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## The View from the Green

### Over the Tee Cup

Rain and clouds greeted the 15 women who turned out for ladies' play day at Willow Creek Country Club May 2. Nancy Propheter took low gross of the field, while low net was a three-way tie among Pat Dougherty, Virginia Grant and Shirley Martin. Loa Heideman had the least putts of the field.

For flight A, Nancy Propheter had the long drive and Virginia Grant KP.

For flight B, Judy Harris had low gross, and Karen Hagewood and Betty Burns tied for low net. Lorrene Montgomery had the long drive and Karen Hagewood KP.

For Flight C, Bev Steagall and Sue Edson has low gross, Kathy Morter low net, Lorrene Montgomery least putts, Shirley Martin the long drive and Josie Kindsfather KP.

Jeanni Creswick also had a chip-in on #18.

### WCCC Sunday men's play results

Twenty-nine participated in the three-par challenge at Willow Creek Country Club on Sunday, May 7. The modified cross-country event consisted of 18 holes that all played as par three. Results are as follows:

Gross—1<sup>st</sup>, Scott Burreight, 61; 2<sup>nd</sup>, Barry Munkers, 62; 3<sup>rd</sup>, Ron Bowman, 63; 4<sup>th</sup>, Charlie Ferguson, 64.

Net—1<sup>st</sup>, David Allstott, 51; 2<sup>nd</sup>, John Edmundson, 52; 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> (tie), Tim Wright-Roger Ehrmantraut, 53.

There will be no men's play on Sunday, May 14. The next event will be the Ryder Cup on May 21. This is a team event and a sign-up sheet is in the clubhouse. Teams will be picked on Tuesday, May 16. The men's club board sponsors this event.

### Temple to have heart surgery, vet clinic closed for now

Dick Temple, DVM has announced that he will be unavailable at his veterinarian clinic in Lexington for the foreseeable future.

Temple's wife, Karen, told the Gazette that the local veterinarian was admitted to a hospital in Coos Bay, OR over the weekend and will need open heart surgery to replace his mitral valve.

While the surgery, planned for Oregon Health & Science University, has not been scheduled yet, the Temples say Dr. Temple is looking at several months out of the office pre- and post-surgery. They are in the process of cancelling upcoming appointments and making arrangements with clients.

### COMMUNITY WIDE CLEAN UP

Organized by The City of Heppner

**FREE Dumpster- May 12th - May 21st**  
for waste collection available at the City Yard on Riverside Ave.-

There will also be a spot to leave yard debris and burnable material.

The City will not accept tires, hazardous waste or household chemicals.

Please contact the City of Heppner for more information 541-676-9618.

Community  
**Clean-up**  
Day

## Obituaries

### Robert C. 'Bob' Bergstrom

Robert C. "Bob" Bergstrom, 85, lifelong Heppner resident, died Sunday, April 23, 2017 at Pioneer Memorial Hospital. A celebration of life will be held May 20 at 11 a.m. at the St. Patrick's Senior Center in Heppner.

He was born September 28, 1931 at Heppner, the son of Carl and Mildred Hanna Bergstrom. Bob was raised and attended school in the Eightmile area, Lex-

ington and Heppner, where he graduated in 1950. He worked at the Frank Anderson ranch for 38 years and then worked for a time for the Slim Emmert and George Griffith ranches.

Bob loved kids of all ages and was involved and supported them through the 4-H and Wrangler pro-

grams. Bob also enjoyed working with horses and cattle, as well as gardening.

Survivors include sons, Hal Bergstrom and his wife Rita, Bruce Bergstrom and his wife Trudy, and Mike Bergstrom and his wife Michele; six grandchildren;

13 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother, Elwayne Bergstrom.

Memorial contributions may be made to Pioneer Memorial Hospital, PO Box 9, Heppner, OR 97836.

Sweeney Mortuary of Heppner is in charge of arrangements.



Robert C. "Bob" Bergstrom

### Rita Rosalie Caverhill

Rita Rosalie Caverhill, 93, of La Grande, OR passed away on Friday, May 5, 2017, at a local care facility. No service is planned at this time.

Rita was born October 24, 1923 in Hardman, OR to Roy and Eva (McDonald) Robinson. She resided in Heppner; Lostine, OR;

Prairie City, OR and La Grande, OR. She attended schools in Lonerock, OR and Heppner. She married Clayton Wright. That marriage ended and she later married Leonard Caverhill.

Rita was a rancher, devoted mother and wife. She enjoyed square dancing and riding horses.

Rita is survived by her daughters, Claytha Rene Derin of Wallowa, OR, Teri Carnes of La Grande and Ramona Johnson of Vancouver, WA; two grandchildren; three nephews; and one niece.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Leonard Caverhill.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Heart-n-Home Hospice, 2104 Cove Avenue, Suite A, La Grande, OR 97850.

Online condolences may be made to the family at [www.lovelandfuneralchapel.com](http://www.lovelandfuneralchapel.com).

