

## Poster contest winners announced

The annual conservation poster contest sponsored by Morrow Soil and Water Conservation District was held June 11. The theme this year was "Habitat For Life". "The theme was a reminder to the students that people, like all living things, depend on the world around them-their habitat," said a district spokesperson. This year the students in the fourth through sixth grades from Ione, Heppner and Columbia Middle School in Irrigon participated in the contest.

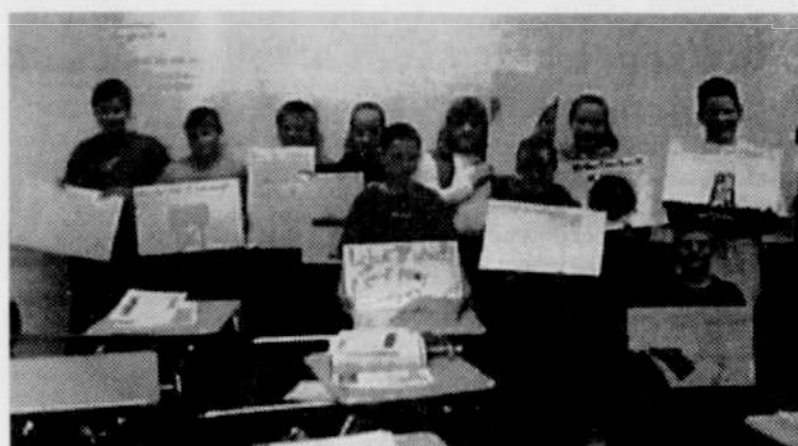
The winners for the fourth grade were Katie Moore, first place;

Stephanie Rill, second place; Josh Shank, third place. The winners for the fifth grade were Teonna Vandever, first place; Emily Rietmann, second place; Paul Hams, third place. Winners for the sixth grade were Tina Morrison and Doris Hill, first place, Traci Buschke and Dannie Baker, second place; Jennifer Flores and Kristin Baldwin, third place from Columbia Middle School.

Tina Morrison's and Doris Hill's first-place poster was selected to compete in the Oregon Association of Conservation Districts Convention on November 4-7.



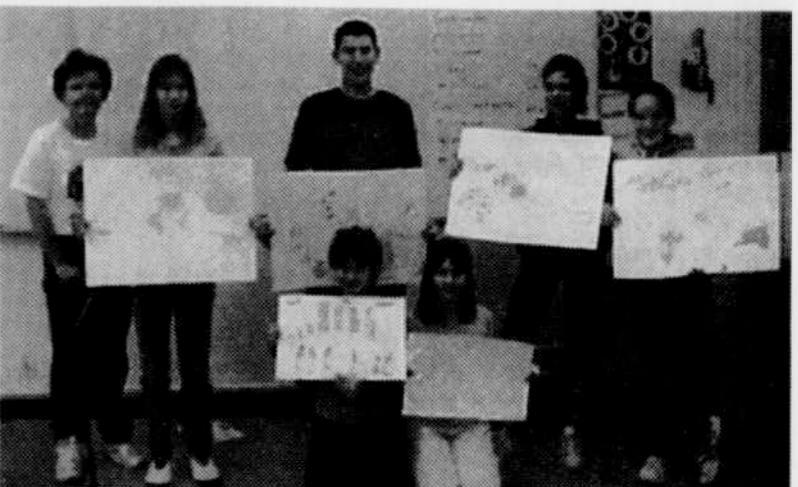
Heppner Elementary School contest winners (left to right): Kathie Moore, Kassey Wilson, Stephanie Rill, Josh Shank, Braden Britt, Dillon Lutzer.



Ione School poster contest winners (left to right): front-Tiana Camarillo, Lynzee Sjurset, Victoria Heagy; center-Dalton Wellman, Cory Peterson, Clay Morter, Matt Coleman; back-Merilee McDowell, Morrow Soil and Water Conservation District, Kara Clay.



Ione School poster contest winners (left to right): front-Justin Archer, Kaylee Palmatier, Paul Hams; back-Michael Wellman, Alan Rietmann, Dalton Campbell, Teonna Vandever, Shannon Clay, Emily Rietmann, Kip Krebs.



Ione School poster contest winners (left to right): front-Aimee Emery, Megan Tollefson; back-Merilee McDowell, SWCD, Amber Patton, Jason Snow, standing in for Miranda Hunt, Steffanie Holland, Kaylee LaRue.

