

Fair open class winners announced

By Renee Yocum

There were a lot of winners this year at the fair.

In the Oregon Best Contest Meredith Walters won first place for her Shrimp Salad Recipe and for her Blueberry Cupcakes. Sarah Carlson and Jane Dean won second and third, respectively for their cupcakes also. The winners for Bob's Best Home Bake Bread were Bonnie Wenberg, first, and Nancy Jepsen, second. Tina Palmer won for her corn muffins in Santiam's Super Muffins Corn Recipe.

One of the most popular Oregon Best Contests is the Watermelon Seed Spitting Contest. In the Seven and Under category, Macy Gibbs spit 12' 3"; Brandon Davis won the 8-15 year olds with a distance of 20'; Sue Gibbs won the women's division with 19' and Mario Magan won the men's division with 26'.

The winners of the Sweepstakes this year received a \$25 gift certificate from The Morrow County Fair Board. In the Food Department, Laura Sager, from Lexington, won for her rolls with honey. Jane Pope, of Boardman, won photography for her Cathedral Rock photo. Judy Buschke, of Heppner, won Art for her fall scene Painting with an elk. She also won Anne's Favorite for this painting. In Canning, Mary West, of Heppner, had a very unique entry of Dandelion Jelly. Clothing went to Meghan Unruh, of Heppner, for a doll outfit she sewed. David Estes, of Irrigon, did Needlework of a horse with stage picture. Judy Yoder, of Boardman, won quilts for a Queens Quilt.

Dorothy Green, of Heppner, grew pears this year to win Fruits and Rebecca Jepsen, of Heppner, grew carrots in Vegetables. In Flowers, Terry Tallman, of Boardman, had a gorgeous Cocks Comb flower. In the three kids departments, Skyler Hawks, Evan Unruh, and Mike Angel, all of Heppner, won. Skyler had a Blue Ceramic Pig, Evan had a Cutpaper Construction picture and Mike had a ceramic of a Mountain Man. All these winners will have their names and a picture of the item put in the curio cabinet by the Fair Office for people to see.

The People's Choice

Award in Art was won by Robert Harrison, and Molly Day won the Morrow County Creative Arts Award for the most ribbons in that department.

Kirsten Harrison won people's Choice in Photography. The Best Overall Sweepstakes in the Community Booths went to Morrow County Courthouse Centennial. They had a detailed model of the courthouse.

Heppner Garden Club's awards for Best Horticulture and most blue ribbons went to Terry Tallman, of Boardman. Best Arrangement and The Jane Rawlins Memorial went to Pam Worden, of Heppner.

There were a lot of Open Class animals, from large to small. There were over 30 Poultry entries and 18 Rabbits this year. In Beef the Champion Female was Claire Grieb's three-year-old cow. While Logan Grieb won reserve with his two year old cow. Natalie Rauch won Champion in Bred Yearling Heifer (shorthorn). Devin Robinson got Champion for Jr. Bred Yearling Heifer (polled). In Swine Thomas Holland and Kelly Lieb received Grand Champion for their animals. Thomas had a gilt and Kelly had a market hog. Macy Gibbs won Best of Show Chicken for her Black Australorp Pullet and Reserve for her Barred Rock Pen. Kathy Tellechea won Best of Show for her solid black Mini-Rex. Pam Renfro won Reserve for her Agouti Mini Lop.

Heppner Garden Club holds annual fall potluck

The Heppner Garden Club will be meeting at St. Patrick's Senior Center, at 6:30 p.m., on Monday, Sept. 9. They will be having their Annual Fall Potluck, with the officers hosting.

The program has been changed because of medical problems. Instead, there will be a series introduction on the fall and winter videotape classes on gardening. Everyone is welcome to attend.

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Christman to talk about trip to India

Sheena Christman, of Ione, will talk about her mission trip to India on Sunday, Sept. 8, at 10:30 a.m., at Christian Life Center in Heppner. Sheena, 17, traveled to India this past summer where she spent eight weeks working at the Michael Job Centre, a girls' orphanage, in Coimbatore, India. Sheena is the daughter of Carl and Kelly Christman of Ione.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Rhea Creek Social Club to meet

The Rhea Creek Social Club will meet on Wednesday, Sept. 11, at 10 a.m., at GD's in Heppner.

