

Obituaries

Douglas Renoe

Douglas Renoe, 83, a longtime Irrigon resident, died Friday, June 8, 2001, at Good Shepherd Medical Center in Hermiston.

Memorial services will be Saturday, June 16, 2001, at 3 p.m. at Columbia View Community Church in Irrigon. Disposition was by cremation with burial to be at Willamette National Cemetery in Portland.

Mr. Renoe was born May 17, 1918, at Portland, to Charles and Irma Phillip Renoe.

He served with the U.S. Army during World War II.

Mr. Renoe and his wife, Wanda, were married January 19, 1975, at Portland.

He was a member of Columbia View Community Church in Irrigon, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion.

Survivors include his wife, Wanda, of Irrigon; stepdaughters, Ginger Renoe of Portland, Carolyn Jean Howard and Marolyn Rose Slayter, both of Troutdale; brother, George in California; sisters, Alice Scott of Irrigon, Lucille Shaffer of Portland, Helen McClintock in Arizona, and Jeannette Powers of Lostine; six step-grandchildren and numerous step-great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Patricia Renoe, his parents, and brother, Phillip.

Memorial contributions may be made to a charity of choice or to the Columbia View Community Church.

Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in charge of arrangements.

Jane I. Sample Yahr

Jane I. Sample Yahr, 78, of Boardman, died Saturday, June 9, 2001, at Good Shepherd Medical Center in Hermiston.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, June 12, 2001, at Bel-Air Colonial Chapel in Madras with burial following at the Mount Jefferson Memorial Cemetery.

Mrs. Yahr was born May 22, 1923, at Notus, Idaho, to I.W. and Irena Belle Wallace Edison.

She had been a resident of Boardman the past five years and had formerly lived at Heppner for a year and a half. She was a longtime Madras resident prior to moving to Heppner.

Mrs. Yahr enjoyed playing Western music, bowling, fishing and camping, oil painting, and spending time with her children, grandchildren and foster children.

Survivors include her husband, Victor Yahr of Boardman; children, Pamela Phipps, Larry Sample and Linda Toms, all of Boardman, and Randy Sample of Heppner; stepsons, Jim Yahr of Madras and Rush Yahr of Stanwood, Iowa; 10 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her first husband, Cloyd K. Sample of Madras, her parents, a sister, Eva Maxfield of Madras, and a brother, Eugene Edison of Portland.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association Oregon Chapter, 1311 NW 21st Ave., Portland, Oregon 97209.

Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in charge of arrangements.

Violet Deborah Lanham

Violet Deborah Lanham, 84, died Saturday, May 26, 2001, at Hemet Valley (California) Medical Center.

She was born in Illinois. Mrs. Lanham was a longtime resident of Heppner and was a teacher for 37 years, retiring from Morrow County Schools in 1978.

She is survived by a stepson, Michael Lanham of Harker Heights, Texas; a stepdaughter, Sandra Dietrich of Maryland; nine grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

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NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION

Pursuant to Oregon Revised Statutes 305.583(8), notice is hereby given that on June 6, 2001, Morrow County School District No. 1, Oregon (the "District") adopted a resolution classifying the tax levy to be imposed to pay the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the District's proposed General Obligation Bonds, Series 2001 in the aggregate principal amount of \$22,000,000 as not being subject to the limits of section 11 or 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution. Any individual may contact the Superintendent/Clerk of the District at 270 West Main Street, Lexington, Oregon, telephone (541) 989-8202, to obtain a copy of the resolution. Judicial review of the classification of the taxes may be sought within 60 days of the date of the resolution.

MORROW COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1

High school rodeo finals action

The Oregon High School Rodeo State Finals action will begin on June 13, with several area youth qualifying for competition as the top 20 in their events.

Ryan Matteson, Lacey Matteson and Blake Knowles, Heppner, and Marne Wilkins, Condon, have qualified in three events each. Ryan Matteson heads to the finals in fifth place in calf roping, fourth in steer wrestling and will rope with Knowles in 13th place in team roping. Knowles is also second in steer wrestling and 11th in boys' cutting.

Lacey Matteson is fifth in barrel racing, 14th in breakaway roping and 18th in pole bending. Wilkins will see action in pole bending in eighth place, breakaway roping in ninth place and goat tying in 13th.

Jerid Penturf, Heppner, qualified in third place in bull riding and 11th in the bareback riding.

Ione will be represented

by Tracey Griffith in 17th in the pole bending and breakaway roping. Ann Shear is 11th in pole bending, while Katie Bacon is 14th in barrel racing.

The top four in each event will qualify to compete at the National High School Rodeo Finals in Springfield, Illinois, in late July, while fifth through 10th place will see action at the Silver State Invitational Rodeo in Fallon, Nevada, over the July 4 weekend.

