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**Death Notices**

**Paul William Tews** – Paul William Tews, 93, of The Dalles passed away Aug. 11 at his home at the Springs at Mill Creek. Services are pending with arrangements under the direction of Anderson's Tribute Center - Celilo Chapel, 204 E. 4<sup>th</sup> St., The Dalles, OR. Visit [www.AndersonsTributeCenter.com](http://www.AndersonsTributeCenter.com) to leave a note of condolence for the family.

**Rudolph W. "Rudy" Bergstrom** – Rudolph W. "Rudy" Bergstrom, 83, of Ione, died Saturday, Aug. 4 in Heppner. Bergstrom was born Mar. 12, 1935 in Portland, OR. Arrangements are pending at Sweeney Mortuary of Heppner.

**Justice Court Report**

Morrow County Justice of the Peace, Ann Spicer, has released the following Justice Court report:  
-Esgar Sanchez Carrillo, 27, Heppner, was convicted of violation of basic rule, 75/55 mph, \$165 fine.  
-Omar Juarez Manzilla, 23, Ione, was convicted of violation of basic rule, 70/55 mph, \$160 fine.

**Nominations open for CBEC directors**

Columbia Basin Electric Co-op has announced that nominations are open for director positions in zones one, three and seven. The nominating committee will be accepting nominations from now until the end of the day on Aug. 30. Zone one and zone seven directors will serve a three-year term and zone three a two-year term. Nominees must be members of Columbia Basin Electric Cooperative, Inc. and must reside in and receive electrical service in the zone in which they will

be running. The members of the nominating committee are Gary M. Wilde, Olex, in zone one; Jill Martin, Lexington, in zone three and Karen Cossitt, Fossil, in zone seven. Wilde can be reached at 541-454-2994; Martin at 541-989-8480 and Cossitt at 541-420-1524. For additional information on the boundaries of each zone please see the classified section of this week's Gazette or contact CBEC at 541-676-9146.

**Cemetery district to hold meeting**

The Heppner Cemetery Maintenance District will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, Aug. 21 at 5:30 p.m. at the Ag Service Center conference room, 430 W. Linden Way, Heppner. Agenda items include minutes of the previous meeting, financial report,

discussions and cemetery operations. Meetings of the Heppner Cemetery Maintenance District are open to the public according to ORS 192.620. For questions or additional information, contact Janet Greenup at 541-561-6768.

**A View from the Green**

**Men's club results announced**

Nineteen golfers participated in Sunday men's play at Willow Creek Country Club on Aug. 12. First place net was Dave Pranger with 55, second was Dave Mitchell with 57 and third was Rod Wilson with a score of 58. Low gross first place went to Charlie Ferguson with 65, second to Barry Munkers with 67 and third to Rick Johnston with a

score of 68. Charlie Ferguson got KP on hole number two with five feet. Long putt on hole number five went to Barry Munkers with 30 feet and least putts was Charlie Ferguson with 25. The next Sunday men's play will be a two-man best ball event on Aug. 19. The play will be hosted by Dave Mitchell, John McCabe and Josh Coiner.

**Over the Tee Cup**

The Willow Creek Country Club ladies play-day hosted 12 ladies on Aug. 7, a sunny and hot day. Low gross of the field went to Karen Thompson and Della Heideman, low net to Pat Dougherty and least putts of the field was Virginia Grant.

was Carol Mitchell. Flight B low gross went to Pat Edmundson. Bev Steagall took low gross on flight C and low net was Sharon Harrison. Nancy Arnson had the least putts. Virginia Grant had a birdie on hole number 13.

**Blood donations needed**

As summer winds down, the American Red Cross urges individuals to give blood and platelets now and help end an emergency summer blood shortage that began last month. A critical need remains as many regular donors delay giving to take final summer vacations and prepare for school to start. To ensure lifesaving treatments remain available for patients in the coming weeks, donations are needed now, especially type O. In thanks for helping at this urgent time, all those who come to donate blood

or platelets July 30 through Aug. 30, will receive a \$5 Amazon.com gift card via email. Blood drives in Morrow County will be held on Aug. 17 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Morrow County fairgrounds in Heppner and another on Aug. 24 from noon to 5 p.m. at the Boardman Pool and Recreation Center in Boardman. To make an appointment, download the free American Red Cross blood donor app, visit [redcross-blood.org](http://redcross-blood.org) or call 800-733-2767.

**Boardman holds zoning hearing**

The Boardman city council held a hearing on Aug. 7 to take comments regarding a zone change request by the Port of Morrow. The port plans to purchase an 80.19 acre parcel located along SE Front St. The parcel is currently a mixed zone of tourist commercial, future urban and manufactured home park sub-district. The port has requested to rezone 72.34 acres to general industrial, 4.97 acres to tourist commercial and two acres to manufactured home park sub-district, with the remaining .87 acres for dedicated rights-of-way.

bility this property could be included in an enterprise zone, to encourage development. No one spoke in opposition to the rezone. Councilors approved the first reading of an ordinance approving the rezone. The second reading of the ordinance and a decision on the rezone is scheduled for the Sept. 4 meeting. In other city business, councilors approved a commercial liquor license for Burnt Field, LLC. They also approved the first reading of an ordinance requiring background checks on all city employees and volunteers. They passed a resolution changing the city's fee structure for water meter installations.

