

## Heppner High class of 1999 has graduation

The Heppner High School Class of 1999 graduation ceremonies took place at the high school on Saturday, May 29.

Graduation honor speakers were Tim Dickenson, Jill Barber and Brooke Boyer. Dickenson, Barber, Boyer and Kathleen Greenup were recognized as honor scholars.

The Heppner High School Band performed the processional and Principal Ron Anthony welcomed the audience. Tim Dickenson, Jill Barber, Derek Gunderson, Janelle Healy, Jaci Hughes, Julie Watkins and Kathleen Greenup made presentations to honored guests. Jannie Allen, Ginger Bowman, Dave Gunderson, John and Millie Hanna, Paul and Susie Hisler, Les Payne and Walter Pilgrim.

The slide show was presented by Sarah Greif, Jaci Hughes, Brooke Sweeney and Julie Watkins. Angela Munkers sang, accompanied by David Bates on the guitar.

Superintendent Chuck Starr made the affirmation of graduation and Ron Anthony and Morrow County School Board member Russ Morgan presented diplomas. The recessional music was "Walk This Way." Class motto was, "There is only one success--to be able to live your life in your own way."

Grand marshals were Amy Papineau and Jake Roy. Programs were distributed by Stephanie Clough, Macy Rhea, Ashley Ropp and Allison Sykes. Ushers were Clint Bellamy, Chris Bowman, Jeff Currin, Stanley Cutsforth, Josh Hill, Mitch Mathews, Corey Miller and Michael Schonbachler. Leah Denton and Kim Pointer were in charge of gifts and Trisha Adams and Kristen Marshall, flowers.

The graduating class included Jill Barber, David Bates, Brooke Boyer, Audra Bunch, Heather Davis, Timothy Dickenson, Jared Eckman, Blas Eliseo Elguezabal, Casey Evans, Kathleen Greenup, Sarah Greif, Derek Gunderson, Janelle Healy, Jaclynn Hughes, Travis Judd, Christine Kenny, Brian Knowles, Jessica Maben, Shane Matheny, Sarah Monahan, Angela Munkers, Amber Peck, Bobbie Rankin, Dustin Rollis, Elliott Strouse, Brooke Sweeney, Riley Tingué, Julie Watkins, Travis Winters and Kristi Worden.

The following students received awards and approximately \$110,994 in scholarships:

Jill Barber-Chamber of Commerce award, Heppner High School Student Council-\$250, Western Undergraduate Exchange Scholarship-\$5,700 per year for four years (\$22,800), Heppner Booster Club-\$300, Blue Mountain Community College academic tuition waiver-approximately \$1,296, Carl Troedson Educational Fund scholarship-\$1,000, Jim Barratt Student Athlete Award, Elks Scholarship-\$300, Heppner Lions Club-\$500

Brooke Boyer-Dr. Richard and Christy Carpenter-\$500, Pioneer Memorial Hospital-\$250; Elks Scholarship-\$300, Boise State University GEM Scholarship-\$5,880.

Tim Dickenson-South Morrow County Scholarship-\$500, Mike Currin Memorial Scholarship-trophy, \$400 from the Currin Family, \$400 from the Heppner Alumni Association, Heppner High School Student Council-\$250, Heppner Booster Club-\$300, Carl Troedson Educational Fund Scholarship-\$1,000, Elks



Seniors Riley Tingué and Julie Watkins prepare for commencement exercises at HHS Saturday.

Scholarship-\$700 Oregon State University Provost's Scholarship-\$9,600, Ford Family Foundation-90 percent of college costs; Blue Mountain Community College academic tuition waiver-approximately \$1,296.

Blas Elguezabal-Gonzaga University-\$4,000, Eastern Oregon State University Enrichment Scholarship renewable tuition-\$3,198 per year for four years, Western Oregon State University Diversity Scholarship renewable tuition-\$3,198 per year for four years.

Casey Evans-Blue Mountain Community College tuition waiver-approximately \$1,296, **S o r o p t i m i s t** Vocational/Technical scholarship-\$400.

