

Sheriff's Report

The Morrow County Sheriff's office in Heppner reports dispatching the following business during the past week:

June 4: Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon area for a citizen complaint;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon area for a criminal mischief complaint;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon area for an abandoned vehicle complaint;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon area to assist a citizen on a juvenile complaint;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched a Spray Emergency Medical Technician to check an adult male with an unknown illness;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Highway 207 and Buttercreek area for a traffic complaint. The deputy was unable to locate the vehicle;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched Condon Fire Dept. to a vehicle fire on Main Street. The fire was put out;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Heppner ambulance for an injury at the softball field. The call was cancelled en route.

June 5: Morrow County deputy began an investigation of a suspicious person at an Irrigon residence;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon Marina for a suspicious person there.

Morrow County deputy arrested Lester Keith Washington, Jr., 23 years old of Hermiston, for Contributing to the Sexual Delinquency of a Minor. He was cited and released;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Boardman ambulance to a job site on Patterson Ferry for an adult male with an injury. The patient was transported to Good Shepherd Hospital in Hermiston;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Fossil ambulance to meet with the Spray ambulance for a transport;

Morrow County deputy took a criminal mischief complaint from the lone area. A newspaper box was bashed;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon Mobile Court for a fight.

June 6: Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon area for a traffic problem;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon area for a man down and intoxicated;

Morrow County deputy responded to a disabled vehicle in the Irrigon area.

June 7: Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Arlington ambulance and the Fire Dept. to a one car motor vehicle accident on I-84 at milepost 141. There was no transport made;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Condon ambulance to the clinic for a transport to the Mid-Columbia Medical Center in The Dalles;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Heppner ambulance to the St. Patrick's Senior Center for an adult female with an illness. The patient was transported to Pioneer Memorial Hospital in Heppner;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Condon ambulance to the clinic for a transport to Mid-Columbia Medical Center in The Dalles;

Morrow County deputy responded to Bombing Range Road for a report of a traffic hazard.

June 8 Morrow County deputy responded to the Boardman area for a report of a suspicious

person. The deputy was unable to locate the person;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon area to do a welfare check for the Union County Sheriff's office;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Boardman ambulance to a motor vehicle accident on Wilson and Main intersection. There were three people transported to Good Shepherd Community Hospital in Hermiston.

June 9: Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon area for an animal problem;

Morrow County deputy assisted a citizen with a traffic problem.

June 10: Morrow County deputy assisted a citizen with a domestic problem;

Morrow County deputy began an investigation of vandalism in the Irrigon area;

June 11: Morrow County deputy began a theft investigation of equipment taken from the Opal Butte area near Highway 207 milepost 18;

Morrow County deputy responded to a reported alarm at an Irrigon business. The building was secure and there was no evidence of an intrusion;

Morrow County deputy responded to assist the Boardman Police Dept. with a report of an intrusion alarm at a Boardman business;

Morrow County deputy began an investigation of reported shots fired near Willow Creek Reservoir by Heppner.

June 12: Morrow County deputy responded to Holmstead Road, Boardman, to check on an abandoned vehicle;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Heppner ambulance to a residence on South Chase Street for an adult female with an illness. The patient was taken to Pioneer Memorial Hospital in Heppner;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Heppner ambulance to St. Patrick's Senior Center for an adult female with an illness. The patient was transported to Pioneer Memorial Hospital in Heppner;

Morrow County deputy began an investigation of harassing phone calls to an Irrigon resident;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Boardman Fire Dept. to a field fire near the Boardman Cemetery;

Morrow County deputy responded to take a theft report from Eric Grass. A Sony stereo worth \$240 and a cell phone were taken;

Morrow County deputy took a report of speeding vehicles in the lone area.

June 13: Morrow County deputy arrested Greg Rodgers, 26, Irrigon, for Assault IV/ Domestic;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Arlington ambulance to a rollover on Highway 19 milepost 4. No transport was made;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Arlington Fire Dept. to two reported field fires on I-84 at milepost 151 and

155; Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Boardman Fire Dept. to a fire at TACX.

June 14: Morrow County deputy took a report from the Heppner area involving an animal problem;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Boardman ambulance to a rollover on I-84 at milepost 153. Two patients with injuries were transported to Good Shepherd Community Hospital in Hermiston.

June 15: Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon area for a family disturbance;

Morrow County deputy arrested William Thielen, 41, Irrigon, for Failure to Appear for a Traffic Citation. Thielen was cited and released with later court date;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Hardman area for a disturbance;

Morrow County deputy attempted to locate a vehicle in the Boardman area.

