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Obituaries

Erma 'Faye' Munkers

Erma "Faye" Munkers, formerly of Heppner and Lexington, passed away on March 18, 2014 at the age of 98. A celebration of her life will be held at a later date.



Erma 'Faye' Munkers

She was born near Heppner on May 15, 1915, to Omer C. and Elizabeth Dickey Luttrell. She was the fifth of six daughters. Her early childhood was spent in Joseph, Grass Valley and Moro, OR.

In 1929 the family moved to Lexington, where she went to school and graduated in 1934. It was there that she met Vernon E. Munkers. They were married June 2, 1934 and they spent almost 60 years together. They lived in Heppner for six years, during which time a daughter was born. In 1940 they moved to Vernon's parents' ranch on Clarks Canyon outside of Lexington and lived there

until they retired and moved to Salem in 1975.

Faye was a very likable, friendly woman and was very much into doing for others; she served in many community boards and did volunteer work in Heppner and in Salem, her last service being in Salem at Meals on Wheels for six years, and Plantation (now Evergreen) Care Center for 10 years. She was a member of Holly Rebekah Lodge and the Degree of Honor Protective Assn. She had been a member of the First

Christian Church for 40 years. She had a deep and abiding love in her belief and in the Lord.

Her husband Vernon, her parents, and five sisters preceded her in death.

She is survived by her daughter, Marilyn Ross of Salem; a grandson; two granddaughters; three great-granddaughters; and two great-great-granddaughters.

Arrangements are by Howell-Edwards-Doerksen with Rigdon-Ransom Funeral Directors of Salem, OR.

Moebius poetry workshop set in Ione for April 11

What goes on and on forever?

A moebius. Named for August Ferdinand Moebius, an early 19th-century German mathematician, the moebius is a continuous one-sided surface that has been formed into a loop from a rectangular strip by rotating one end 180° and

attaching it to the other end.

Writers of all ages and levels are invited to attend a Moebius Poetry Workshop, set for Friday, April 11, from 10 a.m. to noon at the lone Public Library.

Led by Jack Lorts, published poet and mayor of Fossil, attendees will write their own moebius poems and then mount them

on a canvas moebius strip, therefore combining written and tangible art forms.

These poems have no beginning and no end, such as the following:

"...burgeoning diamonds slip silently into the soft romance of darkness, falling lightly in summer rain, like eaglets eager to traverse waves of

air, delighting as..."

The workshop is free, although small donations toward moebius materials are welcome.

The event is sponsored by Libraries of Eastern Oregon (LEO).

For further information, contact the Ione Public Library at 541-561-9828.

Birth Announcements

Caden Clyde Johlke—A boy, Caden Clyde Johlke, was born to Blake and Robert Johlke of Pendleton on February 26, 2014. Caden was born at St. Anthony Hospital in Pendleton; he weighed 7 pounds, 10 ounces and was 20-1/4 inches long.

Grandparents are David and Patti Allstott of Heppner, Tami Johlke of Pendleton, and the late Mike Johlke.

Great-grandparents are Clyde and Jackie Allstott of Heppner, Leonard and Patti Toll of Prineville, and the late John and Rene Ledbetter of Heppner.

Haydn Oliver Palmer—Jennifer and Jason Palmer of Heppner announce the birth of a son, Haydn Oliver Palmer.



Haydn was born March 28, 2014 at St. Anthony Hospital in Pendleton. He weighed 10 pounds, 2 ounces and was 22 inches long.

Haydn is the grandson of Shirley Palmer and the late Roger Palmer of

Heppner, and the grandson of JoAnn and Loren Christenson of Imbler.

Haydn has three older sisters, Hannah, 11, Madison, 8, and Rylee, 6.

Marriage Licenses

The Morrow County Clerk's office has released the following report of marriage licenses:

March 27, 2014: -Fredy Rosales, 19, of Hermiston and Ana Rosa Lopez, 22, of Hermiston.

