

Local

BAKER COUNTY CALENDAR

TUESDAY, OCT. 22

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

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 23

■ **Baker City Farmers Market:** 3 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., Downtown at the Court Avenue Plaza; last market of the season.

FRIDAY, NOV. 1

■ **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.

■ **First Friday Art Shows:** Baker City art galleries are open late to showcase the month's new artwork.

MONDAY, NOV. 4

■ **Haines Fire Protection District Board:** 6 p.m. at the Haines Library. (New time begins this month.)

TUESDAY, NOV. 5

■ **Local Community Advisory Council in coordination with the Eastern Oregon Coordinated Care Organization (which serves Oregon Health Plan members in the region):** Community meeting, noon to 2 p.m. at the Oregon Trail Electric Co-op Building at 4005 23rd St. in Baker City.

TURNING BACK THE PAGES

50 YEARS AGO

from the *Democrat-Herald*
October 21, 1969

The Supreme Council, 33rd degree of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry has elected Kenneth Crawford to receive the 33rd degree with the designation of Inspector General Honorary.

25 YEARS AGO

from the *Baker City Herald*
October 21, 1994

Budding beer connoisseurs take note: a brewery where you mix the ingredients to create your private concoction may be on the way to Baker City.

10 YEARS AGO

from the *Baker City Herald*
October 21, 2009

Following Ash Grove Cement Company's recent announcement that it will temporarily shut down its Durkee plant and lay off more than half its workers in mid-December, state Rep. Cliff Bentz issued a statement Monday inviting residents to write to Gov. Ted Kulongoski and urge him to support an exemption to proposed mercury emissions rules that could save the Durkee factory from permanent closure.

ONE YEAR AGO

from the *Baker City Herald*
October 22, 2018

Crews from several volunteer fire districts helped protect a home and outbuildings after a controlled fire on a ranch in Sumpter Valley grew faster than expected.

The fire was started in a pasture on the Bar C Bar Ranch, said Steve Meyer of the Oregon Department of Forestry in Baker City. The fire began to spread when winds picked up, but flames remained on the ranch property, Meyer said.

It burned an estimated 35 to 40 acres, Meyer said.

The fire burned relatively close to several buildings, but there was no damage, said Wes Morgan, chief of the Powder River Fire Protection District.

Fire crews left later Sunday as the winds, and the fire, died down, Morgan said.

Volunteers from the Greater Bowen Valley, Sumpter, Baker Rural and North Powder districts also responded to the blaze.

OREGON LOTTERY

MEGABUCKS, Oct. 19

4 — 13 — 25 — 32 — 33 — 39
Next jackpot: \$4.6 million

POWERBALL, Oct. 19

14 — 27 — 29 — 59 — 65 PB 12
Next jackpot: \$120 million

MEGA MILLIONS, Oct. 18

18 — 58 — 60 — 65 — 67 Mega 20
Next jackpot: \$82 million

WIN FOR LIFE, Oct. 19

10 — 22 — 33 — 64

PICK 4, Oct. 20

• 1 p.m.: 9 — 2 — 5 — 0

• 4 p.m.: 3 — 1 — 1 — 9

• 7 p.m.: 0 — 8 — 5 — 8

• 10 p.m.: 5 — 2 — 4 — 5

LUCKY LINES, Oct. 20

2-6-11-16-20-22-28-30

Next jackpot: \$25,000

SENIOR MENUS

■ **TUESDAY:** Beef enchilada casserole, Spanish rice, refried beans, fruit cup, bread pudding

■ **WEDNESDAY:** Chicken-fried chicken, potatoes and gravy, green beans, roll, carrot-raisin salad, brownies

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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Baker County's Caitlyn Calaway nears the end of her lap as Tommy Huntington waits for the moment when he can burst into the third leg of his team's medley relay during the Special Olympics Swim Meet Sunday at Sam-O Swim Center. Baker competed in the Eastern Region meet against Union County and Hermiston/Pendleton.



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Emily Moe brings in the finish win for Baker County during her team's relay race.

Swimmers excel at Baker meet

Baker City athletes earned several first- and second-place finishes at a regional Special Olympics swim meet Sunday at Sam-O Swim Center in Baker City.

The Eastern Oregon regional meet included 16 swimmers from Baker City, La Grande, and the Pendleton/Hermiston area.

The meet was scheduled for Baker City after budget cuts forced officials to cancel the usual meet at Mount Hood Community College in Gresham that pits swimmers from Eastern Oregon against competitors from the west side.

