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Irrigon Watermelon Festival July 30

The Irrigon Watermelon Festival will be at the Irrigon Marina Park July 30. Activities begin with a breakfast at 7 a.m., a parade at 10 a.m., followed by live stage entertainment throughout the day.

This year's special attractions include professional singer Tony Madrigal from Portland; sky-diving exhibitions at 12:30 and 5:30 p.m. by M&M Sports; Oregon State Champion fiddler, Casey Willis and friends; Hispanic dance troupe "Quetzalcoatl"; and a country-rock concert by Pat and Lizzie Smith. In addition

to continuous entertainment, there will be games for kids throughout the day and craft and food booths. The day culminates with a street dance at the marina with D.J. Dan Burns' 3-D Productions.

Co-grand marshals for this year's parade are long-time Irrigon residents, Floyd and Gladys Hobbs and Joy Smith. Gladys and Joy both taught for many years at A.C. Houghton Elementary, and Floyd is retired from the Umatilla Army Depot. All three remain active in the community.

Jossie Evans wins all around

Jossie Evans, Heppner, won the all around champion senior performance horse at the Morrow County Open Horse Show for the second year in a row. This year's show was held Sunday, July 17 at the Morrow County Fairgrounds in Heppner.

This year's reserve champion senior performance horse winner, Char Coe, was last year's high point rider, along with Brenda Holtz.

Coe and Evans are both Morrow County Fair and Oregon Trail Pro Rodeo princesses.

Champion junior performance horse winner was Kevin Bailey. Stefanie

Skultety was reserve champion junior performance horse.

Casey Evans was champion high point rider (13-17) and Brenda Holtz was reserve champion.

Champion high point rider (12 and under) was Eric Meakins. Nonnie Walter was reserve in that category.

Champion open high point rider was Michelle Meakins and reserve went to Michelle Daniels.

Other horse show results are as follows.

Lot A Halter Class No. 1 Geldings all ages: first-Mim Myren, second and third-Jossie Evans, fourth-Clint Bellamy; champion geld-

ing-Mim Myren; reserve champion gelding-Jossie Evans.

Class No. 2 Mares all ages: champion mares-Michelle Daniels; reserve champion-Nonnie Walters; first-Michelle Daniels; second-Nonnie Walters; third-Rebekah Hansell; fourth-Mandi Gutierrez.

Class No. 3 Ponies (up to 56"): first-Brenda Holtz; second-Erin Crowell; third-Nonnie Walters.

Class No. 4 Open Showmanship-all ages: first-Michelle Meakins; second-Brenda Holtz; third-Michelle Daniels; fourth-Mandi Gutierrez.

Class No. 6 M.C. Walk Trot-8 and under: first-Donald Adams; second-Molly Daniels.

Class No. 7 M.C. English pleasure-all ages: first-Kim Myren; second-Michelle Meakins; third-Jossie Evans; fourth-Casey Evans; fifth-Kevin Baker; sixth-Brenda Holtz.

Class No. 8 Open English Pleasure-all ages: first-Kevin Baker; second-Michelle Meakins; third-Amanda Miller; fourth-Jossie Evans.

Class No. 9 M.C. English Equitation-all ages: first-Brenda Holtz; second-Michelle Meakins; third-Kevin Baker; fourth-Casey Evans; fifth-Amber Peck; sixth-Keith Baker.

Class No. 10 M.C. English Equitation-all ages: first-Michelle Meakins; second-Jossie Evans; third-Kevin Baker; fourth-Amanda Miller.

Class No. 11 M.C. English Pleasure-Jr. Horse: first-Kevin Baker; second-Amber Peck

Class No. 12 M.C. Working Hunter-all ages: first-Kevin Baker; second-Mim Myren; third-Casey Evans; fourth-Brenda Holtz.

Class No. 13 M.C. Hunter Hack-all ages: first-Kevin Baker; second-Mim Myren; third-Casey Evans; fourth-Brenda Holtz; fifth-Jossie Evans.

