

Sheriff's Report

The Morrow County Sheriff's office reports dispatching the following business during the past week:

April 19: Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Boardman ambulance to Oregon Potato, Boardman, for a 40 year old male with an illness. Patient was transported to Good Shepherd Community Hospital in Hermiston;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Spray ambulance to a residence on Quail Drive for a 76 year old male with an illness. Patient was transported by Air Life;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Boardman ambulance to a residence on SW Kincaid for a child with an injury. There was no transport;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Boardman ambulance to a residence on Wilson Road for a male with an injury. There was no transport;

Morrow County deputies assisted the Boardman Police Dept. with a report of a domestic violence in Boardman;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon Mobil Court for a report of Loud Music; Morrow County deputy responded to the Wagon Wheel Addition for a disturbance.

April 20: Morrow County deputy responded to West Glenn Addition for a report of vandalism done to a windshield of a vehicle;

Morrow County deputy took a report of theft from the Umatilla

Electric Co-op. A pole taken from Wilson Road was worth \$500;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon area for a report of a suspicious male;

Morrow County deputy responded to Brown's Trucking for a juvenile problem.

April 21: Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Heppner ambulance to the Elks Club. One male was transported to Pioneer Memorial Hospital with an illness;

Morrow County Sheriff's office arrested Michelle M. Robbins, 27, Irrigon, for Probation Violation/Conspiracy to Commit Theft I. She was lodged at the Umatilla County Jail;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Mitchell ambulance, Wheeler County Sheriff Deputy, and Air Life to the scene of a single vehicle roll over accident on Hwy. 26, 10 miles west of Mitchell. Two females were transported with numerous injuries.

April 22: Morrow County deputy assisted the Boardman Police Dept. with locating a vehicle that had driven away from the BP station without paying for gas;

Morrow County deputy responded to an Irrigon residence in response to a complaint of a restraining order violation;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Boardman ambulance to the BP Station. An 82 year old man had a mild stroke and was transported to Good Shepherd Community Hospital in Hermiston.

April 23: Morrow County

Sheriff's office dispatched the Arlington ambulance to a one vehicle accident on I-84, east bound, mile post 143. Five people were transported to Good Shepherd Community Hospital in Hermiston;

Morrow County deputy began investigating a report of vandalism at the Morrow County Fairgrounds. Investigation is continuing;

Morrow County deputy responded to Irrigon for a report of a firecracker being set off. Deputy was unable to locate anything upon arrival;

Morrow County deputy assisted Heppner Police Dept. in an attempt to locate a suspect in a fight;

Morrow County deputy cited Simon Calderon Chavez, Boardman, for Driving Uninsured.

April 24: Morrow County deputy responded to the Boardman area for an open door at the Boardman water building;

Morrow County deputy responded to a vehicle in the canal at West Glenn. Vehicle was towed;

Morrow County deputy responded to Jorgenson's Trucking for a report of theft. One hundred pallets valued at \$450 were taken.

April 25: Morrow County deputy cited Roberto Peralta Rodriguez, Boardman, for Driving Uninsured;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Heppner ambulance to 475 Water Street for an elderly woman with a swollen abdomen. One female was transported to Pioneer Memorial Hospital.

Rita Hedman attends seminar

Rita Hedman, Veterans Service Officer for Morrow County, attended the semi annual statewide Oregon County Veterans Service officer's training conference held April 20, 21 and 22 in Wilsonville.

The session, sponsored by the Oregon Department of Veterans Affairs, provided county veterans service officers with updated information necessary to advocate for Oregon veterans, their families and survivors in applying for state and federal veterans benefits in such areas as: U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) health care, the Oregon Health Plan, readjustment counseling, homeless veterans, eligibility verification reports, employment, VA medical services available for women veterans, compensation, pension and preparing appeals.

Keynote speaker was Hershel Gober, deputy secretary of Veterans Affairs, Washington, D.C. His presentation covered health care reform, solutions to the VA benefits backlog, victims of mustard gas and Persian Gulf veterans.

Dale Renaud, deputy assistant secretary for Intergovernmental Affairs, Washington D.C., brought the conference participants up to date on the current status of homelessness and veterans in the nation.

Workshops were conducted in various aspects of claims for compensation, pension, dependency and indemnity compensation, death pension and perfecting appeals. The national/departments service officer from The American Legion, AMVETS, Disabled American Veterans, Paralyzed Veterans of America and Veterans of Foreign Wars provided consultations on certain claims to the county Veterans Service offices. VA employees presented information on women veterans, prosthetics, fee basis care, pharmacy operations, the primary care clinic and the workings on the rating board at the VA regional office in Portland. ODVA was responsible for helping to bring in well over \$253 million in federal dollars last fiscal year to Oregon's veterans and their dependents.

4-H News

North Lex Livestock
Adrienne Swanson, reporter
The North Lex Livestock club met at the Millers' house at 2 p.m. Sunday. Members will be going to Krebs' house to judge two classes of feeder hogs. The North Lex swine club will be doing activities for the big celebration on the Fourth of July. The Fourth of July celebration is a really fun time to be in the small town of Ione. Don't miss it. Be there. Most of the North Lex Swine Club members have already got their pigs.