At the meeting Flossie Watkins will display her crafts.

Everyone is welcome to the first meeting of the year.

WCCC golf results

Willow Creek Country Club ladies played Thursday, Aug. 29. The results are as follows:

-low gross: Shari Stahl and Luvilla Sonstegard
-low net: Kathy Cutsforth
-least putts: Mary Kincaid and Loa Henderson
-chip in: Loa Henderson,
#10

-longest putt: Elaine Miller

DA's Report

Matt Byron Phillips admitted to violation of probation allegations for delivery of a controlled substance. Phillips' probation was revoked and reinstated with credit for all time served, and he was sentenced to 30 days in jail.

SMCST announces scholarship winner

The South Morrow County Scholarship Trust has announced that Matthew Jepsen has received the Elizabeth Slottee Memorial Scholarship. Jepsen is in his fourth year as a student in the Lionel Hampton School of Music at the University of Idaho. He is working towards a degree in music education, with additional emphasis in music theory. Jepsen is the son of Nancy and Bill Jepsen, of Heppner.

The Elizabeth Slottee Memorial Scholarship is given annually to a junior, senior or graduate student majoring or minoring in music, or a student who has been accepted into the school of education.

Births

Zachary Bryce Conklin - a son, Zachary Bryce Conklin, was born Aug. 23, 2002, at Good Samaritan Hospital in Portland, to Mark and Shannon Conklin, of Beaverton. The baby weighed 8 pounds, 11 ounces and was 21-1/2 inches long. Grandparents are Dale and Linda Conklin of Heppner and Shane and Gloria O'Neill of LaPine. Great-grandparents are Vernon and Iris Adkins, of Union.

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Sheriff's Report

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

-MCSO deputy arrested Michael Steven Moore, 19, on a Heppner Justice Court warrant for Failure to Appear/Forgery I and on a Morrow County Circuit Court warrant for Failure to Appear/Burglary I, Theft III. He was lodged at the Umatilla County Jail with \$6,000 bail.

-MCSO received a report from a caller in Irrigon that the people who sent off an alarm at a residence the past week were back again in the area.

-MCSO deputy cited and released Tami Rochelle Graves, 31, on a Heppner Justice Court warrant for Failure to Pay Fine/Endangering the Welfare of a Minor-Alcohol.

-MCSO received a report from a caller in Heppner of an unknown trailer with a jet ski on it parked in his driveway.

-MCSO deputy cited Michael Steven Moore, 19, for Unauthorized Use of a Motor Vehicle.

July 26: MCSO deputy cited Sabrina Marie Humphreys, 28, for No Operator's License.

MCSO, Boardman Police Dept., Boardman Ambulance received a report from a caller in Boardman that an 89-year-old female had fallen. She was breathing and semi-conscious. The patient was transported to Good Shepherd Medical Center in Hermiston.

-MCSO, Oregon State Police received a report from a caller in Irrigon that two four-wheelers had been stolen.

-MCSO, Boardman Police Dept. received a report of a burglar alarm activation at BLD Pacific Grain in Boardman. It was a false alarm.

-MCSO received a report from a caller at the Chevron station in Heppner that a vehicle had parked in the way all night.

-MCSO received a relayed report from a subject in Irrigon that checks were stolen from his vehicle.

-MCSO, Arlington and Ione Fire depts. received a report of a flare-up of a fire at the Logan residence.

-Boardman Police Dept. officer cited Beau Donald Knight, 25, for Offensive Littering.

-MCSO received a report from a caller in Irrigon that the neighbor's dogs were running loose. It is an on-going problem.

-MCSO received a report from a caller in Irrigon that someone ran an extension cord from her residence and is stealing electricity.

-MCSO received a report of an alarm in a shop in Irrigon. It was a false alarm; a family member set off the alarm.

-MCSO received a request for deputy contact in Ione regarding a civil standby. The caller was advised to have a family member stand by.

