

# Local

## BAKER COUNTY CALENDAR

**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 Pocahontas Fire Station.

■ **Baker School Board:** 6 p.m., Council chambers at Baker City Hall, 1655 First St.

**FRIDAY, NOV. 16**

■ **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; continues most Fridays.

**MONDAY, NOV. 19**

■ **Baker County Red Cross Volunteers:** 6 p.m., in the Red Cross Office at Baker City Hall, 1655 First St.

**TUESDAY, NOV. 20**

■ **Elkhorn Community Preparedness:** 5:30 p.m. social hour, 6:30 p.m. meeting; at the Sunridge Inn Restaurant, 1 Sunridge Lane.

## TURNING BACK THE PAGES

**50 YEARS AGO**  
**from the Democrat-Herald**  
**Nov. 12, 1968**

The Baker Seventh Day Adventist Church Pathfinders Club is grateful to all those persons who gave so generously to their food pickup.

There are more than 330 articles of canned and dry foods gathered. These items will help give some of the less fortunate families in the Baker area a happier Thanksgiving Day.

**25 YEARS AGO**  
**from the Baker City Herald**  
**Nov. 12, 1993**

Baker City Mayor Larry Griffith has been re-elected to the League of Oregon Cities Board of Directors and City Manager Art Reiff has been elected to the Board of Directors of the Oregon City Manager's Association.

The two were elected at the League of Oregon Cities 68th annual conference last weekend in Eugene.

**10 YEARS AGO**  
**from the Baker City Herald**  
**Nov. 13, 2008**

Jack Ferguson almost never misses a Baker Bulldog football game, and he wasn't about to miss Saturday's playoff game against Banks — even if he did find himself stuck in the hospital.

Ferguson has assumed the mantle worn for years by Herman Steiger as Baker High School's No. 1 fan. He has secured a day pass to let him out of his hospital room at St. Elizabeth Health Services to cheer on his beloved Bulldogs at Baker Bulldog Memorial Stadium. Kickoff is at 1 p.m.

**ONE YEAR AGO**  
**from the Baker City Herald**  
**Nov. 13, 2017**

Baker City Councilors on Tuesday will discuss a proposed ordinance that would allow the city to block all access for up to a year to residential properties where at least three separate cases involving certain crimes or city code violations have occurred within a 180-day period.

Police Chief Wyn Lohner, who proposed the ordinance, wrote in a report to the Council that the city lacks penalties that deter people from repeatedly violating state criminal statutes or city ordinances.

## OREGON LOTTERY

**MEGABUCKS, Nov. 10**  
20 — 33 — 36 — 40 — 42 — 44  
Next jackpot: \$2.8 million

**POWERBALL, Nov. 10**  
5 — 29 — 34 — 53 — 57 PB 24  
Next jackpot: \$107 million

**WIN FOR LIFE, Nov. 10**  
17 — 19 — 27 — 64

**PICK 4, Nov. 11**  
• 1 p.m.: 5 — 8 — 6 — 0  
• 4 p.m.: 2 — 1 — 8 — 4  
• 7 p.m.: 8 — 2 — 0 — 0  
• 10 p.m.: 9 — 0 — 4 — 3

**LUCKY LINES, Nov. 11**  
2-8-12-13-19-24-28-31  
Next jackpot: \$10,000

## SENIOR MENUS

- **TUESDAY:** Swedish meatballs over rice, broccoli-blend vegetables, bread, coleslaw, ice cream
- **WEDNESDAY:** Chicken-fried chicken, potatoes and gravy, corn, roll, fruit cup, cake

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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## VETERANS

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The Wounded Warriors Project helps military veterans and their families.

“To be honest I wasn't expecting that much support,” Gassin said this morning. “It was really good to see everybody get out there and be proud to be an American and support our veterans.”

Participants ran or walked 3 miles from Mount Hope Cemetery to the Sports Complex.

Jennifer and Todd Orr made the largest donation of \$250. Although Gassin planned to award a metal American flag to the Orrs, they asked Gassin to use the flag for future events.

He's planning a second Run For Veterans for 2019.



Kathy Orr / Baker City Herald

Baker County veterans and others gathered Sunday morning at the memorial outside the Baker County Courthouse to honor men and woman who served America. At left, Jerry Shaw Jr., an Army combat veteran, read essays written by a number of high school students on the meaning of patriotism. The essays will be submitted for scholarship awards of up to \$20,000.

# Baker City Council meets Tuesday night

**By Casey Crowley**

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After Tuesday's meeting, the Baker City Council might meet only once more during 2018. Councilors, who meet Tuesday at 7 p.m. at City Hall, 1655 First St., will discuss canceling their Nov. 27 meeting.

At this point there are no items that the council would need to take care of at

a second November meeting, according to a report from City Manager Fred Warner Jr.

If councilors cancel the Nov. 27 meeting, their last meeting for 2018 likely would be on Dec. 11. Historically the Council has canceled its second meeting in December due to the proximity to Christmas.

Typically the Council meets on the sec-

ond and fourth Tuesdays of each month.

