

## Heppner Elementary Knowledge Master team third in Oregon



Pictured (left to right): back-Jenna Bowman, Ashley Wolff, Nacho Elguezabal, Kelsey Wolff; middle-Spencer Palmer, Baillie Keithley; front-Luke Basile, Sean Murray, Justin Gutierrez, Eddie Collins, Maggie Armato, Whitney Matthews.

The Heppner Elementary School Knowledge Master team scored 81 correct out of 100 questions and placed third statewide. Immediately following the competition, team members celebrated with a lunch of pizza and pop.

The Winter Knowledge Master Open was held Jan. 23 at Heppner Elementary School. Members of the HES team were: Ashley Wolff, Nacho Elguezabal, Sean Murray, Spencer Palmer, Kelsey Wolff, Justin Gutierrez, Whitney Matthews, Baillie Keithley, Luke Basile, Eddie Collins, Jenna Bowman and Maggie Armato. Maggie served as the reader for the competition.

The Knowledge Master is a computer test, which includes questions in subjects from American history to recent events to "useless trivia". The students are tested in the areas of knowledge, comprehension, application and analysis. Team members are given two chances to get the right answer. "The members of the HES team worked well together and figured out many of the chal-

lenging questions," said HES teacher Jannie Allen. "When the question: 'What evil person did Harry Potter fight against?' The answer 'Voldemort!' was shouted by each team member in record-breaking time, which gave the students a good chuckle and served to spark them the remain-

## Wyden plans town hall meeting in Heppner

Senator Ron Wyden (D-Ore) will hold a Morrow County town hall meeting at St. Patrick's Senior Center, 182 North Main in Heppner, on Wednesday, Feb. 20, from noon to 1:30 p.m.

When first elected to the Senate, Wyden promised to host a town hall meeting in each Oregon county each year.

All Morrow County residents are invited to attend the meeting to "discuss issues of local and national importance and share their concerns for the current legislative session," according to a Wyden news release.

der of the competition," said Allen.

The young scholars are already looking forward to the Spring Knowledge Master Competition, which is set for Wednesday, March 20. "They are also looking forward to the ice cream sundaes, which follow the March event," added Allen.

## 4-H News

**Picture Perfect 4-H Photography Club**  
By Miranda Hunt, reporter

On Feb. 10, the Picture Perfect 4-H Photography Club held a meeting at leader Kristy Crowell's home. Members had pizza and a meeting. Members then went to Krebs' lambing camp and took pictures of the sheep and lambs. Members even saw a sheep have twins.

Members present were Miranda Hunt, Kim Morris, Ashley and Lynzee Sjurset, Emily Rietmann, Aidan Burt, Jordan Graff and Tiana Camarillo.

The club's next meeting will be Sunday, Feb. 24.

## Greeters welcome families

Since the formation of the Heppner Community Greeters September 20, 1999, around 40 families have been welcomed into our community life. In spite of serious illnesses, deaths, and the usual demands upon one's life, the volunteer Greeters, working under the auspices of The Chamber of Commerce, have delivered donated baskets filled with appropriate newcomer information and gifts provided by local agencies and businesses.

"Recipients of the visit and basket have been surprised and pleased to receive such a welcome and remark the visit by two Greeters indicates a personal interest in them," said a group spokesperson. "These new folks often say Heppner is a friendly community."

The stated purpose of the Heppner Community Greeters says: "To greet and inform newcomers in a way that makes them feel welcome and comfortable so they gain ownership in the community; to acknowledge the transitional moves between rural and town living by our neighbors; and to welcome the return of Heppner-born persons to the area and into community life."

## BEO to sponsor scholarship

The Bank of Eastern Oregon will again sponsor an agriculture/business scholarship for graduating seniors at Heppner, Ione, Arlington, Condon, Riverside, Spray and Wheeler County high schools, announced George Koffler, bank president. This marks the seventh year the bank has sponsored the \$500 scholarships to Morrow, Gilliam and Wheeler County students. This year the awards will total \$3,000.

Applicants must plan to enroll in college in either agriculture or business. Selection will be based on scholarship, leadership and citizenship.

Applications may be picked up from school counselors. The deadline to submit applications is Friday, May 10.

## HES team attends chess competition



Pictured (left to right): back-Mary Ann Elguezabal, Mark McCabe, Jannie Allen; seated on couch-Bo Foster, Andre Rauch, Jason Houweling; playing-Sean Murray, Nacho Elguezabal; seated on floor-Conner Pappas, Maggie Armato, Ian Murray.

