

Local student earns scholarship

Adam McCabe of Ione recently received a \$1,000 scholarship from Croplan Genetics as part of the company's "Careers in Agriculture" scholarship program.



Adam McCabe

McCabe was among 50 high school seniors given the award. A total of 650 students in 37 states applied for the scholarship. Participants had to indicate their plans to enroll in a two or four-year agronomy or livestock curriculum next fall, supply

general information about themselves and write a short essay entitled, "Why I am interested in a career in agriculture."

The awards are based on leadership activities and students' long-term goals. The goal of the program is to encourage more young people to pursue these careers.

McCabe is the son of Cathleen and Ashley McCabe of Ione.

Croplan Genetics is a full line seed company serving Agriliance, LLC, an agronomy marketing joint venture between Land O'Lakes, Inc., Cenex Harvest States Cooperatives and Farmland Industries.

Concerts in the Park 2002



Steve and Shelley Hines

The Willow Valley Service Club and the Morrow County Unified Recreation District will host three free-to-the-public concerts in conjunction with Concerts in the Park in 2002.

The first concert will be held in Lexington on Wednesday, June 19, at 6:30 p.m. at the grassy area park behind the Lexington School District offices, and will feature the singer-songwriter duo of Steve and Shelley Hines. They will perform a range of music styles from contemporary to western. Steve and Shelley met in 1982 and almost immediately began singing and harmonizing, creating their own unique style. Public performances began in 1994. Everyone is welcome to attend. Bring lawn chairs and blankets and enjoy the evening.

In July, local singers Joe and Leanne Lindsay will be the featured entertainment in Heppner. In August, a concert will be held in Ione.

The Willow Valley Service Club meets the first three Thursdays of each month at John's Other Place in Heppner for a no-host lunch. The club welcomes new members anytime.

For more information about the concerts, call Sherree Mahoney at 676-5876 or Judie Laughlin at 676-9781. For membership information, call Carolyn Wiley, president, at 676-9749 or Margo Sherer, treasurer, at 422-7428.

Jack and Jill golf tournament

The Willow Creek Country Club golfers will have a Jack and Jill mini-tournament on Friday, June 14, at 6 p.m.

The tournament will involve male and female couples playing in a nine-hole modified couples type of play with the format determined by the committee in charge. There will be prizes for low scores and special events.

Cost will be \$3 per couple for members and \$10 per couple for non-members.

The committee in charge will provide light snacks. Hosting this event are Duane and Robanai Disque, Mike and Barb Orwick, and Jeff and Missy Cutsforth

Marriage Licenses

June 10: Jason John Trickel, 22, Heppner; and Deana Rae Hendricks, 22, Heppner.

WC Country Club to hold barbecue

The Willow Creek Country Club will hold a family barbecue on Sunday, June 23, at 4 p.m. Men and women are invited to play, with the type of play to be determined by the committee in charge.

Each family must bring their own meat to the barbecue. Those whose last names begin with "A" through "K" are asked to bring salad; and "L" through "Z", dessert.

Hosts will be Rusty and Cyde Estes, Dave and Patti Allstott, Clyde and Jackie Allstott, and Bob and George Nairns.

J H Track Championship held

The Junior High Track Championship was held at Umatilla on May 10. Heppner Junior High School had a total of 21 athletes attending.

During the season, the seventh grade students ran against sixth, seventh and eighth grade students. During the championship, sixth and seventh graders ran against sixth and seventh graders. Heppner's track team consisted seventh and eighth graders only.

The seventh grade track boys captured the team championship title out of the 10 teams participating. The 10 boys competing scored 102 points. Susan Hisler coached the team.

Following are the seventh grade boys' championship meet results: Justin Delveaux-4x100 relay, second place, 4x200 relay, third, javelin, sixth; Drew Prindle-300m hurdles, third, 4x100 relay, fourth, 4x200 relay, third; Justin Gregory-4x100 relay, second, 4x200 relay, third; Colten Hanson-4x100 relay, fourth; Brendan McElligott-800m, champion 2:24.75, 1500m, champion, 5:03.92, 4x100 relay, second, triple jump, second, (he also had the most points with 30); Casey O'Neal-high jump, third, 4x100 relay, second, 4x200 relay, third, triple jump, sixth; Che Green-4x100 relay, fourth; Caleb O'Neal-4x100 relay, fourth, 200m, sixth, 300m hurdles, third; Bryson Wood-400m, champion, 1:02, 200m, second, 100m, seventh, long jump, fourth, (Wood also broke the school record in the javelin earlier in the season); Quinn Peck-100m, sixth, discus, seventh.

