

## Amanda Richardson FFA award finalist



Amanda R. Richardson, 17, of the Crater FFA Chapter, at Crater High School in Central Point, is one of four national finalists who competed for the title of national winner in the Home and/or Community Development - Entrepreneurship/Placement proficiency award program at the 71st National FFA Convention Nov. 12-14 in Kansas City, Mo.

Proficiency awards recognize FFA members who excelled as agricultural entrepreneurs, employees or volunteers while they gained hands-on career experience. Home and/or Community Development - Entrepreneurship/Placement is one of 42 FFA proficiency award categories offered at local, state and national levels. The Home and/or Community Development - Entrepreneurship/Placement proficiency award program is sponsored by Carbart, Inc. as a special project of the National FFA Foundation.

Amanda's participation in community service began at an early age with food and clothing drives. In the past, she has also helped out with flood relief, brought food to the elderly and worked with the Special Olympics. For the last two years, Amanda's main focus has been on the development of a community garden at the Jackson County Expo.

She has achieved funding for the project and completed soil testing and site preparation. She continues to work with others on creating and producing a "beautiful community garden that can be enjoyed by everyone," said a press release.

## Justice Court Report

The Justice Court office at the courthouse annex building in Heppner reports handling the following business:

Karen Elizabeth Altizer, 57, Hermiston-Violation of the Basic Rule, 75 mph in a 55 mph zone, \$72 fine;

Kenneth C. Lindsay, 39, Lexington-Group Overload, alleged 81,200, limit 80,000, \$52 fine;

Donald W. Crouch, 43, Aurora-No State Migratory Waterfowl Validation, \$57 fine, Hunting with a Prohibited Method: Possessing Lead Shot while Hunting Waterfowl, \$102 fine;

Billie C. Kimberlin, 28, Ione-Driving while License Suspended, Driving Uninsured, \$464 fine;

David D. Hams, 44, Portland-Criminal Trespass while in Possession of a Firearm, \$276 fine;

Kathryn AnnMarie Alldritt, 43, Lexington-Endangering a Child Passenger, \$74 fine;

Corey Lee Ehrmantraut, 20, Lexington-Disobeying Traffic Control Device, \$142 fine;

Dean Robinson, Heppner-Permitting Dog to Run at Large, \$42 fine;

Leland A. Long, 42, Portland-No Upland Game Bird Validation, \$77 fine.

## Camp Fire sale to begin

The Oregon Trail Council of Camp Fire candy sale began January 13 and will run until Valentine's Day, Feb. 14.

Proceeds from the sale, Camp Fire's only door-to-door fund raiser, go toward maintaining their summer camp, Camp Da Kon Ya, supporting local problems and supplementing the council budget.

Camp Fire Boys and Girls, in kindergarten through high school, will go door-to-door selling candy and can earn their way to a camping experience.

## Gun club holds first shoot of season

The first Morrow County Gun Club shoot of the new year was held Saturday, Jan. 9, at the gun club in Lexington. There was a good showing to start the season, according to spokesperson Sandi Day.

The day began with a short meeting to elect officers for 1999. Mark Schlichting was retained as president, as was Kelwayne Haguewood as secretary/treasurer. Board members are Mike Adams, Mick Sharp and Curt Day. The club also voted on holding the weekly shoots on Satur-

days at noon until Colt basketball is over, then move the shoots back to Sunday.

Winners are as follows: 16 yard event-first, Mick Sharp, 24 of 25; second, Curtis Cutsforth, 23 of 25; and third in a three-way tie, M. Clark, B. Krein, C. Day, K. Haguewood, H. Childers, 22 of 25.

Handicap event: first, three-way tie, H. Childers, J. Cutsforth, M. Sharp, 22 of 25; second, three-way tie, C. Day, K. Haguewood, C. Cutsforth, 21 of 25.

Ladies Event: first, Sandi Day, 15 of 25; second, Bonnie Grant,

14 of 25; third, Deona Hodges, 13 of 25.

Four Annie Oakley shoots were held with Rob Ashbeck tak-

ing two and Mark Schlichting and Curtis Cutsforth each with one. Rob Ashbeck also won the golf shoot.

## Men's breakfast slated Jan. 17

The monthly men's breakfast will be held Sunday, Jan. 17, at 8 a.m. at Christian Life Center, 535 W. Morgan St.

The breakfast is sponsored by the First Christian Church, the Nazarene Church and the Christian Life Center.

Pieter Bos, an evangelist from Holland, will be the special speaker.

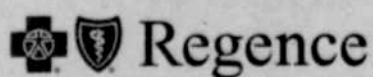
Sausage, eggs, waffles, coffee and juice will be the menu. All are invited to join them for a time of fellowship and inspiration from the word of God.

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