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**CENTENNIAL
EVENTS**

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Chamber sees float, hears hopper story

There was little business at the Monday meeting of the Heppner - Morrow County Chamber of Commerce in order to leave time for a sneak preview of the new float.

In all it's pink and white glory the 100th anniversary golden glitter float was waiting for three Heppner lovelies to be ready for the Condon 4th of July Celebration and parade. Built from a kit, the sides fold up and the crown folds down for transporting.

Randall Peterson and Harold Kerr are co-chairmen for the float. Randall gave credit for the major construction of the float to Mr. and Mrs. Vel Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kerr and Elaine George. Columbia Basin was to transport the float to Condon.

Dick Sargent announced the Merchants meeting would be July 7 at the Wagon Wheel. President Dick reminded organizations that it was time to reserve booth space with Mrs. LeRoy Gardner for the Sidewalk Bazaar.

Harold Kerr announced the results of the sign-up for Grass Hopper spraying. Checks totaling \$30,813 have been deposited to spray 123,256 acres. Range lands will be sprayed almost solid from the Umatilla County line to Sand Hollow to Baseline Rd. to Hinton Creek Ridge.

Ranchers are apprehensive of the damage to range lands the grass hopper can cause. This is a cooperative effort with ranchers paying 25 cents per acre, the State 25 cents and the Federal government 25 cents for the cooperative spray program.

Only range lands are eligible for the cooperative spray program. Mr. Kerr praised the Butter Creek ranchers who pushed to get the program off the ground.

The bid has gone out. From here the ball is carried by the Plant Protective Division of the Department of Agriculture. Pilot Rock expected to complete the spraying in that area this week. Ranchers hope to get on it as soon as possible to keep the hoppers from getting into the grain. In the higher areas, the eggs are just hatching. Spraying is signed up in 10,000 acre blocks. If the problem continues, ranchers on the higher elevations may wish to sign up for the program.

Jack Van Winkle won the pot. Bob Lowe will give "Twenty Minutes of England" at the July 10 meeting of the Chamber of Commerce.

Merchants plan Bazaar meeting

Heppner Merchants Committee will meet Friday noon at the Wagon Wheel. Chairman Dick Sargent said this important meeting will finalize plans for the Centennial Year Sidewalk Bazaar July 11-22.

Activities for the busy two days will include a greased pole climb with a five spot on top of the pole. There will be booths of all kinds. Any group wishing to have a booth should please contact Jardner's Men's Store for an open location.

July 22 evening will be topped off with a Princess Dance (Princess Anne Hoskins), and a Street Square Dance sponsored by the Ione Grand Squares.

Junior Rodeo Results

Mrs. Everett Struckmeier, secretary for the Morrow County Junior Rodeo has released the results of the rodeo held recently here in Heppner.

Senior Bareback: 1. Monte Klaus, 2. Benny Ruda, 3. Phil Nance, 4. Rob Estabrook, 5. Donald Aschoff, 6. John McCarthy and Ron Wilson, tie.

Senior Boys Calf Roping: 1. Rob Gentry, 2. Bill Duncan, 3. Rick Gentry, 4. Rocky Stenberg, 5. Wade Kamm, 6. David Daly.

Senior Boys Bull Riding: 1. Monte Klaus, 2. LaVar Winebarger, 3. Andy Cant, 4. Mike Cassidy and Benny Ruda, tie, and 6. Phil Nance.

Senior Boys Saddle Bronc: 1. Tom Smith, 2. Benny Ruda, 3. Randy Warnock.

Senior Team Roping: 1. Britton Burris-Don Aschoff, 2. Bill Jepsen-Greg Green, 3. Kyle Robinson - Michelle Evans, 4. Elaine McMillan-Sue Tarver, 5. John Healy-Jim Van Winkle, 6. Darrel Ross-Randy Warnock.

Senior Girls' Breakaway: 1. Becky Fullerton, 2. Shannon Maddox, 3. Lisa Hunt, 4. Jill Rugg.

