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Good News Only

By Doris Brosnan

And speaking of puppy paw prints in the Thomson Square cement, surely not surprising is the plethora of deer hoof prints on an area of a new Gale Street sidewalk. More difficult to explain would be the adult shoe prints that extend down much of that same sidewalk. Both probably permanent reminders of the 2021 sidewalk project.

For anyone who doesn't already know, Upper Place Concessions continues to serve eats while at a temporary spot across the highway from Green Feed.

There's another HHS intern reporter on board at the GT. Readers will surely enjoy Hannah Finch's coverage of local youth activities.

What a thoughtful kindness, the HHS TSA students constructed and installed an access ramp at a local home.

Successful school sports results last week included middle school's showing at The Dalles cross-country meet in which Lily Nichols, Riley Archer and Brooklyn Hendricks took the first three spots in their 3000 run, and Cooper Wight placed first for the boys. Both Heppner and Ione high schools also enjoyed team wins in football and volleyball competitions.

David Sykes attended the UO football game vs Arizona in Eugene Saturday, along with daughter, Camille, her partner, Eddie Gonzales and his father, Frank Gonzales. They reported a good game, great weather and a fun time.

Grandmothers, Naomi Gonzales and April Sykes also had fun babysitting grandson, Oscar Gonzales, age 2, at home in Milwaukie, OR.

Fall season officially appeared on our calendars last week, and many, many hunters appeared on our streets as they came, headed for the mountains, and then reappeared as they headed back home, hopefully after spending some time and money in our businesses.

From Chris Lewis late last week, "My granddaughter Maci Davidson is a senior at Pueblo West High School in Colorado. In a class of 385 students, she was elected to be homecoming princess. Her father, Tim Davidson, and grandmothers Chris Lewis and Kayrene Qualls are flying to Colorado so they can go to the football game, and her father can escort her onto the field at half-time."

Dianne Mullens and Kathy Martin celebrated their September birthdays, both 76 years old, on the 16th at lunch with thirteen friends at the Route 74 Café. Catch-up conversations, jokes about age, hilarious birthday cards, good food and drinks, was an all-around good way to celebrate birthdays.

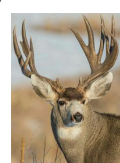
Readers will surely appreciate the smiles you bring to their faces when you send your "good-news tidbits" before Monday afternoon to dbrosnan123@gmail.com, or call 541-676-5382 or 541-223-1490, or stop me on the street.

Here's hoping that some good news comes to everyone reading this.

~ G-T Trophy Corner ~

The Heppner Gazette Times would like to see pictures of your trophy animals from this hunting season. Please send a photo along with your name, age, town you live in, location of the hunt and a description of the animal to editor@rapidsolve.net, upload to Heppner.net or text to 541-980-6674.

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Pat Schiller shot this 6x7 in the Starkey unit on Thursday, September 23.

A View from the Green

Over the Tee Cup

The Willow Creek Country Club ladies held their final regular playday September 21 at the Willow Creek Country Club.

Karen Thompson took low gross of the field and Pat Dougherty took low net of the field. The least putts of the field winner was Kathy Martin.

For flight A Carol Mitchell was the winner for low gross and Virginia Grant had low net and long drive.

Flight C low gross winner was Betty Carter. Jean Creswick won low net and Kris Lindner had the least putts and the long drive.

Columbia-Blue senior golfers play Beacon Rock

The Columbia-Blue Seniors Golf Tournament was held September 13 at Beacon Rock Golf Course at North Bonneville, WA, with 85 CBSGA members enjoying excellent weather. Beacon Rock is a par 72 course in the heart of the Columbia River Gorge.

Willow Creek Country Club members who placed in the Columbia Division (handicap 13 and below) were Scott Burright and Duane Disque in a tie for sixth with a score of 87. Dave Pranger took eighth with 88. Jim Swanson took sixth in net with a 77.

Dale Holland took seventh with 91 and John Edmundson took eighth with 93 in gross for the Blue

Division (handicap 14-20).

Taking fifth in gross for the Senior Division (handicap 21 and above) was Gene Orwick with a score of 98. In net Mike Sweek came in first with 66 and Greg Greenup was third with 68. Curtis Cutsforth came in fourth with 70 and Tom Wolff was seventh with 79.

The senior golf tournament season will end at the Milton-Freewater municipal golf course on October 11. Due to COVID-19 restrictions, riding cart reservations and tee times must be arranged by calling the pro shop at 541-938-7284 after October 4. Lunch will be available at the golf course restaurant.

Bag sale scheduled

The Neighborhood Center will be having a bag sale on Wednesday, October 6 from 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. (closed 12:30-1:30 for lunch). The first bag will be \$15 and the second will be \$5.

Shoppers are invited to shop for the entire family and fill up a bag with clothing, shoes, books, games, music and movies. House-

hold items, furniture and toys are 50 percent off that day as well. Proceeds from the sale help fund emergency service programs.

Donations can be dropped off Monday through Friday in the front of the building at 441 N Main Street, Heppner. For additional information contact Lisa Patton at 541-676-5024.

AED donated to Blake Ranch



EMT Diana Grant and EMT-Intermediate Susie Crosby are pictured with a new AED (Automated External Defibrillator) donated by Morrow County Health District to the Blake Ranch Community. MCHD also donated a jump bag equipped with necessary first aid supplies to use while waiting for the ambulance.

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Red Barn fun run coming up

The Red Barn Fun Run is scheduled for Saturday, October 2, 2021. It will start at LDS church corner of Tom Street and Highway 74 in Lexington and will consist of a 5K, two mile and one mile run/walk.

The cost to participate is \$10 to run/walk and tee

shirts will be available for \$5 each.

The fun run will take place on a flat, paved course and will include fun prizes and treats. Kids and strollers are welcome. Proceeds from the event will go to the Heppner/Ione High School Cross country team.

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HUNTER'S NIGHT

Thursday,
September 30th

Dinner - 6:00 pm
Pork Ribs
Potatoes
Salad & Roll

Lodge - 8:00 pm

Lots of Raffle Items
Members and Guests



Morrow County Compensation Board

Morrow County has two vacancies to start on January 1, 2022

Board's Purpose:

The Compensation Board annually reviews the compensation of County Elected Officials and by majority vote, recommends a compensation schedule to the Board of Commissioners. The Board shall consist of members who are knowledgeable in personnel and compensation management. Members are appointed to four-year terms.

If you are interested in serving, please visit <https://www.co.morrow.or.us/bc-cb> and send application to Lindsay Grogan, HR: 541-676-5620 or lgrogan@co.morrow.or.us