Remembrance Walk door prize winners announced

Friends Helping Friends has announced that the Luck of the Irish door prize winners for the 2014 Remembrance Walk were Eric Schonbachler, John and Pat Edmundson, Erin McLaughlin, Nancy Snider, Alexis Doutré and Amy Pederson.

If you or someone you know has a gambling problem, help is available and that help is FREE of charge.

If YOU have a family member who suffers from gambling addiction, YOU can also receive FREE treatment even if the gambler is not receiving treatment.

If you are a resident of Morrow County and you wish to take advantage of the services above or desire more information, Please call any of the following numbers to set up a LOCAL appointment or just to talk:

Bobby Harris @ 541-676-9925 or 541-256-0175
Community Counseling Solutions (CCS) @ 541-676-9161

Sunday men's play results

Twenty-three men enjoyed golf in cool, breezy conditions on Sunday, March 30, at Willow Creek Country Club.

The committee for the play included Dave Gunderson, Duane Disque and Ron Bowman.

The results were as follows:

Gross: 1. Duane Disque - 69, 2. Charlie Ferguson - 72, 3. Tom Bedortha - 75.
Net: 1. Ron Bowman -

62, 2. Dave Allstott - 65, 3. Dave Pranger - 66.

Least Putts (tie): Ron Bowman and Charlie Ferguson - 24.

Special Events: KP #4/13 - Ron Bowman, KP (2nd Shot) #6/15 - John Edmundson.

Men's Sunday play will continue on April 6 with Tom Bedortha, Bill Morris and Barry Munkers in charge.

Holly Rebekah card party Saturday

Holly Rebekah Lodge will host its monthly card party on April 5 at the lodge hall in Lexington. Play will start at 7 p.m. and the public is encouraged to attend. The cost to play is \$5 per person for an evening of fun, food and lots of visiting.

Kindergarten roundup planned at HES

On April 15, Heppner Elementary School will be rounding up all the kindergarten students for the 2014-15 school year.

Appointments are available from 8:15 a.m. to 3:15 p.m. and will last approximately 45 minutes. Children will meet kindergarten teacher Sharon Morris, receive a skills test, have their eyes checked and do a fun project.

Parents need to bring

their child's birth certificate, immunization records and emergency contact information. Parents and staff will be filling out paperwork and taking a tour of the school while children are with Mrs. Morris.

Please contact Brandi Sweeney at 541-676-9128 ext 2610 to set up an appointment time.

Students must be five years of age on or by Aug. 31, 2014 to enroll at HES.

Funeral Notice

Lola J. Humphreys—Lola J. Humphreys, 58, of Lexington, died Sunday, March 30, 2014 at her home. She was born October 23, 1955 at Roseburg, OR. A memorial service will be held 2 p.m. Saturday, April 5, at the Lexington Community Church in Lexington. Memorial contributions may be made to the Multiple Sclerosis Society of Portland, 2901 SE 122nd, Portland, OR 97236. A complete obituary will follow in next week's Gazette-Times. Sweeney Mortuary of Heppner in charge of arrangements.

First Friday Friends of Jesus this week

The April session of First Friday Friends of Jesus will be held this Friday, April 4, from 8 a.m. to noon at All Saints Episcopal Church.

Children ages four through 12 are invited to come and hear the stories of Holy Week and Easter, enjoy songs, crafts, and games related to that theme, and finish up the morning with a free lunch.

More information is available by calling the office of the Shared Ministry of Hope Lutheran Church and All Saints Episcopal Church at 541-676-9970.

Catholic men to hold first Friday meeting

The men of St. Patrick's Catholic Church of Heppner and St. William's Catholic Church of Ione will hold their first Friday of the month meeting on April 4 at the parish office in Heppner. The meeting will start at 6:45 a.m. and will be followed by first Friday Mass at 7:30 a.m.

Community lunch menu

Heppner United Methodist Church members will serve lunch on Wednesday, April 9, at St. Patrick's Senior Center. The meal will include pork chops, hot German potato salad, red cabbage, sliced tomatoes, hot rolls and pie. Milk is served at each meal. Suggested donation is \$3.50 per meal. Menu is subject to change.

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