

Parents reminded to check children's immunization records before exclusion day

The Oregon Immunization Program reminds parents that it is the time to make sure kids' vaccination records are complete.

State law requires that all children in public and private schools, pre-schools, Head Start, and certified child care facilities have up-to-date immunizations, or have a religious or medical exemption. Parents or guardians will receive a letter in late January or early February 2011 if their child's immunization record shows that he or she has not received the required vaccinations. Children will not be able to attend school or child care starting February 16, 2011, if their records on file show missing immunizations.

"The goal is to make sure children are fully protected against vaccine-preventable diseases. If school and child care shot records are not up-to-date, the child will be sent home,"

said Lorraine Duncan, Oregon Public Health Division immunization manager.

This year, parents should take note of new information:

-Hib vaccine requirement: Hib is a severe bacterial disease that mostly affects young children. In recent years, there was a shortage of this vaccine, so children weren't required to be up-to-date on Hib immunizations to stay in child care and preschool. Hib vaccine, which is now plentiful, is back on the required list for children through age four.

-Tdap vaccine requirement: Tdap vaccine is required for seventh-, eighth- and ninth-graders. Tdap is a tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis (whooping cough) booster. Whooping cough is a serious health concern in Oregon with more than 255 cases recorded this year. In California, whooping cough is at

epidemic levels; there have been about 6,800 cases reported this year, and 10 babies have died.

-Hepatitis A vaccine requirement: The hepatitis A vaccine, which protects against a communicable viral infection, is a two-dose series now required for children 18 months through second grade.

Parents seeking immunizations for their children should contact their health care provider or local health department, or call Oregon SafeNet at 1-800-SAFENET or 1-800-723-3638. No one can be turned away from a local health department because of the inability to pay for required vaccines. Additional information on school immunizations can be found at www.oregon.gov/DHS/ph/imm/school. Follow the Oregon Immunization Program on Facebook and Twitter.

Ione horticulture class passes on knowledge to kindergarteners



The Ione High School horticulture class worked with the kindergarten class this past week to make fresh cut centerpieces. Darrin and Henry Padberg and Beryl Stillman assisted the class.

Top Photo: Sam Irons and Stewart Syverson help Bryce Rollins create a centerpiece in the high school greenhouse last week. Bottom Photo: High school juniors JoAnna Patton and Micah Stillman partnered with kindergartener, Chloe McClaren, on creating a fresh cut centerpiece last week. -Contributed Photos



Check out These Fall Real Estate Buys!



\$230,000
199,000
Price Reduced

This spacious home comes with its own view of the lake. Sit in the living room or the deck and enjoy the view. Entertain guests in the large living room downstairs and even prepare the meal with the complete bonus kitchen located downstairs, off the patio and backyard. Plenty of room in this high-quality, stick-built Stratford modular home located at Lakeview Heights. Call for a showing today.

Diner and Bakery Located in Heppner, Oregon. Operating diner and bakery business with attached 3 bedroom home in the back. Includes all equipment to operate and run the business. Real property included. Including separate lot w/ large shop **\$225,000**

170,000

New master bedroom & bath in this 3 bedroom Stop spending your time fixing up your house and move into a home where it's all been done. You'll adore this 3 bedroom, 2 bath on a quiet street near downtown. Remodeled in 2008 with a new master suite, bath and more. Walk in closet, jet tub and tile floors. Well kept fenced back yard with room to park your RV or other toys.

\$61,200

HUD owned home for sale in Heppner. Take a look at this 2609 sq ft 4 bedroom 2.5 bath home in Heppner. This home needs work, however a complete property condition report is available on line or stop by Sykes Real Estate office and talk to David. This property is eligible for HUD's 203K Streamline loan, which may allow you to finance up to \$35,000 in repairs or improvements! To find out more contact David Sykes. This is a HUD-owned property. To view all HUD Properties available for sale in Oregon please visit www.tenmanagement.com/listings. David Sykes is a HUD-registered agent and can sell and show you any home you find of interest on the site.

\$130,000

3 bedroom near downtown Heppner This turn of the century home in Heppner has been completely remodeled. It has 3 bedrooms and 1.1 bath. Lots of living space at 1893 square feet. It has a wood stove large yard and a nice front porch to sit on and watch the world go by. Close to downtown too. Call now for an appointment to view this home.

\$410,000 Price Reduced

Highway frontage Commercial Property with rental income in Power City, Oregon 4.52 acres of commercial highway frontage property in Power City between Hermiston and Umatilla, Oregon. Several businesses providing rental income. Includes bare land and .62 acres of residential zoned property. Owner will carry contract. Call me for financial details and potential for this property. **Make an offer, price reduced motivated seller.**

\$98,000

2 Bedroom near schools and downtown Heppner Just blocks from school and downtown shopping, this 2 bedroom 1 1/2 bath charmer has a fenced yard for children and a separate small yard in the back. Enjoy your reading room, living room and kitchen with window looking out on the street.

