

## Parade entries coming in

Several entries for the 1986 Morrow County Fair and Rodeo Parade to be held on Saturday, August 16 have been received. However, there is lots of room for additional entries before the deadline date of Aug. 8

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according to co-chairman Joyce Hughes.

Prizes and ribbons will be awarded in many division including Adult organizations, Business Floats, Out-of-County Floats, Best Mounted Family Group, Best Comic, Clowns and Clown groups, Antique and Classic Car Clubs, Old Cars and Trucks, Childrens Floats, Children's Marching units and Bands and Bugle Corps.

The theme this year is "Tomorrow Today". Many ideas are expected to be used, both serious and humorous.

Anyone wishing to have an entry in the parade may contact Hughes, 989-8412 or Bob Kahl at Turner Van Marter Bryant Insurance office or pickup entry forms at the Heppner Gazette-Times office or at the Enterprise in Boardman.

### Local artists begin watercolor study

Cork Norene of Heppner and Shirley McNary of Ione will join Nadene Nutting-Simonsen, Portland, and Neskowin to study watercolor with Tom Allen of Oregon State University this weekend.

They will then spend a week at the Sitka Art Center studying with Michael Schlichtingell.

Norene has recently been accepted as a member of the Watercolor Society of Oregon. Tina Tharpe of Heppner is also a member.



### Try a Bite

Del's Market in Lexington has recently installed a frozen yogurt machine and is offering 32 flavors in cones, cups, pints or quarts. There are also six toppings to choose from. Sheri Piper (above) helps niece Kristin Skow, 1, sample the product.

## Lexington News

By Delpha Jones

--The Lexington Garden Bugs met for a regular meeting at the home of Luella Taylor. Presiding was the chairman, Dorothy Burcham. Members heard a report on the Fair and the committees appointed to work at the Flower exhibition. The Club is planning a booth this year, the first time, so all are looking forward to this project.

--The club members and their families gathered at Cutsforth Park July 20 for a picnic and fun afternoon. A report was also heard from the following members, Kathy Tellechea, Luella Taylor, Dorothy Burcham, Marie Steagall, Delta Huber, Marge Ball, and Frances Murty who motored to Maryhill Castle for a fun day. They enjoyed the Castle museum, looked at the flowers, fed the peacocks and enjoyed many interesting things.

It is hoped that the broken pipe in the park will soon be fixed. Those present for the day were Dorothy Burcham, Frances Murty, Lois Allyn, Frances Peck, Marie Steagall, Annetta Padberg and the hostess.

Frances Peck won the door prize. The next meeting is scheduled for the home of Marie Steagall in August.

--Mr and Mrs. John Tellechea and family are enjoying a visit from his brother, Jose' Antonio Mayo, John's brother from Fresno, California. They are spending some time visiting friends in Burns and sightseeing Eastern Oregon.

--The Shoun-Steagall picnic was held last week at Bull Prairie starting on Thursday when family members began arriving. There were visitors from Spray, Fossil, Heppner, Portland, Lebanon, Tigard, Coos Bay, Prineville, Pendleton, Ione, and Lexington. The group meets at this time each year at Bull Prairie.

--Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Steger and family from Federal Way, Washington visited for several days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sonstegard.

--Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shuler have returned to Fort Collins, Colorado after visiting her sisters, and families, Anita Boyer and the Gene Sonstegard.

--Erda Piper is at her home again after a stay with her daughters in Portland and Newport.

--Mrs. Jim Marquardt and daughter Jodi returned to their home in Washington after a stay at the Betty Marquardt home. They will return later this week. Jim remained at the ranch for awhile to work.

--Mr. and Mrs. Tim Fisher from Portland are spending a few days at the Marquardt ranches. She is the former Kathy Messenger, daughter of Sue and Gerry Messenger.

--Sue Messenger and Joni Messenger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll are visiting the T.E. Messenger and Betty Marquardt ranches this week.

--Brenda and Janie Jones have returned to their home in Echo after a visit at the home of their grandparents Joe and Hilda Yocom.

## Hear 'n Their

By Eva Hamlett 422-7557

--A baby shower was held July 15 at the United Church of Christ social room for Nathaniel Rea, son of Janette and Craig Rea. Assisting at the shower table were Karen Pinney, and Sandra Halvorsen. The tea table was centered with a large baby motif decorated cake, and flanked with blue candles. Cutting and serving the cake was Judy Rea, mother of Craig Rea; Carol Taylor presided at the Punch bowl and Hattie Popplin poured the coffee and tea. Hostesses were Linda LaRue, Maryann McElligott, Marie Key, Marilyn Reitmann, Kathy Morter, Marilyn Childers, Ruth McCabe, Carol Taylor and Jean Jepsen.

--Mr. and Mrs. Noel Dobyns from Florence spent last week at the home of Bob and Suzanne Jepsen. They spent last Tuesday in Ione visiting friends.

--The Ione United Church of Christ Youth Group left July 7 to attend the Expo 86 at Vancouver, Canada and returned July 11 giving them three days at Expo. The youths going were Judy Jepsen, Mary and Jolinda Cupps, Brian Ball, and Shawn Hams. Drivers and chaperones were, Rev. Cathy Barker, Dianna Hams, Laura Broderick and son Bryan, and Kip Norris, who met the group at Ellensburg, Washington. They stayed at the home of Mike and Barb Rayor, who are friends of John and Jean Jepsen. The Youth Group had earned enough money to pay their expenses, plus gas, and also treated the adults to a nice dinner the evening before they left for home.

Each day they tried foods from a different country and took in live cultural entertainment. Everyone had a good time and enjoyed the many pavilions which each gave their own Expo stamp. There was live entertainment going on at different times during the day through out the Expo site, and at least five exciting rides which the youths enjoyed. There was

an excellent fireworks and laser display every night at 10:30, which they really looked forward to.

