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Good News Only

By Doris Brosnan

I hadn't processed the sights and sounds of heavy equipment I saw near the intersection of Center and Chase Streets, so I was sort of startled when I turned north on Chase from May last week. Yes, pavement is now being removed from Chase, as the long-term project progresses.

Apparently, the next stage of improvements on Gale Street has begun this week: sidewalks. (My dog and I will appreciate these.) As City Manager Cutsforth noted, "DEstruction is being replaced with CONstruction."

The usefulness of the remodeled Gilliam-Bisbee building was again evidenced last week, at the HHS National Honor Society induction of new members, with lunch following. Such a nice, well-planned facility. Congratulations to the new members.

Mahaley Huddleston, daughter of Mark and Jan, has been elected president of Austin Junior Forum, a non-profit volunteer organization supporting women, children and the elderly in the Austin, TX area through community service and fundraising. Mahaley has been a member since 2015 and looks forward to leading the organization this year and giving back to her community, surely a value she learned while growing up in Heppner.

Tori Lovgren and Kyle Nicol exchanged wedding vows last Saturday at the Lovgren ranch. Beautiful in her custom-made wedding gown, Tori joined Kyle for their first dance as husband and wife, but they soon grabbed up one of her boot-tapping nieces

and then one of his nieces as they continued the dance as a foursome. "Elegant" describes the wedding, says one of the 300 guests, and especially endearing was the gift of quarters with the handmade card in a handmade envelope from a very young guest. The couple will enjoy a trip away later, when their jobs allow.

Bobbi Angell's 76th birthday celebration on Sunday added to the festive weekend enjoyed by her Lovgren clan, daughter Bobbette's family, and after her favorite banana cake with whipped cream, she celebrated most of the day helping with the after-wedding cleanup.

If she counts her age with friends, not years, JoAnne Burleson is much older than the 90 years she celebrated on Monday in the city park with local and out-of-town guests. (Of course, she planned to be on the tennis court the next morning.)

No sooner had the '21 HHS seniors walked across the stage and flipped their

tassels than Mr. Morgan's Math 095 class ventured up to the "H" hill behind the rodeo grounds and rearranged the white rocks from 21 to 22. Looks good, new-seniors..

Great news for everyone who wants to go swimming: See the ad in today's paper.

And good news for Heppner library patrons is that late fines are a thing of the past, and past fines will be wiped from the books. Remember: even if our library does not have a copy of a book you want, the book can usually be ordered from another library in the Sage system and be ready for you to pick up almost before you can say thank you.

Kim Armato reports that Heppner Daycare is very excited about a life-changing program: Principal Economic Development Lead for Amazon, Hillary Lambert, and her team met with the HDC board several weeks ago and have committed a substantial amount of financial

support to the childcare center, hopefully ongoing annually. This will allow the childcare facility to develop programs and hire qualified personnel while at the same time offering scholarships and other benefits to the communities' families. Also, the board recently hired a manager and a teacher, both highly qualified. Interested? Contact heppnerdaycareinc@gmail.com to get details.

I am aware that in the last month and a half, two more relocated Heppnerites have signed up for delivery of the Heppner Gazette-Times, again demonstrating that keeping in touch with the happenings in their hometown is important, no matter how far away you roam. (Makes a thoughtful gift.)

Please share your tidbits of good news, so we can enjoy a brief respite from the less smile-worthy items in the news. Send them to dbrosnan123@gmail.com or call 541-676-5382 or 541-223-1490 or stop me on the street.

Justice Court Report

Morrow County Justice of the Peace, Glen Diehl, has released the following Justice Court report:

- Donald Martin Jr, 51, Heppner, was convicted of violation of basic rule, fine \$65.
- Zachariah E Brown, 31, Heppner, was convicted of violation of basic rule, fine \$265.
- Juvenile, Heppner, was convicted of violation of speed limit, fine \$165.
- Juvenile, Heppner, was convicted of no ops, fine \$100.

Marriage Licenses

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

- May 13, 2021:** - Bailey Kay Boyer, 23, Irrigon, and Wyatt Lynn Clack, 21, Irrigon.
- Ross L Westberg, 65, Irrigon, and Bobbi J Soders, 47, Irrigon.
- May 21, 2021:** - Bailey

Dean Haguewood, 25, Ione, and Mekayla Shae Kindle, 25, Ione..

May 27, 2021: - Matthew Ryan Evans, 26, Heppner, and Kaitlynn Kay Dyer, 26, Heppner.

May 28, 2021: - Torri Raye Lovgren, 29, Heppner, and Kyle Albert Nicol, 35, Heppner.

May 21, 2021: - Bailey

Father's Day Specials

10% off Wrangler Jeans

20% off Wrangler Shirts

- Nursery Sale -

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