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WCCC Men's Club results

On Sunday, Sept. 2, 16 men participated in a Stableford scoring system competition.

The players were divided into flights by handicap. The Stableford scores were based on the following scale: Double bogey or more - 0 points; Bogey - 1 point; Par - 2 points; Birdie - 3 points; Eagle - 4 points.

Winners by flight were:

First flight: 1, Don Eaves; 2, Ron Bowman; 3, Duane Disque.

Second flight: 1, Rick Britt; 2 (tie), Dale Holland and Gary Propheter.

Third flight: 1 (tie),

Bob MacDonald and Kelly Fox; 3, Dave Mitchell.

Special event winners were Fox, Propheter and Jim Martin. Hosts were Ed Struthers, Mitchell and MacDonald.

On Sunday, Sept. 9, play was hosted by Kelly Fox and Rod Wilson. Twenty-one players participated. Winners were as follows:

Gross: 1 (tie), Kelly Fox, Don Eaves and Rich Britt, 70.

Net: 1, Stacy Wilson, 54; 2 (tie), Gene Orwick and Larry Runyon, 58.

Least Putts: Fox; Long Putt: Gene Stonestead

KP: Dave Pranger

Car wash, bake sale planned

A car wash and bake sale fundraiser is planned for Sept. 21 from 1-5 p.m. in the Ione Community School parking lot.

Ione Community School teachers and staff are raising funds to help with medical expenses for Michelle Alldritt-Holtz, daughter of the school's cook, Kay Alldritt.

Michelle had a stroke late last spring and underwent open heart surgery this summer.

Everyone is encouraged to attend and help Michelle and her family.

Ione school plans barbecue

Ione Community School will have a back to school barbecue Thursday, Sept. 13, at 6 p.m. in the Ione school cafeteria.

Burgers, hotdogs and beverages will be provided by the Ione Cardinal Booster Club. Families with last names beginning A-M are asked to bring a dessert.

Families with last names beginning N-Z are asked to bring a salad.

The community is invited to attend and welcome students, teachers and staff back to school. This is also an opportunity to learn about the Ione Cardinal Booster Club.

Orr, Fischer to wed

Megan Orr and Joe Fischer will exchange vows at 5:34 p.m. on Sept. 22, 2012 at the Morrow County Fairgrounds. Family and friends are invited to attend.

IEF celebrates 10 years

The Ione Education Foundation will celebrate a 10-year milestone at its dinner on Saturday, Sept. 22, at 7 p.m. The Ione Education Foundation's 10th anniversary celebrates the formation of the Ione School District and the Ione Education Foundation.

The Ione community rallied together over the past 10 years, compiling an impressive list of accomplishments. For many years, the foundation has funded a teaching position at the Ione school. Countless field trips and class projects have been funded through foundation grants. The foundation spearheaded the construction of the founder's wall and bell plaza.

The foundation has been supported generously by the community and alumni throughout the United States. Gifts of real estate and monetary donations have allowed the foundation to grow an endowment fund that will allow the Ione Education Foundation to continue supporting the Ione school for generations to come.

The Ione Education Foundation dinner has been a fixture in the life of the Ione community for the past 10 years. The first dinner was catered by local women, and the prime rib was prepared by Kessler's Catering. The original menu of crab and shrimp has been replaced by Captain Marvin Padberg and his band of merry men who enjoy fishing for salmon along the Oregon Coast. Captain Padberg then exchanges his fishing lure for a barbecue apron and, with the help of even more merry men,

prepares the salmon with special rubs and sauces, barbecuing the fish to perfection.

Today, the prime rib is locally prepared by Tom Gates, Mark Patton and a highly-skilled barbecue crew consisting of many volunteers and Traeger barbecues. The quality of the meal is always exceptional. This year, the foundation will be holding the annual dinner and auction on the evening of Saturday, September 22, at the Ione American Legion Hall. The evening will begin with a social at 6 p.m. with dinner to follow at 7 p.m.

The dinner menu consists of prime rib, salmon, baked potato, bread, salad and dessert. The meal includes two beverages. Dinner ticket prices are \$25 for adults and \$10 for children ages seven to 12. Children six and under are free. Tickets may be purchased in advance at the Ione branch of the Bank of Eastern Oregon or by calling 541 422-7435. Tickets will also be sold at the door.

Following the dinner, there will be a lively auction of old school memorabilia and items donated by community members. For the 10th year in a row, Bill Mullins is donating an all-expense-paid (three days, two nights) fishing trip along the scenic Snake River.

"The Board of Directors of the Ione Education Foundation hopes you can join us on September 22 for a wonderful meal and a lively auction in support of a worthy cause," says a board representative.

Community lunch menu

Christian Life Center church members will be serving lunch on Wednesday, Sept. 19, at St. Patrick's Senior Center. The meal will include pork skillet, cucumbers and onions, spring roll and spiced oranges. Milk is served at each meal. Suggested donation is \$3.50 per meal. Menu is subject to change.

Parks department to meet

Morrow County Parks will hold its quarterly meeting Monday, Sept. 17, from 1-2 p.m. in the Columbia Basin Electric Co-Op conference room.