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2	3 City Planning Fair Board Mason's Sr. Cen. Blngo HES PTA	4 Retailers Chamber SWCD Masons Sr. Cen. Blngo C.H.H. Athena	5 WCVEDG Co. Court City Goal Setting Lions Sch. Advisory Elks Blngo	6 Serv. Club BPOE Toy Dinner Proposed-ATY Trail Meeting C BB here	7 Symphony Rehearsal Sr. Cen. Cards JV/V BB here JH BB here	8 Inland NW /WC Singers Concert
9 Live Nativity Pix with Santa Singspiration	10 Chenook School Board Rodeo Comm. City Council Garden Club	11 HCC Child/Tam Comm Bookworms Neigh. C. Board Sr. Cen. Blngo C.H.H. here	12 Co. Court Chamber Bld. Oddfellows HES Site Comm. Elks Blngo	13 Serv. Club WCVAL BPOE HES Program C BB	14 Symphony Rehearsal Sr. Cen. Cards V BB-Ione JH BB @ Uma.	15 V BB-Ione 7th BB @ Uma. 8th BB @ Colum.
16 *20th* Deadline for Nominees for Town & Country Awards	17 SWCD Am. Red Cross C BB here	18 Museum Board Sr. Cen. Blngo JV/V BB @ Con.	19 WCVEDG County Court Lions Elks Blngo	20 Service Club Arts Guild BPOE HHS Program	21 Sr. Cen. Cards Holiday Light Judging JV/V BB here	22
23 SCHOOL VACATION THIS WEEK!	24	25 Merry Christmas	26	27	28 V BB-Pendleton	29 V BB-Pendleton
30	31 New Year's Eve					

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## Mustang JV boys beat Devils

By Rick Paullus

A 16-0 run in the second quarter carried the Heppner Mustang JV boys to a 38-11 win at Condon on Saturday, Dec. 1, in their first game of the season.

A tight first quarter saw the Mustangs taking a 4-3 lead after one, but they used five points from Donald Adams and four from Luke Murray to build a 20-3 halftime lead.

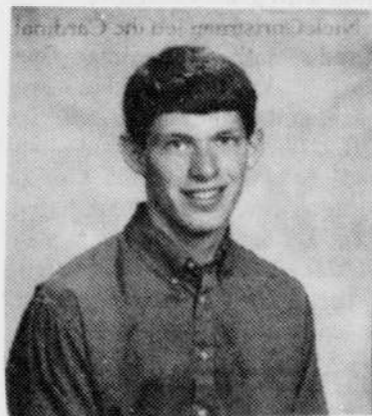
Murray scored four more in the third, and six points from Josh Winters in the fourth helped Heppner

win going away.

The Mustangs were led by Murray with 10 points, with Adams and Winters each adding seven points. Tanner Britt and Justin Botefuhr added five points apiece.

Statistics  
 Heppner: 4 16 6 12 - 38  
 Condon: 3 0 1 7 - 11  
 Heppner-Luke Murray 4-2-5 10, Donald Adams 3-1-2 7, Josh Winters 1-5-6 7, Tanner Britt 2-1-2 5, Justin Botefuhr 2-1-2 5, Brian Smith 0-2-5 2, Brian Haguewood 0-2-2 2, Tyler Lovgren 0-0-2 0, Doug Orwick 0-0-2 0, 12 14-28 38. Three-pointers-none.  
 Condon-Barnett 2-0-2 5, Kilgore 0-3-4 3, Wright 1-0-0 2, Kammmerer 0-1-2 1, 3-4-8 11. Three-pointers-Barnett.

## Dan Jepsen wins speech contest



Daniel Jepsen

Heppner High School junior Daniel Jepsen has won the district Voice of Democracy contest sponsored by the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

"Reaching Out to America's Future" was the title of an original speech written and recorded by Jepsen. He will attend the state competition in February.

Jepsen is the son of Bill and Nancy Jepsen of Heppner. Shelley Rietmann and Paula

Spicerkuhn also entered the district contest from Heppner High School.

## 4-H News

Picture Perfect 4-H Club

By Miranda Hunt, reporter  
 On Nov. 26, Picture Perfect, the photography club, held a meeting. Club members turned in the blankets they had made for children in need of them.

The club has several new members: Jordan Graff, Kylee Svetich, Tyree Svetich and Tiana Camarillo. Members elected Kylee assistant secretary and Tiana, "caller" person.

Club members were asked to bring in photos. They looked them over and discussed their features. At the next meeting, they hope to go to the nature trails near the Columbia River.

Members present were: Miranda Hunt, Kylee Svetich, Tyree Svetich, Tiana Camarillo and leader Kristy Crowell.

## Garden Club plans Christmas party

The Heppner Garden Club will hold its Christmas party on Monday, Dec. 10, beginning at 7 p.m. at the St. Patrick's Senior Center.