Port plans budget hearing, joint meeting

A budget hearing of the Port of Morrow will be held on Wednesday, June 13, at 3:30 p.m. at the port office, #2 Marine Drive, Riverfront Center, Boardman.

At 6 p.m. that day the city of Boardman, Morrow County and the Port of Morrow have planned a joint workshop at the port office.

St. Patrick's Senior Center BULLETIN BOARD

By Liz Straley

For the month of June, Ernie McCabe was busy Monday morning doing his wall decorating at the meal site dining room, with colorful flowers, bikes, kites, boats and different designs of "Old Sal" and decorating the tables with baskets of spring flowers.

Exercise class was held Tuesday morning and there was one card table of players, with the coffee pot on and snacks served. Marion Murcheson was in Hermiston for a good part of the day and Velma Wight and son Gary went to Bend to do some family business. Also, Dorris Graves was out of town this weekend for a grandchild's graduation. The puzzle corner was available, with Sylvia McDaniel and Bud Lundell in for a cup of coffee and a snack.

There were 102 diners and takeouts on Wednesday, with general kitchen help from All Saints Episcopal Church.

For the datebook, Carol Mitchell announced that the "Bingo Bus" will be ready to go at 5:30 p.m. on the first and third Thursdays of each month.

On June 12, there was a bus going to the Arlington Masonic Hall for the senior meal site lunch. The driver was John Church.

On Monday, June 25, the bus will be leave at 10:30 a.m. for Stokes Landing in Irrigon for lunch. John Church will be the driver. Sign up or call 922-3603. On Tuesday, July 10, the bus will leave at 10:30 a.m. for a shopping trip to Wal-Mart in Hermiston and lunch, so bring your "fat wallet" and good walking shoes and don't forget to ask the helpful staff if you can't find what you want. I speak from experience as it is a big place.

Around 2 p.m. Wednesday, we had a bit of excitement as the volunteer firemen and fire truck showed up at the center looking for a fire. Fortunately there was none. It seems the police/fire alarm for the center went off and the fire dept. was alerted. The police and manager Marion Murcheson checked out every place and all was well and back to normal. We hope it wasn't a prank or crossed wires.

Bud says, the first Chrysler car was a "Maxwell" with the Chrysler logo on the radiator. That was Jack Benny's car if you remember the radio days.

Exercise class was held on Thursday morning. Lunch was lima bean soup with ham, fresh cornbread and peach cobbler with ice cream and beverage. The afternoon movie, Walt Disney's "Pocahontas," was enjoyed by all.

There were two card tables of players on Friday with coffee and a good assortment of cookies and snacks available. The puzzle corner was busy.

A note to the wise, if we do not use the bus or it is not in use much, we may lose it; so give it some thought.

On Wednesday, June 13, the Father's Day lunch was taco salad (beef, tomatoes, onions, grated cheese and lettuce), tater tots, kidney beans, rolls, tortilla chips, gingerbread and beverage.

Ione Fourth of July golf tourney planned

The Ione Fourth of July Celebration Best Ball Golf Tournament will be held Tuesday, July 3, from 10 a.m. to approximately 3 p.m. at the Willow Creek Country Club in Heppner.

Participants are asked to be on the course by 9:30 a.m.

Cost is \$30 per person for 18 holes of golf.

Proceeds this year will go to the Jason Halvorsen Memorial Scholarships and Mike Matthew Scholarships.

Register at Wheatland Insurance or call 422-7410 by June 28, so teams can be put together.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

Morrow County Health District d.b.a. Pioneer Memorial Hospital Heppner, OR

Morrow County Health District (MCHD) is requesting proposals, which includes Qualifications and Invitation To Bid, for the remodeling/interior alterations of Pioneer Memorial Hospital. Sealed proposals from qualified construction companies will be received until 3:00PM, June 29, 2001.

The work includes approximately 3,000 SF of interior remodeling consisting of a new Pharmacy, Emergency Department and other support functions. Proposals shall be sent to Mr. Victor Vander Does, Administrator, Pioneer Memorial Hospital, 564 East Pioneer Dr. Heppner, OR 97836. Proposals will be distributed to members of the Health District Board for a decision at a special Board meeting.

Proposals not submitted in accordance with the requirements will be rejected. Pioneer Memorial Hospital and the Morrow County Health District Board reserves the right to waive any irregularities in the submission of such proposals. Copies of the Request for Proposal may be obtained from Pioneer Memorial Hospital or by calling Gary Nolan, Director of Facilities, Pioneer Memorial Hospital at 541-676-2922 between the hours of 8:00AM and 5:00 PM, Monday thru Thursday. Published: May 30, June 6, 13, 2001

Births

Erik Valdez Estrada-a son Erik Valdez was born to Maria Estrada of Boardman on May 17, 2001, at Good Shepherd Medical Center in Hermiston. The baby weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz.

