

## Barney Lindsay elected school board chair

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 -accepted resignations/retirements for Erich Harjo, Irrigon Junior/Senior High School PE teacher; Danica Harjo, Sam Boardman Elementary School half-time first grade teacher; Jennifer Cox, Windy River Elementary School sixth-grade teacher; Dawn Mills, A.C. Houghton Elementary School half-time ed assistant; Connie Rodriguez, Riverside High School assistant cook/food service clerical assistant.

-approved employment for Jessica Lehmann, IJSHS Spanish teacher; Jason Duntun, IJSHS PE teacher; Randal Olsen, Riverside Junior/Senior High School PE teacher; Kristen Caldwell, RJSHS language arts teacher; Sam Cornelius, RJSHS language arts teacher.

-heard a presentation from Cade Burnette on the Umatilla-Morrow Head Start program.

-accepted a \$7,000 grant from Wildhorse.

-approved an attendance variance for a student to transfer to the Hermiston School District.

-adopted or rescinded miscellaneous policies concerning: non-discrimination, equal employment opportunity, family medical leave, family leave, credit for proficiency.

-accepted the first

reading of the following policies: rescind special education procedural safeguards; new special ed procedural safeguards; rescind special ed evaluation procedures; new special ed evaluation procedures; rescind special ed free appropriate public education; new special ed free appropriate public education.

-adopted the following: Americans with Disabilities Act; Americans with Disabilities grievance procedure; federal/state family medical leave; request for family medical leave; certification health care; military family leave; OFLA/FMLA eligibility notice; designation letter; designation notice; credit for proficiency.

-held an executive session concerning personnel.

-heard the following announcements: district-wide in-service will be held on Monday, August 24, at Riverside High School; beginning in-service days will be held Tuesday, August 25, through Thursday, August 27; the first day of school for students will be Monday, August 31; the Labor Day holiday will be Monday, September 7; the next board meeting will be held at Heppner High School at 7 p.m. on Monday, September 14.

## Creative Care Preschool student registration to be held

Creative Care Preschool in Ione is registering eligible students for the 2009-10 school year. The preschool is open to children ages three to five years of age. Following public school policy, students must be three years of age before September 1, 2009 to enroll. The preschool is located at 470 E Main in Ione.

This year Creative Care Preschool is offering a combined three and four year old class Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from 8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. Tuition is \$80 per month. Scholarships can be made available.

Teachers Betty Rietmann and Janet Holland are returning.

Parents should call Allison Rudolf at 422-7401 to register their child.

## 2009 Morrow County Historical Society tour 'Ice Age Flood Power to Wind Power' planned Sept. 26

When you are driving down the road to an appointment or meeting, do you see what you are looking at? Do you really see what you are looking at? What is that gravel bar doing on top of that basalt rock below Lexington? It looks like river rock and that's exactly what it is. How did it get there and when?

Did you see that giant boulder of granite out in the middle of the desert between Boardman and Lexington? Where did it come from? The answer will come when you hop on the Ice Age tour bus, September 26 and hear an explanation from the member of the Ice Age Institute located in the Tri-Cities.

Did the Columbia River overflow its banks into the John Day River? Those gigantic wind turbines—just how big are they and how many homes will they provide electricity? Have you ever walked around one of them?

Who said the "Old West was dead"? Visit a genuine and famous working cow ranch. "Nothing fancy, just plain hard work,"

said the manager of the Cedar Springs Ranch.

The Morrow County Historical Society invites you to participate in a "Historical Ice Age Flood Power to Wind Power" tour. You will see the remains of the Ice Age flood that engulfed this region millions of years ago. The tour will be held on Saturday, September 26, at 10 a.m. A 14-passenger bus from Heppner and a 24-passenger bus from Boardman will be provided by the Senior Services. "We will learn the history of the wonders of the ice age that most of us look at, but never see," said a spokesperson.

More information will come later, but those planning to attend are advised to sign up now because "when the limited seating is gone, it's gone," said the spokesperson. "It's a chance of a lifetime, all for the cost of a box lunch and a free wine tasting hour at Wheatridge Winery in the Nook just off I-84." Contact the Historical Society, Louis Carlson, P.O. Box 594, Heppner, OR, 97836, or Carol Michael, Boardman. "Stay tuned because there is more to come."

## HHS registrations to be held

Heppner High School new student registration will be held on August 20. Registration for exchange students will be from 8 a.m. - noon and new students from 1 - 4 p.m. HHS Student Body officers will provide tours and help with lockers for students requesting assistance. Returning students may pay fees and pick up schedules from August 25-27.

