

# Local

## BAKER COUNTY CALENDAR

### FRIDAY, NOV. 9

- **Live Music by Keith Taylor:** Ragtime piano, 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., Crossroads, 2020 Auburn Ave.; no charge.
- **Eagles Past Presidents Club Dinner:** 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Eagles Lodge, 2935 H St.; dinner is spaghetti, salad and garlic bread for \$7. Eagles members and their guests welcome.

### SUNDAY, NOV. 11

- **National Historic Oregon Trail Interpretive Center Free Fee Day:** In honor of Veterans Day, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., at the Center, five miles east of Baker City just off Highway 86.
- **Veterans Day Ceremony:** 11 a.m., at the veterans monument at the Baker County Courthouse, 1995 Third St.

### MONDAY, NOV. 12

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

### TUESDAY, NOV. 13

- **Baker City Council:** 7 p.m., City Hall, 1655 First St.

### WEDNESDAY, NOV. 14

- **Lower Powder River Irrigation District Board:** 6 p.m. at Barley Brown's, 2190 Main St.

### THURSDAY, NOV. 15

- **Baker Rural Fire Protection District Board:** 5:30 p.m. at the Pochontas Fire Station.

## TURNING BACK THE PAGES

### 50 YEARS AGO from the Democrat-Herald Nov. 6, 1968

Photo: New State Representative — New state representative for Baker and Grant counties, Tom Young, casts one of the winning ballots in yesterday's election. Young, a Baker attorney, defeated Democrat Max Simpson for the seat in the House. Republican Young edged Simpson by approximately the same margin that Nixon led Humphrey in Baker County. These totals are from 24 out of 26 precincts reporting.

### 25 YEARS AGO from the Baker City Herald Nov. 8, 1993

Vowing to fight groups who want to shut down logging, grazing and mining on federal lands, Rep. Bob Smith, R-Ore., told Baker City residents Friday they are under siege.

"We are slowly being crushed by an avalanche of people who do not understand how we live and think we are raping the public lands," said the congressman from Burns.

Smith, who represents Oregon's 2nd Congressional District — the area east of the Cascades plus parts of Jackson and Josephine counties — spoke to a full house of more than 50 people in council chambers at Baker City Hall.

### 10 YEARS AGO from the Baker City Herald Nov. 7, 2008

Oregon Trail Electric Cooperative opposes a Bonneville Power Administration plan designed to provide inexpensive power to two aluminum plants in the Northwest.

The proposed 17-year agreement with Alcoa would ultimately result in a rate increase to BPA customers, including OTEC, of 2 percent to 3 percent, said Werner Buehler, OTEC general manager.

### ONE YEAR AGO from the Baker City Herald Nov. 8, 2017

The skiff of snow that whitened Baker City over the weekend would scarcely have been noticed last winter, when a succession of storms all but buried cars.

But the relatively early snowfall, combined with forecasts for a cold and wet winter, surely left residents wondering where they stored their roof rakes and shovels last spring.

## OREGON LOTTERY

**MEGABUCKS, Nov. 5**  
2 - 4 - 13 - 14 - 22 - 36  
Next jackpot: \$2.4 million

**PICK 4, Nov. 6**  
• 1 p.m.: 1 - 7 - 2 - 9  
• 4 p.m.: 1 - 6 - 9 - 5  
• 7 p.m.: 9 - 9 - 3 - 8  
• 10 p.m.: 3 - 9 - 0 - 1

**WIN FOR LIFE, Nov. 5**  
26 - 45 - 65 - 73

**LUCKY LINES, Nov. 6**  
3-79-13-17-24-26-31  
Next jackpot: \$32,000

## SENIOR MENUS

- **THURSDAY:** Beef Burgundy over fettuccine, mixed vegetables, roll, beet-and-onion salad, pudding
- **FRIDAY:** Barbecue ribs, baked beans, baby carrots, roll, green salad, cinnamon roll

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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## WALDEN

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Tuesday's victory was the closest ever for Walden, who was first elected to represent

the 2nd District in 1998.

He received 56.5 percent of the votes Tuesday, to McLeod-Skinner's 39.2 percent.