-MCSO deputy cited a 16-year-old male juvenile for Violating the Restrictions of Provisional License.

-Boardman Police Dept. officer cited a 16-year-old male juvenile for Violation of the Basic Rule, 50 mph in a 35 mph zone and Disobeying a Traffic Control Device.

-MCSO received a report from a caller in Morgan that a trespasser was on the property while they were gone.

-MCSO, Boardman Police Dept. received a report from a

caller in Boardman of kids throwing rocks.

-Boardman Police Dept. cited William Charles Reed, Jr., 23, for Driving while License Suspended and Driving Uninsured. The vehicle was impounded.

-MCSO deputy cited a juvenile subject for Violating the Restrictions of Provisional License.

-MCSO received a report from a caller in Boardman that she found stolen property dumped in her yard.

-MCSO received a report from a caller in Heppner that a male subject was drinking and arguing about his grandson. Another male subject was also at the scene.

July 27: MCSO received a report from a caller on I-84 eastbound of two vehicles traveling at extreme rates of speed.

-MCSO deputy cited Christy Lee Virgil, 45, for DUI, Failure to Re-register Vehicle and Driving Uninsured. The vehicle was towed.

-MCSO, Oregon State Police received a report from a caller on I-84 of a male subject on the on-ramp who jumped in front of the caller's vehicle.

-MCSO received a report of a loose dog in the West Glenn Addition. A deputy was unable to locate the dog.

-MCSO received a report of an injured deer on Highway 730.

-MCSO received a report from a caller in Ione that he was receiving threats from his wife.

-MCSO received a report from a caller in Irrigon that a black dog scratched her nephew. No medical attention was required.

-MCSO deputy reported he found a box of children's clothing on Highway 74 at the Kinzua Mill site. The property was returned.

-MCSO received a report from a caller at Blakes Ranch that horses were loose in the area.

-MCSO deputy cited James Roger Rose, 65, for Passing in a No-Passing Zone.

-MCSO deputy cited Fred Randall Hekking, 42, for Violation of the Basic Rule, 72 mph in a 55 mph zone and No Valid Operator's License.

-MCSO deputy arrested Marco Antonio Abarca Martinez, 32, on a Umatilla County warrant for Failure to Appear/Aggravated Theft I, Criminal Mischief I. He was lodged at the Umatilla County Jail with \$100,000 bail.

-MCSO, Boardman Police Dept. received a report from a caller in Boardman that a bicycle was stolen.

-MCSO, Boardman Police Dept. received a report from a caller in Boardman of a verbal domestic dispute with her husband. Officer contact was requested.

-MCSO deputy arrested Jonathan Cory Wisner, 18, for Harassment. He was cited and released with \$3,000 bail.

July 28: -MCSO received a report from a caller in Ione that a suspicious vehicle was following her in Ione. The caller called back and said she was home but had been followed by four vehicles. The caller was recontacted; the caller did not need a deputy contact currently. She was advised to call if further assistance was required.

-MCSO deputy reported an intoxicated male subject walking down a street in Irrigon. The subject was given a ride home.

-Boardman Police Dept. officer cited Jesus Martinez Olguin, 26, for DUII (BAC .12).

-MCSO, Boardman Police Dept. received a relayed report of several subjects running from a residence in Boardman. The back door was open and a window broken. The house was checked and was clear. The officers progressed to an MIP party with multiple vehicles at the scene; no one would answer the door. Contact was attempted with the owners of the vehicles to come pick up their family members/vehicles. The only adult subject at the MIP party had been belligerent to an officer at the Boardman Marina; the Parole and Probation officer was contacted.

-MCSO, Boardman Police Dept. received a report from a caller in Boardman of very loud music coming from two houses

away. The caller later called back and said the music stopped.

-MCSO deputy arrested Tony Lee Kellar, 29, for Criminal Mischief II, Domestic Violence Menacing and Domestic Harassment. He was lodged at the Umatilla County Jail with \$21,000 bail, 10 percent okay.

-MCSO received a report of theft of items from a boat moored at the Irrigon Marina.

