

Christian Life Center plans film showing

Pastor Tim Van Cleave and the congregation of the Christian Life Center will present the movie "Road to Redemption," a film release from World Wide Pictures, on Sunday, Sept. 16, at 6 p.m. at the Christian Life Center, 535 W. Morgan Street, Heppner.

Everyone is invited to attend. For more information, call 676-5581. Julie Condra and Pat Hingle lead the cast in this road movie that "effortlessly shifts gears from comedy to family, faith and better decisions," according to a news release. Also starring are Leo Rossi, Jay Underwood, Tony Longo and Wes Studi.

"Road to Redemption" is a story about foolish choices and second chances," said the release.

The story line is as follows: Amanda Tucker (Condra) and her boyfriend, Alan (Underwood), have just done the unthinkable—they've stolen money from an underground bookie (Rossi) only to lose it all on a "sure thing" horse. Now, Amanda's trying to sweet talk an early inheritance out of her rich grandfather, Nathan (Hingle), so

they can return the loot by Friday.

Nathan agrees to give her the money... under one condition. It seems simple enough—take him to his favorite fishing hole. Not a problem—until Amanda realizes that his favorite fishing hole is over 800 miles away in Redemption, Montana.

With the thugs close behind—including Alan, who sells her out to save his own hide—Amanda and Nathan lead a "rollicking chase into one hilarious adventure after another." At the same time, Amanda can't help but be affected by Nathan. He has an amazing peace with God and a sincere love for an errant granddaughter.

"Ultimately, 'Road to Redemption' reveals that despite our most embarrassing mistakes, it's never too late to start life over," said the release.

World Wide Pictures, the motion picture ministry of the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association, has been producing movies since 1952. WWP movies are available for community events, shown on television, and released to home video and DVD. For more information, check out www.wwp.org.

Ione Booster Club holds potluck

By Jeri McElligott

The Ione Cardinal Booster Club provided barbecued hamburgers for the back-to-school potluck at the Ione High School cafeteria Thursday, Sept. 6. Over 150 students, parents and community members attended the annual event.

Following the dinner, principal Mike Stuart welcomed everyone and introduced new elementary teacher Linda Neiffer. Host parent Debbie Radie introduced their exchange student from England, Ashley Roberts, and host parent Anita Orem introduced Macarena Esposito from Argentina.

Site council elections were held with parent representatives Debbie Radie and Melissa LaRue elected to two-year terms.

Science teacher Gary Hunt asked for help with school assembly fund raisers. Anyone willing to help should contact Hunt or Duane Neiffer.

Committees were established for the upcoming school year: Marlene Pointer, Becky Hunt and Laurel Cannon will work on community calendars. They ask that anyone not wanting a calendar for the 2001-2002

year or anyone wanting to make changes from the previous calendar contact them.

Santa's helpers for the Christmas program are Anita Orem, Natalie McElligott, Salli McElligott and Bink Ramos. The scholarship committee consists of Kerry Rietmann, Betty Gray and Dale Holland. Decorating for the graduation reception will be Cathy Halvorsen, Vicki Wagenblast and Teri Palmateer. The 2002 potluck will be organized by Anne Morter, Debbie Morgan and Jeri McElligott.

Yearbooks from 1973 through 1998 are being sold for \$5 each. There are still a few 2000 books available for \$20. The 2001 yearbooks have arrived and can be purchased at the school office for \$20. The books include elementary and middle school grades and activities.

Treasurer Jeri McElligott is collecting membership dues of \$5 for Booster Club. Dues may be sent to her at P.O. Box 4, Ione. The first official club meeting will be Thursday, Sept. 13, at 7 p.m. at the high school library. All parents and community members are welcome to attend.

Hearing screening planned in county

The Umatilla-Morrow Education Service District (ESD) will provide hearing screening to public elementary school students including all kindergarten, first and third grade students, new students to the county, and parent/teacher/principal referrals of students in the other grades.

The hearing screening is done by the Umatilla-Morrow ESD for public school students of Umatilla and Morrow counties. It is cooperatively sponsored by local school districts. Approximately 4000 children will be seen.

Children who fail the initial screening will be re-screened within a three-week period.

Parents who do not want their child's hearing to be screened should notify the school as soon as possible. For questions regarding the hearing screening program, contact your school principal, or contact the Audiology Department at the Umatilla-Morrow ESD, 966-3138.