Class No. 14 M.C. Western Bareback Equitation-all ages: first-Michelle Meakins; second-Char Coe; third-Keith Baker; fourth-Nonnie Walters; fifth-Clint Bellamy; sixth-Krista Adams.

Class No. 15 M.C. Western Pleasure-Jr. Horse: first-Kevin Baker; second-Michelle Daniels; third-Amber Peck; fourth-Stephanie Skultety.

Class No. 16 Open Western Equitation Pleasure-all ages: first-Michelle Meakins; second-Jossie Evans; third-Mandi Gutierrez; fourth-Char Coe; fifth-Tommy Skultety; sixth-Michelle Daniels.

Class No. 17 M.C. Western Pleasure-12 and under: first-Tom Skultety; second-Eric Meakins; third-Kevin Baker; fourth-Nonnie Walters; fifth-Krista Adams; sixth-Erin Crowell.

Class No. 18 M.C. Western Equitation Pleasure-13 to 17: first-Casey Evans; second-Michelle Meakins; third-Mandi Gutierrez; fourth-Brenda Holtz; fifth-Rebekah Hansell.

Class No. 19 M.C. Western Pleasure-18 and over: first-Michelle Meakins; second-Jossie Evans; third-Char Coe; fourth-Mim Myren; fifth-Stephanie Skultety; sixth-Krista Hyder.

Class No. 20 Open West-

ern Working Pairs Pleasure-all ages: first-Char Coe/Jossie Evans; second-Casey Evans/Eric Meakins; third-Krista Hyder/Mim Myren; fourth-Erin Crowell/Brenda Holtz.

Class No. 21 Open Maiden Horse Pleasure-all ages: first-Char Coe; second-Mandi Gutierrez; third-Clint Bellamy; fourth-Amanda Miller; fifth-Kristie Hyder; sixth-Michelle Daniels.

Class No. 22 M.C. Western Command Class-all ages: first-Casey Evans; second-Mim Myren; third-Jossie Evans; fourth-Michelle Meakins; fifth-Brenda Holtz; sixth-Kevin Baker.

Class No. 23 Open Western Equitation-all ages: first-Jossie Evans; second-Michelle Meakins; third-Michelle Daniels; fourth-Mim Myren; fifth-Char Coe; sixth-Mandi Gutierrez.

Class No. 24 M.C. Western Equitation-12 and under: first-Kevin Baker; second-Clint Bellamy; third-Eric Meakins; fourth-Krista Adams; fifth-Erin Crowell; sixth-Nonnie Walters.

Class No. 25 M.C. Western Equitation-13 to 17: first-Jossie Evans; second-Michelle Meakins; third-Mandi Gutierrez; fourth-Casey Evans; fifth-Brenda Holtz; sixth-Rebekah Hansell.

Class No. 26 M.C. Western Equitation-18 and over: first-Char Coe; second-Michelle Daniels.

Class No. 27 Open Bareback Dollar Bill Ride: first-Keith Baker.

Class No. 28 M.C. Jr. Horse Western Reining-4 and under: first-Stephanie Skultety; second-Kevin Baker.

Class No. 29 M.C. Sr. Horse Western Reining 5 and over: first-Char Coe; second-Jossie Evans; third-Michelle Meakins; fourth-Stephanie Skultety.

Class No. 30 M.C. Western Trail-12 and under: first-Clint Bellamy; second-Kevin Baker; third-Erin Crowell; fourth-Nonnie Walters; fifth-Eric Meakins; sixth-Keith Baker.

Class No. 31 M.C. Western Trail-13 to 17: first-Casey Evans; second-Mandi Gutierrez.

Class No. 32 M.C. Western Trail-Sr. Horse: first-Jossie Evans; second-Char Coe; third-Michelle Meakins; fourth-Mim Myren; fifth-Kristie Hyder; sixth-Stephanie Skultety.

Class No. 33 M.C. Western Trail-Jr. Horse: first-Stephanie Skultety.

Class No. 34 M.C. Western Trail-8 and under: first-Donald Adams.

