

Oregon Museum Assoc. meets



Greta Brunschwyler and Bill Lewis visit during meeting

Greta Brunschwyler, exhibit designer at Southern Oregon Historical Society Museum, Medford and Bill Lewis, director of Benton County Historical Society, Philomath, were presenters at the Oregon Museum Association spring quarterly meeting held in Heppner June 6 at the Morrow County Museum. Brunschwyler and Lewis pro-

gram was on exhibit design.

Morrow County Museum director Marsha Sweek said that 53 people representing 18 museums attended the meeting.

The Morrow County museum hosted a continental breakfast and a luncheon at the All Saints Episcopal Parish Hall, sponsored by the Lexington Grange.

Rebekahs, Oddfellows plan activities

By Delpha Jones

Holly Rebekah Lodge and Lexington Oddfellows have plans for a busy July.

The Oddfellows are planning a card party Sat. July 9 at the hall starting at 7:30 p.m. The men will be in charge with prizes and refreshments. Proceeds go towards the upkeep of the lodge hall.

The Rebekahs are busy planning a fishing derby for Saturday, July 16 at Penland Lake for members and families. The day will start at 10 a.m. with games, visiting and a lunch of hamburgers, hot dogs, salads and

other goodies, scheduled at noon. The fishing derby will be from 4-7 p.m. with a prize for the largest fish.

The Rebekahs project for the coming months is to replace the wiring in the dining area of the hall.

Elma Harshman was accepted as a new member, transferring from Sans Souci. She is a 50-year member, originally belonging to the Hardman Rebekahs.

The birthday party was enjoyed with an exchange of gifts and a potluck dinner. The lodges will have one more meeting before they adjourn for the summer.

Cheerleaders plan car wash June 18

The Heppner High School cheerleaders will hold a car wash Saturday, June 18 behind Les Schwab Tire Center in Heppner. The car wash begins at 10 a.m. Cost for cars is \$5.

Pastors to exchange pulpits

Intern Pastor Barry Scruggs of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Boardman and Pastor Stan Hoobing of Hope-Valby Lutheran Parish will exchange pulpits this Sunday, June 12.

Scruggs is completing his seminary training from Pacific Lutheran Theological Seminary in Berkeley, CA. with a one-year internship at the Boardman church. Scruggs is a former Certified Public Accountant who worked many years with a firm in Portland and had clients in the Hermiston-Pendleton area. After several years as a CPA and an active layperson in his church, he felt the call of God to serve in the ordained ministry. His wife Judy, worked in Brookings while he went to seminary in the Bay Area for 3½ years. He completed his

academic work around Christmas of 1993 and began his internship at Boardman the first of January. He will finish in December and wait for a call to parish ministry, hopefully in the Pacific Northwest.

The Scruggs will be at the Valby Lutheran Church at 8:15 a.m. People may visit and learn about the seminary prior to the 9 a.m. worship service. He will be at the 11 a.m. worship service at Hope Lutheran Church. Members and friends may visit with them during the coffee hour following the service.

Pastor Hoobing, who serves as the dean of the Blue Mountain Cluster of the Oregon Synod, which stretches from Boardman along I-84 to Ontario, will preach in Boardman.

Food handling class offered

E.coli, Streptococcus, Campylobacter and Listeria, frequent sources of foodborne illness, are unwelcome visitors at any community event.

Will you, or someone you know, be involved with food sales at a community event this year? Lots of people volunteer at or purchase from food booths each year. Fourth of July, Watermelon Festival, Horse Show, Morrow County Fair and Rodeo, and Wee Bit O'Ireland are some local events that involve lots of volunteers to prepare and serve food at community events.

Community volunteers also prepare and serve food for various bazaars, fund raisers and banquets on a year round basis. Because food committee chairs can change annually, and the pool of volunteers changes from year to year, it is critical for the public health that safe food handling principles be followed consistently, said Carol Michael Bennett, Morrow County Extension agent.

"Basics of Food Handling

Principles" will be taught June 23 in the A.C. Houghton School cafeteria, North Main St., Irrigon from 7-9 p.m. Chuck Stahl, Oregon Health Division instructor promises that "it will be interesting and it will be fun."

Stahl is an environmental health specialist but food booth managers know him as the "health department inspector". Stahl says he is anxious to help food booth organizers set up their organizations to operate safely and has helpful suggestions if people need to improvise equipment for temporary use.

There is no charge for the class but pre-registration will help to have enough materials on hand for everyone. To register call the Morrow County Extension office, 676-9642 or 1-800-342-3664. The class is co-sponsored by the Oregon State University Extension Service, Oregon Health Division and Morrow County Public Health Department.

