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Mexican meal to benefit Indian children

On Sunday, Nov. 16, the catechism classes at St. Patrick's Catholic Church will be having a Mexican dinner as a fundraiser for a children's home in India. Dinner will be served from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. Cost is \$10 per plate.
St. Patrick's Father Papa sponsors the home for children in his native India, and the children here in Heppner say they want to lend a helping hand. The children in the home are medically, emotionally

or developmentally challenged. Father Papa will have facts and pictures about the home available at the event.
The children at St. Patrick's Parish began preparing for the dinner last Sunday by cleaning 25 cups of pinto beans and making placemats. They say they are eager to help prepare, serve and clean up in honor of these special children.
Call Mary Ann Elgueabal with questions, 541-676-5774.

Local piano students attend ensemble festival



Eli Petzoldt and Roen Waite



Genevieve Smith and Kendall Dowdy



Hannah and Madison Palmer



Nicole Propheter and Olivia Schmidt



Elijah, Sam and Seth Grigg

The Oregon Music Teachers Association held its annual Ensemble Festival Saturday, Nov. 1, in Hermiston. There were

125 total participants from Umatilla and Morrow counties, and 18 local piano students participated in the event playing piano duets or trios. Several of these talented youngsters were also selected to play at the State Ensemble Festival, which will be held Nov. 15 at Western Oregon University in Monmouth, OR.
Participating were:
Eli Petzoldt and Roen Waite playing "James Bond Theme"—selected to play at state.
Hannah, Madison and Rylee Palmer playing "Bluesy Tuesday."
Leo Waite and Justice Petzoldt playing "Sail."
Hannah and Madison Palmer playing "The Metronome"—selected to play at state.
Genevieve Smith and Kendall Dowdy playing "Bouncin' Boogie"—selected to play at state.
Nicole Propheter and Cheyenne Shaw playing "JaDa."
Elijah, Sam and Seth Grigg playing "Agent 003"—selected to play at state.
Nicole Propheter and Emma Rietmann playing "Rio Rhumba"—selected to play at state.
Reiah Waite and Natalie Grigg playing "Play it in Peoria."



Emma Rietmann

Births

Juan David "JD" Payne—Kevin and Petra Payne of Heppner announce the birth of a son, Juan David "JD" Payne. JD was born on October 14, 2014 at St. Anthony Hospital in Pendleton, OR. He was 22 inches long and weighed 8 pounds and 11 ounces.



Juan David "JD" Payne

He joins big sisters Maya, 6, and Isabel, 4.
Grandparents are MaryAnn Elgueabal of Heppner, Les and Kathy Payne of Umatilla, OR and Phyllis Armitage of Wenatchee, WA. Great-grandparents are Maximiliano Elgueabal of Nyssa, OR and Joan Ingram of Nezperce, ID.

MS support group to meet Thursday in Condon

An area multiple sclerosis (MS) support group will meet this Thursday, Nov. 13, at 10:30 a.m. at Murray's Drug in Condon.

The support group is for people with MS, as well as for family members and caregivers. The group members say they share information, laugh, talk, laugh, vent and then laugh some more.

"And the party starts when you get here," adds one member.

The group will have lunch at 11:30. The lunch, catered by Sandi's Soups and Catering and paid for by the Florida-based MS Foundation, is free to participants.

The group is sponsored by the MS Foundation and the NMSS (National MS Society).

Meetings take place the second Thursday of every month in Condon. Questions, contact Merilee at 541-571-5853.

Lexington Grange to hold craft sale

A craft sale is planned at the Lexington Grange Nov. 22-23.

Grange members say doors will be open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Entry fee is \$2 or two canned food items.

All proceeds will be donated to a local food bank.
Items to be found at the sale include Artisans of the Rainforest jewelry at Mahaley Huddleston's booth, up-cycled windows by Sheena Shank, hand-painted wood signs and chalkboards by Haley Winters, as well as vendors for Scentsy, Thirty-One and much more.

Class of 1964 holds 50th reunion



Fourteen of the 39 members of the class of '64 were able to attend the recent 50th reunion. Back (L-R): Larry Muessig, Lee Padberg, Doug Dubuque, Lyle Hopper, Steven Peck, Roger Schoonover and Daryl Dick. Front (L-R): Martha Peterson Long, Phyllis Nelson Hyder, Virginia Moore Parrish, Pam Wilkinson Wunderlich, Melody Berry Trusty, Mary Johnson DeVall and Diana Fulleton Ball. —Contributed photo

The Heppner High School graduating class of 1964 held its 50th class reunion in Heppner Oct. 3-5. Fourteen of the 39 class members were able to attend.

The class attended and participated in the Heppner High School Homecoming activities, attended the Booster Club auction and dinner held that week, and met for a time of visiting

and socializing at the fairgrounds.
Class members said they enjoyed getting together and catching up on what has been going on in each other's lives.

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Church plans citrus sale as fundraiser

The Heppner Seventh-day Adventist Church is selling citrus fruit from Florida as a fundraiser to support church outreach programs, as well as other events and items at the church.

The fruit fundraiser, which church members say was chosen because it is a healthy choice for people's eating lifestyles, is sold twice a year.

Orders for the first sale are due by the end of November for delivery to Heppner by the second weekend

in December.
Another sale is planned in December for delivery in January.

The following fruit options are available: Florida navel oranges—small and large boxes, ruby red grapefruit—small and large boxes, tangerines, variety boxes (make great Christmas gifts), and Mandarin oranges—five-pound bags.

To order, contact Cynthia at 541-561-9132 or order online at www.goldenharvestsales.com, account # 17037.

Willow Creek Symphony to perform in Heppner

The Willow Creek Symphony will present its first concert of the 2014-15 season on Sunday, Nov. 16, at 4 p.m. at Heppner Elementary School. The concert is free and open to the public; everyone is welcome to attend.

For more information regarding the WCS concert, contact INWM, 541-289-4696, or Kathy Vernam, 541-569-2469.

Weather nixes Lexington Bunco party

Due to the reported weather front moving across the area, the Bunco party planned for Nov. 13 at the Holly Rebekah Lodge in Lexington has been cancelled.

"See you December 11," a lodge spokesman said.

Community lunch menu

Hope and Valby Lutheran and All Saints Episcopal church members will serve lunch on Wednesday, Nov. 19, at St. Patrick's Senior Center.

The meal will include Swiss steak, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, green salad, bread sticks and apple crisp. Milk is served at each meal.

Suggested donation is \$3.50 per meal.

Menu is subject to change.

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