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Birth Announcement

Joseph Andrew Albitre IV - Kathleen and Joe Albitre announce the birth of their son, Joseph Andrew Albitre IV. He was born on Tuesday, February 12, 2008 at Good Samaritan Hospital in Portland.

At birth he weighed nine pounds, seven ounces. Grandparents are Greg and Janet Greenup of Heppner, Angie Tiglio of Pendleton, and Joe and Sheila Albitre of Bakersfield, CA. Great-grandparents are Bill and Pat Gentry of Heppner and Ella Tiglio of Pendleton.

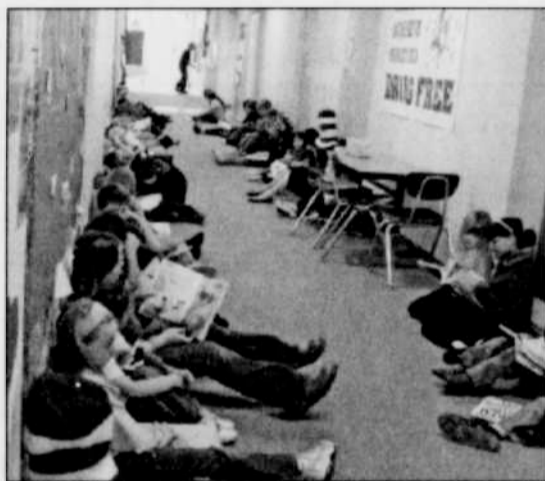
Birth Announcement

KyLee Mae Clark-Henderson - Miranda Henderson and Mike Clark announce the birth of a daughter, KyLee Mae Clark-Henderson on Monday, February 18, 2008 at 10:24 p.m. She joins her parents and sister, Savannah Marie, at the family home in Ridgefield, WA.

At birth she weighed seven pounds, five ounces and was 20 inches in length. Grandparents are Annlynette Cline and James W. Henderson, and honorary grandfather Lindsay Kincaid. Great-grandparents are James and Dora Starr and Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Lee Cline.

Ione Community School participates in Read Across America

Read Across America and Dr. Seuss's birthday were celebrated Thursday, February 28, at Ione Elementary. Students in kindergarten through fifth grades were encouraged to dress as their favorite book character, while the staff wore their Read Across America T-shirts.



Students line the hall to read on Thursday, February 28.

Student, staff and parents enjoyed a delicious lunch of Green Eggs and Ham. Desert was a special birthday

cake for Dr. Seuss purchased with previous years carnival funds.

Lunch was followed by a multi-grade partner reading activity. Students and books lined the elementary hallway with rhymes bouncing all around.

Even Ione's senior class became involved when they paired up with a kindergarten buddy to read one more book.

The day was wrapped up with students watching their favorite Dr. Seuss video.

Obituaries

Noah Matthew Burke

Noah Matthew Burke, 4, died Monday, March 3, 2008 following an accidental drowning near his home north of Ione. Memorial service will be held 11 a.m. Saturday, March 8, at the Ione Community Church. A private family burial will be held at High View Cemetery in Ione.

Noah was born March 3, 2004 at Port Angeles, WA the son of Kenneth M. and Sara K. Jones Burke. The family moved to the Ione area in 2007. Noah attended the Creative Care Preschool in Ione. He enjoyed spending time with his Mom, Dad and his sister Chloe. Noah loved to run, ride his bicycle and explore his environment, he enjoyed

the horses and cows roaming around the farm.

Survivors include: his parents Ken and Sara Burke of Ione; sister, Chloe Burke of Ione; maternal grandparents, Mark and Lee Anderson of Santa Rosa, CA; and paternal grandparent, Douglas Burke of Port Angeles, WA. Noah was preceded in death by his paternal grandmother Bertha Burke.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Noah M. Burke Memorial Fund, c/o Bank of Eastern Oregon, PO Box 106, Ione, OR 97843.

Sweeney Mortuary of Heppner is in charge of arrangements.

Boardman Police apprehend man suspected of car break-ins

On Thursday, March 6, at about 7:15 pm, the City of Boardman Police Department received information concerning a man entering several vehicles parked in the area of Kinkade Street, which is located within the City of Boardman. Additionally, the caller reported witnessing the man rummaging through the vehicles. Because of this concerned citizen immediately calling 911 and reporting this suspicious activity police were able to apprehend the man, identified as Michael Mullican age 24, near the scene. The citizen was also able to identify Mr. Millican as the suspect he saw getting into the vehicles.