Justice Court Report

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

Del Roy Gonzales, 40, Mollalla-Failure to Renew Vehicle Registration, \$91 fine, \$61 suspended;

Alfred Martin Anderson, 55, Heppner-Driving While Suspended, infraction, (outside restrictions), \$853 fine, \$400 suspended;

David Lippert, 42, Burns-Failure to Appear and Giving False Information to a Police Officer, \$666 fine and 358 days in jail, \$200 fine and 178 days in jail suspended with one year probation with no further violation of the law excluding minor traffic;

Elmer Arthur Heath, 73, Heppner-Exceeding the Maximum Speed Limit, 75 mph in a 55 mph zone, \$137 fine, \$42 suspended.

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HHS Drama club previews play



Tracy Blodgett and Dan Beck demonstrate a scene from the High School play Give and Take, which will be presented April 28 at 6 p.m., April 30 at 8 p.m. and May 1 at 4 p.m. at the Heppner High Cafeteria.

Births

Carrie Anne Haguewood-a daughter Carrie Anne was born to Mary and Kelwayne Haguewood of Heppner, on April 11, 1994 at St. Anthony Hospital in Pendleton. The baby weighed 8 lbs. 12 oz.

Carrie joins two brothers, Brian, eight and Tony, five at home.

Grandparents are Lynne Haguewood, Moses Lake, WA., Ron and Karen Haguewood, Ione and Anne and Allen Phillips, The Dalles. Great grandparents are Oral and Marge Wright, Lexington.

Makenzie Marie Correa-a daughter Makenzie Marie was born to Christy and Michael Correa of Heppner on April 18, 1994 at St. Anthony Hospital in Pendleton. The baby weighed 7 lbs.

Grandparents are Don and Jan Stroeber, Heppner and Bob and Vicky Correa, Pendleton, John and Arlene Correa and Eva Harland, all Echo.

Great grandparents are Rose Marie Buschke, Heppner and Frank and Melba Cecil, Spray. Great-great grandmother is Elsie Caldera, Coos Bay.

Justin James Pranger-a son, Justin James, was born to Anita and David Pranger of Heppner, on April 22, 1994 at St. Mary's Medical Center in Walla Walla, WA. The baby weighed 8 lbs. 6 1/2 oz.

Justin joins a brother Joseph, three, at home.

Grandparents are Lee and Mary Ann Palmer of Ione, Bob and Judy Pranger of Cornelius. Great grandparents are Geneva Palmer of Ione Bernice Nash of Heppner, LaFrance Gubbs of Pendleton and Anne Pranger of Cornelius.

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New Medicine for Psoriasis Treatment

Psoriasis is a condition of the skin in which there are flat pink or red lesions covered with silvery scales. The condition, which is often confused with dandruff and seborrheic dermatitis, occurs most often on the scalp, elbows, knees, palms of the hands, soles of the feet, and in the genital rectal area.

While there is no cure for psoriasis, many treatments have been used with varying degrees of success. In 1991 the U.S. Food and Drug Administration found two active ingredients in over-the-counter medicines to be safe and effective for the management of this condition. These ingredients are coal tar and salicylic acid.

A new prescription medicine recently was approved for the management of psoriasis. The new medicine is calcipotriene (Dovonex). This new medicine, which is available in an ointment, is a synthetic form of vitamin D. The drug is believed to clear psoriasis by stimulating normal skin development and growth. It should be applied as a thin layer to affected lesions two times daily. A recent issue of *Pharmacist's Letter* indicates that no more than 100 mg of the ointment (largest ointment tube size) should be used in a week. Doses of calcipotriene higher than this can cause blood levels of calcium to get too high. Skin irritation can occur with normal doses.



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DA's Report

The District Attorney's office at the courthouse in Heppner reports handling the following business during the past week:

Three Hermiston men, involved in the abduction and rape of a 12 year-old girl, the abduction and attempted rape of a 17 year-old girl and the abduction of a 14 year-old boy, were convicted and have been sentenced, according to Morrow County District Attorney Earl R. Woods, Jr.

Jeranimo Santiago, 19, was sentenced to 15 years in the Oregon State Penitentiary; Comasena Jesus Martinez, 28, was sentenced to 22 years in the state penitentiary; Gil Benito-Santiago, 20, was sentenced to 14 1/2 years;

All three men were convicted of three counts of kidnap, one count of rape and one count of attempted rape. In addition, Martinez, was convicted of two counts of conspiracy and one count of giving false information to a police officer. He is serving a six-month jail sentence consecutively with his time in the penitentiary.

WCCC Golf

Ladies, April 26

Flight A: low gross-Pat Edmondson, low net-Barb Gilbert, least putts-Eileen Padberg, chip in-Bernice Lott.

Flight B: low gross-Bernice Lott, low net-Lucile Peck, least putts-Carol Norris and Karen Thompson.

Flight C: low gross-Joyce Dinkins, low net-Linda Schultz, least putts-Debbie Ledford.



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