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Sports Calendar					
IHS, IMS, HHS, HJH, Colt					
WEEK OF	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
Feb 6 through 12	6 HHS D-Team vs Umatilla Frosh, 6 pm	7 HHS C-Team at Lone IV, 4:30 pm. HHS V & JV, G & B at Pilot Rock, 3 pm. IHS V-G & B vs Wheeler, 6 pm. IHS B-JV vs HHS Fr, 4:30 pm.	8 HHS V & JV, G & B vs Umatilla, 1 pm. IHS V & JV G & B vs Cascade Locks, 1 pm. Colt, Bruins vs Cardinals, 9 am. Ducks vs Trojans, 10 am at HHS. Bears vs Beavers, 9 am. Huskies vs Cougars, 10 am at HJH.	9	10 HHS C-Team vs Pilot Rock Frosh, 6 pm. IHS JV-G & B at Condon, 5 p.m.
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday		
		11 HHS D-Team vs Stanfield Frosh, 6 pm. IHS JV-G & B at Condon, 5 p.m.	12		

Candidates to speak at Republican dinner

Candidates for secretary of state, state senator and several county offices will be on the speakers list at the Lincoln Day dinner in Boardman at Dodge City, Saturday night, Feb. 8, according to Ed Glenn, chairman of the event. The dinner is a more of a fund raiser than a candidate's forum, sponsored by the Morrow County Central Committee. Those attending will have an opportunity to meet the candidates.

State Senator Bill Kenemmer and State Representative Randy Miller, both candidates for the Republican nomination for secretary of state, will attend. Wes Cooley, seeking the Republican nomination for state senator, District 28 will attend, as will state Representative Chuck Norris, (R-Dist 58).

Matt Evans from Senator Bob Packwood's office will bring greetings from the senator and

Sharon Smith will stand in for her husband Gordon Smith, candidate for state senator District 29.

Glenn said much of the evening would be devoted to a fund(d) raising auction of GOP memorabilia, antiques and slightly desirable white elephants. The auction proceeds are used by the County Central Committee to support Republican candidates in the upcoming general election.

Several candidates for county-wide office will also appear, including Slazmo Guezemeyer III, a candidate for precinct committeeman with a keen wit for what's right and wrong about Republican politics.

Tickets for the prime rib and halibut dinner are \$15 each. The event will begin at 6:30 p.m. Reservations for the dinner may be made by calling either Glenn at 481-3151 or county chairman Bob Jepsen, 676-9850.

WOSC ed classes offered at HHS

Heppner High School is again a site for Instant Replay television programs. These upper division/graduate level education programs are the result of videotaped classes from Western Oregon State College in Monmouth.

Winter term registration deadline is Feb. 14. Tuition is \$65 per credit hour for undergraduates or \$90 per credit hour for graduate students.

Courses offered this winter term are: Anth 312 social anthropology 3 cr., Anth 463/563

culture and education 3 cr., Ed 462/562 encouraging the discouraged child 3 cr., Ed 484/584 1st and 2nd lang. acquisit. in biling/ESL prog. 3 cr., Hst 480/580 United States in the 20th century 3 cr., Hst 481/581 United States in the 20th century 3 cr., PS 350 intro to public policy 3 cr., PS 351 intro to public administration 3 cr.

For further information contact Barbara Hayes at Heppner High School 676-9138.

'Oregonian' article inaccurate

To the Editor:

This rebuttal concerns an article written by reporter Dean Baker of the Portland Oregonian. The article "Boardman faces changes, challenges" is about the saddest example of journalism I have seen. Mr. Baker, you saw and wrote about what Mr. Hernandez and Mr. Barbarossa wanted you to see, not what is actually West Glen. Yes, we have a few homes that could do with a major cleanup and the Morrow County Zoning Commission is working with a West Glen residents committee to handle those problems. May I remind you Mr. Baker that you had to drive past seven clean and landscaped homes (caucasian homes) to reach the Sauza home (Rancho).

