

Historical Society announce essay contest winners



L-R: Marie Tworek, Melissa McElligott, Ruth McCabe and Becky Wagenblast.

By Delpha Jones

The board of directors of the Morrow County Historical Society met on Monday evening for the regular meeting at the home of Shirley Zielinski with Jerry Peck as host. The minutes of the previous meeting and the treasurer's reports were read and approved.

The secretary reported on the essay contest that is sponsored by the society for junior high students in Morrow County. Winners were: first-Melissa McElligott; second-Marie Tworek and a tie for third between Lynde Minster and Becky Wagenblast. Each of the contestants was presented a bond. Because of the busy schedule at school and lack of interest throughout the county the group voted to discontinue this contest. They plan to continue another project as they feel that it is important that the students know about their county, how it was settled and by whom and the many advancements since then.

A report was heard on the Groshens fountain in Heppner. That work is being done by the city with Wilbur Jackson in charge. The project involves getting water and drainage in the fountain at the fairgrounds. They will be assisted by the road department.

The Irrigon Watermelon Festival date was announced for

August 22.

Jean Nelson gave a fine report on the Oregon Trail project, and stated that the Oregon-California Trail association has been marking important trails and have been in our area. She also announced that the Century Farm award went to the Osmin family.

The group will purchase two books, "The First Oregonian," for each of the Ione and Heppner libraries as gifts. Irrigon and Boardman have already received theirs.

Sue Vinson, Barbara Bloodsworth and Ruth McCabe were appointed to decorate a fair booth.

The annual meeting which is set for October 4 at the Lexington Grange Hall will have a display of old quilts. Everyone is encouraged to bring a quilt for display.

The society voted to donate to the flood sign to be erected in Heppner in commemoration of the 1903 flood, and to the Wells Springs signs.

Club members enjoyed looking at pictures taken of the recent trip to Port Townsend and Squino, sponsored by the Morrow County Historical Society.

Lovely refreshments were served to Sue and Darrell Vinson, Jean Nelson and Ruth McCabe, Jim and Barbara Bloodsworth, Cecil and Delpha Jones and the host and hostess.

Ione Garden Club to help park

By Delpha Jones

Ione Garden Club met at Birdine Tullis' home for the regular meeting on Wed. July 8. Darcy Robinson was co-hostess.

The program, given by Jim Rudisill was on the long-range plan for the Ione City Park. Many interesting plans are underway. Much interest was shown by those present and it was decided

to assist with the project. For more information members should contact Jean Nelson.

Helen Martin gave a report on the state meeting. A report was heard concerning the flower exhibits at the fair, and a committee appointed.

Guest for the day was Kathryn Lindstrom. Lovely refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Soroptimists install new officers



Soroptimist officers Carol Michael-Bennett, Mary Goheen, Marianne Kahl, Bettie Doherty, Pauline Winter, Vi Wilgers, Judie Laughlin, Joyce Hughes.

Joyce Hughes was installed as the Soroptimist International Heppner branch president at a

ceremony and picnic held June 26 at the Heppner City Park.

Pauline Winter was installed as first vice-president, Jackie Bergstrom, second vice-president; Vi Wilgers, corresponding secretary; Marianne Kahl, recording secretary; Judie Laughlin, treasurer; Carol Michael Bennett, board member and Molly Rill, regional delegate.

Outgoing delegate LoRayne Bowman presented the "Most Dedicated" soroptimist award for her work during the year by outgoing president Pat Hyatt. Hyatt received the "most inventive" award for creating the soroptimist mail box. Judie Laughlin received the artists award for her artwork and Vi Wilgers received the florist's award for her floral arrangements. Pauline Winter earned the "Potato Award" for the best committee project work.

Besides Bowman and Hyatt, outgoing officers were Joyce Hughes, first vice-president and Pauline Winter, second vice-president.

WCCC Golf

Ladies 9-hole Invitational June 22, 1992

Low gross of the field: first-Pat Edmundson; second-Carol Norris; third-Ilene Padberg.

Tri-City Country Club: low gross-Dawn Meigs; low net-Glenda Pondaw.

Canyon Lakes: low gross-Candy Spry; low net-Marilyn Williams.

Pendleton: low gross-Bea Winget; low net-Nancy Markham.

LaGrande: low gross-Judy Halt; low net-Gin Drew.

