

Lexington News

By Delpha Jones

--Cecil and Delpha Jones attended a deputy school held recently at the Wolf Creek Grange hall in North Powder and on Sunday attended the Greenfield Grange meeting. Greenfield Grange initiated four new members with Jerry George of Umatilla County serving as installing master.

--Dale Breeding and children of Portland were Heppner and Lexington callers over the weekend when they visited his grandmother, Lydia Wilson, of Heppner and other relatives and friends.

--Max Akers from Portland spent several days last week at the C.C. Jones Ranch.

--Edna and Barbara Gilbert were recent callers at the Harriet Busby home in Seattle, WA. Harriet, who has been a patient in the hospital there, has been returned to her home.

--Charlene Whitney spent the weekend with her parents, Cecil and Delpha Jones, to attend the memorial service for

an uncle Robert Cool, who passed away recently at his home in Pendleton. He was married to Patricia McMillan, daughter of Ted and Florence McMillan of Lexington.

--Holly Rebekah Lodge met on Thursday for the regular meeting with the V.G. Kathy Clark presiding. Plans were further discussed for the state presidents' visit on Nov. 3. Committees were appointed for this occasion and plans were discussed for the rummage sale scheduled for Nov. 12. Proceeds will go toward the wiring fund of the dining room. Plans were made for the Saturday evening card party of Nov. 5 starting at 7:30 p.m. with prizes and refreshments.

All Rebekahs are invited to attend the dinner and meeting honoring the president on Nov. 3. Refreshments were served later in the evening.

--Klinger from Portland spent the weekend with his mother and her husband, Annetta and Bill Padberg.



Ruth Bently, president of Stokes Landing Senior Center Board of directors prepared to have her blood drawn at Pioneer Memorial Hospital for a cardiac risk profile.

Services gave out coupons for the profile at a health fair held in Irrigon on Oct. 11.

The 13 seniors who traveled from Irrigon also toured the hospital and ate lunch at the St. Patrick's Senior Center meal site.

St. Patrick's Senior Center Bulletin Board



One hundred fifteen people were present for the birthday and Halloween dinner Wed., Oct. 26. Seven meals were taken out. Members of the Episcopal Church served. Sue Vinson won a prize for the best Halloween costume and Ida Lynn won for the best costume from the nursing home. A bus load of seniors from Condon came for the meal.

The Menu for Nov. 9 will be lasagna, carrots, tossed salad, rolls and peach cobbler with topping. Members of the First Christian Church will serve. Lynn Bibby and Elsie Huston are the hostesses for November. Jim Burns will be at the center to assist seniors with hearing aides, at 10 a.m. The Senior Center board meeting will be held following the meal.

A group of seniors went by bus to Spray Thursday, Oct. 27, for lunch at the senior meal site.

The senior office staff served cookies and hot beverages in the recreation room during the moonlight sale. Cookies and beverages were also available to the public Sat., Sun. and Mon.

Dates to remember: Mon., Bible study in the center office, 10-11 a.m.; Tues. and Thurs., exercise 10 a.m.; Wed., senior meal, noon; the quilters will meet Wed. afternoon during the winter; Friday, cards, 2 p.m.; Sunday, movie, 7 p.m. Nine people watched "She Wore A Yellow Ribbon", last Sunday Oct. 30.

The bus will go to the Pendleton Meal site Fri., Nov. 11.

One precinct will be voting at the Senior Center Nov. 8. The seniors who live in the apartments will vote at the courthouse. Don't forget to vote. Remember "bad politicians are elected by good people who don't vote".

Holiday Bazaar

Sat., November 5, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Heppner United Methodist Church

Chicken Casserole luncheon 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

Adults \$5 Children \$2

Pie/Coffee \$1.50

White Elephant

lots of homemade items

lots of fun

ATTENTION

KINZUA RESOURCES EMPLOYEES RE: Prescription Drug Coverage

You may have received information directing you to a certain list of pharmacies for your prescriptions. This information was **NOT CORRECT**. We are still able to fill your prescriptions as we have in the past. Please contact us or Paul Sumner at the mill for further information.

Thanks
John & Ann Murray

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Ask your State Police

By Norm Zeller



With election day rapidly approaching, voters are having to decide as to how they are going to vote on 20 different measures on November 8. Recently a local citizen asked my opinion on Measure 11 which requires mandatory sentencing of juveniles 15 years and older who commit serious violent crimes, listed in your Oregon voters' pamphlet. One of the crimes in question listed in Measure 11 is First Degree Armed Robbery.

The citizen, like a number of other persons, is confused with the legal definitions of robbery and theft. The citizen told me she and her husband were both in favor of this measure until they read the opponent's point of view. The opponent of this measure states for example: if a 15 year old robs a classmate of a hat, the mandatory sentence would be 7 1/2 years in prison. The citizen said she could not support such a law if some high school student merely stole another person's hat. I would have to agree that this law sounds confusing unless you understand the legal definition of first degree armed robbery and theft.

ORS 164.415 basically states that a person commits the crime of first degree robbery when in the course of committing or attempting to commit theft: (a) is armed with a deadly weapon; or (b) uses or attempts to use a dangerous weapon; or (c) causes or attempts to cause serious physical injury to any person. In other words a person who commits the crime of first degree armed robbery when he uses a gun or knife and threatens to cause serious physical injury to another in the course of his act to steal something.

ORS 164.015 basically states that a person commits the crime of theft when, intent to deprive another of property. In simple terms, the student who steals a hat.

The opponent's point of view of this measure can be misleading to the voters unless you fully understand the difference between these two statutes. I think you would have to agree that if a 15 year old commits the crime of first degree robbery, the hat or any other item is really not the issue. However, what does concern me is the fact that this person caused or attempted to cause injury to another persons life.

It is not the author's intent to sway the voter one way or another but only to clarify the issues.

As a service to the citizens of this community, the Oregon State Police will occasionally submit articles of interest in the Heppner Gazette-Times. If you should have any questions or topics of interest please submit them to the Gazette-Times or to the Oregon State Police Dept. in Heppner.

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Eastern Oregon State College

Division of Extended Programs

presents a

Grant Writing Workshop

When: Friday, November 18; 6:00 - 9:00 p.m.
Saturday, November 19; 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Where: Columbia Rural Electric Cooperative, Conference Room, Heppner

Instructors: Terry Edvalson & Patricia Middelburg



This workshop is designed to provide a practical understanding of the organizational framework and decision making process necessary for successful grant writing. Emphasis is placed on planning as a precursor to developing funding proposals for governmental agencies and private foundations. Participants will be guided through the components of a formal proposal; introduction, problem/needs statement, measurable objectives, tasks, budget and evaluation. Time will be devoted to evaluating example funding applications and targeting your funding application to increase chances of success. Participants will have an opportunity to review examples of foundation and government grant materials and research databases.

This course may be taken as a non-credit workshop. The cost remains the same, however, students **NOT** taking the course for credit will not be required to complete post-workshop assignments.

Total Course Cost: \$97
(\$77 per credit, plus \$20 materials fee)

For more information, contact Debbie Lee, Eastern Oregon State College, Division of Extended Programs, Umatilla & Morrow County Center, Coordinator, BMCC, Morrow 125, Pendleton, OR 97801 303-276-1260 ext. 245.

Opportunities Right Where You Are

Just a Reminder

The month of November is a good time to have your septic tank pumped before your holiday company arrives and the winter weather sets in.

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