The Dec. 11 meeting will have “a good number of items” for the council to discuss, according to Warner's report.

During Tuesday's meeting, councilors will consider awarding a bid for recoating the exterior of the 3-million-gallon water storage reservoir.

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## JOBS

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The state is expanding the program to Klamath Falls, Astoria, Tillamook, Milton-Freewater, North Bend and Hermiston. In total, the program has moved 102 family wage jobs to the rural parts of Oregon.

Though the jobs don't require higher education, they do require some previous work experience with specific tasks. The minimum qualifications for the jobs are: two years of experience interviewing to obtain personal or technical information or substantial people contact and one year of experience doing at least one of five different things. Those are: employment

planning, assessing the needs of clients, assessing community services to assist clients, problem solving and writing technical documents.

When selecting locations for offices for the program, state officials considered whether the infrastructure would be able to support the work they are trying to do. Some parts of Oregon don't meet the technological needs of the offices.

“Any time you stand up a call center in a rural location you run into all sorts of infrastructure challenges,” Fredlund said.

She also met briefly with employees at the La Grande office on Thursday.

“We've heard nothing but fabulous things coming out of the feedback that we've

been hearing from La Grande, Baker City and Enterprise,” Fredlund said.

She said communities that have already added jobs through this program may get more jobs in the future, although state officials are looking to expand to more rural communities first.

The program came about while Fredlund was visiting Coos Bay to work on poverty reduction and realized how big a difference a small number of jobs could make in a rural community such as Coos Bay. The city has a population of roughly 16,000.

“It really kind of launched this kernel of an idea that we have these jobs that really aren't dependent of the geography,” Fredlund said.

Through the first several months of the program, Fredlund and other administrators have taken feedback from the employees who have been brought on. For example, they modified training methods to better fit a small work place after suggestions from employees.

One upside of the program is that the state can save money on office space because real estate prices are cheaper in rural areas than in, say, Portland. Another benefit for the state is that employees tend to stay at their job longer in rural areas because of the limited number of well-paying jobs.

“We couldn't really see any downsides to this change,” Fredlund.

## NEWS OF RECORD

### DEATHS

**Mabel Callihan:** 89, of Meridian, Idaho, and formerly of Huntington, died Nov. 11, 2018. Arrangements are under the direction of the Haren-Wood Funeral Chapel in Ontario.

**Geraldine Rogers:** 79, of Baker City, died Nov. 11, 2018, at Saint Alphonsus Medical Center-Baker City. Arrangements are under the direction of Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home & Cremation Services. Online condolences may be made at

www.tamispinevalleyfuneral-home.com

### FUNERAL PENDING

**Gerald Gregory:** Traditional funeral service with military honors Friday, Nov. 16 at 1 p.m. at Harvest Church, 3720 Birch St. Interment will be at Mount Hope Cemetery. Arrangements are under the direction of Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home & Cremation Services. Online condolences may be made at www.tamispinevalleyfuneral-

home.com

### POLICE LOG

**Baker City Police Arrests, citations**  
VIOLATION OF RELEASE AGREEMENT: Travis James Darnell, 26, transient, 12:08 p.m. Sunday at Main and B streets; jailed.  
HARASSMENT: Cheryl Ann Koster, 59, 2332 Ninth St. No. 3, 10:09 a.m. Saturday at her home; jailed.  
PROBATION VIOLATION: Tyler James Arthur, 24, 3311 Place St., 8:04 p.m. Saturday at the sheriff's office; jailed.  
TELEPHONIC HARASSMENT (Baker County Justice Court warrant): Melanie Jean Burley, 32, Baker City, 11:57 p.m. Sat-

urday in the 2400 block of Oak Street; cited and released.  
**Baker County Sheriff's Office**  
**Arrests, citations**  
PAROLE VIOLATION: Steven Michael McBride, 36, Island City, 12:33 p.m. Friday on Beaver Creek Loop; jailed.  
SUPERVISORY CONTROL WARRANT; TELEPHONIC HARASSMENT (Baker County Circuit Court warrant): Bryan Christopher Keyes, 36, unknown address, 5:09 p.m. Friday at the sheriff's office; jailed.  
UNAUTHORIZED USE OF A VEHICLE, SECOND-DEGREE THEFT; THIRD-DEGREE THEFT (Baker County warrant): Eric Lee Cavvelli, 27, 1600 Eldon St. No. 7, 5:13 p.m. Friday at the sheriff's office.

**Weekly Specials November 19-25**

Monday	Meatloaf.....	\$8.95
Tuesday	All You Can Eat Spaghetti.....	\$8.95
Wednesday	Liver & Onions.....	\$8.95
Thursday	Chicken Fried Steak.....	\$9.95
Friday	All You Can Eat Mini Shrimp.....	\$9.95
	Steak & Shrimp.....	\$10.95
	Pan Fried Oysters.....	\$10.50
Saturday	NY Steak.....	\$13.95
Sunday	Roast Beef.....	\$9.50/8.95 sr

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