

Local

BAKER COUNTY CALENDAR

FRIDAY, MAY 10

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

MONDAY, MAY 13

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

TUESDAY, MAY 14

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

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15

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

■ **"Growing the Food I Want" Gardening Class:** Topic is "After the Harvest," 6 p.m., Extension Office, 2600 East St.; Robin Maille, OSU Extension agent for Baker and Union counties, will provide tips for picking and storing produce and deciding whether to dry, freeze, can or eat fresh; cost is \$5; for more information, call Mindy Sherrieb, 541-523-3449 or leave a message at 541-523-6418 or mastergardener.baker@oregonstate.edu

THURSDAY, MAY 16

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

TURNING BACK THE PAGES

50 YEARS AGO from the Democrat-Herald May 10, 1969

Greg Lewis and Doug Tibbs walked off with the top awards at the Baker High School's Future Farmers of America Chapter's Parent and Son Banquet Friday evening.

25 YEARS AGO from the Baker City Herald May 10, 1994

Megan Brown, the daughter of Greg and Debbie Brown of Baker City, is spending the year in South Africa.

The 16-year-old has not only benefited from living in another culture, but has experienced first-hand the political upheaval that resulted in South Africa's first open elections.

10 YEARS AGO from the Baker City Herald May 11, 2009

Baker City may be going to the dogs, but it's a good thing.

A committee has identified 12 sites around town where dog stations can be placed, complete with bags so that dog owners can clean up after their pets.

The committee, which will present its pitch to the Baker City Council Tuesday, has also identified volunteers willing to maintain some of the stations and a custodian for each station.

ONE YEAR AGO from the Baker City Herald May 11, 2018

The Pine Creek wolf pack, which killed four calves and injured seven others in the Halfway area during the first three weeks of April, hasn't been implicated in any livestock attacks during May.

Both Phillip Perrine, a biologist at the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife's (ODFW) Baker City office, and Barry DelCurto, a Halfway rancher who owns a calf that was injured by wolves on April 18, use the same word to describe the past two weeks.

"Quiet."

Perrine said data from the GPS tracking collars fitted to two of the pack's five confirmed wolves suggest the animals have remained in the southern Wallowa Mountains near Fish Lake.

There are no cattle in that area, Perrine said.

OREGON LOTTERY

MEGABUCKS, May 8
22 - 35 - 40 - 41 - 45 - 46
Next jackpot: \$1.2 million

POWERBALL, May 8
1 - 45 - 53 - 64 - 66 PB 3
Next jackpot: \$235 million

WIN FOR LIFE, May 8
1 - 15 - 18 - 77

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

LUCKY LINES, May 9
2-5-12-14-20-23-26-31
Next jackpot: \$14,000

SENIOR MENUS

- **MONDAY:** Salisbury steak, potatoes and gravy, mixed vegetables, biscuit, three-bean salad, ice cream
- **TUESDAY:** Baked cod, scalloped potatoes, peas and carrots, garlic bread, coleslaw, cheesecake

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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He told students, as they looked at the scenes, that "what you're going to see is my perspective of being a pilot."

Summer Curry described her time in the Army, gesturing to a prayer rug and vase she brought for students to see from her 20 years and one month of service. That included stints in Afghanistan from 2004 to 2006, and in Iraq, 2008-09.

Ayden Welk, a freshman asked, "What was it like serving?"

"I loved it," answered Curry, who works as a custodian at Baker High.

She also had photos for students to look through.

Hal Huntington served in the U.S. Air Force from 1960 until his retirement in 1980. He traveled to Washington, D.C., Kansas, Portugal and many other places.

"We did a fair amount of traveling," Huntington said.



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When students ask Duncan Pierce what he liked about the military, he replies that "it was the greatest adventure of my life." His greatest reward was "taking care of the soldiers" he was responsible for, he added. He served 1963-66 during the Vietnam era and later from 1984 to 2003, which included the Gulf War, he said. Students at right are Kyle Handyside, near, and Brogan Lewis.