Kathleen Greenup-Carl Troedson Educational Fund scholarship-\$1,000, Kemp Family Scholarship-\$500, Elks Scholarship-\$100, Hilda Yocom scholarship-\$200

Derek Gunderson-Heppner Masonic Lodge-\$500, Hilda Yocom Scholarship, Columbia Basin Conference scholarship-\$200, Heppner Booster Club-\$300.

Jaci Hughes-Bank of Eastern Oregon-\$500, Happy Canyon Scholarship-\$500, Heppner High

Student Council-\$250, Heppner Booster Club-\$300, Carl Troedson Educational Fund Scholarship-\$1,000, Elks Scholarship-\$100.

Travis Judd-GI Benefits potential upon completion of service with the U.S. Coast Guard.

Christy Kenny-Blue Mountain Community College tuition waiver-approximately \$1,296.

Brian Knowles-Treasure Valley Community College Rodeo Scholarship tuition waiver-approximately \$1,296.

Amber Peck-Stan Kemp memorial Scholarship-\$500; Mount Hood Community College Track Scholarship two terms tuition waiver-\$800.

Bobbie Rankin-American Legion Auxiliary-\$500, Heppner Masonic Lodge #69-\$500, Elks Scholarship.

Elliott Strouse-GI Benefits potential upon completion of service in the U.S. Army.

Julie Watkins-Morrow County Education Association-\$500.

Kristi Worden-4-H Leaders Association-\$200, Heppner Garden Club-\$500.

Following graduation, teachers Alan and Karen Beck accompanied the seniors on a trip to Disneyland.

## Justice Court Report

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

Tami Bishop, 36, Vancouver-No Angling License, \$57 fine;

Stephen Lee Anderson, 35, La Mirada, CA.-Truck Speeding, 73 mph in a 55 mph zone, \$72 fine;

Sergio Alba-Zacarias, 41, Clarkston, WA.-Violation of the Basic Rule, 79 mph in a 55 mph zone, Driving Uninsured, \$394 fine;

Robert Joseph Eng, 36, Mankato, MN.-Truck Speeding, \$94 fine;

Luis E. Caceres, 23, Stanfield-Driving while License Suspended infraction, \$292 fine;

Shannon Celeste Van Horn, 26, Kennewick, WA.-Violation of the Basic Rule, 76 mph in a 55 mph zone, Failure to Renew Registration, \$181 fine;

Ronnie Lee Gogan, 39, Kellyville, OK.-Truck Speeding, 65 mph in a 55 mph zone, \$94 fine;

William James Sifers, 29, Chula Vista, CA.-Truck Speeding, 65 mph in a 55 mph zone, \$94 fine;

Jamie Perez, 18, Walla Walla, WA.-Violation of the Basic Rule, 82 mph in a 55 mph zone, \$127 fine;

Michael C. Jones, 24, Lexington-Endangering a Child Passenger, \$54 fine;

Ryan Lee Pettyjohn, 18, Heppner-Violation of the Basic Rule, 85 mph in a 55 mph zone, \$142 fine;

Jeremy T. Hollyer, 23, Heppner-Violation of the Basic Rule, 85 mph in a 55 mph zone, \$127 fine;

Emmett George Koffler, 48, Heppner-Violation of the Basic Rule, 70 mph in a 55 mph zone, \$72 fine;

Jack T. Meligan, 60, Portland-Violation of the Basic Rule, 63 mph in a 45 mph zone, \$72 fine;

Shane Laughlin, 34, Heppner-Operating an Unregistered Snowmobile, \$99 fine;

Thomas Clavis Chavis, 44-Non-Operator's License, \$197 fine;

Jonathan Douglas Wyatt, 18, Pendleton-Violation of the Basic Rule, 78 mph in a 55 mph zone, \$197 fine.

