

Perry Cooper makes Eagle Scout



Perry R. Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Cooper, Heppner, received the Eagle Scout Award on July 14. The award was presented by Major General Robert Clement, vice commander of the 16th Air Force. Clement was assisted by Raleigh Sandy, camp "Ole" director at Madrid, Spain.

Cooper is serving in the United States Air Force at Zaragoza Air Base, a training site in Northern Spain.

The National Council of Boy Scouts of America recognized Cooper as an Eagle since August 1979 but, because of his moving about in the Air Force, it wasn't until 11 months later that a ceremony could be held.

When Gen. Clement heard of Cooper's unusual situation, he volunteered his service promptly.

Keeping very active at Zaragoza in the Scouting program, Cooper presently serves as assistant Scoutmaster, assistant Webelos leader, associate advisor for Explorers, Eagle Scout project monitor, Hornaday project developer, Eagle Committee Board Chairman and Merit Badge counselor.

Cooper is also credited with a recent development of the Boy Scout Basic Training (BSBT) program which now is being spread to other troops in Spain. Cooper also serves as assistant waterfront director at Camp Ole. Having five other people working for him, the waterfront staff worked together as a team for two weeks, responsible for as many as 200 lives and recording a flawless record of not one accident.

United States Ambassador to Spain, Terence A. Todman, added these words to Cooper, "I congratulate you on your accomplishments, and look forward to your continued service to your country and world brotherhood through your living of the Scout Oath and Law."

"The town of Heppner as well as Perry's parents and friends must be very proud as are we at Zaragoza; he has been a great asset to our base community," added Suzanne Gambill, Advancement chairperson, Troop 888, Zaragoza, Spain.

Navy man completes basic training

Navy Machinist's Mate 3rd Class Timothy J. Monjay, son of Norma J. Ford of Boardman, has completed the Basic Machinist's Mate Course.

During the course at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, students received instruction on the use of hand tools and machine shop equipment. In addition, they studied the basic operation, maintenance and repair of ships' propulsion equipment, evaporators and generators. The students were also introduced to the types of duty watches that Machinist's Mates stand aboard ships.

A 1979 graduate of Riverside High School, Monjay joined the Navy in February, 1980.

Some students will need proof of immunization

Students who will enter school for the first time and out of state students who will be enrolling in Morrow County Schools for the first time are required to show proof of immunization prior to beginning school.

These requirements are a part of Oregon's School Immunization Law. The Morrow County School District works in close cooperation with the Morrow County Health Department. The department has provided immunization clinics in each community during the past month.

Parents of children who may need immunizations are urged to contact their local school office for information or the Morrow County Health Department directly.

Rawlins places eighth in Bend tournament

By Justine Weatherford

Heppner's state champion left-handed golfer, Charlie Rawlins, played in his biggest tournament yet, the Pacific Northwest Open, at the Bend Country Club on August 18, 19 and 20.

Rawlins finished this tournament in eighth place. Soon

Grain causes road closure

Because of grain overflowing the nearby elevator, road 639 off Hwy 207 near Lexington is closed and will remain closed for about three weeks, a county spokesperson says.

Pool to close for 1980

The Heppner Pool will be closed Aug. 31 for the remainder of the year.

Volleyball officials being recruited

Anyone interested in becoming a volleyball official is invited to attend a meeting on Wednesday, Sept. 3, at Stanfield at the old high school library at 7:30 p.m.

Men or women over 18 from the Heppner-Jone-Lexing or area are now being recruited for officials, said spokesperson Jill Ragsdale.

For more information, call 922-4992.

Over The Tee Cup

Golf play results for the past two weeks are as follows:

Aug. 12 - a.m. play: Low Gross - Eddi Skow; Low Net - Marilyn Bigelow; K.P. on No. 3 - Mary Beamer.

Aug. 12 - p.m. play: Low Gross - Betty Carlson; Low Net - Betty Reitmann.

Aug. 19 - a.m. play: Low Gross - Beverly Wilson; Low Net - Juanita Carmichael.

Aug. 19 - p.m. play: Low Gross - Frank Crook; Low Net - Judy Stevens.

In the Kinzua visitation at Kinzua on Aug. 17, Lou Baxter and Bob Jepsen tied for 1st low gross; 2nd low gross went to Judge Carmichael, Earl Norris took low net.

Fran Crook took women's, low gross and Juanita Carmichael took low net.

On Aug. 24, men's play was as follows: Low Gross - Lou Baxter; Low Net - Lou McLeod; Long Drive - Bob Jepsen; K.P. - C.C. Carmichael; Least Putts - Elmer Palmer.