The Heppner eighth grade boys were fourth in the team standings at the championship. Results were: Robert Worden-800m, third, 1500m, third; Daniel Wilhelm-300m hurdles, sixth, 100m hurdles, fourth, 400m, sixth; Sloan Keithley-800m, fifth, triple jump, seventh, 4x200 relay, third; Peter Geer, who was injured, still lead in points with 15.5 and placed in these events-discus, champion, shot put, fifth, 4x200 relay, third; Terrence Parret-200m, eighth, 4x200 relay, third; Riley Wight-200m, fifth, 4x200 relay, third.

One eighth grade girl competed at the championship. Krystal Nairns was seventh in shot put, eighth in discus, fifth in 4x100 relay and sixth in 4x200 relay.

Seventh grade girls ran against eighth grade girls in relays only. Results are as follows:

Lyndi Patton-400m, fourth, 4x100 relay, fifth, 4x100 relay, sixth; Mahaley Huddleston-shot put, second, discus, sixth, 4x100 relay, fifth, 4x200 relay, sixth; Regi Seitz-discus, third, 4x100 relay, fifth, 4x200 relay, sixth; Megan Gaines-long jump, eighth.

Candle order deadline

The deadline to place candle orders for the Willow Creek Water Park matching fundraiser is Saturday, June 15. Candles sell for \$8 with \$2 to be donated to the park or \$18 with \$3 to be donated. The jar candles come in a variety of scents and can be ordered by calling Sarah Collier, Independent Displayer for Home Interiors and Gifts at 676-8033. All orders will be delivered by June 28.

Local man listed on Honor Roll

Michael Schonbacher of Heppner is listed on the 2002 spring semester President's Honor Roll at the University of Wyoming. The President's Honor Roll consists of undergraduates who earned a 4.0 grade point average for the semester. To be eligible, students must have been enrolled for a minimum of 12 credit hours taken for letter grades.

The school is located in Laramie, WY.

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Ione Legion and Auxiliary news

The Ione Legion held a Memorial Day service at the flagpole on the Ione school grounds. An honor guard of veterans marched from the Legion Hall to the school. Conrad Tworek introduced the speaker for the day, Assistant Director of the Pendleton Air Museum, John Tillman of Athena. Joel Barnett led the group in a prayer. Red roses were presented to the survivors of the veterans listed on the memorial plaque. Tom Bedortha played Taps. The Legion Auxiliary served coffee and donuts after the service. Salli McElligott gave a report on her attendance at Girls State last year. Delegates this year are Caitlin Orem and Diana McElligott.

The Auxiliary sold poppies in Ione, Lexington and Arlington. The annual poppy poster contest was held for the kindergarten through third grade. Winners were: kindergarten-Emily Holland; first grade-Lacey Thompson; second grade-Jordan Peterson; and third grade-Jake Working.

The Auxiliary held their final meeting of the year on June 4 at the hall. It was decided to have a float in the Fourth of July parade. The day was spent clipping coupons for servicemen overseas.

New mobile dog grooming business



Jonathan Nunamaker with his mobile dog-grooming salon, Wash-n-Waggin.

Jonathan Nunamaker, a certified groomer has brought a unique business to Morrow County. Wash-n-Waggin, a mobile dog-grooming salon is located in Nunamaker's 1969 van.

Nunamaker, who has been grooming for several years, and his wife Lea, recently returned to Morrow County from the Napa Valley area of California. Their classic van is now equipped with all the necessities to groom

customers' dogs virtually anywhere including a tub with hot water, dryer, a table and arm.

"Mobile dog grooming businesses are a convenience of big cities, however, my husband feels that it will be a welcomed service to the rural areas of Morrow County," said Lea.

The Nunamaker's reside in Boardman and can be reached at 541-481-PETS (7387). "We are pleased to serve all of Morrow County and other outside areas," said Lea.