He said he appreciates the opportunity to meet students and answer their questions. "I think this program's tre-

mendous," Huntington said. "It's nice to talk to the kids." The students enjoyed their time with the veterans,

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— Joey Winans, Baker High School junior

thanking them for their time and for meeting with them.

"I love it," said Katie Huntington, a sophomore and Hal Huntington's granddaughter. "I love meeting people from the service. It's fun hearing their stories, seeing the places they went. It's a great opportunity for students to learn what the military is besides watching TV and movies."

"It's a nice event to have; to talk to the veterans, to talk about their experiences," said Joey Winans, a junior.

Logan Larkin, a senior, was one of the escorts to help the veterans for the second year in a row. He is going into construction with the Navy and ships out in July.

NEWS OF RECORD

FUNERALS PENDING

Josephine "Jo" Snook-Dickson: Her memorial service will be Friday, May 17, at 10 a.m. at the First Church of the Nazarene, 1250 Hughes Lane, with a reception following at the Nazarene Church Fellowship Hall. Memorial contributions can be made to the McEwen Church or Camp Elkanah through Gray's West & Co. Pioneer Chapel, 1500 Dewey Ave., Baker City OR 97814. To light a candle for Jo, go to www.grayswestco.com

Mark Halley: Graveside service with military honors, Friday, May 17 at 11 a.m. at the Eagle Valley Cemetery in Richland. Friends are invited to join the family for a potluck reception immediately following at the New Bridge Grange. For those who would like to make a donation in honor of Mark, the family suggests the Eagle Valley Ambulance defibrillator fund through Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home & Cremation Services, P.O. Box 543, Halfway, OR 97834. Online condolences may be made at www.tamis-pinevalleyfuneralhome.com

Steven Valentine: Graveside service with military

honors, Friday, May 17 at 2 p.m. at Mount Hope Cemetery. Memorial contributions can be made to Best Friends of Baker through Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home & Cremation Services, P.O. Box 543, Halfway, OR 97834. Online condolences may be made at www.tamis-pinevalleyfuneralhome.com

Norma LaRue (Colton) Brooks: Celebration of life Saturday, May 18 at 11 a.m. at the Eagle Valley Cemetery in Richland. Following the service, friends are invited to join the family for a potluck reception at the New Bridge Grange. For those who would like to make a donation in honor of LaRue, the family suggests the Eagle Valley Ambulance fund through Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home & Cremation Services, P.O. Box 543, Halfway, OR 97834. Online condolences may be made at www.tamis-pinevalleyfuneralhome.com

Russel Hunt: There will be a celebration of his life, with military honors, at 2 p.m., Saturday, May 18, at the Baker City Christian Church, 675 Highway 7. Memorial contributions may be made to the Cove Christian Camp, the Blue Yesterdays or the Navy Musicians Association,

through Gray's West & Co. Pioneer Chapel, 1500 Dewey Ave., Baker City, OR 97814. To light a candle in memory of Russ or to leave a condolence for his family, go to www.grayswestco.com

POLICE LOG

Baker City Police Arrests, citations
FAILURE TO APPEAR (Deschutes County warrant): Zachariah Anthony Whisman, 23, of Baker City, 2:08 a.m. Thursday, on Resort Street near Washington Avenue; jailed and later released.

ASSAULT IV: (Baker County warrant): Gary Allen Mezo, 36, of Baker City, 8:13 a.m. Thursday,

in the 4000 block of 23rd Street; cited and released.

PROBATION VIOLATION: Matthew Andrew Pedersen, 55, of Baker City, 11:31 a.m. Thursday in the 200 block of Bridge Street; jailed.

Baker County Sheriff's Office

Arrests, citations
DRIVING WHILE OPERATOR'S LICENSE SUSPENDED (Multnomah County warrant): Ben Jones, 46, of Vancouver, Washington, 12:23 a.m. today, in the eastbound lanes of Interstate 84 at Baker City; jailed.

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