

## Sheriff's Report

The Morrow County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) reports handling the following business:

-MCSO received a request from UCSCO to check a Boardman residence for suspects. The suspects were not found. Additional information was received regarding a situation others were working on and UCSCO was advised.

-MCSO received a report from a caller in Irrigon that she was resetting her fire alarm and accidentally set it off. All was okay.

-MCSO, Boardman Police Dept. officers arrested Dennis DeLeon, 22, for DUII (BAC .10), Possession of a Controlled Substance Schedule II (cocaine), Possession of Less than One Oz. Marijuana, Furnishing Alcohol to a Minor, No Operator's License, No Insurance and Open Container. The vehicle was impounded. He was lodged at the Umatilla County Jail.

**Sept. 11:** Heppner Police Dept. received a report from the Corps of Engineers representative that the Willow Creek Dam was broken into just above Hager Street. All was okay; it appeared to be a juvenile problem.

-MCSO received a report that the Umatilla Army Depot was under a complete security lockdown.

-MCSO received a report of an audible alarm at a residence in Boardman. The residence was secure; a worker had set it off.

-MCSO received a report from the Corps of Engineers representative in Heppner that all Corps sites were closed down and operating on full alert.

-MCSO received a report of a theft of four Midland radios that occurred during the Morrow County Fair.

-Irrigon ambulance received a report that a 20-year-old female had

fallen and cut her face near her eye. She was taken to the hospital by private vehicle; the ambulance was not needed.

-Boardman ambulance received a request for an ambulance for a 52-year-old male who was not breathing but had a pulse. While on the line, the caller reported the subject was now alert, breathing and standing up. Transport by ambulance was refused.

-MCSO received a report from a caller in Irrigon whose refrigerator was stolen from his rental property the previous night. There was also a continuing problem with a fruit stand allowing customers to park and block the roadway next to the stand.

-Oregon State Police received a report of an unrestrained child in the back seat of a vehicle.

-Boardman Police, Oregon State Police received a report from the 76 station in Boardman that a vehicle drove off without paying \$31.35; their credit card did not go through. The caller thought they may be unaware the fuel was unpaid for.

-Carl Allen McKim, 33, turned himself in to the MCSO for a Morrow County Circuit Court warrant for Failure to Appear/Theft I.

-Oregon State Police received a report of a possible DUII on I-84, who had taken the Patterson Ferry exit. The vehicle was all over the road.

-MCSO received a report that a vehicle had hit a sign and was off the road on Hwy. 730.

-Carol Thonore Warren, 51, was arrested for DUII (BAC .31). She was cited and released.

-Boardman Police Dept. received a report of a subject breaking into a vehicle in Boardman.

-Boardman Police Dept. received request for an officer concerning juveniles playing soccer in the road.

-MCSO received a report of the vehicle of a suspect in a burglary

in Umatilla County. The vehicle was located on I-84 and stopped. Greg Alan Bass, 21, was arrested on a warrant for Failure to Appear/Rape III, a Umatilla County Sheriff's Office warrant for FTA/Possession of a Controlled Substance, Possession of Less Than One Oz. Marijuana, and an Irrigon Justice Court warrant for FTA/DUII. He was lodged at Umatilla County Jail with \$42,000 bail.

-MCSO received an offer of assistance for victims of the terrorist attack from a Boardman subject.

-MCSO received a request for deputy contact in Boardman regarding the Oregon Dept. of Human Services attempting to press charges against the caller and her boyfriend.

-MCSO received a report of a missing 11-year-old from Irrigon. It was determined the son was at the father's home and the father wanted to speak to a deputy. The juvenile was returned to his mother's residence.

-MCSO received a report of a helicopter flying around Irrigon. FAA was contacted; it was a law enforcement helicopter.

-MCSO, Boardman Police Dept., Boardman ambulance received a report of a 77-year-old male having stomach cramps. The patient was transported to Good Shepherd Medical Center in Hermiston.

**Sept. 12:** MCSO deputy assisted Boardman Police Dept. in arresting one subject for a local warrant, and another for DUII and a warrant out of Hermiston. Leonardo Rogel Mendez, 37, was arrested on a Hermiston warrant for Failure to Appear/Disorderly Conduct and local charges of DUII, No Operator's License, No Insurance and Forgery I. He was lodged at the Umatilla County Jail. Cain Arroyo Lopez, 35, was arrested on an Irrigon Justice Court warrant for Failure to Appear/Driving while License Suspended, Driving Uninsured. The vehicle was impounded.

-Heppner Police Dept. received a request for officer contact regarding information on sex offender registration laws.

-Boardman Police Dept. officer cited two juveniles in Boardman for MIP-Tobacco.

-Boardman Police Dept. received a report of a chainsaw found in Boardman.

-MCSO, Benton County Sheriff's Office received a report from a caller in a pickup traveling from Patterson,

WA, that an unconscious male subject with a spider bite was with him. The connection was lost; the information was relayed to the BCSCO.

-MCSO received a report from a caller in Irrigon that subjects by the river were fishing with nets. The caller said the subjects were not Indians.

-MCSO received a report from Irrigon that the caller's lawn mower and weed eater were stolen the previous day.

-Oregon State Police received a report of a vehicle driving out of control and speeding eastbound on Highway 730.

-MCSO, Boardman Police Dept. received a report of a fight in progress in Boardman between a male and female across from the caller's residence. Both subjects were arrested for harassment.

-Boardman Police Dept. received a report of a noisy vehicle at a trailer park in Boardman.

-MCSO, Heppner Police Dept. received a report from a caller in Heppner that her son was just shot in the chest with a pellet gun.

-MCSO, Heppner Police Dept., Heppner ambulance received a request for an ambulance for a juvenile who was hit in the head. No transport was made.

