

Goodyear to resign from Port Evangelist to speak at CLC

By April Hilton-Sykes
Kent Goodyear of Heppner has resigned his position on the Port of Morrow to take a job as a sales manager with a private timber company, Collins Pine Company, Portland, effective the end of January.

Goodyear, who has been employed with the Port since May 1994, had been a Port of Morrow Commissioner since January of 1981 and was Port Commission president for three of those years. Prior to his position at the port, Goodyear was employed 22 years with Kinzua Corporation as an assistant marketing manager and then as marketing manager.

Goodyear said that Collins, a 150 year old company, was much like Kinzua Corporation and founders of the two companies came out of the same area in Pennsylvania. He says that in addition to timber, Collins also has oil and gas holdings.

The company has operations in Chester, California, and Pennsylvania as well as Oregon.

"It was a tough decision (to accept the position), said Goodyear, "but the opportunity was pretty large. The company pursued me." He added that his experience with the port made him a "more well rounded individual".

Port of Morrow Commissioner Jerry Healy said that Goodyear's decision to leave will have a real impact on the port and commented that Goodyear will be missed.

Goodyear has lived in Heppner for 23 years. His wife, Carol, grew up at Kinzua and graduated from high school at Fossil. Her father, Allen Nistad, was general manager at Kinzua Corp. until 1982. The Goodyears have two children, Aleida, who is a sophomore at Pacific University at Forest Grove, and Ben, an eighth grader at Heppner Junior High School.

Reverend Pieter G.K.M. Bos, an Assemblies of God evangelist, will be the featured guest speaker at Christian Life Center, Heppner, on Dec. 3-6. The Reverend Bos will speak at 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. Dec. 3, and at 7 p.m. Dec. 4-6, according to Reverend Tim Van Cleave, pastor.

The Reverend Bos was born in the Netherlands and was raised in a Dutch reform home. His desire to become involved in ministry and missions started when he was about 10 years old, while he was attending a Sunday School class where missionaries were talking about their experiences in the field. "Having been raised under extremely difficult circumstances and after a period of teenage rebellion, he forgot

about his vision, but God didn't," commented the Reverend Van Cleave. "When God regained his attention, he re-committed his life to the Lord and was baptized with the Holy Spirit."

The Reverend Bos then became involved in a Pentecostal church and in inner-city ministry. A few years later, he married an American girl who worked with Youth With A Mission in Amsterdam-Holland. Upon arrival in the U.S., he taught evangelism and discipleship, worked as a counselor or teacher and training center director in the ministry of teen challenge in Pennsylvania and Washington, and was a pastor and evangelist "with a heart for missions".

All are welcome to attend and listen to Reverend Bos.

Ambulance association being formed

Morrow County residents will have an opportunity to protect themselves against rising ambulance costs and unpaid insurance balances by joining the newly formed Tri-County Ambulance Association. The association includes Heppner, Boardman, Irrigon, Lexington, Ione, Condon, Arlington and Fossil ambulance services. "This is simply an effort to ensure affordable ambulance services to area residents," said Carl Lauritsen, Emergency Medical Services (EMS) coordinator for the Morrow County Health District (MCHD).

According to Lauritsen, membership fees will go directly toward providing funds for local EMS services. He added that additional Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) trainings and lifesaving equipment upgrades will be made possible through membership funds.

Upon joining, the association will accept member's insurance coverage (after deductible) as payment in full for medically necessary ambulance services. Lauritsen said Medicare and private insurance companies seldom pay the entire cost of an ambulance call. Most require a co-payment in addition to any deductible. Protection against future rate increases is another

good reason for joining the program. Lauritsen said the average cost of an ambulance call in Morrow County is \$600. "Costs to provide quality pre-hospital care are continually rising, but members won't have to worry about that," he said, adding, "Their membership will automatically cover any fee increases."

The \$45 annual membership fee covers immediate family, spouses and all unmarried dependents under age 21 living in the member's residence. In some cases, dependents over age 21 will be considered an immediate family member. In addition to benefits in the tri-county region, members are entitled to benefits in at least 40 other ambulance service areas throughout Oregon. "This list keeps growing all the time as new organizations come aboard," said Lauritsen.

The MCHD will begin its membership campaign by mailing sign-up materials to county residents the first week of December. Memberships will become effective on the first day of the month following return of the necessary membership information. Additional details about joining the Tri-County Ambulance Association may be obtained by contacting your local EMT organization, or by calling the MCHD office, 676-9133.

Christmas punch winners announced

This week's Christmas Punch winners have been announced. Winners receive \$25 gift certificates from participating businesses.

This week's winners are as follows: Gardner's Men's Wear-Shelly Rietmann, Central Market-Betty McEwen, Coast to Coast-Joe Rietmann, and Shoe Box-Mike Gorman.

There is still a lot of time to

enter the Christmas Punch contest, with winners each week through Christmas. Pick up your punch card at any of the participating businesses, have it punched, drop it in an entry box, and you could be a winner.