Screenings will be conducted on the following schedule:

- Thursday, Oct. 11, at Ione Elementary, 8:30 a.m.;
- Monday, Oct. 22, at Sam Boardman Elementary, 8:30 a.m.;
- Wednesday, Oct. 24, at A.C. Houghton Elementary, 8:30 a.m.;
- Thursday, Oct. 25, at Heppner Elementary, 8:45 a.m.;
- Monday, Nov. 5, recheck at Sam Boardman Elementary, 8:30 a.m.;
- Thursday, Nov. 8, recheck at Ione Elementary, 8:30 a.m.;
- Wednesday, Nov. 14, recheck at A.C. Houghton Elementary, 8:30 a.m.;
- Thursday, Nov. 15, recheck at Heppner Elementary, 8:30 a.m.

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YARD OF THE MONTH Melvin Hammons of Hardman



W.C.C.C. Golf

WCCC Ladies' Club

Championship

Willow Creek Country Club ladies' club championship results:
Tuesday, Sept. 4

First gross-Dana Reid; second gross-Pat Edmundson; third gross-Janice Paustian.

Flights: A-Eva Kilkenny; B-Donna Morgan; C-Jackie Allstott. Accurate drive #2 and #11: Shari Stahl.

Long drive #6 and #15: A-Pat Edmundson; B-Donna Morgan; C-Jackie Allstott.

KP third shot #8 and #17: A-Shari Stahl; B-Donna Morgan.

Longest putt #5 and #14: Donna Morgan.

Chip in: Donna Morgan, Loa Henderson, Jackie Allstott.

Birdie: Eva Kilkenny, Janice Paustian, Dana Reid.

Door prize: Loa Henderson.

Wednesday, Sept. 5

First gross-Pat Edmundson; second gross-Dana Reid; third gross Janice Paustian.

Flights: A-Eva Kilkenny; B-Donna Morgan; C-Jackie Allstott. Accurate drive #7 and #16: Pat Edmundson.

Long drive #1 and #10: A-Shari Stahl; B-Donna Morgan; C-Jackie Allstott.

KP third shot #3 and #12: A-Luvilla Sonstegard; B-Donna Morgan; C-Loa Henderson.

Longest putt #9 and #18: Dana Reid.

Least putts 36 holes: Luvilla Sonstegard, Janice Paustian, Donna Morgan.

Mystery scores 36 holes: A-Dana Reid; B-Donna Morgan; C-Jackie Allstott.

Chip ins: Shari Stahl, Pat Edmundson, Jackie Allstott, Della Heideman.

Birdies: Shari Stahl, Pat Edmundson, Della Heideman.

Club champion: Pat Edmundson.

DA's Report

Morrow County District Attorney David C. Allen has released the following report:

Keith Allan Blackman plead guilty to Menacing, a Class A misdemeanor, and was sentenced to 60 days in jail, suspended on the condition that he successfully complete probation conditions and 24 months bench probation. He was also ordered to have no offensive physical contact with the victim and write a letter of apology to her, to report within 30 days for a domestic violence treatment program and pay \$809 in fines, fees and assessments.

Frank D. Battaglia pled guilty to Possession of Less than One Ounce Marijuana and was ordered to pay \$399 in fines, fees and assessments.

George Leroy Hicks plead guilty to Sex Abuse 1-Measure 11, a Class B felony, and was sentenced to 75 months in prison with the Oregon Department of Corrections and 36 months recommended post-prison supervision. He was also ordered to successfully complete a sex offender treatment program and alcohol treatment program. Hicks plead guilty to an additional count of Sex Abuse 1, a Class B felony, and was sentenced 75 months with the Oregon Department of Corrections to run concurrently and 36 months post-prison supervision. He plead guilty to Attempted Sex Abuse 1, a Class C felony, and was sentenced to 19 months with the Oregon Department of Corrections, to run consecutively, and 24 months post prison supervision with 105 days credit for time served.

Larry Allen Perrin admitted violation of probation allegation for Possession of a Controlled Substance and was sentenced to 30 days in jail. His probation period was extended for 12 months.

Ronald H. Schwarz plead guilty to Harassment, a Class B misdemeanor, and was sentenced to 30 days in jail, suspended on the condition that he successfully complete probation conditions, and 18 months bench probation. He was also ordered to have no offensive physical contact with the victim, complete an alcohol treatment program and a domestic violence treatment program and pay \$434 in fines, fees and assessments.

Ricky Lee Pennock was found in violation of probation

for Assault 4-felony and was sentenced to 10 days in jail, suspended. He was also ordered to complete a drug treatment program and pay \$310 in fees.

Chamber Chatter

By Claudia Hughes
Chamber Executive Director

The Heppner Chamber meets every Tuesday at noon. Periodically during the 15 years that I have been with the Chamber the topic of meeting frequency comes up. The conclusion by the board of directors has been to continue meeting on a weekly basis as this keeps the lines of communication open and allows the Chamber to present programs and hold discussion to assist the community in making their own informed decisions.