Angels topic of study group

The adult study group at the United Church of Christ in Ione will be studying angels in Biblical literature during June. The first meeting will be held Tuesday, June 14 and will continue on June 21 and 28. All meetings begin at 7:30 p.m. in the church basement. Those attending should bring a Bible if they have one.

The summer intern, Deborah Laporte, will lead the group. Laporte is in her second year of seminary, studying at Union Theological Seminary in New York City.

The group will be looking at the stories about angels, trying to

see what is similar about them, and learning what the scripture has to tell us about these mysterious messengers of God. Although the study is in a Christian context, anyone who has an interest in this area is invited to come and share. Angels have fascinated people from Biblical times to the present, says a spokesperson. In the past few years there have been several new books written about angels, the image of the angelic ones have reappeared in popular art and now the most popular play on Broadway, "Angels in America", has as one of its main characters and themes, a beautiful angel who crashes through the ceiling. There are many myths and traditions about angels, as well as personal experiences which testify to the existence of beings who are present but not "seen", continued the spokesperson for the group.

The Bible adds to this body of knowledge. Everyone is invited to join the group as they seek more information. For more information leave a message on the church phone 422-7530 and Laporte will call you back.

Engagements



Stehr — Tucker

Brok and Janet Tucker, from the Hermiston/Heppner area, announce the engagement of their son, Kevin R. Tucker, to Leigh A. Stehr of Spokane, WA.

The bride-elect is the daughter of C. Lee and Marlene Stehr of Spokane. She graduated from Shadle Park High School in 1990 and will receive a bachelor of arts degree in accounting from Seattle Pacific University.

Tucker graduated from Heppner High School in 1990 and will receive a bachelor of science degree in computer science from Seattle Pacific University.

The couple plans a June 19 wedding at the Fairview Church in Seattle. They plan to make their home in the Seattle area.

Colleges announce degree candidates

Southern Oregon State College

JJ Osmin of Heppner, is one of 871 individuals who completed graduation requirements for a bachelor's, master's or associate's degree at Southern Oregon State College. Osmin earned a bachelor of science in nursing.

Commencement ceremonies will be held in Ashland's Lithia Park Saturday, June 11 at 9 a.m. SOSOC offers its 4500 students a broad based curriculum through its undergraduate and graduate programs.

Oregon State University

More than 3,000 students will be awarded degrees during Oregon State University's 125th annual commencement ceremony on Sunday, June 12 at 2 p.m. at Gill Coliseum.

Highlighting the activities will be the presentation of an honorary doctor of engineering degree to Doug Englebart and the University's distinguished service award to William Hilliard, recently retired editor of the Portland Oregonian.

Robert Duane Ball, Heppner, will receive a bachelor of science degree in business administration.

Portland State University

Bobby Gene Harris, Heppner, will receive a bachelor of science degree Saturday, June 11 at 7:30 p.m. in the Memorial Coliseum.

Nearly 1600 students have applied for spring term graduation at Portland State University.

These include 500 candidates for master's degrees and 12 doctoral candidates. Degree candidates are eligible to participate in the formula cap and gown commencement ceremonies.

Western Oregon State College

Clair E. Costello, Boardman, will receive a master's in Interdisciplinary Studies; Sandra Turner, Heppner will receive a bachelor's in Interdisciplinary Studies; Kristina Medley and Scott Timms, Irrigon will receive bachelor's in Natural Sciences and Law Enforcement, respectively and Kathleen Brazell, Lexington will receive a bachelor's in the Social Sciences this Saturday, June 11 at Western Oregon State College in Monmouth. Ceremonies will begin at 11 a.m.

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Treatment of Asthma in Children

Asthma is the most common chronic childhood disease. It is estimated that 10 percent of children in the United States have asthma. This condition accounts for over 20 percent of all grade school absences and about 15 percent of all hospitalizations involving children.

Factors that may bring on an asthma attack in children include upper respiratory tract infections, especially viral infections; temperature changes, especially cold dry air; exercise or increased activity; irritants such as cigarette smoke; and allergic reactions. House dust mites, animal fur, and plant pollen are common causes of allergy in children. Cow's milk may be a problem for infants.

Asthma treatment in children should be based on the severity of the condition. British researchers in a recent issue of *British Journal of Hospital Medicine* recommend inhaled beta agonists such as *albuterol* for infrequent or mild asthma. *Cromolyn sodium*, a medicine that helps prevent airway narrowing, is recommended for frequent or moderate episodes. Not all children respond the same way to cromolyn. Therefore, a low dose of inhaled steroid such as *beclomethasone* may be a good alternative to cromolyn sodium. Severe asthma may require more frequent doses of inhaled steroids. In addition, oral steroids given every other day may be needed.

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