

## Church of Christ holds annual auction in Ione



Kim Morris, 12, Miranda Hunt, 10, Aimee Emery, 11, and Kayla LaRue, nine, look over treasures in the kids' section at the Ione United Church of Christ Auction.



A crowd gathers for the annual Ione United Church of Christ Auction held at the Grange in Ione Saturday, June 5.

### Chamber Chatter

By Claudia Hughes, Chamber Manager

Hats off to Heppner's excellent band and Ralph Werner. The members sounded terrific at graduation and so professional. We hope to hear more from them and appreciate the dedication of all participants who bring music to us in a variety of ways. Maybe, if we're lucky we can hear from them on the Shamrock during "Celebrate Heppner".

Hayden Family Dentistry has become a new member of the Heppner Chamber of Commerce. Their office is open Monday through Thursday and every other Friday. We welcome them.

Next week signs will appear in business windows welcoming participants in the 1999 Pacific Primitive Rendezvous June 18 through 27.

This sounds like quite an adventure as people of all ages gather in primitive dress to live like our ancestors did in pre-1840's.

At the encampment site will be the main camp, tepee village, colonial village, horse camp and traders' row.

In order to keep the authenticity, only registered participants in authentic dress will be allowed inside and no road will lend itself to viewing the encampment. We'll just have to enjoy photos later and visit with those who come to town in buckskins and prairie dresses during the week. Let's give them a true Heppner welcome. Be sure to tell them about the lake, pool and to visit our museum.

And what is the Chamber doing...preparing welcome signs; working with the merchants on "Celebrate Heppner"; finalizing the brick booklets; getting parade entries ready to go out, putting together a summer tour and planning for the fair and rodeo weekend. There's always something to do and never a dull moment.

Thought for the week: "The best way to forget all your troubles is to wear tight shoes."

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One of the youngest to attend the Ione United Church of Christ Auction in Ione Saturday was Anthony Rietmann, two months old, held by Jannie Allen of Ione while Grandpa Bill Rietmann looks on. Little Anthony is the fourth generation of Rietmann to attend the auction. He is the son of Brian and Sharon Rietmann.

A portion of the proceeds from the auction will be used to build a new church. The previous church was destroyed in a fire, however, a stained glass window, which was in honor of the late Marilyn Rietmann, long-time choir director and Anthony's grandmother, was saved and will be installed in the new church. A quilt depicting the window was made by Loa Heideman Henderson and will be raffled off.

### Crop insurance meeting

Representatives of USDA's Risk Management Agency and the Oregon Wheat Growers League will meet in Moro on June 16, following the Sherman Station Field Day, to discuss crop insurance issues.

The meeting will begin at the close of the field day luncheon, approximately 1:30 p.m., at Sherman County High School. Growers, particularly those with crop insurance concerns, are invited to attend.

Topics on the agenda include:  
- Fall barley coverage. Coverage for fall-planted barley can only be obtained after verification shows that the crop has survived the winter. There is no insurance available against freeze-out. OWGL hopes to change this so all winter cereals are treated similarly to winter wheat.

- Class-specific wheat price guarantees. Soft white wheat values are the only price guarantees available in the Pacific Northwest, regardless of the class actually produced. In many cases, it would be helpful to be able to secure different price guarantees for club, durum, or DNS that more closely reflect true market value, said an

Oregon Wheat Growers League news release. RMA had a major problem with this in the upper midwest durum CRC product, so care must be taken to craft this idea, said the release.

(Yields. When obtaining insurance for a crop with no history on a particular farm, a "T-Yield" assumption is used as a proxy. It is frequently well below the likely yield on that farm, but with no production history to refute it, farmers have little choice but to accept the T-yield or forego crop insurance. OWGL hopes to discuss options for replacing T-yields.

Other subjects relative to crop insurance may also be addressed. Growers, agents and other interested parties are welcome to attend this session.

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### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### NOTICE OF BUDGET COMMITTEE MEETING

A public meeting of the Budget Committee of the Heppner Rural Fire Protection District, Morrow County, State of Oregon, to discuss the budget for the fiscal year July 1, 1999, to June 30, 2000 will be held at Pettyjohn Office Building 430 Linden Way, Heppner. The meeting will take place on the 10 day of June, 1999 at 7:00 P.M.. The purpose of the meeting is to receive the budget message and to receive comment from the public on the budget. A copy of the budget document may be inspected or obtained on or after June 10, 1999 at 515 S. Court St., Heppner, between the hours of 10:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M..

This is a public meeting where deliberation of the Budget Committee will take place. Any person may appear at the meeting and discuss the proposed programs with the Budget Committee.

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#### NOTICE OF BUDGET COMMITTEE MEETING

A public meeting of the Budget Committee of the Heppner Cemetery Maintenance District, Morrow County, State of Oregon, to discuss the budget for the fiscal year July 1, 1999, to June 30, 2000 will be held at 320 Cemetery Road, Heppner, Oregon. The meeting will take place on the 11 day of June, 1999 at 12:00 P.M.. The purpose of the meeting is to receive the budget message and to receive comment from the public on the budget. A copy of the budget document may be inspected or obtained on or after June 11, 1999 at 515 S. Court St., Heppner, between the hours of 10:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M..

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#### NOTICE OF CITY COUNCIL VACANCY

The City Council for the City of Heppner has a vacancy in Council Position #1. The current term for this position expires on December 31, 2000. This position will be filled by Mayoral appointment which is subject to ratification by the Council. To be eligible to serve in this office a person must be a qualified elector within the meaning of the State Constitution and must have resided within the city limits for one year immediately prior to appointment. Interested person must complete an Application for Appointment to the City Council by Friday, July 2, 1999 at 4:00 PM. Applications are available at City Hall, 188 NW Willow Street, Heppner, Oregon 97836.