Mr. Sauza is my next door neighbor. A good Hispanic American taxpayer whom I feel all three of you used. This is very sad and makes me very angry. We all try to live together as neighbors and your article will do nothing but cause animosity between the whites and Hispanics, who up to this point have worked together to make West Glen a nice place to live.

Because of your article, Mr. Sauza will probably be in trouble with the zoning commission ie: "West Glen Community Center" as we are not zoned for that. Emelio (as I know Mr. Sauza) helps with local Hispanic parties, but they are seldom held at his home. He had two parties last year, a Quinceneras for his daughter and an end of the harvest party. I know, I attended both. Like I said, we are good neighbors. This is a far cry from a community center.

I also think maybe you ought to go back to school and learn how to count. I drove around West Glen and counted 11 Hispanic neighbors and 23 white neighbors. My count may be off one way or the other by one or two as I know few people on the east end. Your article stated "He (Mr. Sauza) is of about 100 former Mexicans (former?) who live in 16 West Glen homes beyond the pavement, down a rutted road, outside Boardman's city limits." We choose to have rutted roads because the county wants to charge us to put paved ones in and if we did put them in, we would have nothing but a residential race track.

Mr. Hernandez also makes the statement "Ten years ago, there weren't any Hispanics here (Boardman) at all. Then, boom, they're everywhere." I don't know what Boardman he lived in 10 years ago, but I have lived here 17 years and I had Hispanic neighbors then. A lot of them were illegal but they were here. I babysat in my home in those days and my best customers and most enjoyable children were Hispanic.

The idea behind La Causa is wonderful and way past its time. The Hispanic population in Boardman are American citizens and need to know the laws and how to vote and have affordable housing for those in need. So do the caucasians who are in need of help. Times are tough for everyone right now, my own husband is currently unemployed,

but if this article is any indication of how you are going to go about it, I'm worried.

The kind of statements made in this article are not only inaccurate but irresponsible.

I suggest you come back and take a second look at our little community and talk to more of us instead of Mr. Hernandez and Mr. Barbarossa. You may want to write another story about how white and Hispanics lived in harmony until they started writing articles that were half truths.

I also hope that the Morrow County Assessors office reads your paper. My taxes should go down to around 10 cents an acre.

(s) Mrs. Elizabeth Morris
Box 402
Boardman, OR 97818

Sheriff's Report

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

January 28: Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Condon ambulance to Frazier St. One male was transported to Mid Columbia Medical Center in The Dalles;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon area for a situation at a local business;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon area and began investigation of a bicycle reported stolen from Paul's Saturday afternoon. Amount of value of the bicycle belonging to Frank Hunsucker was unknown;

Morrow County deputy responded to a business outside Boardman that was reported to be left unsecured. Party was contacted and business secured.

January 29: Morrow County deputy responded to an Irrigon business to begin investigation of a possible theft, possibly civil. Investigation is continuing;

Morrow County deputy began investigation of the theft of an American suitcase, a .38 Deringer, black leather brief case, credit cards, CB radio, cel phone, miscellaneous tools value unknown at this time, from a truck belonging to Ron Benson of Portland. Truck was parked at an Irrigon business.

January 30: Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Heppner fire department to a fire at Evergreen Terrace Apartments on 155 Rock St. Heppner;

Morrow County deputies arrested Mitchell Royce Drury, 33, Irrigon for Unauthorized Use of a Motor Vehicle, Driving Under the Influence of Intoxicants, Attempt to Elude and Driving While Suspended. Drury was lodged at Benton County Jail;

Morrow County deputy responded to a report of an intoxicated driver in Irrigon. Parked vehicle was located, there were no arrests;

Morrow County deputy attempted to locate vehicles reported traveling together at high rates of speed on I-84, west of

Boardman. Deputy was unable to locate vehicles.

January 31: Morrow County deputy responded to investigate an animal problem in Irrigon;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Condon fire department to a fire by the Holbrook Chipper near the substation in Condon;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Heppner fire department to a reported chimney fire 510 South Main Heppner.