Heppner Elementary "Chess For Success" members attended a competition on Saturday, Feb. 9, in Hermiston.

Members attending were Nacho Elguezabal, Andre Rauch,

## UI announces dean's list

University of Idaho in Moscow, ID, has announced its dean's list for fall semester 2001. To be on the list, students must receive a 3.3 grade point average or higher on 14 or more graded credits.

Local students who qualified are: Scott VanWinkle, college of business and economics and college of natural resources, and Matt Jepsen, college of education, both of Heppner; and Jessica Krebs, college of agricultural and life sciences, Ione.

Jason Houweling, Sean Murray, Maggie Armato, Bo Foster, Mark McCabe, Ian Murray and Connor Pappas. Chaperones were Mary Ann Elguezabal and Jannie Allen.

## Horse show may not be held

The Fair Board announces that the Morrow County Horse Show will not be held this year unless someone steps forward and volunteers to become chairman.

According to the board, Ruby Shear, "who has done an excellent job in organizing and putting on the open horse show in July," has had to resign.

Contact the Fair Office, 676-9474, if you are interested in taking on this project.

# Good Luck at the District Tournament Ione Cardinals!



Ione Cardinal Varsity Girls (L-R): back row-Head Coach Dana Heideman, Cyndi Heagy, Tracy Griffith, Kristina Powell, Barbara Holland, Natalie McElligott, Assistant Coach Ryan Rudolph; front row-Caitlin Orem, Salli McElligott, Amelina Peck, Emily Key, Diana McElligott. Not pictured: Eva Chitty, Sara Peck, Meghan McCabe.



Ione Cardinal Varsity Boys (L-R): back row-Head Coach Dennis Stefani, Adam McCabe, Ashley Roberts, Brad Burreight, Karl Morgan, Tyler Raible, Assistant Coach Scott Burreight; middle row-Cayle Krebs, Billy Gates, Adam Neiffer, Til Tullis; front row-Nick Christman, Manager Koby Rea, Andrew Rietmann. Not pictured: Mike Radie.

**IONE CARDINALS vs. DUFUR RANGERS**  
Umatilla High School, Umatilla, Oregon  
Friday, February 15th at 1:30 p.m.

**IONE CARDINALS vs. WASCO CO. REDSIDES**  
Umatilla High School, Umatilla, Oregon  
Friday, February 15th approx. 25 minutes after end of Ione girls game

## The following businesses & individuals say Good Luck at the District Tournament and ON TO THE STATE 1-A TOURNAMENT, Ione Cardinals Basketball Teams!

Tim, Shelly, Emily, Abby & Justin Key  
John, Barbara, Johnny & Adam Collin  
Bob & Bonnie Ball  
Eric, Brandi & Morgan Orem  
Steve, Camille, Amelina & Sara Peck  
Lyle & Virginia Peck  
Virgil, Debbie, Kelly, Corey & Karl Morgan  
Karl & Sierra Morgan  
Joel, Lea, Gus & Oskar Peterson  
Betty, Cody & William Bergstrom  
Gary, Becky, Jeff & Miranda Hunt  
Morrow County Grain Growers  
Les Schwab Tire Center  
Skye, Penny, Cayle & Kip Krebs  
Louis & Betty Carlson  
Dave, Debbie & Mike Radie & Ashley  
Bank of Eastern Oregon, Member F.D.I.C.  
Duane, Linda, Jacob, Adam & Paul Neiffer  
John & Gayle Eynelich  
John & Rhonda Powell & Family  
June Crowell  
Dick & Jannie Allen  
Fran & Dave Barnett  
Skip & Barbara Pettjohn  
Doug & Nancy Mckay  
Glenn, Kelly, Tracy & Jennifer Griffith  
Betty Gray  
Rod, Glenda, Jenna & Paul Taylor  
John & Linda Bristow