All are invited to come get a feel of what the Heppner Chamber of Commerce is about before joining. The first Tuesday of every month continues to be the forum where all entities are invited to report on potential projects, ideas for job creation, improvements, visitor activities, promotion, enhancement, county and city doings, etc. The Chamber tries to present informational programs during the remaining three Tuesdays and suggestions for programs are most welcome.

Those who are able to attend on a regular basis will agree that membership is a mixed bag with about as many opinions on some issues as there are members. This is good. Often individuals hold opposing ideas and courageously share their thoughts during the meetings. This makes for some lively discussion. Everyone seems to be interested in hearing what others think. The object is to keep the lines of communication open and to attempt to offer accurate information. The more questions, the better. People who wish to visit about the process are invited to stop by the Chamber office on Tuesdays and Wednesdays or give a call at 676-5536 or visit with a board member.

The Chamber has moved to John's Other Place for noon lunches. They have appreciated G&D's for having them the past seven months. Both are Chamber of Commerce members. On Tuesday, Sept. 18, Art Hill of the Small Business Development Center will be giving a presentation. On Tuesday, Sept. 25, the program will be Bruce Buchanan, "Community Solutions." Remember the Job Fair, Wednesday, Sept. 26. Jobs are available in Heppner and the Willow Creek Valley. Know someone looking; then send them to the Job Fair.

Thought for the week: "Hearsay, does not result in an informed decision. Remember the lemmings."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Morrow County Commission on Children & Families To Award Community Development grants.

The Morrow County Commission on Children & Families is seeking Community Development proposals for the Sept. through December 2001 quarter. The Community Development Fund was established for anticipated yet unidentified community needs and to leverage other funds and resources into services, advocacy and unique projects for the children, youth and families of Morrow County. The commission is seeking new proposals for the current quarter. There is approximately \$1,000 available this quarter. Grant requests may be from \$100 to \$500. Examples of reasonable Community Development Fund requests include, but are not limited to: seasonal program needs; small capital expenditures (except for private property); service program staff training; one time events and pilot projects. All proposals must fall within CCF guidelines/goals of supporting Strong Nurturing Families, Healthy Thriving Children, Healthy Thriving Youth, or Caring Communities. The deadline for these proposals is Thursday, Sept. 27, 2001. Proposals must be in the Commission office by noon, Sept. 27, 2001. The proposals will be awarded during the regular CCF meeting on October 9, 2001. Applications are available at the commission office at 120 South Main in Heppner or by calling 676-9675.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Morrow County will be selling surplus property at a public sale to be held on Saturday, September 29, 2001 at the Morrow County Fairgrounds, Fair Annex Building, Heppner, beginning at 8:00 a.m. Property will include computer equipment, furniture and other assorted items.

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Karen's Korner By Karen Masshoff Items of Health - Tobacco Prevention

For all you folks who couldn't get enough of that "hot-selling" item at the Morrow County Fair and Rodeo, I now have a new shipment of the "No Smoking" Decals. I appreciate all your "promotional efforts;" what a great way to spread the word, to make a statement about not smoking. If you would like additional decals, please come up to the Health Department and we'll be glad to supply you with four to five free ones.

A friendly reminder: all school campuses (not just buildings) in Morrow County are "Tobacco-Free." Please be aware of this as you attend athletic and school events - football and volleyball are just days away from the beginning of their season. Another situation to note: more and more school districts around our athletic league do have, or are considering, "Tobacco Free" campuses. The primary reason behind this policy is one of health, whether we are indoors or out, environmental tobacco smoke (ETS) with its 4000 toxins and carcinogens compromises us all. You can pick up a copy of the "lavender list" of chemicals along with the No Smoking decal.

Tobacco Prevention has produced an endorsement form to encourage participation in the Tobacco Education/Prevention Coalition. This form states our organizational goals and lists options as to how one cares to be involved. These forms will be at strategic locations around Heppner, Boardman and Irrigon. You may also phone: 676-5421 in Heppner, 481-2112 from Boardman, and 922-4103 from Irrigon to have a copy or copies mailed to you.

I am looking forward to hearing from you. There is much information to share, and this coming year in tobacco education portends to be very interesting as we assist folks in understanding some of the new laws regarding tobacco use that came out of the recent legislative session.

