

## OSU Extension Service, Blue Mt. Resource Council to hold workshop

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A workshop sponsored by the Oregon State University Extension Service and the Blue Mountain Resources Council will be held in Heppner on Friday, October 23 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Elk's Lodge. The public is invited. The workshop should be of interest to local government and business leaders, resource interest groups, and others throughout Eastern Oregon. There will be discussion on how the productivity

and availability of natural resources influence the economic welfare and traditional ways of life of Eastern Oregonians, and how local groups can guide resource use decisions.

Bill Farrell, of the Rural Land Resource Council, will moderate a panel discussion on various ways of organizing for local actions. A discussion of how local groups can influence resource use decisions will include representatives from the U.S. Forest Service, Bureau of Land Management and industrial development organizations.

The bulk of the workshop will be presentations by Fred Obermiller, OSU Extension Community Resource Development specialist. Obermiller will discuss local economic facts and how these can be used for productive resource and economic development planning. He will also spend time on the understanding and use of county input-output models. These models are detailed studies of the structure of rural, resource-based economies. The models represent a powerful data base for economic decision making.

## Lexington woman attends state conference in Utah

Betty Christman, Lexington, Head Cook at Heppner Elementary School, recently returned from a three day trip to Salt Lake City, Utah where she attended the Utah State Conference of Classified School Employees.

Zone No. Five director of Eastern Oregon Classified Employees by other classified employees at the Oregon State Conference of Classified Employees held in June at Monmouth.

Accompanying Mrs. Christman to Salt Lake City was John Brown, Salem, executive

director of the Oregon School Employees Association.

Mrs. Christman said she was able to tour various schools and talk with their cooks and school employees and met with Utah's board and executive director of classified employees.

## What's Your Opinion?



"Who do you think will win the world series - the New York Yankees or the L.A. Dodgers?"

"I'm for the Dodgers but I think the Yankees will win," said Roy Lindstrom, Ione. "I think the Yankees seem to have it more together."

## Road work report

The Morrow County Public Works Dept. has released the following work report for the week ending October 17:

Roads bladed and ditched this past week were: Balm Fork Canyon Road and North Fork of Willow Creek. Bladed only were: Lena to Hisler, Hisler to Johnson Grade, No. 635, Emma White, Parker Mill, Tupper and Sunflower Flat. The blading which started in the mountains this fall, is now progressing into the foothills.

Gravel and base rock were bailed onto Van Schoiack, Upper Rhea Creek and Wilson Creek Road.

Potholes were patched with hot mix on Willow Creek Road and Clarks Canyon Road.

Truck No. 18 kept the shop crew busy much of the week with major repairs which included reconditioning the heads, replacing the water pump and other related repairs. The rest of the week was spent on more routine

repairs and preventive maintenance projects.

Crushed rock is now available for sale to the public, call 676-9401 for more information.

## BMCC board accepts bid on construction project

In a special board meeting Oct. 7, the Blue Mountain Community College board of education voted to accept the low bid on its planned construction and remodeling project.

Low bidder was McCormack Construction Co. of

Pendleton. Their bid for the project was \$358,900. The bid was about \$43,000 above estimates made by Jim Lynch, architect for the project.

In its motion to accept the contract, the board directed the administration of the college to "bring about as

much cost reduction as possible." Reducing the cost of the project will be done through change orders which could include such items as changing the quality of the floor covering and leaving out some north windows on the addition.

Following presentations by Pacific Northwest Bell and representatives of NEC Telephones, Inc., the board voted to employ a consultant to draft specifications for the proposed replacement of the college telephone system. The college system is 12 years old and has

had a number of maintenance difficulties.

Prior to the meeting, about 50 people attended the dedication of the new memorial mural. The mural was dedicated to the memory of Mark Phillips and to the students of Blue Mountain Community College. Phillips was killed in an accident a few days following his graduation from BMCC last spring.

In dedicating the mural, College President Ron Daniels called the monument "a symbol of the aspirations and endeavors that can be accomplished through an educational system such as ours when combined with the enthusiasm and encouragement of dedicated teachers and students."

## IUCC Youth Fellowship to 'Trick or Treat' for UNICEF

Kermit the Frog, star of Jim Henson's Muppet characters and Chair of the 1981 National UNICEF Day campaign, has issued a challenge to Ione area

residents and to all Americans to make this year's National UNICEF Day "the most successful ever" by contributing generously to the United Nations Children's Fund.

## Wheat-Beef Day scheduled Tues.

A Wheat-Beef Day will be held Tuesday, October 27 at the Morrow County Fairgrounds in Heppner from 7 to 9:30 p.m.

Demonstrations of sandwich fillings, pocket bread fillings, crackers, bagels, pocket bread, flat bread and uses of

leftover beef will be given. There is no admission fee and recipes will be available said a news bulletin.

The Wheat-Beef Day is sponsored by the Oregon Wheat Commission, the Oregon Beef Council and Extension Services.



Rubber received its name when, in 1770, English chemist Joseph Priestly found it would rub off pencil marks.

## Local student commended to Merit Scholarship Program

Michelle Aaron, Heppner High School senior, has been commended in the twenty-seventh annual (1982) National Merit Scholarship Program. Aaron is placed among the top 51,000 participants in the current competition.

A spokesman for National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC), which conducts the Merit Program, stated, "To be designated a commended student is an outstanding attainment, deserving of public

recognition. The nation will benefit from the continued educational and personal development of students such as these, for they have shown exceptional promise. We sincerely hope that the able young men and women being honored will receive whatever assistance is necessary for them to achieve the high goals they set for themselves."

Of some 1.2 million students who entered the 1982 Merit Scholarship competition by

taking a qualifying test in 1980, about 36,000 are being commended this month, as they begin their final year of high school. These participants scored high, but slightly below students in their respective states who qualified as Merit Program Semifinalists. Only the 15,000 Semifinalists, who were announced in a national news release on September 16, will receive further consideration for Merit Scholarships. In the spring of 1982, NMSC will announce the names of about 5,000 Merit Scholarship winners who will receive awards worth \$15 million for college undergraduate study.

Aaron is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Aaron, Heppner.

## Area men pledged to OSU fraternities

Brian Thompson, Heppner and Richard Ladd, Ione were among 531 men pledged to fraternities at Oregon State

University during summer and fall term rush, it was noted in an OSU news release. Both men were 1981 high school graduates.

## W.C.C.C. to hold tourney October 25

Willow Creek Country Club in Heppner will hold a 1981 Cross-Country Tournament on Sunday, Oct. 25. Coffee and rolls will be served at 8:30 with play beginning at 9 a.m. The two rounds of play will be by winter rules: property

boundary - out of bounds and creek - lateral water hazard.

Prizes will be awarded for those participants winning low gross, low net, least putts, long drive No. four and KP No. one and KP, second shot No. seven.

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