

# Ione team continues to blossom at Hood River meet



Junior exchange student David Smidmajer from the Czech Republic ties his personal record that he set last week at Stanfield with a second 100M run of 13.35a again this week at Hood River. —Photo by Paula Emmel

The Ione track team travelled to Hood River last Friday to participate in the Apple Blossom Invitational. Ione took 13 athletes, six men and seven women. Women placed eighth of 13 while men placed 13<sup>th</sup>.

A benchmark was set by David Smidmajer with a 98'7" in javelin. A season best mark was set by Hector Aguilar; he ran his fastest 200M this season at 29.77a. Smidmajer also tied his personal record (PR) in

the 100M at 13.35a, while five more athletes also set PRs as follows: TJ Patton, 5:11.19a – 1500M; Hector Aguilar, 94'10" – Javelin; Tyson Epperson, 13'5.25" – long jump; Jessie Flynn, 13.43a – 100M; and Rachel Holland, 1:06.62a – 400M. Placing at the meet were: 2<sup>nd</sup>, Jessie Flynn in long jump (8 team points); 4<sup>th</sup>, Rachel Holland in javelin (5 team points); 5<sup>th</sup>, J. Flynn in 100M (4 team points); 6<sup>th</sup>, J. Flynn in 300M Hurdles (3 team points); 7<sup>th</sup>, J. Flynn in high jump (2 team points); and 8<sup>th</sup>, Jorge Aguilar in shot put (1 team point).

Ione coaches say the team is seeing improvement throughout the team. The athletes are working on competitiveness, conditioning and getting prepared for district competition in four weeks.

This week the Cardinals compete in Condon at 11 a.m. on Saturday, April 25.

Full team stats with places shown to eighth are as follows:

**Mens Results**  
100 Meters - Varsity David Smidmajer, 13.35a  
200 Meters - Varsity

Hector Aguilar, 29.77a  
800 Meters - Varsity TJ Patton, 2:34.95a  
1500 Meters - Varsity TJ Patton, 5:11.19a  
Shot Put - 12lb - Varsity 8. Jorge Aguilar, 38-09.50  
Karsen Dumler, 27-08.00  
Discus - 1.6kg - Varsity Jorge Aguilar, 105-10  
TJ Patton, 81-07

Javelin - 800g - Varsity David Smidmajer 98-07  
Hector Aguilar, 94-10  
Long Jump - Varsity Tyson Epperson, 13-05.25

**Womens Results**  
100 Meters - Varsity 5. Jessie Flynn, 13.43a  
Maggie Flynn, 15.35a  
200 Meters - Varsity Rachel Holland, 29.86a  
400 Meters - Varsity Rachel Holland, 1:06.62a  
300m Hurdles - 30" - Varsity

6. Jessie Flynn, 51.48a  
Shot Put - 4kg - Varsity Kaitlin Garrett, 23-09.50  
Frances Knop, 18-10.00  
Discus - 1kg - Varsity Kaitlin Garrett, 68-06  
Ashley Medina, 58-05  
Javelin - 600g - Varsity 4. Rachel Holland, 104-11  
Emily Taylor, 54-09  
High Jump - Varsity 7. Jessie Flynn, 4-06.00  
Long Jump - Varsity 2. Jessie Flynn, 16-00.00  
Maggie Flynn, 12-05.00

# Ione kindergarten, preschool hold visitation day

Ione Community School will hold a kindergarten visitation and enrollment day May 20 from 9:30-11 a.m. Children will visit the kindergarten classroom and experience what their days will be like next year. Children also are welcome to eat lunch and stay for recess; cost of school lunch is \$2.10. Parents can pick their children up at noon if they stay for recess.

Children must be five years old by Sept. 1 to enroll in kindergarten. Parents are asked to bring each child's immunization re-

records, birth certificate and Social Security card.

Also on May 20, Creative Care Preschool will hold a visitation day from 10-11:30 a.m. Activities and snacks will be provided.

Incoming preschool students must be three to four years old by Sept. 1. Parents are asked to bring each child's immunization records and birth certificate.

