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~ Letters to the Editor ~

The Heppner Gazette Times will print all letters to the Editor with the following criteria met: letters submitted to the newspaper will need to have the name of the sender along with a legible signature. We are also requesting that you provide your address and a phone number where you can be reached. The address and phone number will only be used for verification and will not be printed in the newspaper. Letters may not be libelous. The GT reserves the right to edit. The GT is not responsible for accuracy of statements made in letters. Any letters expressing thanks will be placed in the classifieds under "Card of Thanks" at a cost of \$10.

In support of Dave Gunderson

To the editor,
We are writing this letter in support of Dave Gunderson for Heppner City Council position number five.

Dave's Heppner roots run deep as he and his wife were both raised in Heppner and they raised their boys here. One of his sons and his wife live in Heppner, as does his father. Dave taught many of our children during his 16 years at Heppner Elementary and he remains a dedicated supporter of our community. He is in-

telligent, stays abreast of current events on all levels, and most assuredly, has Heppner citizens' best interests at heart.

Our city is facing tough issues that will require insightful leadership to move toward solutions. We believe Dave is the best candidate to help examine and problem-solve these issues. We hope you'll join us in voting for him.

Sincerely,
David and Patti Allstott
Heppner

Community lunch menu

Willow Creek Baptist volunteers will serve lunch on Wednesday, November 7 at St. Patrick's Senior Center. Lunch will be fish and chips, zucchini and summer squash, carrot salad, bread sticks and rice krispie treats for dessert.

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



GOT POLYPS?

Get a Screening Kit and Put Your Worries Behind You!

Colon Cancer is the second most deadly form of cancer, but it doesn't have to be. Screening can catch it early when it's highly treatable. Unfortunately, too few men and women in Oregon are being screened. Everyone over 50 should be screened annually.

RISK FACTORS: The risk is equal for men and women, and the risk increases with age, beginning at age 50. Other risk factors include

- Family history of colon cancer
- Diet: diets that are high in red and processed meats increase risk
- Obesity and/or an inactive lifestyle
- Alcohol and smoking

ANNUAL SCREENING: Screenings with a FIT kit, which is a screening kit that can be done at home that checks for blood in the stool, should be done annually. Put your worries behind you!

COST OF SCREENINGS: Most insurance plans cover 100% of screenings with no co-pays or deductibles. Even without insurance, there are low cost options.

HOW TO GET SCREENED WITH MORROW COUNTY HEALTH DISTRICT: Pick up a free screening kit at Pioneer Memorial Clinic, Lone Community Clinic, or Irrigon Medical Clinic and mail completed kits to Pioneer Memorial Clinic PO Box 9 Heppner, OR 97836 or drop off at the same pickup locations. Returned kits enters you into a drawing for a \$50 Visa gift card (12 will be given away)!

Any questions, please call John Adams with Eastern Oregon Healthy Living Alliance. Phone: 541-219-0907 E-mail: jadams@gobhi.net



*Funding for the project is provided in part by the OHSU Knight Cancer Institute Community Partnership Program.

Obituaries

Linda Ann Dutcher Franklin Burke "Cap" Gentry

Linda Ann Dutcher, 75, of Heppner, died Saturday, Oct. 27 at Kadlec Regional Medical Center in Richland, WA. At her request no service will be held.

She was born June 25, 1943 at Hanford, CA, the daughter of Norman and Margaret Klslander Kessler. She was raised and attended school in Milton-Freewater, OR and graduated from McLoughlin High School. Linda then attended San Jose University majoring in anthropology, but changed her major to education, finishing her fifth year and receiving her master's degree. Teaching was the love of her life and Linda taught 22 years in Heppner.

On June 6, 1980 she married Lester Dutcher in La Grande, OR. She trav-

eled throughout her life, living in Biloxi, MS, Adak, AK, Montana, La Grande and Spray, OR and finally Heppner.

Linda was preceded by death by her parents, Norman and Margaret Kessler Sr. She is survived by her husband, Lester Dutcher of Heppner; three sons, Matthew Wilson, Daniel Wilson and Anthony Wilson; brothers, Norman Kessler Jr. and Alan Kessler and a sister, Nancy Cole all of Pendleton as well as many nieces and nephews.