The HHS Sports Registration Night will be held on August 20 from 7 - 9 p.m. in the gym. All students in 6-12<sup>th</sup> grades who will be participating in any HHS sport during the school year and their parents should attend. Parents and students must sign participation, drug testing and insurance forms. Fall Pay to Participate Fees of \$50 for 6-8<sup>th</sup> grades and \$75 for 9-12<sup>th</sup> grades will be due at this time.

For more information contact Heppner High School at 676-9138.

## Jack and Jill Tournament winners announced

A Jack and Jill Tournament was held at Willow Creek Country Club on Friday night, August 7. The evening play was selective drive scotch ball.

Winning Gross: A tie for 1<sup>st</sup> place: Les and Jan Paustian, Gary and Nancy Propheter, and John and Pat Edmundson; 4<sup>th</sup> place, Chad and Cindi Doherty; and 5<sup>th</sup> place, Dave and Corol Mitchell.

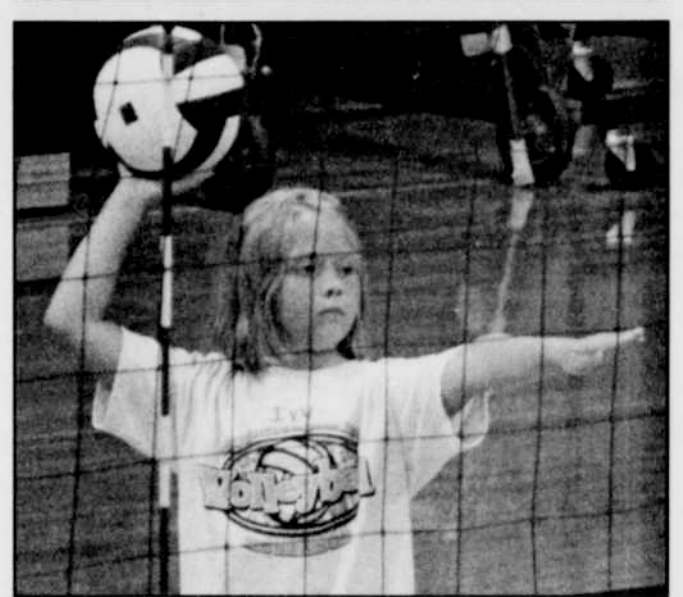
Winning Net: 1<sup>st</sup> place, Ralph and Sally Walker; 2<sup>nd</sup> place, Dennis

and Debbie Peck; 3<sup>rd</sup> place, Bob and Jan Mac Donald; 4<sup>th</sup> place, Earl and Peggy Fishburn; and 5<sup>th</sup> place, Terry and Karen Thompson.

Special Events: Long Drive, John Edmundson; and KP, Pat Edmundson.

Hosts for the evening were: Terry and Karen Thompson, Les and Jan Paustian, and Gary and Nancy Propheter. The next couples' activity will be a family barbecue at 4 p.m. on Sunday, August 30.

## Volleyball camp held at HHS



Students in grades 3-12 recently participated in a volleyball camp held at Heppner High School. -Contributed Photos

A volleyball camp was recently held for 3-12 graders at Heppner High School.

Coaches from the valley came to work with the players on skills, passing, setting, serving and spiking.

This is the third year the coaches have been coming to hold the volleyball camp. Some of the

coaches have played professional volleyball and one played at Pacific University.

There were 15 girls in 3-6 grade, nine in junior high school, and 15 in high school who participated in the camp.

Assistants were Pam Dowdy, Petra Payne, Dieter Waite, Wendy Cannin, Mindy Wilson, and Nicole Kludt

## Ladies Play Day results

Ladies Play Day was held on Tuesday, August 4, at the Willow Creek Country Club. Results are as follows:

**August 4**  
 Low gross of the field was Pat Edmundson (36). Low net of the field was Pat Dougherty (26). Least putts of the field was Nancy Propheter (12).

Flight A winners were: low gross, Virginia Grant (39); low net, Eva Kilkenny (30); and least putts, Karen Thompson

(18). Flight B winners were: low gross, a tie between Jackie Allstot (46) and Jean Strange (46).

Flight C winners were: low gross, Luvilla Sonstegard.

Long putt: Corol Mitchell (8'8").

K.P.: Corol Mitchell (2'2").

Birdies: Pat Dougherty (#4) and Virginia Grant (#8).

Net par: Eva Kilkenny.

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