Troedson fund awards grants

The selection committee for the Carl W. Troedson Educational Fund has awarded grants-in-aid in the amount of \$700 to the following Morrow County high school seniors for the 2002-2003 school year:

Heppner High School-Meghan Bailey, Jonathan Bennett, Bradley Bowman, Jodie Carlson, Stefan Matheny, Shelley Rietmann, Brian Rust and Samuel Van Liew; Ione High School-Cynthia Heagy, Adam McCabe, Colin McElligott, Adam Neiffer, Amellia Peck and Kristina Powell; Riverside High School, Boardman-Sarah Beatty, Matthew Gordanier, Shannon Wetherell and Sara Yoder.

These grants are awarded from a fund provided by the last will and testament of Troedson, a prominent wheat rancher of the Ione area.

These students will be eligible to apply for renewal of their grants in the following years of their college or training programs provided that they maintain good academic standing during their first year of post high school study.

The selection committee consists of the Morrow County School District Assistant Superintendent, the Pastor of the Valby Lutheran Church, and the Morrow County Judge, as specified in Troedson's will.

Elks Father's Day Picnic this Sunday

On Sunday, June 16, the Heppner Elks Lodge will again host the annual Father's Day Picnic at Anson Wright Park for all current Elk members and their families. The festivities will begin

at 11 a.m. with hot dogs and beverages provided by the Elks. Salads and desserts are potluck. Games and fun for all ages will be held. Coins in the straw, egg toss, football accuracy competition, softball and the annual horseshoe-pitching match are all on the schedule. "Pack up the kids, head to the mountains and enjoy a day with the family and have some outdoor fun," said a spokesperson.

DA's Report

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

-Gina Denise Martinez plead no contest to reckless burning. Martinez was sentenced to 180 days in jail, suspended on the condition that she complete 36 months probation and pay \$4,639 restitution.

-Juvenal Amaya Cruz plead guilty to two counts of harassment. One count was dismissed. Cruz was sentenced to 90 days in jail, suspended on the condition that the defendant complete 24 months probation, 40 hours community service, attend anger management classes and pay \$374 in fines.

-Felipe Resendez-Salas plead guilty to unlawful possession of a forged instrument. Resendez-Salas was sentenced to 180 days in jail, suspended on the condition that he complete 24 months probation and pay \$374 in fines.

-Kevin Phillip Clark plead guilty to two counts of possession of a controlled substance. One count was dismissed. Clark was sentenced to 18 months probation, 40 hours community service, and \$664 in fines and is required to obtain treatment from Morrow County Behavioral Health.

-Sergio Luis Pott plead guilty to Assault-4. Pott was sentenced to 180 days in jail, suspended on the condition that he complete two years probation and pay \$124 in fines.

SonCanyon River Adventure at Lexington Baptist

Lexington Baptist Church invites all local children to be a part of the SonCanyon River Adventure. SonCanyon River Adventure begins Monday, June 17 and continues through Friday, June 21 at Lexington Baptist Church, 170 B Street Lexington, from 6:30-8 p.m.

"This year's Vacation Bible School promises to be an adventure the children will never forget," said Pastor Glenn Anderson of Lexington Baptist. "SonCanyon provides Bible teaching with a river rafting theme. Children will have a great adventure singing, watching skits, creating crafts and playing games. But most important, they will discover survival skills for living from the book of Proverbs. We are looking forward to sharing this exciting event with the children and parents in our area. We hope they all will join us at SonCanyon River Adventure as we learn what the Bible says about making wise life choices."

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June 13th ~ Thursday Ladies Night and Flag Day Service. Sally Walker and crew will be serving Orange Basalmic Chicken, Fried Rice, Veggie, Salad, Rolls and Dessert. Dinner will start at 6 p.m. Flag Day Service will be held upstairs with the presentation of flags by the Club Scout Pack #661, American Legion Color Guard and music by the Methodist Church Choir. Lodge will follow starting at 8 p.m.

June 16 ~ Sunday Annual Elks Picnic at Anson Wright Park. Hot dogs and beverages provided. Please bring your favorite salad or dessert for the potluck. Will have games for the kids and horseshoes. Picnic starts around 11 a.m.

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Foot Pain?
Dr. Donald J. Carlson, Foot Specialist will be at the Pioneer Memorial Clinic on June 19th for the diagnosis of this and other foot problems.
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