Sr. Girls' Barrel Race: 1. Becky Fullerton, 2. Jill Rugg, 3. Lisa Hunt and Rhonda Rude tie, and 5. Joyce Fuller, 6. Donita Griffith.

Jr. Breakaway Roping: 1. Brent Maddox, 2. Mike Fuller, 3. Lynn Parsons, and 4. Gary Duncan.

Jr. Barrel Racing: 1. Janice Healy, 2. Mary Kay McMillan, 3. Paula Cassidy and Gary Duncan tie, 5. Mary Jo Johnson and Kathy Johnson as tie.

Jr. Ple Bending: 1. Teresa Palmer, 2. Leicia Winebarger, 3. Butch Clark, 4. Mary Jo Johnson, 5. Billy Joe Meek and 6. Krynyn Robinson.

Jr. Girls' Calf Riding: 1. Jackie Grindstaff, 2. Kathy Johnson and Lisa Collins as tie, and 4. Shan Leonard. Jr. Boys' Calf Riding: 1. Mike Fuller, 2. Larry Grindstaff, 3. Rod Retherford, 4. Butch Clark, 5. Nolan Edwards, 6. Jerry Dedloff.

Sr. Girls Cow Riding: 1. Jill Rugg, 2. Lisa Hunt, 3. Valli Raymond, 4. Denise Karl, and 5. Sheila Johnson. Sr. Girls Goat Tying: 1. Lisa Hunt, 2. Milne Trowbridge, 3. Becky Fullerton, 4. Shannon Maddox, 5. Denise Karl and 6. Dai-Lene Edwards.

Jr. Goat Decorating: 1. Brent Maddox, 2. Scott Cook, 3. Cindy Edwards, 4. Billy Joe Meek, 5. Kathy Schubert, 6. Gary Duncan.

FIRE CAMP

The 1972 Firemen's Training Camp was held June 26, 27 and 28 at the Tupper Work Center. Sixty-five forest service trainees and 30 others from Oregon attended the annual session.

Training was given in basic areas: map reading, fire behavior, defensive drivers training, radio use, fire organization, fire prevention, and helicopter safety.

Cooks for this year's camp were Gladys Van Winkle, Lexington, and LaVelle Cecil, Kinzua.

Sweepstakes Winner



CHAMBER OF COMMERCE members get a sneak preview of the first-in-a-long-time float. Elaine George, Jack Van Winkle, Ed Dick and a guest Mike Becker admire the pink and white and gold beauty.

Another Sweepstakes Winner

The Morrow County Court won first place for the Courts in the Condon Parade on July 4th and won Sweepstakes for all mounted groups.

The Condon Chamber of Commerce hosted the luncheon at noon for the Courts. Queen Susie and the Princesses rode in the Grand Entry.

Players needed for summer softball team

Attention all able-bodied girls and women in the Heppner, Ione and Lexington area!

Team members are still needed for the slow-pitch softball group being organized by Martha Doherty. Don't be shy—this is not major league stuff and you're not expected to be major league material. Don't worry about being out-of-shape—what better way to get back into the "swing" of things than spending a few hours of fun and recreation?

Girls are still really needed to fill position vacancies and slow-pitch is designed so that anyone can play so if you are interested, drop by the lower field of the Heppner Grade School each Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. Martha Doherty is organizing the team, and will help ladies at the practice sessions. For further information, contact her at 676-5398.

Grain Prices

Riley Munkers reported the first barley had been brought into the North Lex elevator by Ken Klinger. First wheat was expected in yesterday.

Jump on the Bandwagon!

The Centennial celebration is coming up and as of now there is little more than an assumption that a band will march in the parade. There will be lots of horses, a few floats and the rodeo court. How about that band? There won't be another Centennial for a few years in Heppner, so I think we should make an all-out effort to form a good, large band. The centennial band represents alot of people through alot of years, and a centennial band should be comprised of people of all ages, at least up to 100 years old. The bands you see in parades in Portland, Pasadena, and Pendleton for example, are a majority of young people, usually participating under a compulsory band program. You take high school band, so you have to march in the parade.