Walden won 61.5 percent

### 'Kenny' Langley

Former Baker County resident, 1945-2018

Kenneth "Kenny" Langley, 73, of Union, a former Baker County resident, died Nov. 1, 2018, at his home surrounded by his family.

A celebration of his life will be scheduled later.

Kenneth Eugene was born on June 30, 1945, at Ontario to parents Harry and Mildred Langley. Kenny was raised on a ranch at Lime, about 7 miles north of Huntington. He attended elementary school at Huntington and high school at Cambridge, Idaho, where he graduated in 1963.

Kenny worked for Union Pacific Railroad for about 20 years and for the Idaho Northern and Pacific for an additional 17 years. He thoroughly enjoyed working for the Railroad doing rail work and he especially loved to start the engines up.

Kenny liked to fish, hunt and bowl. In fact, he was even a member of the bowling league in Gresham for a time. Kenny enjoyed fall, Halloween, Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Nearly 20 years ago Kenny bought some property at Union. He was able to put in a new home on that same property in 2014.

Memorable times in Kenny's life included when his nephew, Ethan, was born. At the time, Kenny was 55

and he told his niece, Billisue, for several months that Ethan would be born on his birthday and it turned out he was right, as Ethan was indeed born on his birthday June 30, 2000.

The following year was also special as he became a godfather to Debora Ann Langley, who was born July 24, 2001. Another significant time was when Kenny was baptized in 2010.

Kenny was always willing to help someone in need. Even when he lented money, he never asked for it back. He was a very loving and caring man.

Kenny was preceded in death by his parents, Harry and Mildred Langley; brothers, Donald, and Baby Langley; sisters, Margie Ann, Carolee and Ruthy.

Survivors include his brothers, Earl and Ivan; numerous nieces and nephews; and special boss and good friend, Neil Cox.

The family suggests contributions in Kenny's name to the Blue Mountain Humane Society through Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home and Cremation Services, P.O. Box 543, Halfway, OR, 97834. Online condolences may be made at [www.tamispinevalleyfuneralhome.com](http://www.tamispinevalleyfuneralhome.com)

### Phyllis Fettig

North Powder, 1932-2018

Phyllis Nadene (Pearson) Fettig, 86, of North Powder, died Nov. 2, 2018, at her home.

There will be a graveside service at 2:30 p.m. on Friday,

of the votes in the 1998 campaign. In his nine subsequent victories he received between 66.8 percent and 73.9 percent of the votes. Oregon's four other rep-

resentatives — Democrats Suzanne Bonamici, Earl Blumenauer, Peter DeFazio and Kurt Schrader — also won re-election to two-year terms on Tuesday.

## OBITUARIES

Nov. 9, at the North Powder Cemetery. A Celebration of Life will follow at the North Powder Grange.

As the youngest daughter of Olive and Frank Pearson, born and raised in North Powder and with 13 siblings, Phyllis was eager to experience life outside her rural upbringing and joined the Army soon after high school.

Shortly thereafter, she met and married William Fettig and along came her two girls, Gayle and Cindy. They spent 28 years in the service, moving overseas and around the U.S. many times. Retirement in 1967 brought them to Portland and "Bomber Bill" to the Oregon State Police. Full retirement came in 1978 when they joined their beloved friends, Pat and Hank Hay, at Nyssa, on the Snake River, building a gorgeous home by themselves.

Phyllis' desire to return to North Powder was never-ending, a final move brought her back to Powder in 1986. Here she and Bill remained and thrived. Bill passed away in 1994, but she couldn't leave.

Gayle passed away in 2007 and she considered a move to Portland, but "Powder" was home. Stubbornness, (a trait not lost on the Pearson women), gave her great comfort to live out her life on her own terms.

As the last member of such



Phyllis Fettig

an extended family, she endured the pain and suffering of losing so many before her.

"Her journey is now complete and she is reunited with those she loved so much and who have waited so patiently for her to join them," family members said.

She gave her love, laughter and tears to her family and she will be dearly missed, they said.

She was preceded in death by her parents and 13 brothers and sisters, Elmer, Ruby, Bus, Susie, Dorothy, Peggy, Grace, Calvin, Lois, Barbara, Alta, Pete and Mick. She lost her beloved husband, William Fettig, in 1994 and oldest daughter, Gayle Lynn Fettig, in 2007.

