

## EMT's needed for Boardman area

**By Mindy Nix**  
The Boardman area is in desperate need of volunteer Emergency Medical Technicians for the ambulance. Presently, six EMT's and three drivers cover the entire Boardman area year-round. With last year's ambulance runs totaling 125, the nine volunteers won't do. The average number of volunteers is between 25-30.

An EMT class will be offered this fall for those who are interested, with a minimum of ten to start the class. Tuition will be reimbursed upon passage of the class and committed volunteer work with the Boardman ambulance. For more information please contact Cheryl Ammons 481-6142 or Linda Lappen 481-9466. Please sign up for the class today. The Boardman area needs you.

## Rodeo deadline extended

The Morrow County Rodeo committee has announced that they will allow additional entries in Pee Wee Barrels, Mutton Busting and Calf Roping on Friday, August 19 from 9 a.m.-12 noon in the rodeo office under the grandstands. Entrants must pay and sign releases at that time. Any youngster interested in competing is encouraged to sign up. Mutton busting for ages 4-8 must be under 60 lbs.; calf riding must be 12-14 years old; pee wee barrels for ponies under 54" and ponies over 54" with riders under 12.



### RUSSIAN WHEAT APHID

The Russian Wheat Aphid (RWA) was first discovered here in Morrow County last year in several wheat fields. It was watched closely throughout the winter.

This spring, after several drenching rains, the aphid disappeared. It died. Entomologists suspect that it contracted a dread aphid disease and died. They have no date to support the thesis, however. And we can not count on springs like this last one with it's excellent moisture every year.

The RWA does not do well in the Midwest and eastern states, and it is probably due to the dampness there. It is also less of a problem in irrigated fields.

This demonstrates that the RWA is susceptible to biological control, however. Biological control uses the pest's own natural enemies to control it, and is often the most effective, long range method. It is also the cheapest.

Fourteen western states, the USDA, and Canada are cooperating in an effort to obtain biological control agents for the RWA. This past spring, Dr. Victor Eastop (one of the world's foremost aphidologists), Dr. Klaus Carl from Canada, and several USDA scientists travelled to eastern Turkey looking for natural enemies of the RWA. About twelve were found.

The twelve species of natural enemies were brought to the USDA European Parasite Lab in Paris where they are now in culture. Susan Holbert, an entomologist at Parma, Idaho, has recently received a few species at her lab and will be rearing them for release soon.

It is just this type of program which holds the most promise for control of the RWA.

The Extension office is mapping RWA activity in Morrow County. Anyone who finds this pest, or suspects he has found it, on wheat or barley is encouraged to call Fred Lundin at 676-9642. More information is available on this pest at the Extension office.

## Justice Court Report

The Justice Court office at the courthouse annex in Heppner reports handling the following business during the past week:

Starla Rae Coy, Hermiston-Violation of the Basic Rule, 50 mph in a 35 mph zone, \$57 bail forfeited;

Nathan William Lauritsen, Battle Mountain, Nev.-Taking bob cat, closed season, \$77 fine;

Paul Avery Carlson, Heppner-Nc Vehicle License, \$13 fine;

James D. Jackson, Searcy, Ark.-No PUC Permit, \$57 bail forfeited;

Donald Archie Westlake, Prineville-Improper Passing, \$31 bail forfeited;

Edward Odell Howard, Hood River-No Trailer License, \$26 bail forfeited;

David James Weigel, Camas, Wa.-No PUC Permit, \$57 bail forfeited;

Franklin Thomas Dunlop, Spokane, Wa.

Karen Lauren Allen, 52, Newport, Wa.

**We Will Be Closed Saturday August 20**  
*Enjoy Fair and Rodeo!*  
**SEE YOU THERE**

Lexington Lumber Yard  
**989-8586**

# Boardman • Irrigon News

Call 676-9228, 567-7873 or 481-3274 With News Items

## Jorgensens and Weems Co-Grand Marshalls of Irrigon Watermelon Festival

**By Joyce Hensley**

Margaret and Ernest Jorgensen and Ted and Eunice Weems have been selected as Co-Grand Marshalls of the August 20 annual Irrigon Watermelon Festival.

"It is quite an honor to be chosen as Grand Marshal," said Margaret. "We are very pleased about it."

The Jorgensens have been dedicated to the Irrigon community for twenty-eight years.

Margaret is a Lioness, an Eastern Star member and plays an active roll in the Stokes Landing Senior Center.

Ernest is involved as a Mason Club member and a charter member of the Lions club.

Both take an active part as Friends of the Irrigon Library and members of Columbia View Community Church. The Jorgensens also played a part in the Irrigon Neighborhood Watch program.

The Jorgensens, originally from Canada, became naturalized citizens of the United States in a ceremony at Pendleton in 1962. After moving from Canada, the family lived in Johannesburg, South Africa; then moved to Santa Rosa, California; finally, settling in Irrigon in 1960.

Ernest, with the help of his sons, Don and Bud, eventually started the Jorgensen Trucking Company. He retired in 1981.