Contact Erin Heideman, Camie Padberg, Ed Rietmann or Tobey Garrett with questions.

# POM BOARD

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to continue to give them the support they need."

Russell, who was elected as a Morrow County Commissioner in the last general election, is stepping down from the board due to a campaign promise that he would resign from the Port board if elected as county commissioner. When he submitted his letter of resignation in February, Russell did not give a

resignation date, saying he would stay on the board until the position was filled "to the satisfaction of the other commissioners."

The commission received letters of interest for the position at the last regular meeting in March and voted three to one on April 6 to appoint Stokoe to fill the vacancy and finish out Russell's term, which expires June 30, 2017.

# HHS to present 'The Wizard of Oz'

The Heppner High School drama department will present "The Wizard of Oz" this Friday, April 24, and Monday, April 27. Both performances are at 7 p.m. in the HHS cafeteria. Admission is \$5.

Participating in the production are: Ryan Cecil,

Jacob Moses, Kane Sweeney, Joe Schmidt, Skyler Palmer, Jasmine Garcia, Julissa Sanchez, Cara Arbogast, Emily Cecil, Caitlynn Bailey, Meranda Lemmon, Kaelyn Lindsay, Reiah Waite, Caitlyn Scrivner, Erica Nelson and Olivia Schmidt.

# HHS track attends Boardman invitational

The Heppner high School Track and Field team attended the Columbia River Invitational Saturday, April 18, in Boardman. The men brought home second place and the women eighth out of a field of nine teams. Full team stats with placings shown to eighth are as follows:

**Mens Results**  
100 Meters - Varsity 2. Kaden Clark, 12.07a  
200 Meters - Varsity 1. Kaden Clark, 23.90a  
Joe Schmidt, 26.88a  
400 Meters - Varsity Joe Schmidt, 1:03.23a

800 Meters - Varsity 1. Skyler Palmer, 2:14.97a  
7. Ryan Cecil, 2:47.22a  
1500 Meters - Varsity 7. Ryan Cecil, 5:36.81a  
8. Kane Sweeney, 5:41.00a  
4x100 Relay - Varsity 4. Skyler Palmer, Jorgen Andersen, Kane Sweeney, Joe Schmidt, 52.01a  
Shot Put - 12lb - Varsity 5. Len Havermeier, 36-00.00  
Jeremiah Petzoldt, 31-10.00  
Jorgen Andersen, 31-05.00  
Discus - 1.6kg - Varsity 6. Len Havermeier, 87-07  
Jeremiah Petzoldt, 76-07  
Ryan Cecil, 71-06

Javelin - 800g - Varsity 2. Jeremiah Petzoldt, 129-08  
3. Len Havermeier, 127-00  
Jorgen Andersen, 85-08  
High Jump - Varsity 4. Alex Lindsay, 5-04.00  
Long Jump - Varsity 2. Kaden Clark, 18-11.00  
7. Skyler Palmer, 15-10.00  
8. Alex Lindsay, 15-05.00  
Triple Jump - Varsity 2. Alex Lindsay, 35-05.00  
5. Joe Schmidt, 29-07.00

**Womens Results**  
100 Meters - Varsity Kaelyn Lindsay, 14.70a  
Shayna Osmin, 15.86a  
400 Meters - Varsity 5. Emily Cecil, 1:13.14a

100m Hurdles - 33" - Varsity 5. Kaelyn Lindsay, 19.13a  
4x100 Relay - Varsity 4. Kaelyn Lindsay, Emily Cecil, Kelly Wilson, Rian Wizner, 57.92a  
Shot Put - 4kg - Varsity 5. Kelly Wilson, 27-02.00  
Cara Arbogast, 23-09.50  
Rian Wizner, 20-04.00  
Discus - 1kg - Varsity Rian Wizner, 61-03  
Cara Arbogast, 52-01  
Long Jump - Varsity 2. Kelly Wilson, 14-05.75  
Triple Jump - Varsity 2. Kelly Wilson, 30-03.00

# Justice Court Report

Morrow County Justice of the Peace Ann Spicer has released the following Justice Court report:

—Christine Rae Rankin, 50, of Heppner was found guilty by default of Maintain Dog as a Public Nuisance at Large and was fined \$260.

