

Local

BAKER COUNTY CALENDAR

THURSDAY, NOV. 22

■ **Thanksgiving Day Holiday**

TUESDAY, NOV. 27

■ **Baker City Council:** Canceled.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 28

■ **Baker School Board Work Session:** 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., District Office, 2090 Fourth St.

MONDAY, DEC. 3

■ **Haines Fire Protection District Board:** 6 p.m. at the Haines Library.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 5

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

THURSDAY, DEC. 6

■ **Baker School Board:** 6 p.m., in the Council Chambers at City Hall, 1655 First St.; the December meeting has been rescheduled from the usual third Thursday of the month.

FRIDAY, DEC. 7

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

MONDAY, DEC. 10

■ **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  
Nov. 22, 1968

Senator-elect Robert Packwood spent the night in Baker and said "thank you" to a group of local citizens at an early morning breakfast today as the new Republican senator is making an Eastern Oregon tour with his wife, Georgie.

Packwood told 30 some citizens he was deeply grateful for the support he received here in Baker County. "Even though I didn't carry the county, getting within 47 votes of Sen. Morse in a traditional Democratic County is quite an honor," smiled Packwood.

25 YEARS AGO  
from the Baker City Herald  
Nov. 22, 1993

A downtown Baker City restaurant owner claims 74 percent of his colleagues are either unhappy with or want to eliminate the \$150 per year business license in the Economic Improvement District.

Anthony Silvers, owner of The Anthony restaurant on First Street, informally surveyed 144 business owners who pay the license fee. The result: 77 would eliminate the license and 30 were "dissatisfied with some aspect" of it.

Licenses were issued last fall after the Baker City Council approved Historic Baker City Inc.'s EID proposal.

10 YEARS AGO  
from the Baker City Herald  
Nov. 21, 2008

Baker City Councilor Dennis Dorrah didn't attend Thursday's Budget Board meeting, but his proposal caused a bit of a stir.

In a letter dated Nov. 16, Dorrah, citing the weakening economy, proposed that spending for the current year "be held to an absolute minimum" and that the 2009-10 budget be trimmed by at least 5 percent.

ONE YEAR AGO  
from the Baker City Herald  
Nov. 22, 2017

Wells Fargo & Co. plans to close its Baker City bank branch, which employs eight people, in May 2018.

The branch is inside the Safeway grocery store at 1205 Campbell St.

OREGON LOTTERY

**MEGABUCKS, Nov. 19**  
2 - 8 - 14 - 24 - 30 - 31  
Next jackpot: \$3.6 million

**PICK 4, Nov. 20**  
• 1 p.m.: 2 - 0 - 0 - 1  
• 4 p.m.: 3 - 8 - 1 - 3  
• 7 p.m.: 8 - 3 - 6 - 8  
• 10 p.m.: 9 - 0 - 8 - 6

**WIN FOR LIFE, Nov. 19**  
2 - 13 - 32 - 44

**LUCKY LINES, Nov. 20**  
3-69-13-17-21-28-31  
Next jackpot: \$14,000

SENIOR MENUS

■ **THURSDAY:** Closed for the Thanksgiving Day holiday

■ **FRIDAY:** Closed for the Thanksgiving Day holiday

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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OBITUARY

Patricia Zennie

Baker City, 1928-2018

Patricia Dorothy Pembroke Waltmire Zennie, 90, of Baker City, died Nov. 17, 2018, surrounded by her closest friends and family. She was the picture of iron will, always displaying an elegant grace as she faced down a recurring battle with breast cancer.

A celebration of Pat's life, with a meal prepared by the VFW Auxiliary, will take place Saturday, Dec. 1 at 3 p.m. at the Veterans Memorial Club, 2005 Valley Ave., in Baker City.

Patricia "Pat" was born on June 27, 1928, at Sacramento, California, the daughter of Ross V. Loughran and D. Pembroke. Pat was orphaned at an early age, a history she rarely discussed. She was raised by a collection of relatives in Pueblo, Colorado, and Sacramento. Her grandmother, a devout Catholic, saw to it that she attended a parochial school and Mass every Sunday. That education left a lasting mark on her path through life.

After high school, she attended college and worked at the Signal Depot, where she met and married James (Jim) J. Tackman, an Army airman. When his service was complete, they

moved to the Tackman family's homestead in the Central Oregon desert. Their two sons, James (Jamie) and William (Bill) were born there.