Results for Baker City swimmers:

• Janet Stout, 1st, 25-yard backstroke, 26:53



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Janet Stout, Baker County Special Olympics swim team, backstrokes the first leg at the beginning of the medley relay race Sunday at Sam-O Swim Center in Baker City.

• Emily Moe, 2nd, 25-yard backstroke, 33.83

• Caitlyn Calaway, 1st, 50-yard freestyle, 45.96

• Emily Moe, 2nd, 50-yard freestyle, 1:03.88

• Thomas Huntington, 1st, 50-yard freestyle, 32.67

• Thomas Huntington, 1st, 100-

yard backstroke, 1:20.50

• Caitlyn Calaway, 1st, 50-yard backstroke, 58.42

• Janet Stout, 1st, 25-yard freestyle, 29.02

• Baker mixed 100-yard relay, 1st, 1:47.42. All four Baker swimmers were members of the winning relay team.

ELKS

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This is the first time the event, officially known as the Leading Knight Fall Conference/Seminar, has taken place at the Baker City Lodge, which was started in 1896, Brinton said.

"We're very honored that they came over," Brinton said on Friday.

About 200 people, including Elks officers and their spouses and guests, gathered in Baker City for the conference, Brinton said.

"It was a huge undertaking and involved a lot of volunteer hours," Brinton said. "Our members really came through."

The Baker lodge applied for the honor of hosting the fall conference last winter.

A state committee chose the site for the event.



Photo courtesy of Baker Elks Lodge

Officials from 52 Elks lodges across Oregon gathered at the Baker Elks Lodge for a conference and training seminar Thursday through Saturday.

Brinton said one of Baker's draws is that its lodge is among the larger ones in Oregon, with the accommodations for groups of up to 250 people.

Even so, local Elks had to do considerable preparation for the three-day event, Brinton said.

Projects included repainting the lodge's social quarters and remodeling one of the meeting rooms.

Brinton said the conference was the biggest single event the Baker Elks Lodge has hosted.

She said it was a financial boon not only for the Baker

Lodge, by way of registration fees, but also for the local economy, as the visitors stayed in local motels and patronized local businesses.

Although dinners were served at the Lodge, guests made their own plans for breakfasts, Brinton said.

Commissioners could have a proposal to look at Nov. 6.

RICHLAND

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The four bids the county received:

• Gyllenberg Construction,

Baker City, \$1,475,743

• Wellen's Farwell Construction, Enterprise, \$1,557,382.

• Sid Johnson & Co., Baker City, \$1,723,729

• CB Construction, \$1,965,000

Commission Chairman Bill Harvey said commission-

ers over the next month will consider two options.

One is to try to revise the fire station project to reduce the cost.

The other is to try to find more money.

The county's goal is to have construction start next spring.

Commissioners are also still pursuing a lease agreement with Shukrain Investment Inc. of Vancouver, British Columbia, for exploratory mining on a section of the Sumpter Valley dredge tailings that the county owns.

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NEWS OF RECORD

POLICE LOG

Baker City Police

Arrests, citations

THIRD-DEGREE THEFT: Jessica James Kraft, 58, of 3030 Madison St., 2:13 a.m. Saturday, in the 3500 block of Cedar Street; jailed.

VIOLATION OF RELEASE AGREEMENT (Baker County Circuit Court warrant): David Gene Gagnon, 53, 1315 Hughes Lane,

5:10 p.m. Friday, in the 2000 block of Second Street; jailed.

DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF INTOXICANTS: Thomas James Kraft, 58, of 3030 Madison St., 2:13 a.m. Saturday, in the 3500 block of Cedar Street; jailed.

Baker County Sheriff's Office

CONTEMPT OF COURT (Baker County Justice Court warrant): Matthew A. Pedersen, 55, of 1625 Madison St., 10:20 a.m. Friday,

at his home; jailed and later granted a conditional release.

FAILURE TO APPEAR (Umatilla County warrant): Nicole Kerri Morris, 30, 15854 Hunt Mountain Lane, 10:20 a.m. Friday, at 1625 Madison St.; jailed.

PROBATION VIOLATION

(Baker County warrant): Michael Steven Myers-Gabiola, 28, of 2440 Fifth St., 10:11 p.m. Friday, at the jail where he is being held on another charge.

OCT 18-24

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SUN: (4:10) 7:00 MON-THURS: 7:00

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