

HHS academic award winners announced

(Editor's note: the following article is reprinted from the "Hehisch".)

Nearly 200 members of the community were present when Heppner High School held its annual awards dessert on May 23. Students were recognized for "demonstrating high levels of academic excellence, intellectual curiosity, and the motivation to spend extra time to acquire knowledge and demonstrate mastery of skills." Students were also recognized for "classroom achievements, academic competitions, and participation in special academic activities."

Teacher Steve Brownfield presented the following

awards: general science-Jennifer Rankin; biology II-Brent Gunderson; field biology and OASSA science, Jenny Krein.

Valerie Campbell honored the following people: new National Honor Society members, Ben Ewing, Phillip Spicer-Kuhn, Angela DeBo, Traci Dickenson, Brian Koffler, Toni Kemp, Brent Gunderson, Josh Coiner, Lindsey Waterland, Stormy Howard, Brandi Marshall; spanish II, Chad Skroch, Mindy Qualls, Brandi Marshall, Jonas Healy; spanish I, Sarah Baker, Mindy Binschus, Jessica Van Winkle; L.A. II, Ethan Burnside, Jenny Krein; OASSA foreign language, Traci Dickenson; OASSA language arts, Mark Moeller.

3-on-3 tourney July 8 in Hermiston

Greater Hermiston Chamber of Commerce office at 540 South Highway 395, across from Hermiston's new community center.

Sports action starts at 10 a.m. on five courts set up along Main Street. Men's, women's and mixed teams will compete in six age groups: over 41, 20-40, 17-19, 14-16, 12-13, and 11 and under. Registration will be limited to the first 10 teams in each age group.

Each team may have up to four players registered, but only three play at any one time.

Because the event is a double elimination tournament, action usually lasts until about 3 p.m.

Registration for the event costs \$15 per team and is due by noon, Friday, July 7, at The Hermiston Herald. Final play schedules will be posted at the Herald offices by 5 p.m., July 7.

Last year's under 40 division winners were Steve Hoffert, Mark Edwards, Mike Royer and Randy Robb from the Hermiston area BH team, but there is no word yet if the team will be back to defend its 1994 title.

Athletic director Dale Conklin presented the following honors: senior scholar-athlete awards from OSAA/Trail Blazer/OHSCA, Jenny Krein, David East, Dani Hill, Mark Moeller, Ethan Burnside, Kelsie Evans, Tracy Blodgett, John Qualls; Council on Economic Education plaques to the second place team in Oregon for the second semester, Tracy Blodgett, Trent Hughes, Ron-di Robinson, Chad Skroch, Brent Wright; BMCC skills contest personal finance, Penny Anderson and Jennifer Burkenbine.

Mark Dowdy honored the following two students: top L.A. II student, Mandi Gutierrez, and top L.A. I student, Adam Doherty.

Linda Dutcher presented the following awards: knowledge master, Ethan Burnside, Josh Coiner, Traci Dickenson, David East, Brian Koffler, Brandi Marshall, Mark Moeller, Amber Rollis, Chad Skroch, Phillip SpicerKuhn, Rick Worden, Angela DeBo, Kelsie Evans, Ben Ewing, Brent Gunderson, Jayme Hansen, Dani Hill, Jonas Healy, Tina Kemp, Jenny Krein, Mindy Qualls, Eric Schonbachler, Patty Anderson, Toni Kemp; Oregon Writing Festival, Jayme Hansen and Jessica Sumner; global challenge ninth grade first Jonas Healy, second Travis Wilhelm; 10th grade first Robert Schultz, second David Michael; 11th grade first Ben Ewing, second Donnie Pointer, 12th grade first Willie DeBoer, second Dani Hill; spelling division III in-school competition first Donnie Pointer, second Jenny Krein, third Ethan Burnside; alternates Dan Burnside and Josh Coiner; division III Morrow County competition third Josh Coiner; Discoveries, Chad Skroch, Tracy Blodgett,

Patty Anderson, Ben Ewing; publications, Mark Moeller and Kelsie Evans; L.A. III, Ben Ewing and Tina Kemp; Japanese I, Kristina Grant; ethnic literature, David Michael.

Ron Forrar honored Phillip Tellechea with the OASSA Fine Arts Visual Award.

Dave Fowler presented the following: OASSA industrial arts to Bryce Tucker, and technology awards to Bryce Tucker and Willie DeBoer; BMCC skills contest MPTV Bryce Tucker; metric 500 Keith Scott, bridge building Travis Wilhelm and Josh Roy; catapult contest Keith Scott and Travis Wilhelm; precision measurement Bryce Tucker.

Greg Grant recognized the following students: global studies I first semester Phillip Spicerkuhn, global studies second semester Tina Kemp.

Shawn Kempas selected the following students for awards: OASSA home economics Lexi Matteson; BMCC skills contest-Justin Matteson, Stormy Howard, Jennifer Rankin, Jonas Healy, Lonnie Rill.

Geneva Mathews honored two of her musicians: outstanding musician Amy Mathews, and outstanding progress Angie Bergstrom.

Les Payne presented awards for the following: health, Traci Kickenson, Brent Gunderson, Lindsey Waterland, Mandi Gutierrez, Toni Kemp; government/global II, Ethan Burnside, David East, Kelsie Evans, Dani Hill, Jenny Krein; geography olympiad, Willie DeBoer, Chris Holland, Patty Anderson, Bill Schlaich, Brent Wright, David Michael; OASSA health/physical education, Traci Dickenson. OASSA social studies, David East.

