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Chamber Lunch to host Reclaim Technologies speakers

Next week's Chamber Lunch meeting will be held on Thursday, October 16. The guest speakers will be from Reclaim Technologies.

Bill Langley, plant manager, Renee Gastineau, public relations and Michael Tover from the main office in Bellevue will be making a presentation, talk about their

company and share some interesting tidbits. Please RSVP your attendance by Wednesday afternoon.

Also, if you haven't sent in an RVSP for the tour of the tree farm, this is your opportunity. The group will leave at 8 a.m. and will return around 1 p.m. Lunches will be provided for \$5 for those who are interested.

DA's Report

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

-Tyler Mason Bradford, 22, was convicted of harassment, a Class B misdemeanor, and was sentenced to 90 days with 90 days suspended, 12 months bench probation, complete 20 hours of community service, other numerous conditions, and pay \$588 in fines, fees and assessments.

-Richard Frank Flaiz, 60, was convicted of sexual abuse in the third degree, a

Class A misdemeanor, and was sentenced to 180 days with 180 days suspended, 24 months bench probation, other numerous conditions, and pay \$975 in fines, fees, and assessments.

-James Leroy Carter, 64, was convicted of failure to register mis. sex offender, a Class A misdemeanor, and was sentenced to 180 days with 170 days suspended, 24 months bench probation, complete 40 hours of community hours, other numerous conditions, and pay \$413 in fines, fees, and assessments.

-Suzanne Lea McClellan, 46, was convicted of DUII, a Class A misdemeanor, and was sentenced to three years driver's license suspension, 180 days with 120 days suspended, 24 months bench probation, complete 40 hours of community service, other numerous conditions, and pay \$793 in fines, fees, and assessments.

Fair/rodeo changes dates

Due to the Umatilla County Fair and Farm City Pro Rodeo recent date change the Morrow County Fair and Oregon Trail Pro Rodeo will now be held the first full week of August this year.

The two fairs and rodeos would have been at the same time and it was felt it would be a logistic nightmare for everybody. The Morrow County Fair Board, OTPR committee, 4-H, FFA and Livestock Growers have taken this opportunity to decide on a few other changes as well.

The 2009 Fair and OTPR will be held on August 5-9, 2009 with the Livestock Auction on Saturday beginning at 2 p.m. and the Oregon Trail Pro Rodeo following at 7 p.m. We hope that changes for both counties will go smoothly and that all communities still come out and support.

For more information call Ren'ee at 676-9474, or Rod Taylor at 422-7026.

Obituaries

Harry C. "Spike" Nash

Harry C. "Spike" Nash, 93, of Heppner died Thursday, October 9, 2008 in Heppner.

He was born July 19, 1945 in Condon, the son of Ray Wesley and Olive Jane Preston Nash. He lived in Winlock and attended school in Spray and Fossil before going to school in Portland where he graduated from David Douglas High School in 1963.

Mr. Nash entered the military where he served with the United States Navy. Following his honorable discharge in 1965, he went to work for family in Wyoming. He returned to Oregon and worked in Portland before settling in Heppner where he worked as a millwright for Kinzua Corporation. After the mill closed he worked for Simplot. He stopped working in 2005 following a heart attack. He was a member of the B.P.O.E. #358.

Survivors include: daughter, Tareena Healy and her husband Jim and granddaughter Diana Healy, all of Heppner; sisters, Diana Britt of Pilot Rock and Roberta Alexander of Pendleton; and brother, Jake Nash of Caldwell, ID.

He was preceded in death by Raymond Nash, Rodney Nash and Victor "Bud" Nash.

A graveside service for Mr. Nash was held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, October 15, 2008, at Heppner Masonic Cemetery in Heppner.

Memorial contributions for those who wish may be made to South Morrow County EMT Association, PO Box 9, Heppner, Oregon 97836, or to the donor's favorite charity.

Sweeney Mortuary of Heppner is in charge of arrangements.

Katherine Rubina Voge

Katherine Rubina Voge, a 40 year resident of East County, died on Saturday, October 11, 2008, in Clackamas. She was 78 years of age.

Katherine was born on December 11, 1929 in Heppner and was the daughter of Thomas and Lucybell O'Brien. She was raised on the family ranch in Heppner. She attended boarding school in Pendleton graduating from St. Mary's Academy in 1947. After high school, she attended beauty school in Walla Walla, WA. She completed her course work in 1949 and worked as a beautician.

On May 12, 1952, she married Warren Voge in Pendleton. They moved to Portland in 1962 and resided in their East County home for 40 years.