Memorial contributions may be made in Linda's name to the donor's favorite charity. The online condolence book is available at www.sweeneymortuary.com.

Franklin Burke "Cap" Gentry died Friday, Oct. 26 at Sumpter, OR. A graveside memorial service with military honors will be held on Saturday, Nov. 3 at 11 a.m. at the Heppner Masonic Cemetery.

Gentry was born Jan. 9, 1940 at Portland, OR, the son of Larry and Inez Hayes Gentry. Cap grew up on Upper Rhea Creek Road and attended Heppner schools. He briefly attended college before entering the United States Navy in May 1962 and was honorably discharged in September of 1962.

He met Raelene Britt of Spray, OR the "love of his life" in April of 1967 and the couple were married June 30, 1967. They had one beautiful baby girl named Dawna Waynette born April 30, 1972.

Cap worked at different jobs in the area and then hired on with the Morrow County Road Department in 1982, from which he retired in July of 2000.

Cap and Raelene move to Ukiah in January 2002, where they resided until his death.

Survivors include his wife Raelene and daughter Dawna Gentry Drake.

Preceding him in death were his parents, Larry and Inez Gentry; a brother, Wayne and son-in-law, Hollis Drake.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society Oregon Division Inc., 0330 SW Curry St., Portland, OR 97239

The online condolence book is available at www.sweeneymortuary.com.

Weddings

Nichols, Scholl wed



Bobby Scholl and Jennifer Nichols.

Jennifer Nichols and Bobby Scholl were married Sept. 8 at the Barn at Blue Meadows in Dayton, WA by officiating pastor, Shelly Rietmann.

Jennifer's maid of honor was her cousin Rachel Bertholf of Spokane, WA. Bridesmaids were Taylor Jackson, Colville, WA, Cheyenne Frohreich, Walla Walla, WA and her sister, Ashley Johnson from Waitsburg, WA.

Bobby was attended by his friend Jared Kibler, Waitsburg, WA as his best man along with Markus Fletcher, Prescott, WA,

Chance Johnson, Dayton, WA and Tanner Cranor, Walla Walla, WA as his groomsmen.

The flower girls for the ceremony were Ivy Johnson and Quincy and Elise Charles, with Gus Johnson as the ring bearer.

Parents of the bride are Jeff and Dawn Nichols, Waitsburg and the groom's parents are Dave and Jackie Scholl, Walla Walla.

The new Mrs. Scholl is a pharmacy technician at Murray's Drug and Mr. Scholl works as a ranch hand at Proudfoot Ranches.

LCAC to meet

The next LCAC meeting will be held Thursday, Nov. 1 at 9 a.m. at the Bartholomew Building conference room in Heppner.

Meetings are held on the first Thursday of every month.

Justice Court Report

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

-Jeremiah Goetz, 41, Ione was convicted of violation of basic rule, 65/55 mph, fine \$115.

Marriage Licenses

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

October 4, 2018: - Jessica Lee Donovan, 27, Richland, WA and Nicholas Shane Wood, 26, Richland, WA. James Edward Taigaafi, 61, Irrigon and Karen Mayree Krieger, 50, Irrigon

October 5, 2018: - Sidney Edward Kennedy, 52, Lexington and Juli Anne McDonald, 52, Lexington.

October 18, 2018: - Jessica Belle Bartolotta, 45, Irrigon and Jonathan L Slagley, 29, Irrigon.

Catholic men to hold first Friday meeting

The men of St. Patrick's Catholic Church of Heppner and St. William's Catholic Church of Ione will hold their First Friday of the month meeting on

Friday, Nov. 2 at the parish office in Heppner. The meeting will start at 6:45 a.m. and will be followed by First Friday Mass at 7:30 a.m.

Bag sale planned

The Neighborhood Center in Heppner will be holding a bag sale on Wednesday, Nov. 7 from 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. The first bag is \$15, with additional bags at \$10.

The Neighborhood clothing, shoes and books with all other items at 50 percent off. The Neighborhood Center is located at 441 N Main Street and can be reached at 541-676-5024.

The bag sale includes

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Feeding the Community