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after the play ended, he came back to Heppner to visit briefly with his family before departing early Friday morning, Aug. 22, for Bowling Green, Kentucky. On Monday, Aug. 25, he registered in Bowling Green for another year of work at Western Kentucky University under his golf scholarship.

Grain causes road closure

A bumper crop has forced elevator operators to store grain on the ground this year. A pile in back of the elevator has grown so large it spilled on the road last Wednesday necessitating closure of the road.

Lexington news

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Three Links Club of Holly Lodge met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buchanan on Monday of last week for their regular meeting with Chairman Dorothy Burcham. Plans were discussed for the Country Kitchen to be held at the Fair. Also discussed were some of the fall and winter activities. Refreshments were served by the hostess to Josie Peck, Virginia Peck, Eula Bloodworth, Leila Palmer, and Gladys Van Winkle.

Florence McMillan, who has been visiting some time with her daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cool of Pendleton and Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Irvin of Irregon, has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Klinger and sons of Portland were visitors with their mother, Annetta Klinger, over the weekend.

Melissa Smith, who has been spending the summer with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Jones, spent a couple of days last week at her home in Hermiston.

Birtie Pappas from Fresno, Calif. is visiting her sister, Annetta Klinger, for a period of several weeks.

Visitors at the Dean Hunt home to attend the graveside services for Percy Connor were Mr. and Mrs. David, Connor of The Dalles; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Connor, Dayton, Ore.; Margaret Feldt of Sedona, Calif., and daughter Annet Johnson, of Beaverton; and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Connor from Silverton. Mrs. Percy (Elsie) Connor remained in The Dalles, unable to attend because of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bradd and daughter, Josie, of Ontario have been visiting her mother, Gladys Van Winkle, and sister and son, Mrs. Mike Kane and Patrick. On Monday, the Bradds and Mrs. Van Winkle left for Klamath Falls where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Van Winkle and daughters. Then it is on to Salem to attend the State Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. John Van Winkle are spending a week in Reno, Nev. While gone, their children are visiting at the Mike Kane home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Yocom are spending a few days vacationing in the Wallowa Mts.

Jan Edwards of Pendleton visited her parents over the weekend and attended the rodeo where her sister, Lori, was the presiding queen.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Howard and family were visitors on the Oregon coast for several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buchanan have returned home after a week in Hillsboro and the Portland area.

Mr. and Mrs. T.E. Messenger, Jr. and family visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T.E. Messenger, Sr. on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones were overnight visitors at the Glenn Maxwell home in Baker on Thursday and attended the centennial farm recognition

party honoring the Maxwell holdings at Haines and the Holcomb holdings near New Bridge. The affair was sponsored by the Baker Historical Society. Field Historian Elizabeth Buehler of the Oregon Historical Society was present to deliver a few words and to encourage other counties to recognize the century farms. Musical selections by Mr. and Mrs. Clint Belfows, were followed by dancing in the lounge to the music of Loose Change.

Floyd Graham of Hillsboro and Irene Graham of Sun City, Ariz., visited Saturday at the C.C. Jones' ranch.

Frank Robinson is a patient in St. Anthony's Hospital in Pendleton recovering from major surgery. Mr. Robinson became ill while he and his wife, Ruth, were fishing at Klickitat and on returning home entered the hospital.

Sherrie Klinger from Hermiston spent the weekend with Annetta Klinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Robinson and sons were weekend visitors at Starky area where they enjoyed some bow and arrow hunting.

Friends were saddened to hear of the death of Aubrey Cutsforth at his home in Montana, Tuesday. He is a brother of O.W. Cutsforth of Heppner and Maude Pointer, a former Lexington resident now of Corvallis.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Chick of Pendleton spent the weekend with her mother, Venice Hendrickson.

Golf benefit scheduled

A golfing benefit event for men and women has been scheduled for Sunday, Sept. 7, at 1 p.m. at the Heppner Country Club. All proceeds from the event will go to the Heppner Museum and Public Library towards purchase of a microfilm reader and copy

machine. Cost for the 4-man best ball tournament will be \$5 per person for 18 holes. Players are asked to sign up before Sept. 5.

Receipts will be given for tax deductible purposes, said a benefit spokesperson.

Skidder catches fire on Willow Creek

Heppner firemen responded Sunday afternoon when a log skidder caught fire up Willow Creek.

The fire in the skidder started from leaking hydraulic fluid. The alarm was turned in at approximately 1:30 p.m. Sunday.



Coles to host open house for Murray's

An open house at the home of Don and Carolyn Cole will be held on Thursday, August 28, at 7 p.m. in honor of Mark and Sandy Murray.

Everyone is invited to join the Coles in wishing Mark and Sandy "good luck."

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