Music will be provided by the Van Cleave family.

## Births

Andrew Alan Looslie-a son, Andrew Alan, was born to Kirk and Alisha Looslie of Kennewick, Washington, on October 22, 2001, at Kadlec Medical Center in Richland, Washington. The baby weighed 8 lbs. 4 oz.

He joins sister Shayla, 3 1/2, at home. His grandparents are Wes and Wilma Marlatt of Heppner, Dan and Carmen Looslie of Lexington, and Paul and Tari McBride, West Richland, Washington.

Miles Everett Lozier-a son, Miles Everett, was born to Larry and Starla Lozier of Kennewick, Washington, on November 23, 2001, at Kennewick General Hospital in Kennewick. The baby weighed 9 lbs. 4 oz.

He joins two sisters, Kelsie, 10, and Kaylee, six, at home. His grandparents are Wes and Wilma Marlatt of Heppner, Bob Lozier of Kennewick, Washington, and Tom and Glenda Murphy of Kennewick.

## Big second half carries

### JV girls to win

By Rick Paullus

The Heppner Mustang JV girls used a 31-9 advantage in the second half to carry them to a 46-23 win at Condon on Saturday, Dec. 1, in their first game of the season.

The Mustangs jumped out to a 7-0 lead after one, getting four points from Lindsey Mitchell, only to see the Blue Devils go on an 8-0 run to start the second to get the lead. Stefanie Hanson scored six points to help Heppner regain the lead at 15-14 at halftime.

Several steals by Shanna Rietmann and Nikki Sisk led to a 17-0 run in the third, with Rietmann scoring 13 points on six-for-six shooting. The Mustangs kept the pressure on in the fourth, getting eight points from Hanson and four

from Chantea Macaulay to get the win.

Hanson led the Mustangs with 15 points, four assists and four rebounds, with Rietmann adding 13 points, four steals, four assists and four rebounds. Brooke Rust added six points and seven rebounds; Sisk and Tiffany Piper each had four steals. Marcy Miller and Blair Keithley each grabbed four rebounds.

Statistics  
 Heppner: 7 8 17 14 - 46  
 Condon: 0 14 1 8 - 23  
 Heppner-Stefanie Hanson 5-5-11 15, Shanna Rietmann 6-1-1 13, Brooke Rust 3-0-0 6, Lindsey Mitchell 2-0-0 4, Chantea Macaulay 2-0-1 4, Marcy Miller 1-0-0 2, Chelsa Britt 1-0-0 2, Tiffany Piper 0-0-2 0, Nikki Sisk, Blair Keithley, 20-6-15 46. Three-pointers-none.  
 Condon-Humphrey 4-1-7 9, McElligott 2-1-5 5, Hawk 1-2-4 4, Farrar 0-2-7 2, McCall 0-2-6 2, Kilgore 0-1-2 1, Stark 0-0-2 0, Hardie 0-0-2 0, Barnett 0-0-1 0, Hill, Aamodt, 7-9-35 23. Three-pointers-none.

## Ione JV girls handed loss

Ione junior varsity women were no match for the Savages in a home game Saturday, Dec. 1. The Cardinals were handed a 9-46 loss by the Enterprise team.

The Savages held the Cardinals scoreless in the first quarter and allowed only four points in the second quarter, holding a 26-4 lead by the half.

Emily Key led the Cardinals with four points, four rebounds, one assist

and three steals. Meghan McCabe added three points and four rebounds. Sara Peck scored two points and captured six rebounds. Eva Chitty seized two rebounds, one assist and two steals. Barbara Holland grabbed one rebound. Alyssa Rietmann grabbed one rebound and one steal. Kim Morris snatched three rebounds and one Savage possession. Missy Baker grabbed two rebounds and Macarena Esposito delivered one assist for the Cardinals.

**Happy 18th Birthday SHELLEY RIETMANN!**

**December 6th - Thursday**  
**TOY DINNER** - bring a new unwrapped toy and receive a free spaghetti dinner. The toys will be taken to the Neighborhood Center for their Christmas baskets. They will be distributed in the Heppner, Lexington and Ione areas. Dinner will start at 6 p.m. **Memorial Service** for departed members will be held at 8 p.m. before Lodge.

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"The faults of our Members we write upon the sands;  
 Their virtues upon the tablets of love and memory"

**December 8th - Saturday**  
**Tom and Jerry Party** - beginning at 6 p.m. Dinner will also be served at 6 p.m. Chefs are ER Damon Brosnan and Joe Kenny. Barbecue steaks, oysters, catfish and scallops are on the menu. For Elks members and out-of-town guests only.

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