February 1: Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Boardman ambulance to a residence at Desert Springs Estate. One male was transported to Good Shepherd Hospital;

Morrow County deputy responded to backup Boardman police on a possible domestic disturbance at Sandpiper Apartments;

Morrow County deputy responded to West Glen near Boardman to investigate a problem regarding a vehicle. Problem was solved;

Morrow County deputy cited and released Patricia Duff, 44, Irrigon, for Maintaining a Dog as a Public Nuisance;

Morrow County deputy arrested Anhelmo Lopez-Carmona, 19, Boardman for Failure to Pay Fine/Theft III. Subject was lodged at Benton County Jail.

February 2: Morrow County deputy arrested Beth Ann Jensen, 24, Echo, for Driving Under the Influence of Intoxicants. She was released on her own recognizance;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Boardman ambulance to the Texaco for one male with an unknown illness. Male was transported to Good Shepherd Hospital;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon Marina Park for a report of vandalism by juveniles;

Morrow County deputy responded to a report of a speeding driver in the Boardman area. Deputy was unable to locate driver;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Maria Flores residence in Irrigon Mobile Court for a report of a burglary and theft. Value has not yet been determined, investigation is continuing;

Morrow County deputy arrested Victor A Olivares-Lopez, 35, Hermiston, for Failure to Appear for Theft III. Lopez was turned over to Umatilla County.

February 3: Morrow County deputy responded to the Lexington area for a report of suspicious circumstances. Call was unfounded;

Morrow County deputy contacted a residence in the Irrigon area regarding obscene phone calls;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Arlington ambulance for a male who had fainted at the Cimmiyotti building one mile south of Arlington on Hwy 19. Male was transported by private vehicle to the clinic in Arlington;

Morrow County deputy

responded to a location on NW 3rd St., Irrigon, for an animal problem.

During the week of January 26 to February 2 Morrow County deputies assisted one motorist.

Obituary

Violet M. Gourley
Graveside funeral services for Violet M. Gourley were held Monday, February 3, 1992 at the Masonic Cemetery in Heppner.

Mrs. Gourley, 92, of Heppner, died Thursday, Jan. 30, 1992, at Pioneer Memorial Nursing Home in Heppner.

She was born Jan. 28, 1900 at Heppner to Malcom and Isabella Rendall Corrigan. She grew up on a ranch at Buttercreek and attended a country grade school near the family ranch. She boarded with her sister in Heppner and graduated from Heppner High School, then attended Oregon State College at Corvallis and was a member of the skeet team.

On Feb. 20, 1930, she married Wilbur Gourley at Walla Walla, WA. Their first home was on the Neal Ranch on Buttercreek. They later moved to a ranch on Skinner Creek near Heppner.

Mrs. Gourley enjoyed hunting and fishing on the ranch and in the nearby mountains. The couple retired from ranching in 1972 and moved to Lexington.

Mr. Gourley died in 1979.

Survivors include nieces, Isabella Davis of Pendleton and Kathryn Vogue of Portland; nephews Gordon O'Brien and Fred Hoskins of Heppner, Robert Hoskins of Ione, Malcom O'Brien of The Dalles, James O'Brien of Salem, Pat O'Brien of Walla Walla, WA. A brother and three sisters died earlier.

Memorial contributions may be made to Pioneer Memorial Nursing Home, P.O. Box 9, Heppner, OR 97836.

Sweeney Mortuary Heppner, was in charge of arrangements.

In the Service

Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class Gregory A. Groshens, a 1981 graduate of Heppner High School recently returned to Port Huene, CA with Naval Mobile Construction Battalion Four (NMCB-4) following a seven-month deployment to Japan and the Republic of the Philippines.

While in Okinawa, Japan, Groshens assisted in several projects that included the rehabilitation of enlisted living quarters and a public works building and renovating one of the base's water mains.

After being redeployed to the Philippines, Groshens participated in the recovery operations at Subic Bay Naval Base following the eruption of Mount Pinatubo. His battalion worked around the clock clearing roadways, restoring utilities and building shelters. Once their mission in the Philippines was complete, NMCB-4 returned to Okinawa to finish construction projects before returning home.

Groshens joined the Navy in October 1981.

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Prices Good February 5th through February 11th