--Mr. and Mrs. Milton Morgan attended the Blue Mt. R.V. Group gathering at the Minam River this last weekend. On the way up they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wren Case at LaGrande.

--Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin returned home Sunday evening after a 10 day trip around the state of Oregon, visiting friends and relatives. They were at Lake Oswego, Roseburg, Lebanon, Waldport, Bandon, Bend and Madras. On Sunday, July 13 they attended an informal annual get together of friends from Albany college, where Helen went to college. Albany College was moved to Portland, years ago and is now Lewis and Clark College. On Sunday July 20 they attended Pioneer Picnic at Madras, where Fred has some relatives.

--Dianna Hams and Helen Pettyjohn spent last Saturday shopping in the Tri-Cities.

--Jim Swanson returned home Sunday after spending several days in the Heppner Pioneer Hospital with back problems.

--Bill Nichols had hip surgery July 14 at St. Anthony Hospital in Pendleton. He is expected to return to his home in Lexington Tuesday, July 22.

--Art Stefani Jr. is a patient in St. Anthony Hospital in Pendleton.

--Tom Hamlett of Portland spent the weekend at the home of his parents, Adon and Eva Hamlett. On Sunday the family spent the afternoon with Sharlene Arends in Irrigon. Along with Richard Hamlett and Dave Bolts, they had a picnic barbecue at the Waterfront Park in Irrigon.

--As of July 9, 1986, the City Council passed a motion to extend reading water meters through October and will read them April 1 to include charging for the month of April.

## Heppner Happenings

By Mary Bryant 676-9493

--Guests of Dr. and Mrs. L.D. Tibbles recently were their son, Lance Tibbles, and his wife from Columbus, Ohio. While here they attended his class reunion. Lance is the Associate Dean of Capital University Law School at Columbus, Ohio.

--Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McCabe of Heppner entertained at dinner for a family group to visit with Paul and Julie (Rietmann) Frink and their youngest son, Toby, of Huntington Beach, California. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rietmann, Eddy and Lenny; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rietmann and Nova; Lucile Rietmann, Don Bristow; Stephanie and Dustin Haguewood; John Bristow; and Mary Bristow, all of Ione. Pam Doherty, Sara and Jennifer of Wilsonville; John and Sonja McCabe, Michael and Marissa of Heppner; Doug and Dustin Bristow of Eugene; and Emily Harsin of Prairie City. The evening ended with a treat of deep fried elephant ears.

--Mrs. Beulah Ogletree and granddaughter, Tanika Lee, of Grants Pass, have been visiting Bud and Harriet Batty and Vern Batty of Heppner. Ryan Renne, grandson of Vern Batty has been visiting from Houston, Texas. He is the son of Mrs. Batty's daughter, Gail.

--Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones of Glen Burnie, Maryland, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl McDaniel. Mrs. Jones and Mrs. McDaniel are sisters. They brought Avis Renshaw with them from Columbus, Maryland. She returned home last Thursday by train. Mr. and Mrs. Jones remained here and are also visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Smith of Pendleton, brother of Mrs. Jones and Mrs. McDaniel. They plan on staying until the early part of August.

--Anson Wright Park was the scene of a reunion of the McDaniel family on Sunday. A county showed 59 people present. Among those enjoying the day were Pete and Mary Haynes of Baker; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones of Glen Burnie, Maryland; Mr. and Mrs. James Smith of Pendleton; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young of Mt. Vernon, Washington; and Mr. and Mrs. Bud McKinney of Arlington, Washington and their son, John. Mrs. Young and Mrs. McKinney are nieces of Carl McDaniel and daughters of his sister, Dorothy. Others came from Monument, Spray, Elgin and Heppner.

--Mrs. Hazel Bauman celebrated her birthday on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Edger took her to dinner on Sunday.

## Greater cooperation hoped for

A joint meeting between the Heppner Chamber of Commerce, Heppner Economic Development corporation, City of Heppner and the Heppner Merchant's committee was held last Wednesday night.

The meeting was called in an effort to coordinate efforts of the four groups towards the economic betterment of Heppner and South Morrow

County. Ways to improve communication between the groups was discussed, and it was decided to try a joint project in an effort to work more together.

The vacant lot between the post office and Shoe Box will be cleaned, a fence put up and gravel laid down to improve the image of downtown.

## Named on honor roll

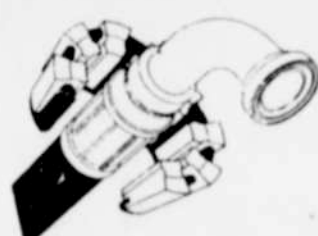
Mark Van Hoyt, a Computer Systems major from Heppner has been included with 339 students on the spring quarter Dean's List at

Oregon Institute of Technology. Inclusion on the list requires that a student attain at least a 3.33 grade point average.

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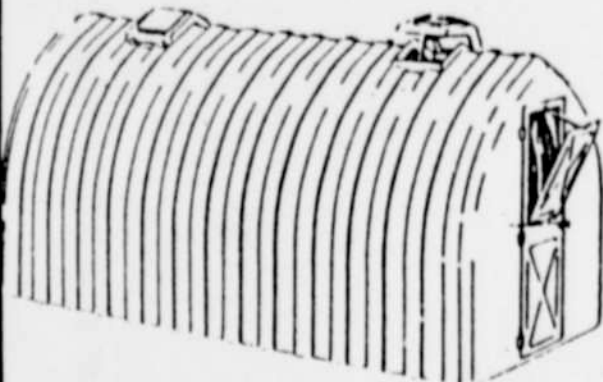
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