Port of Morrow Executive Director Gary Neal and County Commissioner Don Russell spoke in favor of the rezone. Both felt the rezone would be good for Boardman, economically. Neal said there is a possi-

The next Boardman city council meeting will be Tuesday, Sept. 4 at 7 p.m. at Boardman City Hall.

**Volleyball camp scheduled**

The Heppner youth volleyball camp, for fourth through eighth graders, is scheduled for Aug. 20 and 21 from 4 to 6 p.m. at the Heppner Jr./Sr. High School gym. The cost is \$20 per

player and each participant will receive a shirt for the upcoming season. For additional information, contact Mindy Wilson at 541-256-0126.

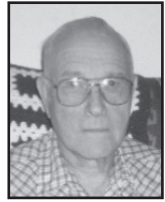
**Obituaries**

**Dale Zumwalt**

Pastor Dale Zumwalt of Hermiston, was born Apr. 23, 1931 in Lebanon, MO to parents Eugene and Phleda York Zumwalt. He died Aug. 11 in Kennewick, WA at the age of 87 years.

was dedicated to the Lord, his family and helping others. Dale enjoyed building, fishing, reading, gardening and visiting with his family or one of the countless friends he made over the years.

Dale was raised in Missouri, Arkansas and Oregon. He was united in marriage to Mary "Helen" Wayland on July 6, 1949 in Arkansas. Zumwalt worked in the logging industry for several years as a young man and in his early adult years, moving to Oregon in 1949. He became a minister with the Assemblies of God in 1955. They returned to Arkansas in 1959, before moving back to Oregon in 1967. He pastored congregations in Arkansas, Stanfield, Fossil, Mitchell and Lexington for over 40 years. The Zumwalts moved to Hermiston in 2014.



Dale Zumwalt

He is survived by his son Larry Zumwalt and wife Barbara, Tacoma, WA; daughter Kathy Zumwalt-Smith and husband John, Hermiston; brother Bill Zumwalt, Arizona and numerous grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Dale was preceded in death by his wife of 68 years, Helen Zumwalt; a son, Ron Zumwalt; his parents; siblings, George Zumwalt, Elmer Zumwalt, Wanda Zumwalt Cowgill Ziegenhirt, Ava Zumwalt Johnson and Maxie Zumwalt Thieme.

A funeral service will be held on Saturday, Aug. 18 at 10 a.m. at Burns Mortuary Chapel in Hermiston. A private family burial will be held later at the Hermiston Cemetery.

In his later years, he learned to shop, cook, clean, do laundry and be a devoted caregiver to his wife. Dale was a jack of all trades, whether building a house or repairing an existing one, fixing a vehicle or a lawn mower, repairing appliances, cutting firewood, raising a garden and fruit trees, catching fish for dinner and ministering to your spiritual needs. He

Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Please sign the online condolence book at [burnsmortuaryhermiston.com](http://burnsmortuaryhermiston.com). Those who wish may make contributions in Dale's memory to Desert Rose Ministries, Hermiston, OR.

**Morrow County commission to hold town hall meetings**

The Morrow County Board of Commissioners will be holding town hall meetings in multiple locations throughout the county this month, seeking input regarding the north Morrow County building to be constructed in Irrigon. The current Irrigon facility has reached its capacity and is need of a great deal of repair. The commissioners previously decided, based on the size and condition of the building, that it was better suited to be torn down and a new structure put in its place. The Board of Commissioner is inviting and encouraging the public to

participate in several town hall style discussions on the following dates:  
-Tuesday, Aug 21 from 5:30-6:30 p.m. at the Boardman City Hall, 200 City Center Circle.  
-Monday, Aug. 27 from 5:30-6:30 p.m. at the Heppner City Hall, 111 N. Main Street.  
-Thursday, Aug. 30 from 5:30-6:30 p.m. at the Irrigon City Hall, 500 N.E. Main Avenue.  
The county plans to schedule a time and location in Ione and invites the citizens of the Lexington area to attend the other meeting locations.

**Community lunch menu**

St. Patrick's Parish volunteers will serve lunch on Wednesday, August 22 at St. Patrick's Senior Center. Lunch will be Mississippi pot roast, potatoes, carrots, celery and onions, sliced tomatoes, hot rolls and cherry parfait for dessert. Milk is served at each meal. Suggested donation is \$3.50 per meal. Menu is subject to change.

**Lexington Grange to host 5K run**

The Lexington Grange will host a back to school 5K fun run on Friday, Aug. 24 at 6:30 p.m., with all proceeds going to the grange scholarship fund to benefit south Morrow County graduating seniors. The run will begin and end at the Lexington Grange, 66296 Marquardt Rd. Pre-registration is

available by visiting [lexingtongrange726.com](http://lexingtongrange726.com) or at 6 p.m. before the run begins. The cost is \$15 or \$25 including an event shirt. Prizes and drawings will be available for participants, with an ice cream social following the run. For additional information contact Andrea Nelson at 541-720-4399.

**The Loop schedules open houses**

The Loop Morrow County Transportation will be holding two open houses to gather information and ideas for growing Morrow County Public Transportation. The HB 2017 Statewide Transportation Improvement Fund (STIF) will provide funding for these projects.

The first open house will be held Aug. 23 from 5 to 6:30 p.m. at the Bartholomew Building, 110 N. Court in Heppner. The second open house will be held Aug. 30 in the Wells Spring room at the Port of Morrow, 2 Marine Drive, Boardman.

**You never know what you might find at the Boardman Vintage Sale**

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