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Calendar of Events
IHS, HHS, HJH, Colt sports schedule

	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
WEEK OF Jan. 22-29	23 H.H.S. C-Team at Riverside, 6 p.m. H.J.H.S. A - B-Teams vs Columbia, 2:30 p.m. I.H.S. G & B-JV at Hermiston, 6 p.m. I.M.S. vs Helix, 1:30 p.m.	24 I.H.S. G & BV and G & B-JV at Condon, 3 p.m.	25 IHS in Mages V-G A & B 5 pm V-G A & B 1 pm HJH A & B at Stanfield, 9 am B-Team at Elbe, 9 am HHS Bears vs Ducks, 9 am Hawkes vs Cardinals, 8 am at HHS Bears vs Trojans 9 am Cogan vs Bruins 8 am at HHS G & B-V and G & B-JV vs Culver, 1 pm
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
26	27 H.H.S. D-Team at Pilot Rock, 6 p.m. I.H.S. G-JV at Riverside Fr. 6 p.m.	28 H.J.H.S. C-Team at Umatilla, 3 p.m. I.H.S. BV vs Arlington, 6 p.m. I.M.S. at Condon, 2 p.m.	29

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Sheriff's Report

The Sheriff's office at the courthouse in Heppner reports dispatching the following business during the past week:

January 14: Morrow County deputy responded to Irrigon Market to investigate a report of suspicious money. Investigation is continuing;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Bombing Range to investigate suspicious items found by the Navy;

Morrow County deputy began investigation of an animal problem in the Irrigon area. Problem was resolved upon deputy's arrival;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Boardman area to investigate a problem involving animals and neighbors. Problem was resolved;

Morrow County deputy responded to take an initial report on a possible game violation.

January 15: Morrow County deputy responded to the lone area for follow up on a burglary case;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon area to handle a civil matter;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon area to investigate a juvenile problem. Investigation is continuing;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Boardman ambulance to a residence on Mt. Hood Ave. in Boardman for an eight year old male with an injury. Transport was made to the UAD.

January 16: Morrow County deputy arrested Jeffrey Randall Metcalfe, 24, Turlock, CA. for Unauthorized Use of a Motor Vehicle. Deputy also recovered a vehicle stolen out of California. Metcalfe was lodged at Benton County Jail. Two juveniles were taken into temporary custody;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Fossil ambulance to a residence for a female with an illness;

Morrow County deputy contacted a subject regarding a civil matter;

Morrow County deputy responded to W. Extension Irrigation regarding a broken window at their shop. Amount of vandalism damage was unknown;

Morrow County deputy responded to Big River Farms and began investigation of suspicious circumstances regarding a payroll check. Investigation is continuing;

Morrow County deputy responded to an accident on I-84, mile post 171. Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Boardman ambulance to the scene then advised to disregard. Deputy was unable to locate accident;

Morrow County deputy responded to Brown's truck stop in Irrigon to investigate a report of juveniles beating on a vending machine. Suspects were gone upon deputy's arrival.

January 17: Morrow County deputy began investigation of a hunting complaint on Eastern Oregon Farms;

Morrow County deputy began investigation of vandalism to a boat at the Irrigon Marina;

Morrow County Sheriff's office responded to a residence in West Glen area regarding a juvenile matter. Matter was turned over to Childrens Service Division.

January 18: Morrow County deputy received a report of a burglary of tools from Ivan Driver of Irrigon. Amount of value was undetermined. Investigation is continuing;

Morrow County deputy arrested Larry Gene Hottel, 19, Irrigon, on two Morrow County warrants for Failure To Appear/Delivery of a Controlled Substance. Hottel was lodged at Benton County Jail;

Morrow County deputy assisted Heppner Police Department with a domestic problem.

January 19: Morrow County deputies arrested Joseph Paul Focht, 29, Irrigon, for Parole Violation. He was lodged at Benton County Jail;

Morrow County deputy made contact with a resident in Wilson Trailer Court, Irrigon, for a juvenile problem;

Morrow County deputy responded to a neighborhood problem on Washington St., Irrigon. Turned out to be a civil matter; Morrow County deputy

assisted a disabled motorist on I-84, east bound, 159;

Morrow County deputies responded to a report of a domestic disturbance on Olson Road in Boardman. Call was unfounded.

January 20: Morrow County deputy handled an animal problem near Hwy. 74, mile post 22;

Morrow County deputy assisted a citizen with a lock out in the Boardman area;

Morrow County deputies responded to a report of a vehicle/pedestrian hit and run incident near the Irrigon Mobile Court, Irrigon. Investigation is continuing;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Fossil fire department to a report of a flue fire near the Baptist Church in Fossil. Fire was contained;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Heppner ambulance to 545 N. Elder for a male with seizures and breathing problems. Subject was transported to Pioneer Memorial Hospital.