### Sean Joseph Boarman

Sean Joseph Boarman, 34, formerly of Leavenworth, WA, passed away peacefully in his sleep on April 4, 2017, in Seattle, WA. Visitation and Rosary were held Friday, May 5, at Davis Funeral Chapel. Funeral Mass was Saturday, May 6, at Immaculate Conception Church.

He was born on May 2, 1982, in Seattle, the

son of Joseph and Jacelyn (Mollahan) Boarman of Leavenworth.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by one sister, Bridget Mance and her husband Brandon of Leavenworth; two brothers, Brian Boarman and his wife Madeline of Enid, OK and Patrick Boarman of Leavenworth; grandmother, Mary Jo Boarman

of Seattle; grandparents, Frank and Mickey Herling of Vancouver, WA; nieces Lauren Mance and Maren Boarman; and nephews Brent Mance, Charles Mance, Nicholas Mance and Thomas Boarman.

He was preceded in death by his grandfathers, Robert E. Boarman and John F. Mollahan.

Memorials in Sean's name may be given to Leavenworth Interfaith Community Shelter of Hope or local Elijah's Supper (St. Joseph Parish).

Arrangements were entrusted to Davis Funeral Chapel. Condolences may be left on Sean's online guestbook at [www.davisfuneralchapel.com](http://www.davisfuneralchapel.com).

### Alex Dye achieves Eagle Scout

On April 30, Alexander Dye was honored with his Eagle Scout rank. The Eagle rank is a significant accomplishment for any Scout and can only be achieved through commitment and hard work.

Alex is a senior at Almira Coulee Hartline High School in Coulee City, WA. He is the son of Kristine Fishburn-Dye and Dave Dye, and the grandson of Earl and Peggy Fishburn of Heppner.



Alexander Dye

### MCSO PROMOTIONS

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the civil unit, concealed handgun license (CHL) unit and records unit as well as providing public information officer duties for the sheriff's office.

Brian Snyder, Criminal Sergeant. Snyder has spent his entire law enforcement career with the Morrow County Sheriff's Office. He started in 2000 with four months as a reserve. He has served as a patrol deputy, detective on the Blue Mountain Enforcement Narcotics Task Force (BENT) and most currently as a detective within the Morrow County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) criminal division. Snyder will be supervising criminal in-

vestigations, court security personnel, school resource officer and the BENT detective.

Ivy Zimmerman, Civil Sergeant. Zimmerman has been with the Morrow County Sheriff's Office for her whole law enforcement career. She started working as a dispatcher in 2007. Zimmerman also worked as an assistant civil deputy and was later promoted to chief civil deputy. She will supervise the civil unit and patrol deputies while they are performing civil duties.

"We are proud of (their) hard work and dedication to the citizens of Morrow County and the Morrow County Sheriff's Office," concluded Matlack.

## Deaths

**Ray E. Greenlaw**—Ray E. Greenlaw, 83, of Heppner, died Monday, May 8, 2017 at his home. He was born January 4, 1934 at Solon, ME. A Memorial service will be held at a later date.

### Grange 5K supports Asher's Army

The Lexington Grange hosted a sunset 5K on the evening of Friday, April 28. Several people showed up to get some exercise and then stayed to have ice cream at the social. The weather was beautiful, allowing participants to enjoy the views during the walk/run.

Larry Palmer was the first to finish the run with a time of 23:07. The 5K's aim was to support to Asher's Army and Asher Schonbachler's fight against leukodystrophy. More than \$300 was raised to support this cause.

### Hunter education course next month

Youth and novice hunters are encouraged to sign up early for a hunter education course planned for next month in Heppner.

The course will include classroom sessions June 13, 15, 20 and 22 from 6 - 9 p.m., at Heppner High School, with a field day June 24 at Lexington Gun Club.

The class will be taught by hunter educa-

tion instructors Jim and Darlene Marquardt. Registration is online at <https://or.outdoorcentral.us/or/License/Classes>, or walk-in registrations on the first night of class will also be accepted. Oregon Dept. of Fish and Wildlife charges a \$10 application fee for all hunter education students.

Call Jim Marquardt 541 969-4845 for more information.

### Community lunch menu

Willow Creek Baptist volunteers will serve lunch on Wednesday, May 17, at St. Patrick's Senior Center.

Lunch will include pork chops, mashed potatoes and gravy, mixed vegetables, apple sauce, hot rolls and apple cobbler.

Milk is served at each meal. Suggested donation is \$3.50 per meal. Menu is subject to change.

### TEXAS HOLD 'EM

♥ POKER ♦♣

### TOURNAMENT ONE FFA FUNDRAISER

Saturday – May 13

\$40 Buy-in at 5:30 pm

Play begins at 6:00 pm

Re-buy after first hour

Location: Lone American Legion Hall

Sandwich bar for dinner  
cost is by donation



Support our students raising money to attend the FFA national convention this fall.

### HAPPY 90<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY

### RAYMOND FRENCH

MAY 18<sup>th</sup>

GREETINGS  
CAN BE SENT  
TO RAY AT:

Sun Ridge  
Retirement Community  
3234 SW Nye Av No. 18  
Pendleton OR 97801