## BEO awards scholarships

Bank of Eastern Oregon Awards Scholarship to Graduates

The Bank of Eastern Oregon, in a continuing effort to bolster scholarship awards in Morrow, Gilliam and Wheeler counties has awarded a total of \$3,000 to six deserving high school graduates.

Students earning BEO scholarships are Jaci Hughes, Ryan Neal, Jessica Krebs, Kacey Jo Kennedy, Jarad Lathrop and Jaci Murrill.

Jaci Hughes who is graduating from Heppner High School, plans to attend Mt. Hood Community College to study business and marketing. She intends to transfer to the University of Oregon and specialize in sports marketing.

During Jaci's busy high school career, she was a student body officer, was involved in 4-H, and volleyball, basketball and golf as well as being elected prom queen.

Ryan Neal, a graduate of Riverside High School in Boardman, plans to attend the University of Portland and receive a degree in pre-law with a minor in business marketing. His ambition is to be a professional sports agent.

Ryan excelled in golf and basketball in high school and also was selected for the honors band during his high school career.

Jessica Krebs will graduate from Ione High School this year. Jessica had a busy high school career which included student government, sports, 4-H, FBLA, drama club and Knowledge Master.

Jessica will attend the University of Idaho in Moscow to study agri-business. She intends to work in the fields of agriculture and business marketing after college.

Kacey Jo Kennedy is graduating from Condon High School. Kacey had an exciting high school career, winning three state championships with the Condon High School basketball team and being a first team all state basketball player four years in a row. She was also very involved in FFA, other high school sports, National Honor Society and Associated Student Body.

Kacey plans to start her college education at Eastern Oregon University in LaGrande and transfer to Oregon State University or the University of Montana where she plans to major in natural resources or environmental engineering.

Jarad Lathrop is another Condon High School graduate. Besides being very involved in football, basketball, and baseball, Jared was a four-year member of FFA and participated in student council and National



Jaci Hughes



Ryan Neal



Jessica Krebs



Kacey Jo Kennedy



Jarad Lathrop



Jaci Murrill

Honor Society during his high school career.

Jarad will be attending Eastern Oregon University in the fall and would like to obtain a degree in agricultural business management.

Jaci Murrill will graduate from Arlington High School. Jaci was very involved in basketball, volleyball and tennis during her high school days. She was also student body president, Girls Athletic Association president, along with being homecoming queen and May Day queen.

Jaci will attend Eastern Oregon University in LaGrande and hopes to receive a degree in business and economics with a specialization in accounting.

Each of the students will receive a \$500 scholarship in the fall to help them pay for tuition, books, room and board and other college expenses.

## First Aid, CRP classes offered

The Umatilla County Chapter of the American Red Cross is offering community First Aid and CPR classes on June 7-8, from 6-9 p.m. at the Chapter office located at 148 South Main, Pendleton.

Fees for the course are \$25 for both components or \$15 for one.

Enrollees should arrive by 5:45 p.m. June 7-8, for sign-in. For more information or to register for the class, call (541) 276-1211 between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. Monday through Friday. Registration is required ahead of time.

## Four-year-old preschool holds graduation



Four-year-old preschool 'graduating' class

Heppner Day Care held a graduation ceremony for its four-year-old preschool class at the center on Thursday, May 27.

Graduates of the four-year-old pre-school class of 1999 include: Drew Brannon, Shelayna Clement, Makenzie Correa, Samantha Graves, Carrie Haguewood, Austin Harris, Hannah Jones (not pictured), Cody Orr, Conner Pappas, Kristy

Powers, Annette Rathbun (not pictured), R.J. Skaggs and Ziggy Yocom.

The center held a small ceremony with the children's parents, grandparents, families and friends in attendance. The children sang their favorite songs and received their diplomas.

The teacher is Sue Norton. Teacher's aides are Renee Yocom, Fran Greenlaw (not pictured) and Janet Wilson (not pictured). Director is Merry Brannon.

## St. Williams honors seniors

St. William's Altar Society hosted a reception for St. William's graduating seniors, Katie Tworek and Niki Sullivan. Both students were presented with gifts.

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