Marriage Licenses

The clerk's office at the courthouse in Heppner reports issuing the following marriage licenses:

December 31, 1991: Donald William Townsend, Heppner; and

Jeanette E. Earlywine, Heppner.

Justice Court Report

Annette Jane Richards, 33, Heppner-Failure to Stop for Pedestrian in Crosswalk, \$46 fine;

Jack Alexander Little, 65, Heppner-Failure to Wear Safety Belt, \$11 fine;

Melvin Monroe McDaniel, 45, Heppner-Failure to Wear Safety Belt, \$10 bail forfeited;

Jacklyn I. Robinson, 23, Heppner-Improper Passing, \$53 bail forfeited;

Robert Henry Ackerman, 61, Snoqualmie, WA.-Exceeding the Maximum Speed, 65 mph in a 55 mph zone, \$46 bail forfeited;

Carl Harley Glenn, 43, Stanfield-Exceeding the Maximum Speed Limit, 64 mph in a 55 mph zone, \$46 fine;

Victor Allen Klinger, 39, Lexington-Driving Uninsured, \$46 fine; Exceeding the Maximum Speed Limit, 65 mph in a 55 mph zone, \$46 bail forfeited;

Harrison M. Raymond, 69, Lexington-Failure to Drive Right Side of Centerline, \$22 fine.

Market Report

Compliments of the Morrow County Grain Growers

Tuesday, Jan. 21, 1992

Soft White	
Jan.	\$4.57
Feb.	\$4.60/\$4.64
March	\$4.65
New Crop	\$4.16
Barley	
Jan.-March	\$106
New Crop	\$105

It Ain't That Bad



We need a better system. The one we have will be boring, expensive, take far too long and give far too much hope. And it just may not end with the right result.

I'm writing about the year's political activity, of course.

The race for the presidency is on. George Bush is taking his lumps about how he has handled the job the past four years, with emphasis on his ability to keep his sushi down to his success at quail (Quayle) hunting.

The chorus of democratic hopefuls are singing "George doesn't have a plan." When the singing stops and they begin to talk, one wonders if they have a clue.

Closer to home, there's a race for secretary of state, and a whole house full of representatives and senators. With recent redistricting, many voters will be sorting through the rhetoric of strangers and even stranger challengers. Add to that the thousands of school board directors, county officials, even the odd cemetery director.

This year we'll elect more politicians than you'd ever care to know. But the elective process requires that you do know something about them. How to learn?

Here are some suggestions for wading through the barrage of political elections information.

1. Watch the evening news to see who went where and if they got sick on supper or fell down the stairway, but check the refrigerator when the politician begins to speak. It's important to know whether the candidate can hold his soup or not but it's not important to know what the networks think is the most important thing he said. Trust me, it's not.

2. Read the last paragraph of any newspaper report on politicians. Newspapers put what they think is the most important thing in the first paragraphs - "Smutz pounded the table as he shouted down Sumooz at the League of Non-Voters last evening." Then they put what they think is the least important thing in the last paragraph - "Smutz prefers a sales tax to an increase in the income tax." You, of course, should know the last thing and who cares about the first thing.

3. Use campaign material from candidates to start the fire. Candidates have a way of rewriting history and making idle promises in their campaign literature. But pay attention to the campaign material that some special interest group sends to you. The really important thing is who the folks are that are against your man. If the group that hates rich folks is against some candidate, and you hope to get off the welfare rolls, then you know who to support.

4. Don't listen to anything your friends or neighbors say. All they know is how many girls the guy has slept with or how often he visits the Borneo witch doctor. All good stuff, they read it in the "National Inquirer". But not helpful in making a decision on who should run the country, if for no reason other than it ain't true.

5. Don't over do. Stop all investigation at least a month before the election. This allows time to digest what you may have learned and to think out the thing uncumbered by a continuing barrage of information. Besides, if the campaign gets ugly with mud slinging, it'll probably be in the last month and you'll miss the mess.

Above all, don't get discouraged in the process. If we just limit the intake of political propaganda, and the output of political contributions, we can make this a barely tolerable process. If you do get discouraged, just take a look at any other country. That should be encouraging.

Community choir to perform

The South Morrow Community Choir will present its winter program Sunday, January 26 at 7 p.m. at St. Patrick Church. Director Bob Isted said that a wide variety of ancient and contemporary music will be performed. Admission is free and everyone is invited to attend.

Stuart Walker enlists in Army

Stuart J. Walker, son of James and Sara Walker of Heppner, has enlisted in the U.S. Army. He will leave for eight weeks of basic training at Ft. Jackson, S.C., on September 15. Upon completion of basic, he will attend advanced individual training at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., to prepare for his assignment as a wheel vehicle repairer. He also qualified for the Army college Fund from which he will receive \$22,800 in educational expenses once he completes his three-year Army commitment.

Walker is a 1988 graduate of Arlington High School and attended Willamette University, Salem.

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