How would it be to have a volunteer Heppner Centennial Band? There may never be another one like it, or there may never be one. I have in mind volunteers from anywhere in the county, and outside if possible; volunteer, and outside if possible; volunteers of high school and college students, volunteers of high school newsmen and young and especially old people (including those over thirty). Maybe your whole family can play in it!

Depending on your immediate response I will see what facilities can be persuaded

Register for Swim Lessons Friday

Register this Friday for the next series of Swim classes. As the result of Mother-Tot lessons a couple of years ago, one little girl in Beginning Swimming is just taking off like a flash. Lynda Orwick is anxious that mothers with small children sign up for the Mother-Tot course to be offered for the next two weeks.

Registration for the classes will be held Friday during regular pool hours, 1 to 4, 7 to 8:30 and during Teen Swim 9 to 11 p.m. Besides the Mother-Tot class, there will be classes for Beginners, Advanced Beginners, Intermediate, Swimmers, Junior Life Saving and Senior Life Saving.

There will be one more series of 2-week lessons to be held from July 25 to August 4.

By Don Gilliam

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Wednesday	91	52
Thursday	89	52
Friday	86	50
Saturday	82	47
Sunday	80	43
Monday	84	44
Tuesday	90	51

Precipitation in June was .80 against a norm of .140 it was .91 in 1971.

IN HEPPNER it's the beards that are beginning to show. Trimmed and shaggy Red, brown, black and blonde. The Jaycees are sponsoring the Whiskerino to publicize Heppner's 100th Birthday.

Complete except for the three pretty girls Marie Van Marter, Kellie Kilkenny and Judy Gentry who rode it in the Condon parade to win First Prize in Community floats which included commercial and organizational and Sweep Stakes. First prize was \$40.

State log harvest up

Oregon's 1971 log harvest is up in the nine billion board feet bracket as it has been for eight times since becoming the nation's leading timber producer in 1938. The 9,338,473,000 board feet of logs harvested last year was within five percent of the record cuts of 1952 and 1968. This harvest has been in response to a national demand for new construction, resulting in a value of \$108.6 billion. A large portion of this was housing starts which hit an all-time high of 2,051,000 units in 1971, totaling some \$42.1 billion.

The Douglas fir region of Oregon produced 7,222,234,000 board feet (77 percent) of supply, while eastern Oregon had an all-time record 2,116,239,000 board feet (23 percent) of logs produced.

Of the total 9,338,473,000 board feet harvested by Oregon's forest industry this past year, some 4,540,944,000 board feet or 48.6 percent was logged on private lands. Some 3,196,344,000 board feet or about 34.2 percent came from U.S. Forest managed National Forests, and 1,340,130,000 board feet or about 14.3 percent from Bureau of Land Management forests. Of the remaining 2.9 percent, 173,969,000 board feet was harvested from State, County & Municipal forest lands; and 87,086,000 board feet came from Indian lands.

In the forests of eastern Oregon, Klamath County remained on top for a solid decade with a harvest of 609,917,000 board feet. Lake County likewise retained second place for the fourth year by harvesting 353,387,000 board feet, compared to Grant County's 277,976,000 for third. Wheeler County produced 42,682,000 board ft. and Morrow 16,154,000.

Princess Debbie Dance Set Saturday, July 8



The Princess Debbie Dance will be held this Saturday from 9:30 until 1:00 at the Fair Pavilion in Heppner. Music will be by Buck Abercrombie and the Sundown Buddies.

Little League All-Stars Named

All-Stars of the Willow Creek Little League have been named: Braves (League champions): Jerry Cutsforth, Curtis Sweek, Jim Kenny, Dennis Peck, Ronnie Ward, Eric Clow (coaches Tom Wilson & Glen Ward). DODGERS: David Allstott, Kelly Sager, Mike Brandhagen (coaches

Harley Sager & Marv Sumer).