Jim was hired as the foreman of the 96 Ranch, the foreman position included a cook. Pat, having never cooked in her life, was thrown into the job of ranch cook for 14 hungry hired men. Food for the crew showed up in a semi trailer, and when they set out 500 pounds of potatoes she knew this was a different world! She loved to brag that she had cooked every recipe in the Betty Crocker Cookbook.

In the late 1950s they scraped together a down payment on the Half Circle Bar Ranch in Burns. Pat loved the ranch life, they raised cattle, sheep, and the two boys. They sold the ranch in the early 1970s, Jim and Pat parted ways, and she started a new part of her life.

Always having a great eye for design, she started a shop selling jewelry, carpet, and art, which lead to a job in Bend, where she met and married Ted Zennie. A lumber salesman, his work had them living throughout the West. They traveled extensively, living life to its fullest. They found a "retirement" home in Baker City, but failed to retire. Working in Sacramento, Ted was stricken with cancer. Upon his passing Pat returned to Baker.



Patricia Zennie

NEWS OF RECORD

DEATHS

**Colleen Mickelson:** 93, of Baker City, died Nov. 19, 2018, at her residence at Meadowbrook Place Assisted Living Community. Service details will be announced soon. To light a candle in memory of Colleen, or to leave a condolence for her family, go to [www.grayswestco.com](http://www.grayswestco.com)

**Dorothy Carter:** 91, of Baker City, and a former Halfway resident, died Nov. 14, 2018, at Settler's Park. A service for Dorothy will take place in the spring at the Eagle Valley Cemetery in Richland. Those wishing to make memorial contributions in her memory may direct them to the Eagle Valley Grange through Coles Tribute Center, 1950 Place St., Baker City, OR 97814. To light a candle in memory of Dorothy, go to [www.colestributecenter.com](http://www.colestributecenter.com)

FUNERAL PENDING

**Coree Lynn Welch:** Traditional funeral service Friday, Nov. 23 at 2 p.m. at the Presbyterian Church in

Halfway. Interment to follow at Pine Haven Cemetery.

**Gloria A. Grammatico:** 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)

POLICE LOG

**Baker County Parole & Probation Arrests, citations**  
PAROLE VIOLATION: Loren Lavern Proffitt, 66, 3320 K St., 10:17 a.m. Tuesday at his home; jailed.

**Baker County Sheriff's Office**  
VIOLATION OF RELEASE AGREEMENT, two counts (Baker County warrant): Kenny Lee Hellman, 49, 3220 14th St., 12:50 p.m. Monday at the sheriff's office; jailed.

"I love Baker, I think it's a phenomenal community and I have absolutely loved my time there and I feel really grateful to have lived there."

— Carly Annable

ELECTION

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Oregon election law is straightforward — in races when multiple candidates are elected, the winners are determined solely by the number of votes each receives.

Baker City Manager Fred Warner Jr. said Tuesday that he had received notice that Annable won't serve as a councilor. He said he will review Oregon law before making an official decision on how to proceed. Once the four winners are determined the city has until Dec. 17 to notify the winners.

Normally Julie Smith, city recorder and HR manager, would be in charge of the task but she has been out of the office for more than a week recovering from an injury.

Annable, who had worked as director of the Baker Heritage Museum and Adler House Museum, had a one-year contract approved by county commissioners on Oct. 17. The contract was slated to start Jan. 15, 2019.

Annable said she had been laid off from the job Nov. 7 and would have resumed work Jan. 15. She said she notified the county and the

Museum's board of directors of her resignation on Nov. 8.

"When I first threw my name in the ring for city council I had every intention to stay in Baker City," Annable said Tuesday. "I love Baker, I think it's a phenomenal community and I have absolutely loved my time there and I feel really grateful to have lived there."

"It was a really really hard decision for me to resign from the Baker Heritage Museum and to make the decision to resign from the running for city council, but ultimately I had to make the decision that was right for me and right for my career," Annable said. "I'm really grateful to have had the support that I did have in the election and I'm really proud of the fact that I was elected."

Annable had worked as the museum director for almost two years.

She said she applied for the job as manager of the Independence Heritage Museum in October, and accepted the job Nov. 2.

Annable's contract in Baker City would have paid her \$2,170 per month.

The job description for the Independence job lists a monthly salary range of \$3,529 to \$4,729.

FOOTBALL CONTEST WINNERS

Week of November 12th

Linda Koplein  
Missed 3  
Wins \$25

Bill Hanks  
Missed 4, beat tiebreaker  
Wins \$15

John Charbonneau  
Missed 4 & tiebreaker  
Wins \$10

Tie-Breaker:  
Kansas City 51 @ LA Rams 54

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