All entries throughout the contest will be eligible for the giant \$600 grand prize drawing that one lucky shopper will win.

Ione Church to host Singspiration

Ione United Church of Christ (IUCC) will host Singspiration on Sunday, Dec. 3, at 7 p.m.

The South Morrow County Community Choir will be among the groups and individuals providing special music and everyone will have a chance to sing his favorite

hymns and carols. Refreshments will be provided afterwards by IUCC's deaconesses.

Singspiration is a monthly musical get-together sponsored by the South Morrow County Ministerial Association, whose member churches take turns as hosts.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Game night set at Stokes Landing

Game night at Stokes Landing Senior Center in Irrigon will be postponed from Friday, Nov. 24, to Friday, Dec. 1 because of

the Thanksgiving holiday.

Dinner will be served from 5-7 p.m. on Dec. 1, at \$3 each. Games, including pinochle and scrabble, begin at 7 p.m. A \$1 contribution is asked for the games. All proceeds go to Stokes Landing for the care and upkeep of the building and the grounds.

Everyone is invited to attend.

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676-9228

Golfing Items for Christmas
Willow Creek Country Club
676-5437 or 676-5563

Births

Alan Mejia- a son Alan was born to Magdalena Mendoza and Jesus Mejia of Irrigon on October 24, 1995 at Good Shepherd Community Hospital in Hermiston. The baby weighed 6 lbs. 9 oz.

Brandon Lee Howard- a son Brandon Lee was born to Rebekah and Eric Howard of Irrigon on October 30, 1995 at Good Shepherd Community Hospital in Hermiston. The baby weighed 5 lbs. 14 oz.

Tyler Brian Bohn- a son Tyler Brian was born to Shellie and Brian Bohn of Boardman on October 30, 1995 at Good Shepherd Community Hospital in Hermiston. The baby weighed 7 lbs. 4 oz.

Anna Patricia Garcia- a daughter Anna Patricia was born to Virginia and Juan Garcia of Boardman on November 2, 1995 at Good Shepherd Community Hospital. The baby weighed 7 lbs. 5 oz.

Sydney Lyn Irusta- a daughter Sydney Lyn was born to Susan and Joseba Irusta of Irrigon on November 2, 1995 at Good Shepherd Community Hospital in Hermiston. The baby weighed 9 lbs. 15 oz.

Obituary

Neil Beamer

The funeral for Neil Beamer will be 1 p.m. Saturday, December 2, 1995, at the Heppner Elks Lodge. Concluding service and burial will follow at the Heppner Masonic Cemetery.

Mr. Beamer, 59, of Heppner, died Saturday, November 25, 1995, at Pioneer Memorial Nursing Home.

He was born June 20, 1936, at Heppner, to Ralph and Mary Gammel Beamer. He grew up in Heppner and attended local schools, graduating from Heppner High School in 1955. He attended Pacific University and Eastern Oregon State College.

Most of his life was spent on the family ranch on Balm Fork near Heppner.

On August 22, 1984, he married Janet Pratt at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

He participated in calf roping at rodeos throughout the Northwest until his recent illness.

He was a member of Heppner BPOE 3508.

Survivors include his wife, Janet, at the home; parents, Ralph and Mary Beamer of Heppner; and a sister, Janet Bothum of Pendleton.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Oregon Diabetes Association, 3607 S.W. Corbett Street, Portland, OR. 97201.

Sweeney Mortuary of Heppner is in charge of arrangements.

Bowling League

Thursday Nite Mixers

	W	L
Wright's Century	17	15
# 4	15½	16½
Ione Repair	24	8
Lancer Lanes	17½	14½
Skaggs Auto Clinic	19	13
High games: Jim Eynetich 200, Dianna Hoeft 186.		
High series: Dianna Hoeft 527, Jim Eynetich 520.		

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	W	L
Ione Repair	24	12
Wright's Century	19	17
# 4	18½	17½
Lancer Lanes	21½	14½
Skaggs Auto Clinic	20	16
High games: Gayle Eynetich 175, Doug Gunderson 177.		
High series: Gayle Eynetich 471, Doug Gunderson 489.		
Splits converted: John Breidenbach 5-10, 3-10, Darlene Clark 3-10, Fran Barnett 3-10.		

Koffee Kup Keglers

	W	L
The Holy Rollers	27½	20½
The BJ's	30	18
M.C.G.G.	24½	23½
No Pin Hitters	34	14
The Dregs	20	28
The Alley Cats	19	29
#7	11	13
High series: Bonnie Lindsay 511.		
High game: Bonnie Lindsay 215.		

Rachel Helen Newport- a daughter Rachel Helen was born to Brenda and John Newport of Irrigon on November 4, 1995 at Good Shepherd Community Hospital in Hermiston. The baby weighed 6 lbs. 13 oz.

