

Garden Club travels to Oregon Gardens



Back row left to right- Heppner Garden Club members traveling to Silverton, Frances Freel, Chuck Bailey, Carolyn Keck and Wilbur Jackson. Front row - Verna Brinda, Betty Bailey, Babe Mincers, Mary Goheen and Dorothy Jackson. Not pictured are Ed Backer (driver) and Grace Baker.

Nine members of the Heppner Garden Club traveled to see the Oregon Gardens in Silverton on July 24.

"The tour guides were very knowledgeable on the plants there and made it very interesting," said a garden club spokesperson. The tour included a "people mover" for people who can't walk a lot. Sightseers can stroll along the paths at their own pace.

At the entrance to the garden is the Hughes Water Garden which features a waterfall. A children's garden includes an area where children can dig for "dinosaur bones".

All of the exhibits have sponsors. Jackson and Perkins sponsored a "beautiful" rose garden that was in bloom when the group arrived. There is also a gift shop at the

garden that has souvenirs.

The Heppner travelers stayed in Salem that night and then returned home through Sisters. "The garden club there should feel very proud of themselves because they have really done some beautiful projects, from the hanging pots in town to decorating where the highway divides," said the club spokesperson.

Going through the Fossil area, the group saw two elk and quite a few deer.

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Army to celebrate construction completion

The U.S. Army plans to celebrate the end of construction for the Umatilla chemical agent disposal facility with an official ribbon-cutting ceremony and public tours to be held August 13.

Besides U.S. Army, Department of Defense and facility officials, U.S. Senator Gordon Smith and U.S. Representative Greg Walden are listed to attend the ceremony.

Those interested in attending the tour should RSVP by Tuesday, August 7, to 541-564-9939.

MC Health Dept.

The Morrow County Health Department lists its August schedule for clinic hours:

Wednesday, Aug. 1-Irrigon clinic, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.;
 Thursday, Aug. 2-Heppner clinic, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.;
 Monday, Aug. 6-Boardman clinic, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.;
 Tuesday, Aug. 7-Boardman clinic, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.;
 Thursday, Aug. 9-Heppner clinic, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.;
 Monday, Aug. 13-Boardman clinic, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.;
 Tuesday, Aug. 14-Boardman clinic, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.;
 Wednesday, Aug. 15-Irrigon clinic, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.;
 Thursday, Aug. 16-Heppner clinic, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.;
 Monday, Aug. 20-Boardman clinic, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.;
 Tuesday, Aug. 21-Boardman clinic, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.;
 Thursday, Aug. 23-Heppner clinic, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.;
 Monday, Aug. 27-Boardman clinic, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.;
 Tuesday, Aug. 28-Boardman clinic, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.;
 Thursday, Aug. 30-Heppner clinic, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

W.C.C.C. Golf

WCCCLadies' Play
Tuesday, July 24

Low gross of the field: Dana Reid. Low net of the field: Karen Thompson and Donna Morgan. Least putts of the field: Dana Reid (13).

Flight A: low gross Sheri Stahl; low net Luvilla Sonstegard and Carol Norris; least putts Betty Christman; long drive Sheri Stahl.

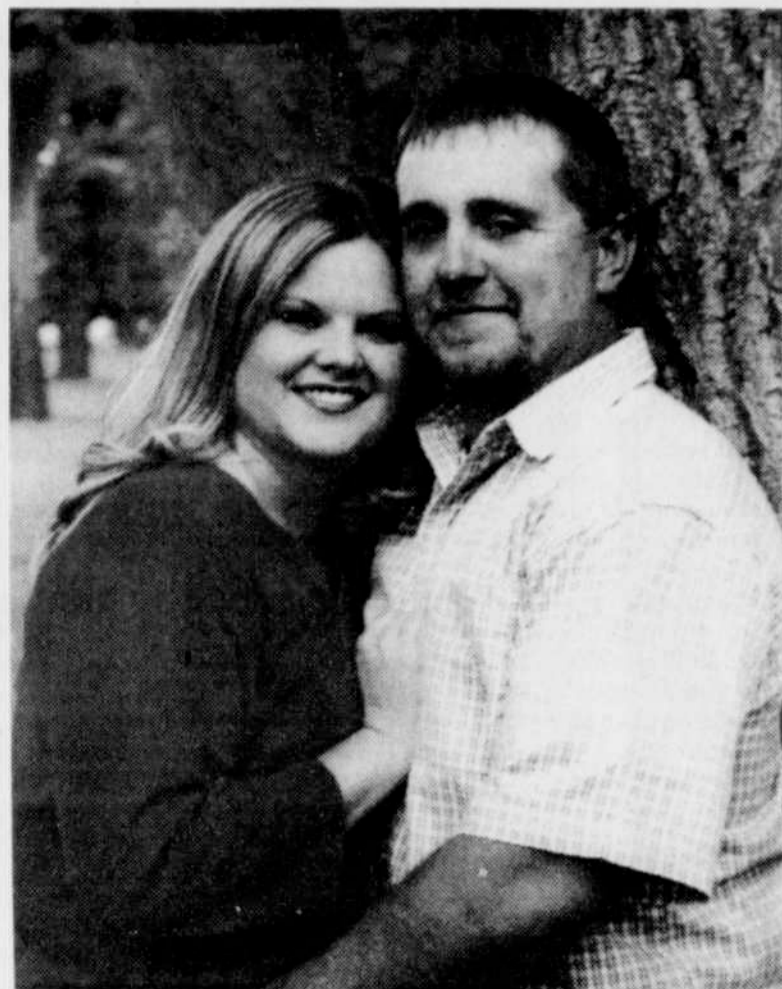
Flight B: low gross Donna Morgan; low net Joyce Dinkins; least putts Lois Hunt; long drive Betty Rietmann.

Flight C: low gross Lorrene Montgomery; low net Loa Henderson; least putts Dorris Graves; long drive Loa Henderson.

Chip in: Karen Thompson, Sheri Stahl.

Long putt: Lynnea Sargent 20'8 1/2".

Engagement



Grabeel - Harrison

Staci Grabeel and Benjamin Harrison

Charles and Elizabeth Grabeel of Heppner announce the engagement of their daughter, Staci Lynn Grabeel of Hermiston, to Benjamin Harrison of Hermiston.

The bride-elect graduated in 1994 from Heppner High School and attended Blue Mountain Community College. She works at Marlette Homes in Hermiston.

Harrison is the son of Linda Harrison of Marsing, Idaho, and Chuck and Julie Harrison of Pasco, Washington. He graduated in 1992 from Hermiston High School. He works at Union Pacific Railroad.

The couple will be married August 25, 2001, at the First Christian Church in Hermiston.

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