PUBLIC NOTICE

State of Oregon
Department of
Administrative Services
Facilities Division,
- ISSUES -

A Request for Proposals (RFP) to purchase approximately 93,000 acres of land AND IMPROVEMENTS at the site known as Space Age Industrial Park

Located- The property is located near Boardman, Oregon, in Morrow and Gilliam Counties, Oregon in the following Townships:

2N 22, 2N 23, 2N 24

3N 22, 3N 23, 3N 24

4N 22, 4N 23, 4N 24

To obtain an information packet- Contact: Cameron Smith, Facilities Division Oregon Dept. of Administrative Services 1225 Ferry Street SE U100 Salem, OR 97301-4281 (503) 378-2865, ext. 223 Fax: 503-373-7210

Further Information May Also Be Found At- www.facilities.das.state.or.us/boardman.htm

Price-Minimum asking price for property in "as is" condition is at least six million dollars (US \$ 6,000,000.00).

Consideration-All proposals must have a minimum cash purchase price of at least \$6,000,000. In addition, the State requires other forms of consideration that are more fully explained in the above referenced information packet. The property is to be purchased in "as is" condition. Nothing in this notice shall imply that the State agrees to accept the above minimum cash purchase price and the State reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.

Statutory and Contractual Restrictions-The sale of the property is subject to several statutory and contractual restrictions. Information regarding such restrictions are contained in the above referenced information packet.

Right of First Refusal-Pursuant to ORS 270.010(2), BAIC, Inc has been granted a right of first refusal to purchase the property. Therefore, any acceptable proposal shall be subject to the right of BAIC, Inc to purchase the property on the same or similar terms. More detailed information regarding the right of first refusal is contained in the above-referenced information packet.

Deposit-Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check or sufficient bond furnished by a surety company authorized to do business in Oregon, in favor of the State of Oregon, in a sum not less than ten percent (10%) of the total value of proposed offer. Deposits will be refunded to unsuccessful respondents.

Public Commentary-The public is invited to comment on the values of this property to the people of the State of Oregon, including its values for fish and wildlife habitat and public access to other property. All such comments must be in writing and submitted to Mr. Smith at the address provided above by 3:00p.m. Thursday, September 27, 2001.

Deadline Proposals and deposits must be received by Mr. Smith at the above address no later than 3:00 p.m. (Pacific Time), Thursday, September 27, 2001.

Reservations of Right by State-Pursuant to ORS 270.130, the State reserves the right to accept or reject any proposal. The decision of the State regarding the most advantageous proposal to the State shall be final and conclusive, and is not subject to review by any court. Published: August 29, September 5 and 12, 2001

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE PORT OF MORROW MORROW COUNTY, OREGON

(Heppner Cogeneration Facility Project)

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on September 27, 2001, the Board of Commissioners (the "Board") of the Port of Morrow, Morrow County, Oregon (the "Port") will hold a special meeting commencing at 1:00 p.m. The public meeting will be held at the regular meeting place of the Board, at the offices of the Port, located at Two Marine Drive, Boardman, Oregon 97818.

One of the purposes of the meeting is to consider an ordinance or resolution which would amend and clarify the Port's Supplemental Resolution No. 2001-11 authorizing the issuance of \$10,000,000 in aggregate principal amount of revenue bonds to finance the costs of equipping, improving and expanding the Port's cogeneration facilities in Heppner, Oregon. The ordinance or resolution would clarify and confirm the Port's intent to allow a portion of the bond proceeds to refund certain outstanding obligations of the Port and to authorize an escrow deposit agreement.

Additional information may be obtained from the Board of Commissioners at their office at the Port, or from Gary Neal, General Manager, Port of Morrow, P.O. Box 200, Two Marine Drive, Boardman, Oregon 97818, telephone (541) 481-7678. This notice is published pursuant to ORS 192.640 and ORS 777.565.

Gary Neal

General Manager

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CARD OF THANKS

To Ione Rural Fire Dept.: Thank You for your help on 9/9/01 at the Sandford's. We deeply appreciate it.

Sylvia and Rick

9-12-1c

Thanks to the fire crew from the Heppner forest ranger district office for the work they did on preventing the fire from coming into our homestead on Gilman Flat.

The Huff Family

Andrew Huff, Hillsboro

William Huff, Bend

Leisange Family, Hillsboro

Whitman Family, Elgin

9-12-1c

I would like to sincerely thank everyone for the help they gave me after my mother's passing. I know she is in a much better place.

It was a rough fair week; without you, we couldn't have made it. Ellen, Stacey and Cindy who still uplift me when needed; my First Christian Church family for the flowers and support; LaRae for being there after the phone call, the day of the funeral and letting us both cry; Martha, the plant is doing great - thank you, it brightened up the week; the Fair Committee for the flowers and candle holder; and to anybody I forgot.

Love, Renee and Heather,

Jack, Justin and Zack Yocom

9-12-1c

The officers of the Morrow County Cabin Owners Association would like to thank all of those members who attended the annual meeting. It was an enjoyable meeting and a beautiful day to be at the lake.

9-12-1p