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Obituaries

Clara C. "Belle" Lillie

Clara C. "Belle" Lillie, 82, of Mayville, died Thursday, Sept. 14, 2017 at The Dalles. A graveside memorial service will be held on Saturday, Oct. 7 at 1 p.m. at the Heppner Masonic Cemetery.

She was born Nov. 23, 1934 at Baker City, OR the daughter of Albert and Elsie Demint Carpenter. She lived in Grants Pass, Eugene, Springfield, and Portland. She came to Heppner in 1977 and worked in the restaurant and lounge businesses in Heppner and Ione. It was in Heppner that she met and married Keith A. Lillie, they were mar-

ried for over 30 years. The couple retired and made their home on the family ranch in Mayville. Two of Belle's favorite things were camping and fishing.

She is survived by her husband Keith Lillie of Mayville, sons, Farrell Griggs of Umatilla, Boyce Shepperson of Myrtle Creek, OR, 11 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be made to the donor's charity of choice.

Sweeney Mortuary of Heppner is in care of arrangements.

Morrow County Harvest Festival this Saturday

The fourth annual Morrow County Harvest Festival is coming to the SAGE Center at 101 Olson Road in Boardman on Saturday, Oct. 7, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. This event is presented by the Boardman, Heppner, and Irrigon chambers of commerce in conjunction with the SAGE Center.

The Morrow County Harvest Festival will feature a variety of vendors with handcrafted homemade items. The kids' corner will include carnival games, pumpkin painting, straw bale obstacle course and a kiddie corral.

Mule-drawn wagon rides will be available from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Beer and wine tasting will be available from 12 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. courtesy of local producers Ordinance Brewing and Sno Road Winery.

New this year, Threemile Canyon Farm's Fall Harvest Bounty For Youth In Ag event will provide an

opportunity for "fill-a-bag" with organic onions, organic carrots and traditionally grown potatoes, for a minimum \$5 donation. This is a chance to get nutritious, locally grown produce fresh from the Threemile Canyon fields and support area youth, with all proceeds going to local 4H and FFA programs.

The activities at Morrow County Harvest Festival are free to the public. Event sponsors include Threemile Canyon Farms, the Kiwanis Club of Boardman, Lamb Weston, Cascade Specialties, and the River Lodge and Grill.

For more information about the event visit www.visitsage.com or call the SAGE Center at 541-481-7243, Boardman Chamber of Commerce at 541-481-3014, Heppner Chamber of Commerce at 541-676-5536 or Irrigon Chamber of Commerce at 541-922-3857.

A View from the Green

Ladies fun day held at Willow Creek Country Club

Twenty-one members played in a three-person scramble at the WCCC Ladies end of the year fun day on Tuesday, Sept. 26th.

First place was a tie between the team of Beverly Steagall, Tiffany Clement, and Nancy Prophet and the team of Jackie Allstott, Virginia Grant and Karen Haguewood. Second place team went to Judy Harris, Carol Mitchell, and Jeannie Creswick. The third place team consisted of Mary Riggs, Pat Edmundson and Pat Dougherty.

Lunch was served and the bi-annual meeting was held along with drawings for door prizes.

Yearly awards were announced and prizes were

awarded to Virginia Grant, WCCC Lady Champion for the tournament that was held in July; Eddi Skow Ladies net tournament first place was Virginia Grant, second went to Betty Burns and third to Nancy Prophet; Eclectic Board winners were first Jeannie Creswick and second Eva Kilkenny. Most birdies for the year went to Nancy Prophet with 12 and Virginia Grant with five. Most chip-ins was a 4-way tie between Pat Edmundson, Karen Haguewood, Judy Harris and Nancy Prophet.

Ladies will golf on Tuesday mornings at 9:00 a.m. through October, weather permitting, no hostess.

Scholarships, Mulligans and Prayers at WCCC



Catholic student scholarships benefit from golf fun day.

-Contributed photo

Twenty-five people participated in the St. William's and St. Patrick's Holy Name Men's groups' seventh annual golf fun day on Saturday, Aug. 15th at the Willow Creek Country Club in Heppner. Tom and Karen Wolff organized the four-person, nine-hole scramble that was full of laughs, fun and shenanigans. Mulligans, Hail Marys, Our Fathers and new this year, Throws added to the excitement.