The Jorgensen's son, Bud, is a journalist in Toronto, Canada. Don, of Irrigon, is a commercial and general lines insurance agent for Simmons and Fischer, Hermiston.

Ernest and Margaret have five grandchildren.

Eunice and Ted Weems are highly visible to the Irrigon community as they work around the Irrigon Marina Park keeping it a pleasant place for residents and visitors to enjoy. The Weems have been caretakers for the park for thirteen years. "We don't want praise," said Ted. "I'm just a retired policeman who likes people." "Irrigon is a good place to live; it's a friendly little town," he added.

Ted has been a Lions Club member for ten years, and Eunice has worked beside him as a Lady Lioness.

Eunice has been a member of the barber-shop harmony group, The Sweet Adelines, for twenty nine years.

Ted was Chief of Police for the California town of Doris for six years after retiring from the Los Angeles Police Department.

He moved his family to the Irrigon area and became a reserve officer for the Stanfield Police Department.

*I would like to thank all my friends and relatives who attended the East/West Shrine Game last week-end in Baker. I was so surprised at the large turn-out; it was great. This was a once-in-a-lifetime experience and very rewarding.*

Duane Ball



Photo by Joyce Hensley

Margaret Jorgensen, (right) serves Ted Weems a slice of berry pie at the Irrigon Lions Club food booth at the Umatilla County fair recently.

The Weems have three children. Their oldest, Kenny, is a security sergeant for the Umatilla Army Depot and Don, their youngest son, is a truck driver in their daughter, Valerie Horton, is in Irrigon.

**The Mouse Factory Beauty Salon**  
LINDA TOMS JUDY DANIELS  
Manager/Operator Hair Stylist  
200-B NW 1st - Boardman  
481-3216



About half as much hot water is used in the average shower as in the average bath.

**LANDFILL CLOSING**  
The Heppner City Landfill will be closed to the public starting August 8, 1988 UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE. Heppner Garbage Disposal Service will be hauling to Hermiston UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.  
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**SWEDES' DAY**  
ALL PEOPLE OF SWEDISH DESCENT ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THE 1988 SWEDISH REUNION POTLUCK  
**Cutsforth Park**  
SEPTEMBER 6, 1988  
1:00 p.m.  
Bring your favorite dish.  
FOR MORE INFO. 676-5521  
**BE THERE!**

**Spaghetti Feed**  
Money to be used in restoration of Community Hall and Cemetery.  
**Hardman OR, Ghost Town - Hwy 207.**  
August 27 - 7-8:30 p.m.  
At the Hardman Community Center  
Adults-4.00 Seniors-3.50 Under 12-2.00  
Followed by Bingo with Prizes  
Raffle for Mink Bear and Bed Doll  
Tickets - \$1.00

**Air Conditioning Special!**  
Have your air conditioner serviced here.  
SPECIAL- Passenger and light truck air conditioning Special - \$15<sup>00</sup>, up to 2 lb. Freon.  
We also have on-the-farm-service and carry bearings and filters. See us for your repair needs.  
**B & C Repair, Inc.**  
422-7409 or 422-7418

**RODEO SPECIAL**

ALL BAILEY AND RESISTOL STRAW HATS  
**\$5<sup>00</sup> to \$10<sup>00</sup> off**

**Gardner's MEN'S WEAR**  
676-9218 193 N. Main Heppner

**KATE'S**  
Friday & Saturday Family Dinner Special  
5:00 p.m.- Closing  
1 Large Pizza-2 toppings  
2 Salad Bars  
1 Pitcher of Pop.  
**\$12.50**  
Don't Forget Kate's Food Booth at the Fair!!!  
Good Times Deserve Good Food

Play **BINGO** at the **FAIR**  
3 - 5 p.m. Everyday  
**Wednesday - Sunday**  
On grass near Snack Shack  
Money Gift Prizes  
Sponsored by the Heppner Chamber of Commerce  
**50¢/Card**

## BACK TO SCHOOL SALE

**Junior - denim jeans and jackets - 10% off!**  
T-shirts-reg. \$15<sup>00</sup> - **SALE \$8.00**  
Panties-sizes 5-8 - **\$2.00**  
3 pair packaged socks-prints or solids - reg. \$6.50 **SALE \$5.00**  
Rack of marked down long sleeved blouses, sweatshirts, T-shirts, etc.  
**NEW DRESSES & SWEATERS!**  
**NEW FALL MERCHANDISE IN STOCK!**  
MORE NEW STOCK ON THE WAY - COME IN AND BROWSE  
**\$50.00 Gift Certificate Drawing** for local girls - Lone, Lexington, and Heppner - Ages 13 to 18. Fill out entry form and bring into register in store. One entry per person. **Must register in person.** Drawing will be held the first day of school. Notification of winner will be in the form of a balloon bouquet delivered to you at school.

-----ENTRY FORM-----  
NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ AGE: \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_  
SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_ GRADE: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**The Country Rose Layaway**  
Heppner 676-9426 233 N. Main