\$120,000

3 Bedroom 2 bath near downtown This two story home is close to grade school and has fenced back yard. Central A/C and Electric F/A. Carpet, laundry room and large family room downstairs. Dishwasher refrigerator and stove included.

\$89,500

2 apartments and shop building for Sale in Lexington On the bottom floor is a former auto body shop and a 1 bedroom apartment newly remodeled renting for \$350. Upstairs is a 2 bedroom apartment that has been completely redone renting for \$375. Building has a good roof and owner says the shop has been completely rewired.

\$116,000

3 Bedroom 2 bath home in Lexington This home has metal roof, cement foundation & propane F/A. 128 X 121.66 lot. 2465 sq ft home has full basement and large fenced yard with apple, nectarine and cherry trees. Garage.

SALE PENDING \$93,000

Spick & S, Heppner. Cute 2 bedroom 1 bath home in Heppner. See pride of ownership in this newly remodeled home. New carpeting, linoleum, lighting and much more. Don't spend your time fixing things up, spend your time enjoying your home. Efficient to heat and easy to care for. Stop renting and start owning. Call today and have a look inside.

Reduced Price! \$130,000

2 bedroom 2 bath in Heppner This nice 2007 Marlatt home is in excellent condition. Everything was done right when this home was put in. It has a deck, cyclone fenced yard and a 18 X 31 garage. Ceiling fans, along with the energy package will keep you warm in the winter and cool in the summer. There is a den/office, living room and lots of extras. Must see inside this one. Call and schedule an appointment today.

Price Reduced \$197,000

Beautiful home overlooking Willow Creek Lake Impressive 3 bedroom 2 bath home set on hill overlooking Willow Creek Lake. Entertain guests in front of the fireplace in the Great Room just off of the dining room and kitchen. Lots of extras including diamond premier cabinets, lazy susan turntables, tile look laminated flooring and under cabinet lighting. Enjoy the recessed can light throughout the home with 9 foot ceilings. There is a two-car garage, underground sprinklers and an immaculate kept yard. Washer, Dryer & Refrigerator Included.

\$260,000 Reduced Price

Top of the world view Or at least top of the town. Great view of Heppner from the exciting 4 bedroom 2.1 bath home on the hill overlooking the fairgrounds. Visit with friends and family while preparing meals in your beautiful open kitchen. Enjoy the expansive carpeted living room in this one of a kind home. Must see to fully appreciate, call for an appointment today.

660 range land acres near Ruggs. Create your own place on this 660 m/l acres of range land near Ruggs. Fenced. Pick out your building spot. Water available. Water available. Priced right at **\$260,000**

Major Price Reduction! \$96,000

160 acres with home site - Heppner 160 acres of rolling native grasses -deer, chukars, quail, 4 LOP tags, 3 miles to town, level home site with power and DEQ approved, fully fenced and separate pasture with small horse corral and year round spring. raise 1-10 animals year round and drive your golf cart to Willow Creek County Club. Good view of the valley. School bus runs on county road through the property. Owner will consider carrying contract. Call for details.

\$40,000 Price Reduced

Three Bedroom 2 bath in Fossil This fixer upper is priced right. 1220 square foot home with a small shop building. Do some work and have a nice little place to live or rent out.

Acreage for Sale

6 acre parcel (1/2 in city limits) If you are looking for some elbow room to build your home, here it is. 6 acres, m/l, half of it located within the city limits. Power and water nearby **\$39,000**

32 Acres inside Heppner city limits Has a good building spot and room for animal. Water and electricity located nearby. **\$49,000**

Three bedroom one bath home in Lexington. 1520 square foot home built in 1946. Good roof and foundation. Wood stove and propane heat. Aluminum siding. **\$72,000**

\$59,000

4 bedroom home in Heppner This large older Victorian home has a new furnace and a new deck. Large living room and lots of quaint features like old style hand railings, dormers and indoor transoms. Call me for an appointment to look at this unique home.

\$160,000

3 bedroom 1 bath on 1.6 acres in Lexington You'll enjoy this cozy 3 bedroom home snuggled beneath pine trees on 1.6 acres inside the city limits. Has a barn for horses and a large shop with cement floor. Comes with 2 tons hay and 2 cord of firewood. New siding and windows. 1.6 acres fenced for animals. Seller says will pump septic before moving. Refrigerator, washer & Dryer, freezer included.

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