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## Marriage Licenses

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

September 3, 2015: -Micah Joseph Stillman, 22, of Lexington and Kelsay Victoria Hoover, 19, of Fossil, OR.

## WEATHER

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calls for near- to above-normal temperatures and below-normal precipitation. Normal highs for Heppner fall from 82 degrees at the start of September to 71 degrees at the end of September. Normal lows fall from 50 degrees to 43 degrees. The 30-year normal precipitation is 0.56 inches. The National Weather Service is an office of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, an agency of the U.S. Commerce Department.

## Correction Heppner cross country off to a great start



The Mustang runner on the right was incorrectly identified in last week's Gazette as Madelyn Hunter. Running in the girls' middle school race were (right L-R) Hannah Palmer (ninth place) and Madelyn Nichols (second place). -Contributed photo

## Chamber lunch meeting

The next lunch meeting of the Heppner Chamber of Commerce will on Thursday, Sept. 17, at noon in Heppner City Hall conference room. Guest speaker Melisa Druge, Heppner's Business Oregon representative, will be updating the chamber on her recent activities.

Cost of lunch is \$10; Heppner Family Foods will cater. Chamber lunch attendees are asked to RSVP at 541-676-5536 no later than the Wednesday before.

## The View from the Green

### Sunday men's play results

Twelve participated in men's play on Sunday, Sept. 6. Results are as follows:

Gross—1<sup>st</sup>, Greg Grant, 63; 2<sup>nd</sup>, Charlie Ferguson, 69.

Net—1<sup>st</sup>, Dave Mitchell, 56; 2<sup>nd</sup>, Roger Mortimore.

Special Events—KP, Ron Bowman and Greg Grant.

The next men's play will be on Sunday, Sept. 13, and will be hosted by Tom Bedortha, Dave Pranger and Dennis Peck. The cross country is coming up on Sept. 20.

### A View from the Hill

By Doris Brosnan

At Willow Creek Terrace, August began with a day that included a tribute to Raspberry Pie and ended with the day that included the "Eat Outside" designation. Between those, residents and staff also enjoyed days recognizing the ice cream sandwich, watermelon, the waffle, lemon meringue pie, lemonade, and the peach.... No better place for acknowledgment than in the dining room, of course!

The dining room is now refurbished with new tables and chairs. Daily use, three times a day, eventually took its toll on the originals that lasted seven years longer than the five they were guaranteed to serve, so no complaints. Dare one hope that the wonderful replacements will last as well?

Sadly, two familiar faces no longer grace the dining room with their positive presence.

Elizabeth Bueller moved to La Grande on Aug. 20. Her upbeat nature and enthusiasm are missed.

Liz's interesting stories and enduring curiosity will surely be appreciated by her new neighbors.

The six residents and the staff who were able to attend Rose Bergstrom's memorial service on the 28<sup>th</sup> truly saw it as a celebration of a wonderful person's life. And the plants in the flowerbeds will surely show the loss of Rose's attention and tender touch.

Three residents and three staff were able to travel to Boardman for the celebration-of-life service for Alvina Padberg on Aug. 8. Five residents attended Music in the Park on Aug. 16. And five residents journeyed out to the fair for a day of entertainment, appreciation of fair entries, and good fair food.

Later in August, on the 25<sup>th</sup>, the day's topic was "The Wizard of Oz," which was released in 1939 but continues to satisfy fans today, showing on TV and available on disc.

On Sept. 4, the morning discussion included Gilligan's Island. Although

## Births

Mark Christian Corbett—Kimberly (Pointer) Corbett and Brett Corbett of Sausalito, CA announce the birth of a son, Mark Christian Corbett. Christian, as he is known, was born Aug. 28, 2015 in San Francisco, CA. He weighed 8.5 pounds and was 21 inches long.



Grandparents are Mark Pointer of Lexington and Cathie Pointer of Hermiston, and Sandra McLeod and Dick Corbett of Gladstone, OR.

the comedy showed on TV for just three seasons (the last episode broadcasted in 1967), reruns of the show continue to entertain viewers today. Both productions are examples of cultural icons that hold appeal for multiple generations.