Survivors include her youngest daughter, Cindy, and her husband, Brian Carr; grandchildren, Carrie Jo Galbraith, and William and Makenzie Carr; great-grandchildren, Breonna, Maxwell and Zachary Galbraith, and Jaxson and Addison Carr; great-great grandson, Jaxson Galbraith; and many loving nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions to the North Powder Grange in gratitude of their years of service to this special family would be appreciated. Donations may be made through Gray's West & Co. Pioneer Chapel, 1500 Dewey Ave., Baker City, OR 97814.

To light a candle in memory of Phyllis, or to leave a condolence for the family, go to [www.grayswestco.com](http://www.grayswestco.com)

## NEWS OF RECORD

### DEATHS

**Jerry Johnson:** 79, of Baker City, died Nov. 4, 2018, at his home. His memorial service, with military honors, will be at 11:30 a.m., Thursday, Nov. 8, at the Seventh-day Adventist Church, 42171 Chico Road. Pastor Monte Wood will officiate. There will be a reception afterward at the church. To light a candle for Jerry or to leave a condolence for his family, go to [www.grayswestco.com](http://www.grayswestco.com)

**Gloria A. Grammatico:** 87, died Oct. 11, 2018, at Puyallup, Washington. Her memorial service will be at 1:30 p.m. Friday,

Dec. 7, 2018, at Coles Tribute Center, 1950 Place St. Pastor Karl Wittich of Calvary Baptist Church will officiate. Memorial contributions may be made to Calvary Baptist Church through Coles Tribute Center, 1950 Place St. Baker City, OR 97814. To light a candle in Gloria's memory, go to [www.colestributecenter.com](http://www.colestributecenter.com)

**Lyndelle McCoy:** 83, of Baker City, died Nov. 5, 2018, at BeeHive Homes in Baker City surrounded by her family. Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Online condolences may be made at [www.tamispinevalleyfuneralhome.com](http://www.tamispinevalleyfuneralhome.com)

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### FUNERALS PENDING

**Bill and Veryl Waldron:** Memorial service Saturday, Nov. 10, at 11 a.m. at Pine Valley Presbyterian Church in Halfway. Friends are invited to join the family at the Lions Hall for a potluck reception after the service with slide shows and memories being shared. Meat, potatoes and rolls will be provided; a potluck side dish would be appreciated. Following the Lions Club reception, the celebration will continue with live music at Wild Bill's Restaurant and Lounge starting at 3 p.m. Online condolences may be made at [www.tamispinevalleyfuneralhome.com](http://www.tamispinevalleyfuneralhome.com)

### POLICE LOG

**Baker City Police Arrests, citations**  
HARASSMENT (three counts), INTERFERING WITH POLICE and CRIMINAL MISCHIEF III: Angela Denise Cookson, 44, of 2450 Broadway St., 8:25 a.m. Tuesday, in the 1700 block of Campbell

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Street; jailed; Cookson also was served a Baker County Circuit Court warrant at the jail charging her with violating her release agreement.

**THEFT II and UNLAWFUL POSSESSION OF METHAMPHETAMINE:** David Samuel Cutsall, 36, of 1345 Elm St., 1:53 p.m. Tuesday, in the 700 block of Campbell Street; jailed.

### Baker County Sheriff's Office

**Arrests, citations**  
FAILURE TO APPEAR (Coos County warrant): Kayela Burcham, 30, of 2524 Ninth St., 9:17 a.m. Monday, at the Courthouse; jailed and later released.  
**OREGON PAROLE BOARD WARRANT:** Tracy Leroy Hughes, 52, of Baker City, 10:34 a.m. Tuesday at the Sheriff's Office; jailed.

**Oregon State Police Arrests, citations**  
CUTTING AND TRANSPORTING OF SPECIAL FOREST PRODUCTS: John Richard Owens, 53, of Baker City, 8:12 a.m. Oct. 28, on National Forest Road 1120; cited and released; police said Owens was cutting wood without a woodcutting permit.

**Please Help Us Help Others YOU can make a difference!**

**Donations Needed Now**  
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*Thank You*

*We send love and thank you to all who have stood with us in this time of grief and sorrow. May God bless each of you as you have blessed us!!*

*- From the family of Mike Hammer*