Adam James Wathen-a son Adam James was born to Donarae and Mark Wathen of Ione on May 24, 2001, at Good Shepherd Medical Center of Hermiston. The baby weighed 8 lbs. 7 oz.

Jacob Asher McCabe-a son Jacob Asher was born to Joan and Shawn McCabe of Boardman on May 30, 2001, at Good Shepherd Medical Center in Hermiston. The baby weighed 6 lbs. 13 oz.

Cody Wade Wizer-a son Cody Wade was born to Christine and Jarod Wizer of Irrigon on May 30, 2001, at Good Shepherd Community Center in Hermiston. The baby weighed 10 lbs. 10 oz.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF BUDGET COMMITTEE MEETING

A public meeting of the Budget Committee of the Heppner Water Control District, Morrow State of Oregon, to discuss the budget for the fiscal year July 1, 2001 to June 30, 2002 will be held at 430 Heppner/Lexington Hwy Heppner, OR. The meeting will take place on the 20th day of June, 2001 at 6:00 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 14, 2001 at 430 Heppner/Lexington Hwy, between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 4:00 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. Published: June 6 and 13, 2001 Affid

PUBLIC NOTICE

MORROW COUNTY LAND USE HEARING

THE MORROW COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION will hold the following hearings of public interest on Thursday, June 28, 2001 at 7:30 p.m. at the Morrow County School District Building in Lexington, Oregon.

Conditional Use Request, CUP-N-168: Finley Buttes Landfill. Property is described as tax lots 1513 and 307 of Assessor's Map 3N 25 and tax lot 400 of Assessor's Map 2N 25 and is located SE of Boardman and one mile east of Bombing Range Road. Proposal is to vertically expand the existing landfill by 256'. Criteria for approval include Morrow County Zoning Ordinance, Sections 3.010 and Article 6.

Request for an Amendment to the Morrow County Zoning Text: Robert Kenney, applicant. Proposal is to amend the Morrow County Zoning Ordinance to allow unrestricted length of stay in RV Parks. Criteria for approval include Morrow County Zoning Ordinance Section 6.050 (14) (D) and Article 8.

Conditional Use Permit, CUP-N-166: PGE, applicant. Proposal is to site a power plant (combustion turbine generator producing fewer than 50 megawatts). Property is described as tax lot 203 of Assessor's Map 4N 25 11 and is located at the northeast intersection of Columbia Avenue and Rippee Road. Criteria for approval include Morrow County Zoning Ordinance Section 3.070(2)(Q) and Article 6.

Conditional Use Permit, CUP-S-167: Columbia Basin Electric, applicant. Proposal is to site a natural gas pipeline from Heppner north, to the Morrow/Gilliam County line; a fiber optic line from Heppner to Ione and a water line from Heppner to Lexington, all within an existing utility easement located along the abandoned railroad right-of-way. Properties include all parcels including abandoned railroad right-of-way lands from Heppner to the Gilliam County line. Criteria for approval include Morrow County Zoning Ordinance Sections 3.010 (D) and (G), and Article 6.

Conditional Use Permit, CUP-N-169: TFM Biogas / R.D. Offutt, applicant. Proposal is to site a methane digester and cogeneration facility to digest dairy waste and produce electricity. Property is described as tax lot 103 of Assessor's Map 3N 23 and is located at the Columbia River and Willow Creek Dairies approximately nine miles southwest of Boardman. Criteria

for approval include Morrow County Zoning Ordinance Sections 3.010 (D) and (G), Article 6 and ORS 215.275

Land Partition Request, LP-S-292 and Conditional Use Request, CUP-S-170: Richard Snider, applicant. Proposal is to partition two existing home sites as non-farm dwellings. Property is described as tax lots 1300 and 1301 of Assessor's Map 2S 24 and is located approximately 10 miles southeast of Ione. Criteria for approval include Morrow County Subdivision Ordinance Article 5 and Zoning Ordinance Section 3.010(D) and (G) and Article 6.

Conditional Use Request, CUP-N-171: BAIC, Inc., applicant. Proposal is to site a temporary power generators (10 portable diesel engines, each < 2MW) as a back-up power source for the farm and for sale to a utility company. Property is described as tax lot 103 of Assessor's Map 3N 23 and is located approximately 13 miles south and west of Boardman. Criteria for approval include Morrow County Zoning Ordinance Sections 3.010 (D) and (G), Article 6 and ORS 215.275.

Copies of the staff report and all relevant documents will be available on June 18, 2001. For more information please contact Tamra Mabbott or Wendy Kirkpatrick at the Morrow County Planning Department at 922-4624 or 676-5650.

