

May 24 is Bike Safety celebration

By Michele Ball

National Bike Safety Month will be celebrated in Irrigon May 24.

The "Bike Rodeo" is sponsored by the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Events planned include an obstacle course, bike safety, bike inspection and identification tags for possible stolen bikes.

Steve Mackey from the Irrigon Police department will be present to teach bike safety.

The morning session will begin at A.C. Houghton Elementary and the afternoon session will be at Columbia Junior High. Contact the schools or Warren McCoy for a time schedule.

Anyone wishing further information or to volunteer to help may contact Warren McCoy at 922-3622.

By Mindy Nix

Riverside's annual "Night of Excellence" was held May 8 in the Riverside auditorium.

The "Night of Excellence" is a program designed to recognize students achievements in their own special areas of excellence.

Certificates of achievement were presented to students by Chuck Starr, assistant superintendent of Morrow County School District, Bob Deeter, coordinator of the Talented and Gifted program at Riverside and John Creason, Boardman Irrigon Advisory Committee member.

Pioneer day in Irrigon

By Michele Ball

Pioneer Day will be celebrated May 19 at A.C. Houghton, starting in the morning with the help from Senior Citizens.

Whistles made from willow sticks, home made ice cream, old fashion-

ed games, quilting, tating, hairpin lace and weaving will be some of the old skills and crafts taught.

Buggy rides with a real horse and buggy will be given. Mothers will help teach students to make bread.

A pioneer lunch is planned by the children. Square dancing and old-fashioned live music will be enjoyed. Principal Mick Tolar might be persuaded to join the violins and other instruments with his mouth harp.

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Math finals held in Irrigon

The 1989 Morrow County Junior High Math Contest was held at Columbia Junior High School on May 10. Gretchen Beretta and Mark Stuber, both of Heppner Junior High School, tied for the seventh grade championship. Mark Conklin, also of Heppner Junior High School, was the eighth grade champion.

The top ten finishers in each grade received ribbons, and the champions received plaques. The place winners were as follows:

Seventh Grade: a tie for first between Gretchen Beretta and Mark Stuber, second-Tony Becket; third-Joseph Healy, all Heppner; fourth-Jimmy Lunders, fifth-Jason Smythe, sixth-Angela Marlow, all from Col-

umbia Junior High; seventh-Daniel Beck, Heppner; eighth-a tie between Jason Proudfoot, Ione and Aaron Fishburn, Heppner; ninth-Austin Coiner, Heppner; tenth-Heidi Orem, Ione.

Eighth Grade Winners: first-Mark Conklin, Heppner; second-Seth Smythe, third-Marc Evan, both from Columbia Junior High; fourth-Jeremy Clark, fifth-Laurel Webber-Gray, both Heppner; sixth-Crystal Minster, Ione; a tie for seventh between Jeremy Maddern and Peter Pearson, eighth-Chrissy Schultz, all from Heppner; ninth-Chris Tallman, Columbia Junior High; a tie for tenth between Marc Andreason, Columbia Junior High and Ryan Halvorsen, Ione.

Sports dessert at Columbia Jr. High

By Michele Ball

A sports dessert is planned for the athletes that participated in baseball and track at Columbia Junior High from 7-8:30 p.m. May 22.

Awards and letters will be given to honored students. Students are asked to bring a dessert. All parents are welcome.

Math finals at A.C. Houghton

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The Morrow County Grade School Math finals will be held at A.C. Houghton Elementary.

Seven students from each 4, 5, & 6 grade classes from Morrow County Schools will enter the finals.

These student representatives have all passed previous tests taken in their own school.

The program will be held May 17 at 6:30 p.m.

Irrigon Police Department

The Irrigon Police department reports handling the following business during the past week:

May 1: report of individual locked out of car at Irrigon Market. Police department assisted and unlocked car.

May 2: Warning issued in response to complaint of loud music.

May 3: Door was found open at the Seventh Day Adventist Church. Everything was secured.

May 4: warrant arrest for Sexual Abuse I/Sodomy. Subject was lodged at Benton County jail; Funeral escort from Hermiston to Desert springs Cemetery in Irrigon.

Notices

By Michele Ball

Baccalaureat for Riverside High School seniors has been changed from Tuesday night to Wednesday night, May 24. It will be held at 7 p.m. at the Irrigon Assembly of God Church.

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Kindergarten screening for A.C. Houghton will be May 23 from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Call the school for an appointment.

Senior Citizen tea is May 18

By Michele Ball

The Quest class is hosting a Senior Citizen Tea at Columbia Junior High Thursday, May 18 from 2-4 p.m. Students in the 7th and 8th grade choir will be performing for the tea.

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Memorial dedicated to Becky Smith

By Michele Ball

The Irrigon Library is dedicating a section of books in memory of Becky Smith.

Becky was a fifth grader at A.C. Houghton in Irrigon.

Horses were one of her main loves, but children's books of any kind are welcome.

People wishing to donate books in her honor may drop them off at A.C. Houghton.

Becky Smith and her grandmother, Effie Smith, recently passed away in a car accident near Arlington.

Community Choir concert to be held in Ione

The South Morrow Co. Community Choir will be holding a free concert Sunday, May 21 3 p.m. at the Willows Grange Hall in Ione. The public is invited to attend, and a potluck dinner will be held after the concert at about 4 p.m.

The community choir is made up of volunteers and has been together for about three years.

Anyone wishing to attend the potluck please bring a hot dish, salad or desert. For more information contact Jim Swanson or Dot Halvorsen.

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