Sept. 4 was also "Eat an Extra Dessert Day," the first of the month's specially designated food days.

September will also highlight some interesting topics for the residents to discuss: On the sixth, they needed no encouragement to "Read a Book," and the seventh began a week's "Appreciation of Substitute Teachers" and discussions of related experiences.

The start of the NFL Season on the 10<sup>th</sup> will need no discussion, but many TVs will be tuned to the opening game between the Steelers and the Patriots.

Grandparents' Day is on the 13<sup>th</sup>, an opportunity for many stories and much reminiscing. The 13<sup>th</sup> also begins a week honoring As-

sisted Living, so residents might find morning conversations totally pertinent.

Again this year, the Community on the Hill will participate in "Constitution Day." On Sept. 18, residents and staff will take time at 11 a.m. to join the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag at the same time across the nation. Nationwide, people are invited to make the pledge at the 2 p.m. Eastern Time. Everyone interested in or curious about this endeavor can access information at www.celebrationusa.org.

Two more September celebrations at the Terrace carry special significance: Bonnie Gates celebrated her 95<sup>th</sup> birthday with neighbors and family on the fourth. Barbara Struthers will enjoy her special day on the 11<sup>th</sup>, when she will turn 94.

These celebrations and the welcoming of new neighbors expected this month are viewed with unmatched pleasure.

### 'Kennewick Man to Sacagawea' tour planned for October

The Morrow County Historical Society invites local history buffs to participate in a "Kennewick Man to Sacagawea" tour on Saturday, Oct. 24.

This seven-hour tour will start at the East Benton County, WA museum. Participants will be able to get close to a replica of the ancient bone found on the banks of the Columbia River in 1996. The story of Kennewick Man, interesting and controversial, is still unfolding.

Additional museum highlights include colorful displays depicting the hardships and successes

experienced by the area's founding families.

Group members will eat lunch at Keewaydin Park, Kennewick's oldest park, next to the museum, (weather permitting). Participants can bring their own picnic lunches or order a box lunch for \$11.

The tour will end at the Confluence Art Project at Sacajawea State Park. This site has been a gathering place for Native people for more than 10,000 years.

Sacagawea spent a night here with the Lewis & Clark Expedition in 1805. She also spent the next night on an island off shore

from present day Irrigon.

Participants will have a guided tour of the Interpretive Center, including the Perry Room of Indian Artifacts, and Maya Lin's "Stone Circles" Installation Art.

Morrow County Special Transportation buses will leave Heppner Senior Center at 8 a.m., and a bus will depart from Stokes Landing Senior Center in Irrigon at 9 a.m. Buses will return to Morrow County by 4 p.m. or earlier.

Each bus can hold 14 passengers. If you wish to participate, contact Don Eppenbach, Irrigon, dep-

penba@msn.com, 541-571-0375, or Dave DeMayo, Heppner, ddemayo@centurytel.net, 541-676-8017, to reserve a seat on the bus. Make your reservation by Oct. 17, and pay the tour fee on the bus at departure.

The tour fee is \$10 for Morrow County Historical Society Members and \$15 for non-members. Tour fee includes museum admissions and driver donation.

Box lunch reservations must be made by Tuesday, Oct. 21. Contact Carol Michael cnrmichael@gmail.com or 541 481 9457 to order a box lunch.

### Community lunch menu

St. Patrick's Catholic Parish members will serve lunch on Wednesday, Sept. 16, at St. Patrick's Senior Center. Lunch will include beef pot roast; potatoes, onions and carrots; green beans; sliced tomatoes; hot rolls; and apple crisp. Milk is served at each meal. Suggested donation is \$3.50 per meal. Menu is subject to change.

### Special transportation committee to meet

Morrow County Special Transportation Committee will meet Thursday, Sept. 10, at 6 p.m. in Lexington at the Morrow County Grain Growers conference room.

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