

Nonnee Walters wins grand champion at 4-H horseshow; Bobbie Rankin reserve grand champion

Morrow County Fair and Oregon Trail Pro Rodeo Princess Nonnee Walters of Ione was the grand champion of the Morrow County 4-H Horse Show held August 1 at the Morrow County Fairgrounds. Morrow County fair and OTRP Queen Bobbie Rankin, Heppner, received reserve grand champion honors.

Walters also received reserve champion in senior horse showmanship and senior western equitation and reserve champion in senior trail horse.

Rankin was champion of senior horse showmanship, senior trail horse and senior hunt seat over fences and reserve champion of the senior English equitation-saddle seat, western equitation-colt equitation and individual barrel race.

Ann Shear of Ione was champion of the individual barrel race and individual pole bending and reserve champion of the senior western equitation.

Kevin Baker of Boardman was champion of senior trail horse and senior English equitation-saddle seat and reserve champion of western equitation-colt equitation and senior hunt seat over fences.

Fair and rodeo Princess Tracey Rankin was reserve champion in individual pole bending.

Tammy Booth of Boardman was champion of the intermediate bareback equitation, intermediate English equitation saddle seat, intermediate western equitation western equitation-colt equitation and intermediate horse showmanship.

Kelsey Greenup, Heppner, was champion of intermediate trail horse and reserve champion of intermediate western equitation.

Tasha Hollis, Heppner, took reserve champion in intermediate trail horse and intermediate bareback equitation.

Brian Bunch, Irrigon, was reserve champion in intermediate horse showmanship. Mika Schnell, Irrigon, was reserve champion in intermediate English equitation-saddle seat.

Kristal Temple, Lexington, was champion in colt ground training and junior English equitation-saddle seat and reserve champion in junior horse showmanship.

David Flynn was junior horse showmanship champion.

Complete show results are as follows:

Individual Pole Bending: champion and blue ribbon-Ann Shear; reserve and blue ribbon-Tracey Rankin; blue ribbons-Lacey Davis, Bobbie Rankin, both Heppner; white ribbons-Tammy Booth, Boardman; David Flynn, Kelsey Greenup, Megan Healy and Tasha Hollis, all Heppner; Nonnee Walters, Ione; Kristen McAvoy-Filarski and Mike Schnell, both Irrigon; and Nicole Lawyer and Michelle Terry, both Umatilla.

Junior English Equitation-Saddle Seat: champion and blue ribbon-Kristal Temple, Lexington.

Intermediate English Equitation-Saddle Seat: champion and blue ribbon-Tammy Booth; reserve and blue ribbon-Mika Schnell; red ribbons-Megan Healy, Tasha Hollis.

Senior English Equitation-Saddle Seat: champion and blue-Kevin Baker, Boardman; reserve and blue-Bobbie Rankin; blue-Nonnee Walters; red-Tracey Rankin.

Junior Western Equitation: blue-Kristal Temple; red-David Flynn, Michelle Terry.

Intermediate Western Equitation: champion and blue-Tammy Booth; reserve and blue-Kelsey Greenup; red-Lacey Davis, Megan Healy, Tasha Hollis, Jason Zinter, Ione, Brian Bunch, Kristen McAvoy-Filarski, Nicole Lawyer; white-Amanda Collyer.

Senior Western Equitation: champion and blue-Nonnee Walters; reserve and



Nonnee Walters (left) and Bobbie Rankin photo by Merlyn Robinson

blue-Ann Shear; blue-Kevin Baker, Bobbie Rankin; red-Keith Baker, Boardman, Tracey Rankin.

Western Equitation-Colt Equitation: champion and blue-Tammy Booth; reserve and blue-Kevin Baker and Bobbie Rankin.

Intermediate Hunt Seat Over Fences: white-Tammy Booth, Megan Healy, Mika Schnell.

Senior Hunt Seat Over Fences: champion and blue-Bobbie Rankin; reserve and blue-Kevin Baker; red-Tracey Rankin.

Dressage Senior First Level Test 1: white-Bobbie Rankin, Tracey Rankin.

4-H Colt Ground Training: champion and blue-Kristal Temple; red-Chris Hayzlett, Boardman.

Junior Trail Horse: red-Andrea Hayzlett, Boardman, Michelle Terry; white-David Flynn, Kristal Temple.

Intermediate Trail Horse: champion and blue-Kelsey Greenup; reserve and blue-Tasha Hollis; red-Lacey Davis; Mika Schnell, Nicole Lawyer; white-Amanda Collyer, Jason Zinter, Brian Bunch.

Senior Trail Horse: champion and blue-Kevin Baker and Bobbie Rankin; reserve and blue-Nonnee Walters; blue-Ann Shear; red-Keith Baker.

Beginner Horse Showmanship:

red-Chris Hayzlett.

Junior Horse Showmanship: champion and blue-David Flynn; reserve and blue-Kristal Temple; red-Andrea Hayzlett.

Intermediate Horse Showmanship: champion and blue-Tammy Booth; reserve and blue-Brian Bunch; red-Amanda Collyer, Lacey Davis, Kelsey Greenup, Tasha Hollis, Kristen McAvoy-Filarski, Mika Schnell; white-Megan Healy.

Senior Horse Showmanship: champion and blue-Bobbie Rankin; reserve and blue-Nonnee Walters; blue-Kevin Baker, Ann Shear; red-Keith Baker, Tracey Rankin.

Junior Bareback Equitation: red-Michelle Taylor.

Intermediate Bareback Equitation: champion and blue-Tammy Booth; reserve and blue-Tasha Hollis; blue-Lacey Davis; red-Kelsey Greenup, Megan Healy, Mika Schnell.