OFFICE SUPPLIES

Surplus \$1/50 envelopes
Envelopes \$8/box various colors

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Heppner Gazette
676-9228

Chamber Chatter

By Claudia Hughes, Chamber Manager

One more day and the last page of the calendar year will be before us. Chamber will kick off December with the decorating of the beautiful tree donated by Clayton and Evelyn Sweek. All organizations, children, businesses, churches and individuals are invited to place their weatherproof, durable ornament on the tree between 4:30-5:30 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 1. Cider and music will be a part of the event. Saturday, take in the Christmas Artifacts and Greens Workshop sponsored by the Soroptimists.

Chamber nominees for new board members of 1996 are Dan Brosnan, Delanne Ferguson, Mike Armato and Marty Durey. Their willingness to contribute time and energy to the Heppner Chamber of Commerce is appreciated.

Mark your calendars for December "Business After Hours" hosted by two of Heppner's newer businesses, "Twice Upon A Time..." and "The Woodshed". The Brosnans and Tim Coe are planning some fun for Tuesday evening, Dec. 5, at 6 p.m.

The annual lunch with Santa event is coming soon. This is an opportunity for Mom and Dad to do some local shopping while the wee ones have a photo and movie with Santa. Watch for more information next week.

Deck your windows, as the Christmas lighting of homes and businesses will be judged on Sunday, Dec. 17. Gift certificates will again be awarded for indoor and outdoor lighting as well as business lighting.

Thought for the week: "The things in life that count the most are the things that cannot be counted."

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF HEARING

The Morrow County Charter Committee will hold a public hearing at 7:00 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, December 6, 1995, at Heppner High School cafeteria, Heppner, Oregon to hear public comment upon the issue of adopting a Home Rule Charter for Morrow County. The Committee has drafted a Charter, and will hear comment upon its provisions. All persons are encouraged to attend and express their views. Published: November 15 and 29, 1995

CARD OF THANKS

The Heppner FFA would like to thank the following people and businesses for their wonderful support and donations: Murrays, Yaws, Bucknums, Petersons, Ployhars, Coast to Coast, Booster Club, Van Marter & Kahl, the hospital, Kay Fowler, Stan Kemp, Columbia Basin, Morrow County Grain Growers, Les Schwab, Kyle Robinson, Beechers and Heppner Gazette-Times.

All of the money that was donated was for five of the FFA students to go to the National Convention in Kansas City, Missouri, to represent our community on a national basis.

Thanks again for all your support. 11-29-1c

Downtown tree trimming set for Dec. 1

The community is invited to help decorate Heppner's downtown Christmas tree this Friday, Dec. 1, between 4:30 and 5:30 p.m.

Those who would like to participate are asked to bring a holiday ornament, representing their organization, family, business, church or school, to put on the tree. Ornaments

should be durable and weatherproof and should be four to six inches or larger with their own hanger.

There will also be caroling and hot cider to drink.

The tree trimming is sponsored by the Heppner Chamber of Commerce. The tree was provided by Clayton and Evelyn Sweek.

St. Patrick's Senior Center Bulletin Board

Approximately 50 people were present for the senior dinner, Nov. 22. Laurence Becket won the meal ticket and Julia Hill, the bingo ticket. Members of the Episcopal Church served. Blood pressures were taken before the meal.

The menu for Dec. 6 will be barbecued ribs, baked beans, oven fries, rolls, fruit and cake. Members of the Christian Church will serve. Hearing aid assistance will be given at 10 a.m. and blood pressures taken at 11 a.m. The senior meal will be at noon, with quilting at 1 p.m.

Senior meal site cook Joyce Breeding returned from Portland Sunday evening. She had been with her son, Don Townsend, when he had surgery. She came home when he was out of intensive care.

The garden club will have their Christmas party at the Senior Center on Monday evening, Dec. 4.

The Red Cross will have their next blood drawing Thursday, Dec. 14, in the dining room.

The Senior Center Christmas party will be Saturday, Dec. 16, in the dining room at 6 p.m. Tim Cundell will be there to entertain. Everyone is invited to bring their family, friends and finger food and join the fun.

One table of pinochle was in play Friday, Nov. 24. There was no movie Sunday evening. Almost everyone has returned from Thanksgiving vacations.

Dates to remember: Tuesday and Thursday exercise, 10 a.m.; Wednesday hearing aid assistance, 10 a.m., blood pressure clinic, 11 a.m., senior meal, noon, quilting, 1 p.m.; Friday cards, 2 p.m.; Sunday movie, 6 p.m.

Happy Big 40
Love, Mom & Dad

Yaw's Restaurant & Lounge

This week's "Breakfast Specials"

1 egg, 2 pcs. bacon & toast.....\$1.99

or

½ order biscuits & gravy & 2 pcs. bacon. \$1.99

YAW'S HAMBURGER OF THE WEEK

Yaw's "Daily Double", ¼ pounder cheeseburger, double pattie and double cheese on a double-cut bun with all the fixings-mayonnaise, dill, lettuce, relish, onions & tomatoes, if you wish. . . \$4.75

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