The City of Boardman has recently had a rash of car break-ins in which items have been stolen. Several of the vehicles entered were left unlocked with items of value left in plain view. "Please remember to never leave items of value in your vehicle and always lockup your vehicle at night," said Boardman Police Chief John Zeiler. He said it was an observant Boardman citizen who made it possible to apprehend the suspect in this incident. Without concerned citizens, criminals find easy prey in a community.

Chief Zeiler added "Please remember to always report any unusual activity you may see in your neighborhood; criminals tend to stay away from communities that are proactive against crime."

Hermiston hotel offering discount rate for St. Pat's weekend

Hermiston Comfort Inn & Suites is offering discounted rates to our guests since our local motel is full. To book a room call 541-564-5911 and ask for the Heppner discount. There will also be a shuttle available from the suites at the following times: from Comfort Suites to Heppner 9 a.m., 11 a.m., 3 p.m., 6 p.m. and return back to Hermiston around 10:30 pm Saturday night.

Boardman Council promotes city manager pro tem

The Boardman City Council met in executive session Tuesday night to discuss City Manager Pro Tem, Karen Pettigrew. During the regular session the Council voted unanimously to elevate Ms. Pettigrew to City Manager and authorized Mayor Glenn to negotiate a contract with her.

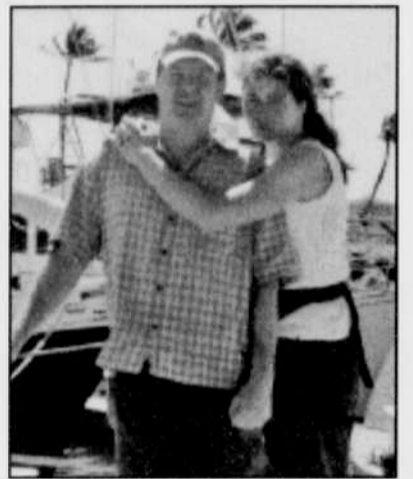
Pettigrew has been serving as City Manager Pro Tem for just over six months since former City Manager Rex Mather retired.

In other City news, the Council approved renewing a contract for flag displays with Boy Scout Troop 602 and signing a contract with Tashman Johnson LLC to assist the City in preparing a revised Urban Renewal Plan. The Council approved a liquor license request for the new owners of Lynard's Spud Cellar. Work is continuing on the Interchange Area Management Plan as well as a tree planting project on NE and NW Front Streets.

The next regular City Council meeting will be Tuesday, March 18, at 7 p.m. at Boardman City Hall.

Gardner, Huff to marry March 29

Buffy Marie Gardner of Powell Butte and William Huff of Bend announce their upcoming marriage on Saturday, March 29, at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Prineville.



William Huff and Buffy Marie Gardner

Gardner is the daughter of Pamela Gardner of Appleton, WI and Harry Gardner of Vancouver, WA. She is currently employed at St. Charles in Redmond as an ICU-RN.

Huff is the son of the Nola Huff of Lonerock and the late William Huff. He is currently employed at Air Transport International of Toledo, OH

as a pilot. The couple plan to make their home in Lonerock.

DA's Report

Morrow County District Attorney Elizabeth Ballard has released the following report:

-James Carter, 63, was convicted of failure to register as a sex offender, a class A misdemeanor and was sentenced to 180 days in jail with 180 days suspended, 12 months bench probation, complete 40 hours of community service, other numerous conditions, and pay \$988 in fines, fees and assessments.

-Delbert Allen Piper, 71, was convicted of criminal trespass in the second degree, a class C misdemeanor. The count was discharged.

-Michael Lee Staggs was convicted of attempting to elude a police officer and was sentenced to six months in jail with 12 months post-prison supervision. He was also convicted of theft in the first degree and was sentenced to 13 months in jail with 12 months post-prison supervision.



In Loving Memory of Kenneth Deane Graves
2-23-67 ~ 3-17-06

A - is for always thinking of others
N - is for numerous kind acts
G - is for going above and beyond
E - is for endless devotion
L - is for how much you are loved

It's been two years Little Kenny since you left us. The missing spoke in the wheel is like your empty chair. They can never be replaced. We love and miss you more and more every day. R.I.P.

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