The deadline for What's Happening items is 5 p.m. Friday. Call the Eagle, 541-575-0710, or email editor@bmeagle.com. For meetings this week, see our list in the classifieds on Page A17.

WEDNESDAY. JUNE 21

Rainbow Gathering informational meeting

• 6 p.m., Canyon City Community Hall

Participants from the 2017 annual Rainbow Gathering will host an informational town hall meeting to answer questions from residents and get to know the communities near the gathering. Those who are curious or have concerns about the Rainbow Gathering are encouraged to attend the meeting, and are invited to visit the gathering site as well.

JUNE 21, 22 AND 23

"Famine, fire, and two men made Kam Wah Chung" presentation

• 8:15 p.m, June 21 and 23, Clyde Holliday State Park amphitheater

• 7 p.m., June 22, Canyon City Community Hall

Mel Magers, Oregon Parks and Recreation Department camp host, will present a free, 45-minute slide show detailing the historical significance of the Chinese in Grant County. There is no admission fee. For more information, call the Kam Wah Chung State Heritage Site at 541-575-2800.

FRIDAY, JUNE 23

Grub & Grog in the Park

• 3-8:30 p.m., Belshaw Fields, Seventh Street Complex, John Day

This event will feature music, food and drinks. The band I4NI and DJ Jeff will perform; 1188 Brewing will be serving beer, cider and wine; and various food vendors will be available. Proceeds will benefit the John Day Canyon City Parks





Youths ages 8-18 can sign up for Grant County Youth Golf this summer. This clinic is June 26-30.

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and Recreation Department. Admission is a \$10 donation, and tickets are available online or at the gate upon entry. For more information, find the Parks and Recreation Department on Facebook, visit jdccparksandrec.weebly.com or call the office at 541-575-0110 or Program Director Jeff Meyerholz at 541-

Forest Service Rainbow Gathering meeting

• 5-6:30 p.m., Malheur National Forest headquarters, John Day To share information and answer questions, the Forest Service will host a community meeting in the Juniper Hall Conference Room. Cooperating agencies, including Oregon State Police, John Day Police Department, Grant County Sheriff's Office, Blue Mountain Hospital and local elected officials, are invited to attend and present information at this meeting. A public information line has been

designated for questions and to report concerns: 541-575-3131.

FRIDAY-SATURDAY, JUNE 23-24

Community-wide yard sale

• Mt. Vernon

Those interested in getting on the list can call Mt. Vernon City Hall at 541-932-4688.

FRIDAY-SUNDAY, JUNE 23-25

Chief Joseph Rally

• Grant County Fairgrounds

The BMW Riders of Oregon will host its annual BMW motorcycle rally with rides, seminars and entertainment. For more information, visit bmwro.org.

MONDAY-FRIDAY, JUNE 26-30

Grant County Junior Golf

• 10 a.m.-12 p.m., John Day Golf Course

Junior golf is open to boys and girls ages 8-18. Clubs will be available. A team scramble and ice cream party will take place Friday. The cost is \$30 per person. For more information, call the golf course at 541-575-0170, or Ron Lundbom at 541-575-1850 during the day.

TUESDAY, JUNE 27

Entrepreneurs meeting

• 10 a.m., Timbers Bistro, 742 W. Main, John Day Local entrepreneurs and startups are welcome to attend. For more information, email David at david@envme.com.

'The Shack' showing

• 7 p.m., United Methodist Church, 126 NW Canton St.,

All are welcome to attend a viewing of the film 'The Shack,' based off of William Paul Young's novel. For more information, call the church at 541-575-1326.

First farmers market kicks off summer

Local vendors offer a variety of goods

By Rylan Boggs Blue Mountain Eagle

The first John Day Farmers Market of the year featured clear skies, floating cotton and local wares.

Merchants at the farmers market sold everything from handmade jewelry to local produce Saturday morning.

One vendor, Janine Goodwin, sold jewelry made with a variety of materials including natural stones and Czech glass. She chose Czech glass because it's handmade and the workers are compensated adequately, she said.

Goodwin said she got her



Eagle photos/Rylan Boggs Janine Goodwin compliments Emma Fields on a piece of jewlery at the John Day Farmers Market Saturday, June 17.

start making jewelry in the 1990s making rosaries. She's continued and branched out into a variety of earnings and

necklaces.

She uses American-made materials whenever possible and said she is more con-



Jars of honey from J5 Beekeeping at the John Day Farmers Market Saturday, June 17.

cerned with making something beautiful that lasts than creating something that is in fashion at the moment.

"My touchstone is quality

materials and making things that last," Goodwin said.

Much of her work has Christian western and

themes, but she works with

anything that appeals to her. Local and regional honey and beeswax was available from J5 Beekeeping. Beeswax has variety of uses including making candles and soap and is used in woodworking and fly tying, according to Shana Langely.

The stand was selling four different types of honey, all from a different region in the state. The flavor of the honey is affected by local pollen sources, giving each honey a distinct taste, Langely said.

The farmers market takes place every Saturday until mid-October. For information about the market, call Michele Bishop at 541-792-0958 or email johndayfarmersmarket@gmail.com.



PRAIRIE CITY 4TH OF JULY LINEUP

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"Wear a Red Hat"

to show support for our troops and a contest at 1:00pm.

Pick up and return parade entries at Prairie City Hall. Or fax to (541) 820-3566 • text to pchall@ortelco.net

Parade: starts at noon.

Parade line-up on North Johnson.

Whiskey Gulch Gang is going to be starting the parade with a **BIG BANG!!!**

Color Guard will be the

Prairie City Legion Hall Post #106.

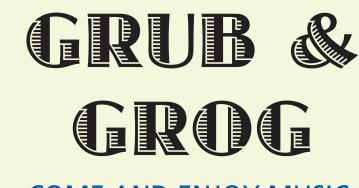
Legion Hall Burgers will be offered at the Legion Hall starting at 11am.

FFA - BBQ in the park next to city hall.

Strawberry Shortcake will be served by the **Green Thumb Garden Club 10am-4pm.**

Fireworks at Dusk on the **OxBow Ranch on County Road 60.**

See next week's ad for more details.



COME AND ENJOY MUSIC, YARD GAMES, FOOD AND BEER!

Friday, June 23, 2017



Belshaw Fields

7th Street Complex, John Day Gate opens at 4:30

· 1188

Suds Pub

Little Canyon Food Cart

Veraci Pizza
And More...