Senior Bareback Equitation: red-Bobbie Rankin, Tracey Rankin, Nonnee Walters.

Individual Barrel Race: champion and blue-Ann Shear; reserve and blue-Bobbie Rankin; red-Lacey Davis, Tracey Rankin; white-Tammy Booth, David Flynn, Kelsey Greenup, Megan Healy, Tasha Hollis, Nonnee Walters, Kristen McAvoy-Filarski, Mike Schnell, Nicole Lawyer, Michelle Terry.

Crisis training session held

By Doris Brosnan

The Morrow County Court recently announced that in a continuing effort to prepare to respond efficiently in times of crisis, the county hosted a training session in the "Incident Command System" (ICS).

The instruction was provided by George Jamieson of the Department of Public Safety Standards and Training. Broad agency representation at the session included staff from: the Boardman and Ione Fire departments, the Port of Morrow and managers from the county departments of: Emergency Management, Public Health, Juvenile, Children & Families, Public Works, Finance, Planning and Personnel as well as the Sheriff's Office, County Court, Clerk's Office, Assessor's Office and County Counsel.

"The ICS provides an organized, systematic method of responding to crisis situations no matter what the nature, size or scope - from floods and fires to chemical spills and traffic accidents," said the court.

According to Morrow County Judge Terry Tallman, who initiated the training, it provided valuable skills enhancement as well as an opportunity for the different agencies to identify important resources available for emergency response.

"It was an excellent example of a unified effort to coordinate multiple jurisdictions in Morrow County with a common goal of providing a cohesive response to our citizens in the event of an emergency," said Judge Tallman.

Artist gussies up downtown for fair & rodeo



Colleen Williams of Umatilla has been busy this past week getting the merchants' windows all gussied up for "A Scootin' and a Bootin'" during the Morrow County Fair and Oregon Trail Pro Rodeo. The fair will be held Wednesday, August 18, through Sunday, August 22. The OTRP will be Friday and Saturday, August 20-21, and the Morrow County Rodeo is planned for Sunday, August 22. This is William's seventh year of painting the downtown windows.

Class of 1949 holds reunion



Front row (left to right) - Jean "Hanna" Bennett, Virginia "Smith" Elledge, Joanne Blake, Doris "Brace" Jolliff, Lois "Key" Hunt, Beverly "Maness" Wright. Back row (left to right): Eddie Gunderson, Mary "Mollahan" McClure, Harry Green, Malcolm East, Merlene "Miller" Blaine, Roy Carter, Jim Sumner, Bob Bennett, Beverly "Eberhardt" Rippee, Cecil Rill, Bob Jones.

The Heppner graduating class of 1949 held their 50th class reunion at the Heppner Elks Club on June 19.

Seventeen members of the class and their spouses attended the reunion, out of the graduating class of 25.

A no-host breakfast was held the following morning at RJ's Restaurant in Lexington.

Willow Creek Majors lose two at district



Front row - Manager Rick Paullus, Josh Gutierrez, J.C. Sherritt, Tyler Boyer, Brent Parks, David Flynn, Kyle Barnett. Back row - Coach Jay Coil, Jode Coil, Kory Paullus, Nick Christman, Mason McGlasson, Jeremy Timmerman, Victor Bedner, Coach Kevin Bedner.

By Rick Paullus

The Willow Creek Majors Little League All-Stars traveled to the District 5 Tournament held in Prineville on July 16-17. They lost two games and were eliminated.

Willow Creek ran into a good Hood River team in their first game and, although they played a great game, they couldn't get the clutch hits when they needed to and ended up losing, 5-0.

Nick Christman pitched an excellent game for Willow Creek, allowing just five hits and

three earned runs. However, the Hood River pitcher was a little better, allowing just two Willow Creek hits and causing 11 strikeouts. Jode Coil had a double and Victor Bedner a single for Willow Creek.

Willow Creek came out flat against Columbia the next day and lost 7-0 to be eliminated from the tournament. Willow Creek managed just three hits, with Coil, Bedner and Tyler Boyer each getting singles.

Coil pitched a good game, striking out 11 Columbia batters. Team members included Jode

Coil, Kory Paullus, David Flynn and J.C. Sherritt from the Heppner Pirates; Josh Gutierrez, Nick Christman, Tyler Boyer and Brent Parks from the Heppner Braves; Victor Bedner and Kyle Barnett from the Condon White Sox; and Mason McGlasson and Jeremy Timmerman from the Arlington Cubs. Also named to the team but unable to play were Matthew Van Cleave and Aaron Delveaux. Coaches were Jay Coil and Devin Bedner and manager was Rick Paullus.

New rodeo season begins

The Oregon High School Rodeo Association will begin the 1999-2000 rodeo season with a September 4-5 rodeo in Gilliam County hosted by the Columbia Basin High School Rodeo Club.

That rodeo will be followed by competitions throughout the state every weekend in

September. Area competitors from The Dalles to Heppner are members of the Columbia Basin High School Rodeo Club.

New members are welcome and may obtain a membership packet by contacting Marne or Lynn Wilkins at 541-454-2516.

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and treatment of all foot problems

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Wedding-Saturday, August 7th

Victoria Green & Steven Schaber
Wedding-Saturday, August 7th

Kathryn Cutsforth & Edward Fuller
Wedding-Saturday, August 28th

Darcee Padberg & Slater Mitchell
Wedding-Saturday, September 4th

Ruth Norton & Dustin Smith
Wedding-Saturday, September 4th

Mary Jane McCarty & Aaron Heideman
Wedding-Saturday, September 11th

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