Heppner: low gross-a tie between Anita Boyer and Barbara Gilbert; third-Neoma Bailey and Coral Mitchell; low net first-Lucile Peck; second-Karen Wildman; third-Juanita Martin.

Lower Valley: low gross-Jean Gush; low net-Willie Wallie.

West Richland: low gross-Rosemary Mahoney; low net-Sheila Aschert.

Shom Na Pum: low gross-Kay Kern; low net-a tie between Gine Berreth and Floy Nichols.

Kinzua: low gross-Georgie Loomis; low net-Ione Marlee.

Long Drive #1 guest Candy Spry, Canyon Lakes; member-Anita Boyer.

K.P. #13 guest Ione Marlee, Kinzua; member-Lucile Peck.

Ladies Day July 8, 1992

Flight A: low gross-Pat Edmundson; low net-Coral Mitchell; least putts-Lois Hunt; special putting-Eileen Padberg; Chip in-Bernice Lott, Neoma Bailey, Betty Christman.

Flight B: low gross-Neoma Bailey; low net-Betty Rietmann; least putts-Karen Wildman; special putting-Luvilla Sonstegard.

Flight C: low gross-Bernice Lott; low net-Doll Campbell; least putts-Mary Beamer; special putting-Harriet Batty.

Scramble Tournament July 9, 1992

Low net: first-Pat Edmundson and Suzanne Jepsen; second-Juanita Martin and Anita Boyer; third-Eileen Padberg and Lois Hunt.

Low net: first-Linda Schultz and Chrissy Schultz; second-Verna Brinda, Muriel Palmer, Bernice Lott and Luvilla Sonstegard; third-Melba Miller and Martha Peterson.

Jack and Jill July 10, 1992

Low gross: first-Dave Green and Jodie Mattison; second-Earl and Peggy Fishburn; third-Les and Jan Paustian, John Edmundson and Candice Marshall and Rollie and Debbie Marshall.

Low net: first-Frank and Kay Anderson; second-a tie between Craig and Debbie Gutierrez, David and Coral Mitchell and Reese and Linda Schultz; third-a tie between Gene and Luvilla Sonstegard and Duane and Robanai Disque.

KP second shot #1-Dave and Coral Mitchell #6 Dave Green and Jodie Mattison; #8 Gary and Barbara Watkins; #9 Les and Jan Paustian.

KP #4 Men-Raymond Reid; women-Linda Schultz.

Special shot highlight: Hole-in-one, Lucille Massey, #5.

Bike-a-thon raises over \$2,000

By Anne Morter

Participants in the St. Jude bike-a-thon held in Ione on May 17 have received their T-shirts and other awards from the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

The 54 participants in the annual event raised \$2,252 for the hospital, which is the largest children's cancer research hospital in the world. According to bike-a-thon coordinator Loa McElligott, the hospital was quite impressed and appreciative of their efforts. With medical costs always rising, the need for funds is great.

McElligott commended the efforts and cooperation of the community as they not only put their monetary support behind the event but also gave freely of their time. She also gave special thanks to a pair of unnamed donors who substantially boosted the cash total.

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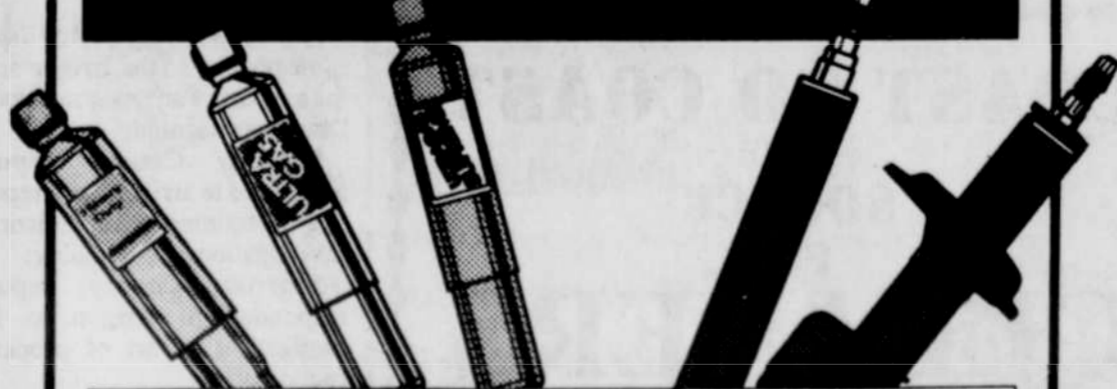
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