GIANTS: Mark Piper, Marty Smith, Randy Worden (coaches Dan McBride & Larry Heath).

INDIANS: Brian Rietmann, Danny McElligott, Rick Gilbert, Clint Carlson (coaches Lindsay Kincaid & Del LaRue).

Permit Needed

R.B. Cogburn of the Forest Service warns all citizens of the Heppner area that burning permits are required to do any sort of burning in the National Forests, particularly at this time of the year. Permits can be obtained from R.B. Cogburn or W.S. Miller at the Fire Control section of the Heppner Ranger District. The office is open seven days a week now, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Inspector praises Heppner water

It was brought out at Monday's City Council meeting that the State Inspector stated recently Heppner's drinking water has a high degree of purity and he stated "there's none better in Eastern Oregon". He was delighted with Heppner's swimming pool, too.

Randy Lott and Warren Plocharsky appeared and discussed City policy in installing water mains. Mr. Lott said he would be agreeable to buying 4 inch main, probably 2000 feet. City has instituted a policy of providing City crews for labor within its capabilities.

City approved a building permit at 233 N. Main for Everett Harshman at the IOOF Building. He plans \$7500 in renovation and alterations for Elma's Apparel and Flower Shop which is to be made into a department store here.

City is to ask for bids on a new railing along Cannon Street. They will decide on whether the street is to be one-way or two-way as it is now rather narrow because of widening Shobe Creek. Safety markers and signs will be installed. Chief Kolkhorst reported in June 5 moving violations, no drunks, no disorderly conduct. Parking fines were \$151.75 and meter collections \$165.

A budget hearing is to be held July 10th.

A continuation of the Monday Council meeting was to be held July 5th as well as a Heppner Planning Commission meeting. It was reported the groups would discuss a building permit in the Lott-Rasmussen Addition for a new Forest Service Building. Planning Commission had recommended this previously.

The Grasshopper Spray committee has reported that \$30,813.91 has been collected to spray 123,000 plus acres of Morrow County. Malathion is to be used in the joint

Manager and coach for the All-Stars are Tom Wilson and Lindsay Kincaid. The season ended on Saturday night.

District tournament is at Madras with our first game July 19th.

Braves ended second half with 7 wins, 2 losses. Indians 7 wins, 2 losses. Giants 4 wins, 5 losses. Dodgers 0, 9 losses.

(In a recent picture of the Ione Indians we identified Ralph Morter as Ralph Martin in an error.)

efforts of ranchers, State and Federal government. Total cost is about 75 cents an acre with ranchers paying some 25 cents an acre.

It is hoped that the Morrow County spraying will start by July 10. Planes will be used for the immense job.

New Store

Dean Teel will start a new business in Heppner on or before Aug. 1. It will be a second hand store and do-it yourself shop. Location is in the new steel building built by John Ceglia at his wrecking yard at 580 Riverside.

Mr. Teel said he will have ample parking in front of the new 40 by 70 ft. shop building. He plans to buy and sell almost anything, including appliances and furniture. He plans also to do carpenter repairs, plumbing repair and concrete work and repair various things in his new shop.

Mr. Ceglia said he has been cleaning up his yard area and putting up more fence so he can keep cars off the street. He and Mr. Teel pointed out that the industrial area in that part of town is growing. It has the Heppner Inland Chemical plant, Heppner Nor-Gas Co., Charlie Walker's body shop, Harold Erwin's water treating plant, Paul Pettyjohn's Shell bulk plant, L.E. Dick Standard Oil plant, Morrow County Grain Growers elevators, John's wrecking yard, Cornett Green Feed, Pettyjohn's Farm & Builder's Supply, Tom's TV, Gray's Repair and Union Oil plant.

"I'm looking for a position, sir," said the applicant. "What kind of position would you prefer?" asked the boss. "Son-in-law."