Fair board seeks members

The Morrow County Fair Board is looking for members who want to be a part of the centennial celebration.

Board member requirements are monthly meetings, fair time work and going to a convention, if possible. There may be

other times when members are asked to volunteer or help out during the year.

The term is for three years, with no limit to the number of terms.

To become a member, send a letter to the Morrow County Court, PO Box 788, Heppner, OR 97836.

~ Letters to the Editor ~

The Heppner Gazette Times will print all letters to the Editor with the following criteria met: letters submitted to the newspaper will need to have the name of the sender along with a legible signature. We are also requesting that you provide your address and a phone number where you can be reached. The address and phone number will only be used for verification and will not be printed in the newspaper. Letters may not be libelous. The GT reserves the right to edit. The GT is not responsible for accuracy of statements made in letters. Any letters expressing thanks will be placed in the classifieds under "Card of Thanks" at a cost of \$10.

City vs. county

In the August 29 issue of the Gazette-Times, commissioner Rea, who happens to also serve on the Morrow County Health District board, requested that future MCHD meetings scheduled in Lexington be held at the town's new fire station. Why?

There has been a new town hall for over a year and they did not use that. It was even set up for group and public meetings.

Why should the citizens of Lexington pay for the extra heat, lights, water, and the set-up and clean-up of county meetings when, in all reality, they cannot even afford the new building?

Where has the board been meeting? Has it been at the Morrow County School District office, the county road department office? Both of these are funded by county dollars, not individual town money. Is this not the Morrow County Health District?

I realize that money is short everywhere, but city money versus county money...

Lori McCabe
Lexington

Over the Tee Cup

The Willow Creek Country Club Ladies Club Championship/Eddi Skow Tournament was held Sept. 4 and 5. Nancy Propheter, low gross of the field, won the Club Championship and Pat Edmundson, low net of the field, won the Eddi Skow Championship.

First flight winners:

Low Gross: 1st, Virginia Grant; 2nd, Loa Heideman
Low Net: 1st, Darcee Mitchell; 2nd, Eva Kilkenny

Long Drive: Virginia Grant

KP: Pat Edmundson

Second flight winners:

Low Gross: 1st, Carri Grieb; 2nd, Jackie Allstott
Low Net: 1st, LeAnn Wright; 2nd, Lorrene Montgomery

Long Drive: Jackie Allstott

KP: LeAnn Wright

Chip-ins: Pat Dougherty and Nancy Propheter

Birdies: Nancy Propheter (2), Virginia Grant and Pat Edmundson

First day winners were:

Low gross of the field: Nancy Propheter

Low net of the field: Darcee Mitchell

First flight winners:

Low Gross: Pat Edmundson

Low Net: (tie) Pat Dougherty and Loa Heideman

Long Drive: Nancy Propheter

KP: Darcee Mitchell and Virginia Grant

Long Putt: Loa Heideman

Second flight winners:

Low Gross: Carri Grieb

Low Net: LeAnn Wright

Long Drive: Toni Nichols

KP: Ann Elgin and LeAnn Wright;

Long Putt: LeAnn Wright

Chip-in: Ann Elgin

Birdie: Nancy Propheter

Sept. 25 is the last day of organized play for this year. A day of special play is being planned, and the lady golfers will be served a hosted luncheon. A short business meeting will follow lunch. A group picture will be taken before tee-off at 9 a.m. Please arrive 20 minutes ahead of tee-off. All lady golfers are welcome.

Chamber lunch meeting canceled

The Heppner Chamber of Commerce will not have a lunch meeting Thursday, Sept. 13.

Greg Smith will be the guest speaker for the Sept. 20 meeting; Smith will be giving an update on the Ambre Energy project. The lunch will begin at noon in the St. Patrick's Senior Center dining room. Cost of lunch is \$9; Sweet Productions will cater. Attendees are asked to RSVP for the Sept. 20 meeting no later than Tuesday, Sept. 18.

Flu clinics scheduled throughout county

Morrow County Health Department Flu clinics have been scheduled in October throughout the county.

Flu clinics will be held at the following times and places:

-Monday, October 1-Irrigon Senior Center, 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

-Tuesday, October 2-Boardman Senior Center, 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

-Wednesday, October 3-Heppner Senior Center, 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.; Ione Fire Hall, 4:30 p.m. to 7 p.m.

All regular immunization clinics also offer flu immunizations as well as pneumonia, whooping cough and diphtheria immunizations.

Deadline-
Monday at
5:00 pm

10th Annual Ione Education Foundation Fundraising Dinner & Auction

Saturday, September 22, 2012

Social Hour: 6:00 p.m.

Dinner: 7:00 p.m.

Location: Ione American Legion Hall

Ticket Prices:

Adults:
\$25.00

Children 7-12:
\$10.00

Children 6 and under: Free

Dinner Menu: Prime Rib, Salmon, Salad, Baked Potato, Bread, Dessert. Two drinks included with meal (beer, wine, soft drinks).

Tickets available at Bank of Eastern Oregon, Ione branch or Reserved by calling 541 422-7435

Raffle items throughout the evening
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