END OF NOTICE

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PUBLIC NOTICE

A public hearing will be held on Monday, June 25th, 2001 at 7:45 p.m. at the Riverside High School auditorium in Boardman, OR. The purpose of the hearing will be to take public input and comments on the proposed revision of district Administrative Regulation (AR-6022) - Exemptions from Competitive Bidding. Published: June 13, 2001 Affid

PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF MORROW

JAMIE JOE ABELL

and

MICHELLE ANN ABELL,

Respondent

CASE NO 01 CV 071

PUBLISHED SUMMONS

TO: Michelle Ann Abell

You are hereby required to appear and defend the petition filed against you in the above entitled cause within four weeks from the date of first publication of this summons and in case of your failure to do so, for want thereof, petitioner will apply to the court for the relief demanded in this petition, which relief is dissolution of marriage.

NOTICE TO RESPONDENT. READ THIS NOTICE CAREFULLY. You, respondent, must "appear" in this case or the other side will automatically win. To "appear", you must file with the court a legal paper called a "motion" or "answer". This "motion" or "answer" along with the required filing fee must be given to the court clerk or administrator within four weeks of the first date of publication along with the required filing fee. It must be in proper form and have proof of service on the petitioner's attorney.

If you have any questions, you should see an attorney immediately. If you need help in finding an attorney, you may call the Oregon State Bar's Lawyer Referral Service at (541) 684-3763 or call toll free in Oregon at 1-800-452-7636.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Town Council of the Town of Lexington, Morrow County, State of Oregon, will hold a public hearing on proposed changes to the Comprehensive Plan and Development Ordinances on June 18, 2001, at 7:00pm, in City Hall, 150 Main. Written comments may be mailed to the Town Council, P.O. Box 416, Lexington, OR 97839. Proposed amendments and documents are available for viewing at City Hall.

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CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank everyone for making our 39th Annual Church Auction such a success. It takes everyone working together to make this wonderful event happen. Sharon Camarillo and Nancy Snider were co-chairmen this year. We appreciate each and everyone who make this possible. Thank you, thank you, thank you.
6-13-1c

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NOTICES

We buy estates, etc. Please call Ginger, (503) 873-5255 or (503) 871-1925.
6-13-4c

Winn's Strawberries, that flavor you have waited for. Now open for business. Highway 11 near Weston. (541) 566-3949.
6-13-2c

Public Auction: auction of contents of two storage units at Stor-4-U, 726 Linden Way, Heppner, 6/28/01 at 10 a.m. Contents of each to be sold as one.
6-13-2c

HELP WANTED

Morrow County Sheriff's Office

Communications Officer

Are you looking for a new, exciting and challenging career? Maybe Communications Officer/9-1-1 Dispatcher is the career you have been searching for. This career opportunity is currently available for a few dedicated people who receive job satisfaction from working stressful situation while taking 9-1-1 calls, radio dispatching, teletype and computer operations. Work rotating shifts for \$1874 per month to start, with a complete medical/dental, retirement, vacation package.

If you have a high school diploma/GED, valid driver's license, no criminal history and would enjoy working in Heppner contact: Morrow County Sheriff's Office, 325 Willow View Drive, Heppner, OR 97836, phone (541) 676-5317. Morrow County does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, natural origin, sex, religion, age and handicapped status in employment or the provision of services.
5-30-3c

Part-time help needed in Hardware Dept. Pick up application at Morrow County Grain Growers.
6-13-1c

Port of Morrow Water and Wastewater Technician

Operate and maintain water system and related equipment. Heavy equipment experience. CDL. Level I Water Certificates within one year. OSHA Competent Person Training a plus. Salary DOE. Resumes to: Port of Morrow, P.O. Box 200, Boardman, OR 97818. (541) 481-7678. Resumes will be accepted until position is filled.
6-13-1c

Position: Maintenance/Technology Secretary, District Office, 256 DPY, 4.0 HPD.

Salary: Minimum \$9.98 per hour or as per OSEA contract.

Closing Date: June 22, 2001
Qualifications: This position will assist the maintenance supervisor and the technology coordinator. Must possess strong secretarial skills, including word processing, spreadsheet and database knowledge.

Application Procedure: Include a cover letter summarizing your qualifications. Complete a MCSO classified application form, including a resume. Successful candidate will be subject to fingerprinting.

Send to: Julie Ashbeck, Personnel Director; Morrow County School District; P.O. Box 368; Lexington, OR 97839.

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REAL ESTATE WANTED

I have a buyer interested in 5-20 acres with 2-3 bedroom home and room for horses. Also have buyers interested in mountain property. Call me. David Sykes, agent. Heritage Land Co. (541) 676-9228 days, (541) 676-9939, evenings, 1-800-326-2152 toll free.
6-13-tfx