Walt Pilgrim presented



Chuck Starr (l) presents Jenny Krein with a Creating the Future Leadership Team plaque award.

honors to the following students: OASSA business, Brian Koffler. Skills contest BMCC, Jeff Watkins, Rick Worden, Mandi Gutierrez, Cimmie Huth, Brent Gunderson, Jennifer Burkenbine. Accounting I, Trent Hughes. Accounting II, John Qualls. Typewriting II, Brian Koffler.

Guy Post honored the following students: four years National Council of Math Teachers exam, Ethan Burnside, Mark Moeller, Jenny Krein, Dani Hill; American high school math exam, David East; high score calculus, Jenny Krein, Mark Moeller, David East, Kelsie Evans, Ethan Burnside, Dani Hill; integrated math II, Justin Matteson, Brent Gunderson, Traci Dickenson, Eric Schonbachler, Robbie Schultz; integrated math III, Bill Schlaich; integrated Math I, David Michael, Phillip Tellechea; perseverance John Qualls.

Bob Sagely presented awards to the following: AP physics master student, Ethan Burnside and David East; AP physics student, Chris Dickenson, Kelsie Evans, Dani Hill, Jenny Krein, Mark Moeller.

Nancy Swarat recognized the performances of the following students: outstanding dramatics, Tracy Blodgett, Ron-di Robinson, Jon Hanna, John Qualls, Patty Anderson, Ethan Burnside, Dani Hill, Bryce Tucker, Chad Skroch, Chris Dickenson, Jenny Krein; for meritorious service, Mark Moeller; integrated III, Toni Kemp; pre-integrated, Lindsey Ropp and Melissa Cutsforth; OASSA fine arts performing,

Bryce Tucker; OASSA computer science, Josh Clark; OASSA math, Ethan Burnside; skills contest BMCC general math, Jessica Van Winkle, Katie Nichols, Annie Hisler, Lindsey Ropp, Jennifer Rankin; recreational math, Jeff Wilson, Chris Skyes, Tina Kemp, Robby Schultz, Traci Dickenson, Brent Gunderson, Brandi Marshall, Jayme Hansen, Rick Worden, Sherry Sieler, Tiffani Munkers, Randy Van Etta; algebra I, Chris Sykes and Cimmie Huth; geometry, Traci Dickenson; algebra II, Tina Kemp.

Principal Steve Dickenson presented the following awards: American Citizenship, Mike Alldritt, Patty Anderson, Jerid Ployar, Ethan Burnside, Chris Dickenson, Ben Ewing, Angela DeBo, Jossie Evans, David East, Dani Hill, Tina Kemp, Toni Kemp, Jenny Krein, Mark Moeller, Phillip Marshall, John Qualls, Jennifer Rankin, Jessica Sumner, Bryce Tucker, Brent Wright, Phillip SpicerKuhn, Josh Coiner, Traci Dickenson, Brian Koffler, Mandi Gutierrez, Brent Gunderson, Dodie Givens, Willie DeBoer, Jennie Gavin; president's award for academic improvement, Bryce Tucker, William DeBoer, Chris Dickenson, Trent Hughes, Patty Anderson, Chad Skroch, Brent Wright; president's award for academic excellence, Jenny Krein, Dani Hill, Mark Moeller, Ethan Burnside, Kelsie Evans, Tracy Blodgett, John Qualls.

Superintendent Chuck Starr honored Jenny Krein with a plaque for two years of service on the Creating the Future Leadership Team.

Two locals to attend Oregon 4-H ambassadors meeting

Mandi Gutierrez of Heppner, and Alejandra Torres of Boardman are two of nearly 70 Oregon 4-H members scheduled to participate in the 1995 4-H Ambassador Weekend at Linfield College, McMinnville, June 23-24.

The high school-age ambassadors will assist with 4-H

programs and activities during the coming year and represent the Extension youth program in their home communities, counties and at state events, said Duane Johnson, Oregon State University Extension 4-H youth development specialist.

"You Can Make a Difference" is the theme of this year's program, which is sponsored by Farm Credit Services of Oregon. The theme and program is intended to represent the educational emphasis on the weekend on leadership through citizenship.

Keynote speaker will be Kirby Brumfield, Portland businessman and former 4-H member. The capnote address will be given by John Paul Murphy, assistant state 4-H leader at Utah State University. Leading educational sessions will be Murphy; Sue Ferguson, Salem, Cinderella School of Modeling; and Lillian Larwood, Eugene, OSU Extension agent in Lane County.

Some of the 4-H members attending the program will be interviewed for possible trips to the National 4-H Youth Congress in Memphis, TN, later this year.

Methodist church calls conference

Superintendent Sue Owen-Bofferding has asked for an all-church conference to be held at the Heppner United Methodist Church Wednesday, June 28, at 7 p.m.

The purpose of the con-

ference is to discuss and vote on a salary package for the Rev. Trachsell, new minister at the Heppner and Fossil United Methodist Churches.

All members of the church are entitled to vote.

The Heppner Gazette-Times will be closed Tuesday, July 4.

News deadline for July 5 publication will be 5 p.m. Friday, June 30; advertising will be 5 p.m. Monday, July 3.

Happy Fourth of July

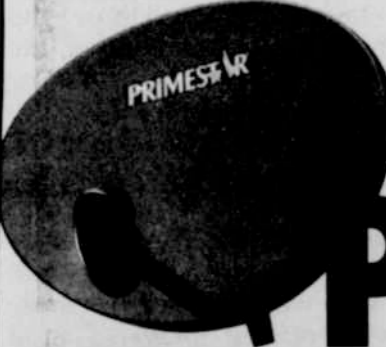


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