-Irrigon Fire Dept. received a report from a caller in Irrigon of an illegal burn emitting a "toxic" smoke. The Irrigon Assistant Fire Chief advised that the situation was handled.

**Sept. 13:** MCSO received a report of gunshots heard in Irrigon from an unknown direction.

-MCSO, FFA received a report from Boardman of a small airplane flying when the no-flight rule was in effect.

-MCSO received a report from the Morrow County Road Dept. that all the windows and lights were broken out of a front-end loader and all the windows in a CAT were also broken out. The equipment was at the Hardman Ridge rock pit.

## Marriage Licenses

The Morrow County Clerk's office at the courthouse in Heppner reports issuing the following marriage licenses:

Oct. 19-Ken Allen Bibens, 29, Salem; and

Catherine Estada Sibuyana, 19, Salem.

Oct. 22-Ronald Lemoine

Sutherland, 64, Oakland; and

Sandra Sue Huke, 59, Hermiston.

Oct. 23-Robert Larry Bessent, Jr., 48, Umatilla; and

Kelly Sue Harrison, 39, Umatilla.

## Hotel Condon readies for grand opening

Business has been brisk at the newly renovated Hotel Condon since opening in late September, and a grand opening and "Harvest Gala" is planned for Saturday, Nov. 3. Everyone is invited to participate in the festivities and enjoy food, drinks and live music with "The Kung Pau Chickens", from 7 p.m. to midnight, at 202 South Main in Condon.

Chef Monty Colby, who has "won the appreciation of all who have dined at the hotel," according to a news release, will be serving hors d'oeuvres for the grand opening. The menu will include canapés of smoked salmon with lemon dill aioli, tiger shrimp with wild mushroom, stilton cheese and lemon zest; entrees of roasted venison loin with sweet/hot mustard, among other delicacies. In addition, desserts will include chocolate mousse bruchee's and bread pudding with bourbon sauce. Chef Colby is president of High-Desert Foods, Inc., for which he has developed and marketed a line of sauces and spices, with flavors native to the high desert.

Built in 1920, Hotel Condon has not been utilized as a hotel since the 1980s. "Restoration has not only returned the hotel to its former dignified presence in the community, it has created a hotel with charisma and panache sure to charm all who visit," according to the release.

In addition, the hotel includes a restaurant, featuring high-desert cuisine, and a full-service cocktail lounge on the first floor.

The Hotel Condon has transformed from a 42-room hotel with shared bathrooms to 18 rooms with private baths. The three-story hotel features "all the amenities expected in a modern hotel". In addition, four of the sleeping rooms are suites with doubled space and views of Condon and the surrounding countryside.

Guests will find an elevator for their convenience and an intimate guest lounge on the second floor featuring natural light from skylights, and chairs and couches to relax and read or converse.

Much care has gone into maintaining the historic infrastructure of the hotel. The exterior features brick masonry with freshly painted trim, while the interior follows the original scheme with improvements made to "ensure the comfort of the guests". The interior color design features earth tones.

Hotel Condon is a Limited Liability Corporation (LLC) established in 1998. Currently there are 25 members of the LLC. For more information on Hotel Condon, contact Marta Mikkalo at (541) 384-4624, send e-mail to [info@hotelcondon.com](mailto:info@hotelcondon.com), or visit the hotel website at [www.hotelcondon.com](http://www.hotelcondon.com).

## Downtown Boardman Chamber topic

The Boardman Chamber of Commerce will hold its monthly general luncheon meeting on Wednesday, Nov. 14, at the Port of Morrow's Riverfront Center, Riverfront Room, at 12 noon.

Victor Coombes and Jerry Jennings, managing members of Prancing Horse Properties, will be the guest speakers at this meeting.

Prancing Horse Properties are the developers of Boardman's new downtown. Coombes and Jennings will give participants an update on the project and will display art work

to show what the new downtown will look like. They will also answer any questions about the new downtown participants may have.

The menu will be a harvest stew or chili with corn bread, salad, dessert and a beverage, catered by Judy's Chuckwagon. The cost of lunch is \$6.50, to be paid at the door.

Call the Boardman Chamber by Monday, Nov. 12, for lunch reservations, at 481-3014.

There is no cost to attend the meeting for those not planning on having lunch. The public is welcome to attend.

## Ione High honored for academics

The Ione High School football team has placed first in the Oregon Dairy Farmers Academic Awards, with an average GPA of 3.53. Ione placed first for all football teams in state 4A-1A.

Football team members will receive "Got Milk?" sweatshirts for their awards, in addition to award pins for placing in the top 10.

The Ione volleyball team placed third in the awards with a GPA of 3.80.

Please join us for  
"90th" birthday cake & ice cream  
for  
**Mildred Wright**  
Sunday, Nov. 4 at 1 p.m.  
at Summit Springs Village  
133 Church Street, Condon  
*(no gifts please)*

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	<b>BARBED WIRE</b> 2 pt. Ranch D/W 31 <sup>00</sup> 4 pt. Ranch D/W 34 <sup>00</sup> BarbLess 30 <sup>00</sup>		<b>LIVESTOCK PANELS</b> Cattle Panel 52" x 16' 14 <sup>50</sup> Combo Panel 52" x 16' 17 <sup>50</sup> 4"x4" Panel 60" x 16' 29 <sup>95</sup>
<i>Not all items may be in stock. Call for availability. Sale good through November 10th!</i>			
	<b>HI-QUAL HEAVY DUTY PANELS</b> 14' 109 <sup>00</sup> 16' 119 <sup>00</sup>		
	<b>HI-QUAL HEAVY DUTY GATES</b> 12' 89 <sup>00</sup> 14' 99 <sup>00</sup>		
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