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Great Green Parade winners announced

The 2011 winners of the annual Great Green Parade have been announced. They are:
Irish Theme - Irish Dogs (Kathy Johnson)
Irish Floats - Bank of Eastern Oregon
Antique & Custom Vehicles - Bob Blodgett
Parade/Special Vehicles - The Glory Riders of Oregon

Nominations for Crystal Apple Awards due Friday

Nominations for the 2010-2011 Crystal Apple "Excellence in Education" Awards must be submitted by Friday, April 1, at 5 p.m. All nominations must be submitted via the online form at www.umesd.k12.or.us/crystalapple. Nominations for the Doug Flatt Memorial Leadership Award also are due Friday. Nominations can be found at www.umesd.k12.or.us/dougflatt_home.

Anyone (including community members, parents, students and staff) may submit a nomination for a Crystal Apple Award.

All licensed and classified staff members from all 12 public school districts in Umatilla and Morrow counties, as well as the UMESD, who have served in their current positions for at least one year, qualify for a Crystal Apple Award. Only administrators (principals or superintendents) qualify for a Doug Flatt Memorial Leadership Award.

Information regarding past winners, qualifications, nominations, and this year's event can be found on the Crystal Apple web site at www.umesd.k12.or.us/crystalapple.

St. Paddy's Cruz-In winners announced

The weather held up well during the 10th annual St. Paddy's Cruz-In. Around 50 cars participated from Hermiston, The Dalles, Irrigon, Kennewick, Condon, Ione, Umatilla, Lexington, Pendleton, Benton City, Pasco, Richland, Stanfield, and Heppner. The award winners of the 10th annual St. Paddy's Cruz-In are:

Best Mustang: Bob Walden from The Dalles in a 1965 Mustang.

Le pre chaun's Choice: Michael and Pam Monger from Hermiston in a 1951 Ford Custom.

Best Convertible: Mike and Linda Monroe from Hermiston in a 1957 Ford Fairland Retractable.

Best Pickup: Larry Storm of Hermiston in a 1955 Chevrolet pickup.

Best Street Rod: Rick Clark of Hermiston with a 1970 Chevelle SS.

Best Custom: Gene Long of Hermiston in a 1968 VW Bug.

Committee's Choice: Mike and Debbie Lemons of Hermiston in a 1933 International. 1932 & Older Car

or Pickup: Jerry and Sheryl Fisher of Irrigon with a 1929 Ford Model A Sedan.

Teenager (16-18): Ryan Bennett of Heppner with a 1973 Chevrolet Nova.

Car/Pickup in Progress: Lyle Bliss of Irrigon in a 1929 Olds.

Foreign Car: Kathy Turner of Heppner with a newer Volkswagen.

Participant's Choice: Mike and Judy Bughi of Kennewick in a 1955 Chev. BelAir two door hardtop.

Several businesses downtown helped the committee welcome the participants to town by participating in a Poker Run, where registered car owners went into a business and selected a card for a poker hand. The highest hand received \$30 cash and the second best hand received \$20. The Poker Walk winners were John Gregerson of Stanfield, and Larry and Debbie Renard of The Dalles. Some downtown merchants donated discount coupons to get the visitors familiar with their businesses.

Priscilla Shirer Simulcast to be held at HES April 1-2

On Friday and Saturday, April 1-2, LifeWay Women will present Going Beyond: Life Interrupted simulcast with Priscilla Shirer at Heppner Elementary School. On Friday the doors open at 6 p.m. and the simulcast will be from 7-9:30 p.m. On Saturday

the doors open at 8 a.m. and the simulcast is from 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

There will be fellowship, refreshments, and cushioned chairs at this free event.

For more information call 541-676-9202 or 541-676-5552.

Men of St. Patrick's & St. William's to hold First Friday meeting

At their recent meeting held in Ione on Shrove Tuesday, the men of St. Patrick's and St. William's Catholic Church

decided to hold a series of meetings in conjunction with First Friday Mass. The First Friday meeting will be held at on April 1 at 6:45 a.m. in the parish office. The meeting will be followed by Mass at 7:30 a.m.

Obituaries

Inez Ann Trubachik

Inez Ann Trubachik died on March 26, 2011 in Sandy, Oregon at the age of 88. A memorial service will be held on Friday, April 1, 2011 at 11 a.m. at Bateman Carroll Funeral Home, 520 W. Powell Blvd. in Gresham.



Inez Ann Trubachik

Inez was born on April 16, 1922 in Moquah, Wisconsin to George and Ann (Pogack) Misun.

Inez married Joseph Trubachik on July 24, 1943 in Moquah, WI. Joseph died in 2002. Inez had lived in Hood River, Gresham, Heppner and Es-

tacada. She was a Catholic. Inez enjoyed sewing, quilting and cooking.

Inez is survived by: her two sons, David Trubachik, of Gresham and Paul and his wife Susan Trubachik, of Estacada; two daughters, Rosemary and her husband Ted Plocki, of Olympia, WA and Georgi and her husband Mark Avoles, of Las Vegas, NV; six siblings, Tilly, Mary, Helen, Johnny, Rudie and Suzie; 10 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Donations may be given to Kaiser Hospice.

First Fridays Friends of Jesus to be held Friday

April begins this Friday. That means it's time for another session of First Fridays Friends of Jesus, sponsored by the shared ministry of Hope Lutheran Church and All Saints Episcopal Church.

All children ages 4 through 12 are invited to attend, and newcomers are always welcome. This program is held at All Saints Episcopal Church from 8 a.m. to noon on the first Friday of each month during the school year. The fast-paced morning is filled with Bible stories and skits, games and crafts, songs, snacks and lunch. There is no cost to attend. More information is available by calling the church office at 541-676-9970.

HES to host Spring Sock Hop



Pictured is Terri Gentry as she instructs Heppner Elementary fourth graders on how to do the Hand Jive for the upcoming Spring Sock Hop. HES families are invited to kick up their heels on April 7 from 7-9 in the gym. The annual PTC hosted event will include appetizers, raffle baskets, and dancing for all ages. A science fair will be set up in the cafeteria to showcase projects that our students have been working on. There will be no prizes awarded. For more information about the dance or science fair contact Brandi Sweeney at 541-676-9128. -Contributed Photo

Investing in Boardman's Healthy Future

Columbia River Community Health Services would like to thank all who have donated to the capital campaign to build a new clinic facility.

Goal: \$4,723,795.00

- \$3,500,678.00 secured to date
- Oregon First Community Credit Union
- ConAgra Foods Foundation
- Collins Foundation
- PGE Foundation
- Oregon Potato Inc.
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- Morrow County Health District
- Union Pacific Rail Road
- Banner Bank
- Dreyfus Foundation
- Bank of Eastern Oregon
- Swindell's Charitable Trust
- Wiidhorse Foundation
- Needs and Issues Tippage Fee Award
- Bureau of Primary Healthcare (HRSA)



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