Gerald W. Breazeale  
City Recorder

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#### NOTICE OF BUDGET COMMITTEE MEETING

A public meeting of the Budget Committee of the Heppner Water Control District, Morrow County, State of Oregon, to discuss the budget for the fiscal year July 1, 1999, to June 30, 2000 will be held at 430 Heppner/Lexington Hwy Heppner, OR. The meeting will take place on the 10th day of June, 1999 at 6:30 P.M.. The purpose of the meeting is to receive the budget message and to receive comment from the public on the budget. A copy of the budget document may be inspected or obtained on or after June 10, 1999 at 430 Heppner/Lexington Hwy, between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M..

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### PUBLIC NOTICE

The Budget Committee for the City of Heppner has approved a budget that contains a \$4.00 per month per R factor sewer usage rate increase. The sewer rate increase is necessary to balance the budget and provide for the continued operation, maintenance and repairs to the City sewer system. Under the proposed rate increase an average household sewer bill would increase from \$14 to \$18. A public hearing will be held at 7:00 PM on June 14, 1999, at Heppner City Hall to receive public testimony regarding the adoption of the budget and of the proposed rate increase. Interested members of the public are invited to attend and voice their opinions to the City Council.

Gerald W. Breazeale  
City Manager

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### CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank the people involved in our near tragedy at the Rolling Hills Run. It's hard to find words to express thanks to the people who jump right in there and save your life. I won't name everyone but you know who you are.

Was out of the hospital in five days, good as new. Walking six to eight miles a day. Hope to be running at some level before long.

Thank you everyone-see you next year and without the excitement.

Jerry and Sandy Fifield  
6-9-1p

To the 1999 Heppner graduating class:

We'd like to express our gratitude for the honor you gave us by inviting us to be your chaperones for your senior trip to California. To all the seniors who went on the trip with us, we would like to commend you on your behavior. You did yourselves, your parents and your community proud by the manner of your conduct during the entire trip. It was an experience we will both treasure.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Beck  
6-9-1c

Thanks to the Class of 1999 for our honor and gifts. You are all great and we'll miss you next year.

John and Millie Hanna  
6-9-1p

I would like to publicly thank Jim Raible and Dean Robinson for being helpful, patient, inspiring mentors during my year of student teaching in Ione.

But even more thanks go to the students of Ione: each and every one of you is a gem. Thanks for teaching me!

Lea Mathieu  
6-9-1p

### NOTICES

**Free counseling** for victims of abuse and sexual assault. 24 hr. Crisis Line, 1-800-833-1161. Shelter available.

6-17-52c

### Neighborhood Watch Program

Over 200 families in Heppner. Confidentiality respected. For free literature, call (541) 676-5253.

3-24-tfc

### HELP WANTED

**Morrow County Grain Growers** is accepting applications for **tire sales/service** position. For information, contact the main office in Lexington.

6-2-3c

The **Morrow County School District** has the following classified position open:

Position: **Assistant Cook** (four hours a day); Location: Ione Schools, Ione, Oregon; Application: For an application, please contact personnel at (541) 422-7131. Successful applicant is subject to fingerprinting. EOE

6-9-1c

**Respite providers needed:** help give parents with developmentally disabled children a break. Become a respite provider. Hourly rate beginning at \$6.50 and is based on the needs of the child. Training will be provided. Contact Patti or Shannon at 676-9161.

6-9-2c

**Woman needed,** preferably fluent in English and Spanish, to work with victims of domestic violence and sexual assault in Morrow County. Good communication, counseling and networking skills. Full time, with benefits. Apply through State Employment Office.

6-9-2c

The **Morrow County School District** has the following vacancy open:

Position: **Office Assistant** (3.5 hours a day); Location: Ione Schools, Ione, Oregon; Application: For application and information contact the Ione School (541) 422-7131. Open until filled. Successful applicants may be subject to fingerprinting. EOE

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Home For Sale: custom-built in 1949, 4114 sq. ft., Heppner, 655 Hager St. Contact Robert Mahoney, 676-5876, or Mike Mahoney, 676-5157.

4-8-tfc

For Sale: three bedroom home on view lot. 676-9689.

11-4-tfc

For Sale: solid, pretty old home. Fireplace w/insert; leaded glass bookcases; pocket doors; remodeled kitchen; 2+ bedrooms; fenced; basement; garage/shop. 676-9495.

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\$179,900 - charming turn-of-the-century home built in 1895 on South Main Street in Heppner has been restored and remodeled and includes over 3,300 sq. ft. on 4.05 acres.

This lovely home has four bedrooms, two baths, full basement, attic, three-story barn, butler's pantry, parlor, enclosed back porch, mahogany front doors and much more. A creek, waterfall and spring are located on the property and the home is included in the Morrow County Chronicles published by the Morrow County Historical Society.

For more details, contact Janet Fouse at Schroth Realty in Hermiston at (541) 564-2027. #S696

6-9-1c

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• 65,000 - 3-story older home with 4 bdrms, 2 baths, chain link fence, woodstove, near downtown.

Sharon Lewis 676-5233  
JoyceKay Hollomon 676-5542  
Bob Ployhar 676-9649  
A. Kim Cutsforth 676-9625  
David Sykes 676-9228

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