Prizes were given for longest drive to Jim Swanson and Lana Eckman; least putts to Gene Orwick and Pat Dougherty; KP to

Rick Johnston and Melissa Coiner and most lost balls to Arlene Way.

Members of the first place team were Rick Johnston, Father Kumar, Larry Lutcher and Father Condon. Second place team was Lana Eckman, Ken Eckman, Tim Wright and Leann Wright.

Most family members prize went to the Josh and Melissa Coiner family and Leanne and Joe Lindsay.

Proceeds from this event go to the Catholic student scholarships.

Lunch was served by the St. Patrick's Altar Society.

Chamber lunch

The next lunch meeting of the Heppner Chamber of Commerce will be at noon on Thursday, Oct. 5, in Heppner City Hall conference room and will be all entities report.

Cost of lunch is \$10; Heppner Market Fresh will cater with French dip sandwiches, green salad and dessert. Chamber lunch at-

tendees are asked to RSVP at 541-676-5536.

The meeting location is accessible to persons with disabilities. A request for an interpreter for the hearing impaired or for other accommodations for persons with disabilities should be made at least 48 hours before the meeting to Sheryll Bates at 541-676-5536.

WCPD to meet

Willow Creek Parks District will be holding a meeting at noon on Oct. 6th at the Heppner City Hall, 111 N Main St., Heppner.

First Friday Friends of Jesus this week

The next session of First Friday Friends of Jesus is coming up this Friday, Oct. 6. Kids in the community ages four through sixth grade are invited to a morning filled with Bible stories, games and crafts. The fun begins at 8:30 a.m. at the All Saints parish hall (corner

of Church and Gale in Heppner) and concludes at 12:30 p.m. A free lunch is served and there is no cost to attend.

Newcomers are always welcome. More information is available by calling the Shared Ministry office at 541-676-9970.

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Slottee scholarships awarded

Maggie Collins, Makenzi Hughes and Paige Grieb have been selected by the board of the South Morrow County Scholarship Trust, on behalf of the Beth Slottee Scholarship Fund, as the recipients of the 2017 scholarship. These students will receive \$500 each and were selected on the basis of academic achievement, chosen field of study, and financial need. The scholarship is available to students entering their junior or senior year in high school or graduate school at an accredited college. The student must be majoring or minoring in music, but if no applicants are available, it may be awarded to a student majoring or minoring in education.

Maggie Collins is the daughter of Tim and Jeannie Collins of Heppner. She is enrolled at Oregon State University in the Agriculture Education Master's program. Maggie has maintained high marks during her years at OSU. During college, she joined the Ag Ed Club and volunteered at an alternative high school to develop skills in classroom management and other techniques to help high needs students. She is currently student teaching in La Grande, OR.

Paige Grieb is the daughter of Ken and Carri Grieb of Lexington. She is entering her third year at the University of Oregon and studying Elementary

Education with a minor in Spanish. She was able to study abroad this summer to immerse herself in the culture as well as the language. Paige has maintained high marks in her first two years at UO.

Makenzi Hughes is the daughter of Kevin and Angie Hughes of Heppner. She received an associate's degree from Blue Mountain Community College and has enrolled at Eastern Oregon University taking courses through Oregon State University, pursuing a degree in Agriculture Education. She has maintained high marks during her years at BMCC. As a teacher, Makenzi plans to help students through FFA and Ag classes develop skills that they will use on a daily basis in the real world and set goals to work towards.

The board of directors include President Adam McCabe, Vice President Ginger Bowman, Secretary Brandi Sweeney, Treasurer Tricia Rollins, Martha Munkers, Carri Grieb and Karen Holland. The Beth Slottee Scholarship was combined with The South Morrow County Scholarship Trust, Inc several years ago with the mission to provide scholarships for students from the Heppner, Lexington and Ione communities. Tax deductible donations can be sent to SMCS Inc, PO Box 102, Ione, Oregon 97843.

Community lunch menu

Nazarene volunteers will serve lunch on Wednesday, Oct. 11, at St. Patrick's Senior Center. Lunch will include goulash, mixed vegetables, broccoli salad, garlic bread and raspberry mousse for dessert.

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

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