Bob Hubbard  
Jerry, Lisa & Ann Rietmann  
Ken & Julie Nelson  
Paul, Terry, Shannon, Kara & Tim Clay  
Dean & Florene Robinson  
Nancy, Kristen & Kara Miller  
Dale, Karen, Barbara, Stephanie & Thomas Holland  
Joe, Donna, Emily & Mary Rietmann  
Ruth McCabe  
Gregg, Shelly, Tanner & Evan Rietmann  
Buzz, Jeanette & Jim Logan  
Roland & Donna Bergstrom  
Katherine Lindstrom  
Gregg, Shelly, Tanner & Evan Rietmann  
Brian & Lori Sullivan & Family  
Terry, Ryan, Cory & Jaysi Bannetto  
Perry & Kathy Morter  
Keith, Yvonne & Austin Morter  
Scott, Cindy, Brenda, Camie, Brad, Kemmerly & Logan Burreight  
LeRoy & Betty Smith  
Gene, Kristy, Jory & Erin Crowell  
Tom, Arlynda, Charissa & Bill Gates  
Helen Pethyjohn  
Hank & Kathy Pointer  
Dennis, Janet, Jennifer, Curtis, Jason & Brendan Thompson  
Helen Crawford  
Justin, Stacie & Payton Miller  
Dennis & Janet Stefani  
Darrin & Henry Padberg  
Pete & Laurel Cannon

Frank, Cathy, Ryan & Allison Halvorsen  
Edith Matthews  
Peg Leg Farms  
Butch & Helen Heideman  
Loren & Della Heideman  
Loa & Mark Henderson  
Dana & Tonya Heideman  
Aaron & MaryJane Heideman  
Dobyns Pest Control  
Wheatland Insurance  
Jordan Elevator  
McGregor Company, Ione  
Dot Halvorsen  
Joe, Linda & Stacey Halvorsen  
Dustin, Karen, Ashley & Hannah Padberg  
Clint & Maureen Krebs & Family  
Del & Linda LaRue  
Robin & Melissa LaRue & Family  
Joe & Jeri McElligott & Family  
Paul, Charly, Jeremiah, Salli & Diana McElligott  
Joe, Anita, Marc, Caitlin & Zac Orem & Macarena  
Dick & Lo McElligott  
Ashley, Cathy, Adam & Meghan McCabe  
Marvin & Tanna Padberg  
Kevin, Lori & Megan McCabe  
Ron, Terri, Kyle & Kaylee Palmateer  
Keith & Judy Rea & Koby  
Bill Rietmann  
John, Kerry, Nathan, Jeremy & Brenna Rietmann

Dick & Nancy Snider  
Jim, Monica, Luke & Adrienne Swanson  
Dorothy Stefani  
Steve & Vicki Wagenblast  
Betty Rietmann  
Kelly, Debbie, Richard, Derek & Dalton Campbell  
Dave, Beth, Cyndi, Amanda, Tori & Aimee Heagy  
Ione Market, Norm, Barb & Brian  
Jim, Eileen, Miranda, Colin & Taylor McElligott  
Mark, Becky, Til & Cyd Tullis  
David Stevens & Cynda  
Brian, Sharon, Andrew, Allysa, Allen, Alex & Anthony Rietmann  
Ryan & Allison Rudolf & Jill  
Howard & Dianne Mullins  
Rick & Anita Peterson & Family  
Wayne, Dianna & Shawn Hams  
Les, Kim, Jared, Olivia, Kelly, Lacey & Seth Thompson  
Gar Aviation  
Jan & Bob's Signs  
John & Kathy Marick  
Ione Band  
Toni & Eva  
Bink, LynDee, R.J. & MaKenna Ramos  
Sam & Jane Esterbloom  
Loyal & Betty Burns  
Craig, Theresa, Katie, Paul & Matt Hams  
Clint, Sharon & Tiana Camarillo  
Floyd Burreight  
Bill, Joan & Tim Doherty

Ralph, Anne, Clay & Beth Morter  
Bob Perry  
Tom & Marlene Pointer  
Steve, Laurie, Brown, Aaron, Tyler & Elizabeth  
Dick & Rosie Graham  
John, Helen & Arthur Ekstrom  
Nancy & Herb Ekstrom  
Carl, Kelly, Sheena & Nick Christman  
Bill, Sharon & Kim Morris  
Don & Eunice McElligott  
Gerald & Linda Wilson  
Henry & Robin Krebs & Missy  
Gary, Suzanne, Emily & Amanda Rea  
Office Cafe  
John & Chris Mollahan  
Rudy & Jackie Bergstrom  
Devin Oil Co.  
Murray's  
Steve, Rose & Grace Crum  
Fred & Mary Sherman  
John, Janna, Jamie & Julianna VandenBrink  
Anda Kay, B.E.O. Financial Services  
Lacey, Leah & Lindsey Walchli  
Stan, Teena, Tyler, Alex & Haylea Fetterhoff  
Steve, Nadine & Gene Ball  
Craig, Janet, Steven, Emily & Rachel Holland  
Chuck & Deena Starr  
Jason, Shilo, Kylee & Tyree Svetich  
The Raible Family  
Nathan & Brandi Heideman