June 16: Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon area for suspicious circumstances;

Morrow County Sheriff's office dispatched the Boardman Fire Dept. for a grass fire on Rugg Ranch Road, Boardman;

Morrow County deputy assisted Children and Family Services with a juvenile pickup;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon Park for a suspicious vehicle;

Morrow County deputy took a stolen gun report in the Irrigon area;

June 17: Morrow County deputy took a report of a theft of some jewelry valued at \$2,400 in the Boardman area;

Morrow County deputies responded to the Irrigon area for a family disturbance. Sam Henry, 60, Irrigon, was arrested for Assault IV-Domestic and Resisting Arrest.

BEO scholarship

The Bank of Eastern Oregon (BEO) is offering a scholarship to current college students again this year.

The deadline for the \$500 scholarship award is Friday, July 12. Applications can be picked up at the BEO in Heppner and lone. The contest is open to Heppner and lone high school graduates who will be second, third or fourth year college students majoring in either agriculture or business.

The funds for this scholarship were raised at the BEO Customer Appreciation Golf Tournament for the Heppner and lone branches last September.

"The scholarship fund became a joint effort between the bank and our customers," said George Koffler, BEO president. "The bank hosted the tournament and luncheon as a way to say 'thank you' to our customers for their patronage and have some fun. They, in turn, made donations to the scholarship fund."

The bank gives scholarships to graduating seniors in Morrow and Gilliam counties who plan to major in agriculture or business and felt a scholarship for returning students was also needed, explained Koffler.

Willow Creek CC plans barbecue

The Willow Creek Country Club will have a family barbecue on Sunday, June 23, at 4 p.m.

Each family will bring their own meat to the barbecue. Those whose names begin with "A" through "I" should bring salad, "J" through "Z", bring dessert.

Hosts will be Gary and Barb Watkins, Craig and Debbie Gutierrez, Del and Linda LaRue, and Curtis and Cathy Cutsforth.

W.O.S.C. lists local graduates

Three Morrow County students were among a record class of 1,039 degree candidates at Western Oregon State College, Monmouth, when the college held its 139th commencement June 15.

Scott Johnston, Heppner, received a bachelor of science degree in elementary education and interdisciplinary studies; Carrie Grieb, a bachelor of arts degree in elementary education and interdisciplinary studies; and Jana Mounts, bachelor of arts in the social sciences.

Park memorial dedication set

The Blue Star Memorial Marker Dedication will be held at the 1903 mini-park on Highway 74 in Heppner, Friday, June 21 at 2 p.m.

The dedication will be to honor veterans from all wars. The public is invited to attend.

Refreshments will be served at the Heppner Senior Center by the Heppner Garden Club after the dedication.

Schools seek special needs students

Schools in Morrow and Umatilla counties are attempting to locate all persons between birth and 21 years old not enrolled in school who may have special needs.

The special needs may concern hearing, vision, speech, language, health, nutrition, learning, developmental delay, transportation, behavior management, mental retardation, birth defects, orthopedic or spinal problems, autism or other disabilities.

If you know of any child who may need special education services due to any of these conditions, contact Morrow County School District #R-1, 989-8202, 270 W. Main, Box 368, Lexington, OR 97839, or call the Umatilla-Morrow School Resource and Referral at 1-800-927-5847.

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Letters to the Editor

Take time to fight puncture vine

To the Editor:

Puncture vines are a real aggravation to many. I recently saw a boy of about 10 or 12 with a bicycle tire full of the stickers and the tire ruined, which spoiled a lot of fun for him riding his bike. There are also many car tires which go flat because of this obnoxious weed. We are glad to see there are now some in authority who are going to try to lessen the problem. We wish them luck but doubt very much they can do it all.

People who want exercise or just to help out can eliminate many with a short jab with a hoe or shovel, or even a stick.

The weed has only one root and when it is young is easy to get out and not too hard as it gets bigger. This might save some child a lot of sorrow and lost time with their bike.

Some people may not think they have time or do not wish to hoe weeds, but if they are dressed up sometime and going somewhere and have a flat caused by one of the sharp prongs they will, of course, find the time to change tires and spend the money to have the flat repaired. How much better to spend a little time as an ounce of prevention.

(s) Arnold Braat

Karen Grams & Dustin Padberg Wedding June 22
Stephanie Payne & Duane Ball Wedding June 29
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For information leading to the **ARREST** and **CONVICTION** of the person or persons responsible for painting graffiti inside the women's restroom at Heppner City park on or about Monday, June 17.

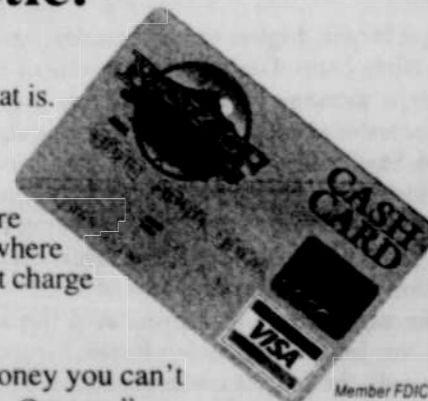
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