Class No. 35 Open Western Trail-all ages: first-Jossie Evans.

Obituary

Rex D. English

Rex DeLoss English, 61, of Hermiston, died Friday, July 22, 1994 at Good Shepherd Community Hospital in Hermiston.

Graveside services were Tuesday, July 26 at the Hermiston cemetery.

Mr. English was born Nov. 10, 1932 at Otto, Wyo., to Major Horace and Winifred Emily Cook English.

He served with the U.S. Army during the Korean War.

On Oct. 27, 1957, he married Nettie Hetke at Portland. He came to Hermiston in 1966 and taught at Stanfield High School until 1990. He had previously taught at Heppner High School and at John Day.

He was a member of the American Quarter Horse Association, the U.S. Team Roping Association and the Umatilla Sage Riders. He enjoyed horses, rodeoing and auctioneering.

Survivors include his wife, Nettie at the home; sons, Mark of Hermiston and Scott of Basin City, WA., a brother Bob English of Parma, Idaho; sisters, Elna Ginter of Days Creek, and Paula Conner of Cody, Wyo.; and one granddaughter.

Memorial contributions may be made through Burns Mortuary, PO Box 289, Hermiston 97838 to 3 ABN, a new television station coming to Hermiston. Burns Mortuary was in charge of arrangements.

Hearings set on medical districts

A public hearing will be held on August 3 at the Morrow County Courthouse concerning the two petition-generated health care district proposals.

The Boardman Community Health District hearing will begin at 10 a.m. and the Morrow County Medical District hearing will get underway at 10:15 a.m.

Chamber Chatter

By Claudia Hughes, Chamber Manager

After a week at Institute for Chamber Organization Management in Boulder, Colorado, my head is swimming with ideas, action plans, visions, networking all across the United States with chambers with similar focus, etc. It was refreshing to be among 375 people who for the most part have strong ag resource ties and whose chief concern is protecting small businesses and rural communities much like ours. Even though many were of a much larger population, their challenges were much the same as ours. For this column, I share the following class handout:

"It takes two, your Chamber of Commerce and You"

Working together can never be a policy. It can only be an idea. It can never be a code of rules. It can only be a way of looking at the world.

We can say, "this is mine" and be good, or we can add, "this is 'our' and become better. We can think, "I do my share" and be satisfied, or we can ask "can I do more?" and become prosperous.

We can work alongside each other and function, or we can work with each other and grow. As we have.

Our country's history makes it clear that combining all efforts into one has been the only way to achieve that progress and that strength we take such pride in, pride not only in what we've achieved but pride in knowing that we've achieved it together, with our own work and our own visions. That's really the key.

Because when all is said and done, working together doesn't only bring out the best in all of us, it brings out the best in each of us. It takes two, your chamber of commerce and you.

Next week: business and board.

Boosters to meet

The Heppner Booster Club will meet Wednesday, Aug. 3, at 7 p.m. at the Morrow County Fairgrounds.

HOUSEHOLD SALE
Ruth Bergstrom Ranch
Saturday & Sunday, Aug. 6th & 7th
Starting at 1 p.m. both days. We are cleaning the farm house so that the home can be rented.
DIRECTIONS: Go towards Condon for 16 miles to mile post 68 on Highway 206 (6 miles west of Ruggs). Watch for sign. Contact Ruth, Rose or Gerald for more information. Phone 676-9867 Neighbor Molly Rill will have some drapes & curtains.

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3/4 Park 16 oz.	Franks	\$1.59		Fresh Corn	5 ears \$1.00
Fresh Oregon Grown whole or cut up	Fryers	89¢ lb.	Hermiston	Watermelon	15¢ lb.
33 to 42 Use	Tide Detergent	\$6.99	Red or Green seedless	Grapes	99¢ lb.
Dawn 42 oz.	Dishwashing Liquid	\$2.39		Nectarines	99¢ lb.
Western Family 16 oz.	Green Beans	3 for 99¢	Valley Fare 9 in. 100 ct.	Paper Plates	99¢