Katherine enjoyed sewing, traveling to the beach and Reno, bowling, jelly beans and spending time with her grandchildren. She had an extensive sheep collection, which everyone contributed to, enjoyed slot machines and belonged to two separate Bunco groups. She also attended the Pendleton Round Up for 20 years straight. She was a long time member of the Gateway Elks Lodge and St. Aidan's Episcopal Church in Portland.

Katherine is survived by: her husband, Warren of Gresham; daughters, Leslie Voge-Hays of Fairview and Gail Voge of Gresham; son, Gordon Voge of Vancouver; brother, Gordon O'Brien of Heppner; and five grandchildren.

A funeral service was held today, Wednesday, October 15, 2008, at noon at Lincoln Memorial Funeral Home in Portland. Visitation was held today, Wednesday, from 9-11 a.m. Interment will be at Willamette National Cemetery. Lincoln Memorial is handling the arrangements.

Celebration of life to be held for VanArsdale

The life of Guy VanArsdale will be celebrated on Friday, October 24, at 2 p.m. at 65820 Airport Road in end hanger #101. Those attending are asked to bring a pot luck dish.

Heppner Chamber to sell raffle tickets for four baskets in lieu of Christmas Tree Raffle

The Chamber will be sponsoring four raffle baskets instead of the Christmas Tree Raffle this year.

The Chamber has put together a "Women's Basket" with a pendant donated by Peterson's Jewelers, a "Men's Basket" with a Seiko Watch donated by the Chamber, a "Couples" Basket with a night's stay donated by the River Lodge & Grill in Boardman and dinner donated by the Chamber, and a "Family Basket" with a 'Nintendo "Wii" Console' donated by the Chamber. Local merchants have completed each basket with

donations. The baskets will be displayed at Heppner TV, beginning Monday, October 20, and raffle tickets can be purchased at Heppner Chamber, Heppner TV and Wheatland Insurance. The raffle tickets will be \$1 each or six for \$5 and you can pick which basket you want to enter.

The drawing will take place in conjunction with "Celebrate Christmas," Heppner style on Thursday, December 18. There will be one winner for each basket.

Heppner FFA selling apples

The Heppner FFA Chapter will be selling apples again this year. The cost is \$12 per box and will be available for pick-up on October 24 at the football game. Checks can be made payable to the Heppner FFA and can be sent to HHS Attn: Beth Dickenson.

Food drive held at HES



Mrs. Allen's class won the food drive contest held annually at Heppner Elementary School. The class collected 680 pounds in food. -Photo by Autumn Morgan

Heppner Elementary School recently held their annual food drive with classes competing against each other. Approximately 1,736.5 pounds of food were collected, 250 pounds more than last year.

First place was Mrs. Allen's class with 680 pounds; Second place, Mrs. Smith-Griffith's class with

185 pounds; Third place, Mrs. Clough's class with 183.5 pounds; Fourth place, Mrs. Rill's class with 180.5 pounds; Fifth place, Mr. Matteson's class with 179 pounds; Sixth place, Mrs. Dowdy with 106 pounds; Seventh place, Mrs. Gibbs with 92 pounds; Eighth place, Mrs. Morris' class with 79 pounds; and Ninth

place, Mrs. Stone/Hauge-wood' class with 51.5 pounds.

D&L Auto Parts and Repairs supplied cupcakes and popsicles for the winning class.

Marriages

Morrow County Clerk Bobbi Childers has released the following report of marriage licenses issued:

-September 30: Corey Mark Miller, 28, Heppner, and Mayme Jill Sorey, 24, Hermiston.

-October 13: Kenneth Christopher Jones, 29, Redmond, and Maci Lee Childers, 28, Redmond.

Open house to be held for Barton

An open house will be held to thank local UPS man Jim Barton who will be retiring on Friday, November 14, after 28+ years of service to the Heppner community. The open house will be held from 1-3 p.m. at City Hall.

Senior Center Menu

Hope Valby/All Saints Church members will be serving lunch on Wednesday, October 22. The menu will include meat loaf, mashed potatoes with gravy, mixed vegetables, spiced pears, hot rolls, and cookies.

Heppner Booster Club Annual

Steak Feed & Auction

Oct. 18th, 2008

Dinner at 6:00 p.m.



Live Auction at 8 p.m.

Also Raffle Items & Silent Auction

Some Auction Items:
Italian Supper, Tasco Binoculars, Bird Hunt, Hamburger, HHS Fan Items, Resort Pkgs, Barbecue Dinner, Handheld GPS, Videos, Golf Membership

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