts students

will also be assisting at the event.

Community programs

Repertory Dance will be doing community-based programming in Baker City on Oct. 12:

- 10 a.m.: Movement for Athletes (free); Baker High School Gym, 2500 E St, Baker City

- 10 a.m.: Contemporary Technique/Improv — \$10 members, \$15 nonmembers; preregistration is required; for ages 12-16; Crossroads Carnegie Art Center, 2020 Auburn Ave Baker City, OR

- 10 a.m.: Movement for Seniors/Creative Aging (free); Meadowbrook Place Assisted Living Community, 4000 Cedar St., Baker City. Non-residents of Meadowbrook are welcome to join in but do need to call Meadowbrook to see if space is available.

Crossroads is supported in bringing RDT to Baker City with a grant from WESTAF (Western States Arts Federation). Signature sponsors include St. Luke's Eastern Oregon Medical Associates, Della Steele, the Oster Cook Family and the Good Bear Ranch. For questions about tickets or signing up for the class at Crossroads call 541-523-5369.

NEWS OF RECORD

DEATHS

Roy Hearne: 82, of Halfway, died Sept. 27, 2018, at his home with his family at his side. A family gathering in Roy's honor will take place next spring, when the grass is green. Arrangements are under the direction of Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home & Cremation Services. Online condolences may be made at www.tamispinevalleyfuneralhome.com

FUNERALS PENDING

Calvin 'Bud' Butts: Memorial service Saturday, Oct. 13, at 2 p.m. at Gray's West & Co. Pioneer Chapel, 1500 Dewey Ave. Pastor Lennie Spooner of the Baker First Church of the Nazarene will officiate. Memorial contributions may be made to the Trail Tenders at the Oregon Trail Interpretive Center through GraysWest & Co., 1500 Dewey Ave., Baker City, OR 97814. To light a candle in memory of Bud, or to leave a condolence for his family, go to www.grayswestco.com

Glenna Lucile Smith: A Celebration of Life will be held at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, October 13, at the Halfway Lions Club Community Hall, 235 Lion St. in Halfway, Oregon. Following the service, friends are invited to join the family for a reception at Wild Bill's. Memorial contributions may be made to the Pine Valley Fair Exhibit Hall through Coles Tribute Center, 1950 Place St., Baker City, OR 97814. To light a candle in memory of Glenna, or to leave a condolence for the family, go to www.colestributecenter.com

POLICE LOG

Baker County Sheriff's Office

Arrests, citations

PAROLE VIOLATION: Richard Lee Wyant, 54, North Platte, Nebraska, 7:59 p.m. Thursday on Oregon Trail Boulevard in Huntington; jailed.

