

SPORTS SCHEDULE

Football

Thursday, Oct. 8

Dayville/
Monument
vs. Harper/
Huntington
in Monu-
ment, 1 p.m.



Friday, Oct. 9

Prairie City/Burnt River @
Adrian, 6 p.m. (PT)

Grant Union @ Burns in
Burns, 7 p.m.

Volleyball

Wednesday, Oct. 7

Dayville/
Monument
vs. GU JV in
Dayville, 5
p.m.



Thursday, Oct. 8

Dayville/Monument vs.
Harper/Huntington in
Monument, 4 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 9

Prairie City @ Adrian in
Adrian, 3 p.m. (PT)

Saturday, Oct. 10

Prairie City
vs. Burnt
River in
Prairie City,
4 p.m.



Ukiah/Long Creek vs.
Crane (JV game) in Long
Creek, 1 p.m.

Ukiah/Long
Creek vs.
Day/Mon
(JV game) in
Long Creek,
2:30 p.m.



Grant Union @ Enterprise
in Enterprise, 12 p.m.

Grant Union @ Imbler in
Imbler, 5 p.m.

Tuesday, Oct. 13

Grant Union @ Burns in
Burns, 4 p.m.

Ukiah/Long Creek vs.
Nixyaawii in Ukiah, 5 p.m.

Cross Country

Saturday, Oct. 10

Grant Union @ Burns-
Idlewild Meet in Burns
(Devine Ridge Summit),
11 a.m.

Monument @ Dry Out
Shoot Out in La Grande
(Eastern Oregon Univer-
sity), 2 p.m.

Tigers strong in face of trials

Team gains experience with hard work

By Angel Carpenter
Blue Mountain Eagle

DAYVILLE – The Dayville/Monument football team is working to hone their skills as the season moves along.

The Tigers had a strong start with a 42-6 win over the Alsea Wolverines in their first game of the season last month, but have since faced tougher competition against bigger teams.

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Prospectors down Outlaws at GU field



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Grant Union Prospector Wade Reimers is en route for a touchdown on a quarterback keeper in the fourth quarter of last Friday's game against Enterprise.

Grant Union, 56
Enterprise, 14

By Angel Carpenter
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JOHN DAY – The Grant Union Prospectors rolled over the Enterprise Outlaws last Friday in a 56-14 rout at Three Flags Field.

Grant Union had a strong start with Cauty Weaver scoring off quarterback Wade Reimers' pass on their first possession.

A short time later Reimers connected with Wyatt Weaver for a touchdown, followed by Garrett McConnell's successful two-point conversion run.

The Prospectors tackled Enterprise for loss of yards, then Garrett Lenz had a sack.

Enterprise was in their red

zone when Grant Union took over on downs; however, the Outlaws scored when the Prospectors fumbled the ball at their 20-yard line, also adding conversion points.

The quarter ended with Grant Union in the lead 14-8.

Grant Union capped a 12-play drive with Reimers connecting with Wyatt Weaver in the red zone, then Hayden Young rushing the ball in for the touchdown.

Other highlights from the second quarter include Eli Humbird recovering a fumble, and a sack by McConnell.

With just 14 seconds left in the quarter, Cauty Weaver scored, with Reimers adding the two conversion points, bringing the halftime score to 28-8.

The Prospectors added 20 points

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Ladies, and gents, SWING FOR THE CURE

Families, friends golf in support of loved ones

By Angel Carpenter
Blue Mountain Eagle

JOHN DAY – Dozens of pink, red and white balloons floated heavenward at last Saturday's Rally for the Cure golf scramble at the John Day Golf Club.

The release of the balloons is a special moment to honor and support loved ones touched by breast cancer.

Participants attach to each balloon someone's name or a prayer, said Kim Ward, who has been ambassador of the event for 10 years now.

While that is one of the more reflective moments during the Rally, the event also includes a fun golf scramble where teams are encouraged to dress up and decorate their golf carts.

John Day resident Lynda Farrell's team named "Mom and the girls" included her daughter-in-law Sarah Parker of La Grande, and granddaughters Ronda Pade of Terrebonne and Natalie Riley of Redmond.

Farrell said the Rally is something she looks forward to each year.

"It's special to me because I've had quite a few cancer issues in our family – not necessarily breast cancer," she said. "My daughter-in-law is a breast cancer survivor this year. It's hard to describe how awesome the Rally is."

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Team "Mom and the Girls," including Sarah Parker of La Grande, Lynda Farrell of John Day, Ronda Pade of Terrebonne and Natalie Riley of Redmond were having fun on the fairway at the Rally for the Cure golf scramble.

Bright colors spotlight Domestic Violence Awareness Month



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Running in the Color Me Free Fun Run, and multicolored from head to toe, are Aubreianna Osborne of Monument, left, Soren Caudill of Long Creek, Brooklyn Near of Long Creek and Dortha Johnson of Dale. Helping at the color station is Chloe Bentz of John Day.

Color Me Free Fun Run draws nearly 100 participants

By Angel Carpenter
Blue Mountain Eagle

JOHN DAY – It took just a lap or two around the Color Me Free Fun Run course last Saturday for participants to be covered head to toe with a variety of bold hues.

The fun run, held at the Industrial Park in John Day, included plenty of laughter and smiles as nearly 100 participants ran through bursts of colored powder during the event.

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Donning mainly pristine white T-shirts, nearly 100 participants in the Color Me Free Fun Run get their start in last Saturday's event.