

Ornaments still available on Giving Tree

There are still ornaments hanging on the Giving Tree at Murray's Drug. Through December 18 patrons can pick an ornament from the tree and purchase items for the child that the ornament represents. Items should be returned, unwrapped, to Murray's.

This Giving Tree project is in conjunction with the Oregon Department

of Human Services.

A Giving Tree sponsored by the Neighborhood Center for local children was also available at Heppner Family Foods. Deadline to take gifts to the Neighborhood Center is today, Wednesday, December 16.

To contact the Neighborhood Center about donations call 676-5024.

Lexington Community Bible Church to hold Christmas Eve service

The Community Bible Church in Lexington (formerly Lexington Baptist Church) will be holding a Christmas Eve Service on Thursday, December 24, beginning at 7 p.m. There will be special music and a candle lighting service will be held.

Refreshments will be served after the service. The community is invited to attend.

The Ione High School Student Body officers organized and held a canned food drive on December 3 in competition with Sherman Junior/Senior High School. Beth McCurdy of Morrow County Grain Growers sponsored a rotating trophy to be passed back and forth between the schools.

The winners were chosen by taking the number of pounds of food donated, divided by the number of students. While Sherman High School won this year's event, Ione High School is ready for next year.

"In the past we've donated cans all week long and instead just tried to do it one day," said ASB president, Micky Raible.

St. Patrick's, St. William's announce Christmas schedule

St. Patrick's and St. William's Catholic Churches in Heppner and Ione announce their Christmas schedules.

On Thursday, December 24, Christmas carols will be sung at 8:30 p.m., followed by a candle-light procession, blessing of the Nativity scene and Vigil Mass at 9 p.m. On Friday, December 25, at 11 a.m., Nativity Mass will be

held and Christmas carols will be sung. Everyone is welcome to join in these celebrations.

At St. William's Catholic Church in Ione Christmas Mass will be held and Christmas carols will be sung at 8:45 a.m. on Friday, December 25. Everyone is welcome to join in this celebration as well.

All the food collected was donated to the Neighborhood Center in Heppner. Tom Shear delivered the donations.



Third grader Susanna Teeman and fourth grader Morgan Orem get served hot cocoa and cookies by high school ASB officers Tanner Rietmann and Mikey Raible for bringing in the most canned food during the canned food drive at Ione Community School. -Contributed Photo

New Year's Eve Party Non-Alcoholic

7 pm 'til New Year
Games, Movies, Refreshments

Bring the whole family!

Heppner SDA Church

560 Minor St.

Any questions
call 676-5036

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Peterson's Jewelers

will be open on
Sunday 12/13 &
Sunday 12/20



12:00 p.m. to
4:00 p.m.

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Elf Auction being held in Ione

Bid sheets for the Ione Elf Auction are currently posted at the Ione Market.

Eight young people are willing to auction off a three hour block of time to assist people in need of pre or post Christmas chores.

All proceeds from this auction will benefit the Haskett and Trahan families who are currently dealing with cancer. Bids will be open through Saturday, December 19



HEPPNER ELKS 358

676-9181 "Where Friends Meet" 142 North Main

Elks PER Association New Year's Eve Dinner

Crab feed with ham

December 31st

Dinner Served at 6:00 pm



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