—Jamie Rae Rankin, 23, of Heppner was found guilty by default of Maintain Dog as a Public Nuisance and was fined \$260.

—Cody Edward Rankin,

24, of Heppner was found guilty by default of Driving While Suspended Violation and Failure to Carry Proof of Insurance. He was fined a total of \$695 for the two offenses.

—Cody Edward Rankin, 24, of Heppner was found guilty by default of Driving While Suspended Violation and was fined \$435.

—Wade M. Padberg, 58, of Heppner was found guilty of Driving Uninsured and was fined \$160.

# DA's Report

Morrow County District Attorney Justin Nelson has released the following report:

—Shane Michael Padberg, 37, having been previously convicted of Theft I, a Class C Felony; Felon Possess of Firearm, a Class C Felony; and Possession of Methamphetamine, a Class C Felony, received a supplemental judgment adding restitution in the amount of

\$22,000 payable to Victor Klinger in addition to state fines, fees and assessments.

—Christopher Bacorn-Renoud, 23, was convicted of Criminal Mischief II, a Class A Misdemeanor. Of the sentence of 180 days jail time, execution of 170 days was suspended and the defendant sentenced to two years bench probation, to include 20 hours of community service, no contact with

the victim, a written apology to the victim, evaluation and any recommended treatment for mental health and anger management, and ten days jail time. The defendant was further convicted of two counts of Harrassment, a Class B misdemeanor, with a sentence of 90 days jail time on each count. However, 90 days of one sentence and 85 days of the other sen-

tence were suspended and the defendant sentenced to two years bench probation for each count, to include 20 hours of community service, evaluation and any recommended treatment for mental health and anger management, five days jail time, and no offensive contact with the victim. Fines, fees, assessments and restitution totaled \$1,500.

# Host families sought for exchange students

ASSE International Student Exchange Programs (ASSE), in cooperation with community high schools, is looking for local families to host boys and girls between the ages of 15 to 18 from a variety of countries.

To become an ASSE

host family or to find out how to become involved with ASSE in your community, please call the ASSE Western Regional Office at 1-800-733-2773 or go to [www.host.asse.com](http://www.host.asse.com) to begin a host family application.

# Sheriff's Report

**September 28 (cont.):**  
—MCSO was advised of two males in Irrigon heading toward the school looking into houses and mailboxes. MCSO arrested Daniel Roy Walchli, 41, on a Benton County warrant. Subject was lodged at Umatilla County Jail.

**September 29:** —Morrow County Sheriff's Office received request for cat traps for Boardman Foods.

—MCSO received report of unknown fingerprints around a Heppner woman's

gun case.

—MCSO received report from an Irrigon woman that her son was late coming home from school. She said he was supposed to come home at 3:30, but it was now 4:19.

—MCSO received report of a van with food advertising on it that kept going up to residences and a subject was writing numbers down and leaving. The van was advertising YummyMeats.com. MCSO responded and checked the area.

—MCSO received report of a male holding a female outside of her vehicle and she was yelling in pain. The caller said that the female was able to get into her vehicle and left the scene. MCSO responded and gave the male a courtesy ride.

—MCSO Deputy advised he was at an Irrigon location checking a cat trap.

—MCSO received report of a suspicious vehicle in the Irrigon area driving by the caller's residence very slow. MCSO responded and advised subjects of their options and told them to call 911 if anyone was tres-

passing on their property or if anything suspicious occurred.

—MCSO received report from an Irrigon woman who said there was construction going on across from her residence, has seen vehicles going up and down the street and would like extra patrol.

—MCSO received report that Umatilla County Sheriff's Office arrested David Ramirez, 32, on a Morrow County Justice Court warrant for Failure to Appear/Driving While Suspended. Bail was set at \$3,278 in full.

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Trent Miles & Josie Miller Wedding - May 29

Travis Bellamy & Hannah Lankford Reception - June 13

Trevor Rhea & Mollie Henderson Wedding - July 11

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