-MCSO, Heppner Public Works Dept. received a report of a fire hydrant leaking in front of the courthouse. It was determined the hydrant was not leaking.

-MCSO received a request for a deputy contact from a caller in Irrigon regarding a juvenile male who slammed his head into her son's pickup the previous night at the festival at the Irrigon Marina.

-MCSO received a relayed report from a caller that his boat came off its mooring and was drifting out into the Columbia River from the fish hatchery. His wife and a 12 year old child were swimming out to get the boat but they were so far out he couldn't see them anymore. The caller borrowed a boat, retrieved the swimmers and retrieved the errant boat.

-MCSO, Oregon State Police received a relayed report of a female subject in Irrigon who was in a house and two male subjects were trying to break in. It was determined to be a property dispute.

-MCSO, Oregon State Police received a report from a juvenile caller in Irrigon that her mother assaulted her and threw her on the couch. The mother called to report her 14 year old daughter had hit her nine year old brother in the head with a rock and was out of control. The daughter left the house heading downtown.

-MCSO received a report from the Umatilla Police Dept. that Miguel Fuentes Carrillo, 28, was arrested on an Irrigon Justice Court warrant for Failure to Pay Fine/No Angling License with \$439 in bail, paid in full.

-Boardman Police Dept. officer advised that the phone was out at the Boardman 76 station; someone cut the lines.

-MCSO, Boardman Police and Fire depts. received a report of three small fires near Highway 730. Power poles and a hay field were threatened. Umatilla Electric and ODOT were notified.

-MCSO received a report from a caller in Irrigon that her car stereo had been stolen sometime after 12 noon.

-MCSO, Boardman Police Dept. officers arrested a male subject on an Irrigon Justice Court warrant for Contempt of Court.

-MCSO received a report from Josephine County Sheriff's Office that a male subject was arrested on an Irrigon Justice Court warrant for Failure to Appear/Failure to Perform Duties of a Driver. He was lodged at the Jackson County Jail.

July 31: -MCSO deputy arrested Jerame Joseph Cadek, 29, on an Irrigon Justice Court warrant for Failure to Pay Fine/Driving while License Suspended-Misdemeanor. He was lodged at the Umatilla County Jail.

-MCSO deputy arrested Marcus Andreas East, 40, for DUII (BAC .20), Open Container and Illegal Parking. The vehicle was impounded.

-MCSO deputy cited Edigar Morales Pineda, 29, for Disobeying a Traffic Control Device (Stop Sign).

-MCSO deputy cited Victor Manuel Landeros Naverro, 36, for No Operator's License, No Insurance, and Defective Equipment. The vehicle was impounded.

-MCSO, Boardman Police Dept., Boardman ambulance received a request for an ambulance at the Econolodge in Boardman for a 51 year old diabetic male who had been ill all morning. The patient was transported to Good Shepherd Medical Center in Hermiston.

-MCSO received relayed information regarding a set of lost keys reported to the Boardman Police Dept. There was also a military ID on the keyring.

-MCSO, Boardman Police Dept. received a relayed report of a male subject driving a pickup with a 40 oz. beer in his lap.

<p>Pearl Harbor December 7, 1941</p> <p>Pearl of beauty, pearl of life within your channel deep. Rest the men and tools of war for you and God to keep. From northern skies feel death and strife as history wrote by early light a tearful memory tale. What valor is there to be found in tragic human loss? Men must begin to live as one - no matter what the cost. For all who died that Sunday morn, we bow our heads and pray. For them, please grant them peace, for us, a better way.</p> <p><i>Submitted by George Jefferies, veteran of Pearl Harbor</i></p>	<p>New York World Trade Center September 11, 2001</p> <p>Towers of beauty, towers of strength rest in rubble deep - with men, women and children for our Lord God to keep. From eastern skies fell death and strife - as history wrote by morning light, a deadly terrorist attack. What valor is there to be found in tragic human loss? Man must begin to live as one - no matter what the cost. For all who died that Tuesday morn, we bow our heads and pray. For them, please grant them peace, for us, a better way.</p>
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