

Police add defibrillators to four patrol vehicles

Hermiston police who arrive on scene at a medical emergency before paramedics will now have an automated external defibrillator at their disposal.

Hermiston Police Department Chief Jason Edmiston said the department recently purchased four portable AED units and a training unit. The portable units will be placed in four patrol vehicles driven by sergeants and corporals.

Edmiston said the \$2,600 purchase means an AED will be accessible to an on-duty shift "nearly 100 percent of the time."

He said he has applied for a grant that would be used to purchase three

more and plans to budget for an additional three during the 2016-2017 fiscal year.

Edmiston said in an email that years ago while on patrol he arrived before paramedics at a local restaurant where a customer was having a heart attack. He said he performed CPR with another patron, but had no success. He said research shows that using an AED early during an emergency can increase the patient's chances of survival.

"Our troops having yet another resource at their disposal is important for us in our attempt to provide as professional of a service to those we serve as possible," he wrote.

IN BRIEF

Irrigon mayor to speak at chamber meeting

Irrigon Mayor Sam Heath is the guest speaker at the upcoming Irrigon Chamber of Commerce meeting.

The no-host luncheon gathering is Wednesday, Feb. 10, at 11:45 a.m. at Stokes Landing Senior Center, 195 N.W. Opal Place, Irrigon. The cost is \$8 for members and \$10 for non-members.

In addition, the chamber is hosting a membership drive. For more information or to become a chamber member, contact 541-922-3857 or irrigonchamber@irrigonchamber.com.

Sweet fundraiser benefits pair with cancer

A cinnamon roll fundraiser is planned to provide assistance for Nadine Ball and Mike Ferguson — both are fighting cancer.

Orders are being taken for the cinnamon rolls, which are \$10 for a dozen. Prepared by Bridgett and Kay Alldritt, they will be freshly baked Friday, Feb. 5, at Lone Community School. They will be available for pickup in the afternoon during the lone versus Dufur basketball games.

To place an order, contact 541-561-0799 or bridgett.alldritt@ionnesd.org.

Grange plans craft sale, breakfast

A flea market, craft sale and breakfast is planned at the Columbia Grange.

The all-you-can-eat breakfast is \$6. The flea market and craft sale runs Saturday from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. at 32339 Diagonal Blvd., Hermiston. Vendor space is available for \$8.

For more information or for vendor space, call Doris at 541-567-8663 or Pat at 541-567-5706.

Good Shepherd offers Healthy Fridays

Free health screenings are offered twice a month at Good Shepherd Medical Center.

Beginning Feb. 5, people can have free cholesterol, blood sugar, body mass index, blood pressure checks and receive health information at the hospital. Healthy Fridays is the first Friday of each month from 9:30-11:30 a.m. or the third Friday from 2-4 p.m. It's held in Conference Center 7 at the hospital, 610 N.W. 11th St., Hermiston.

For more information, call 541-667-3509.

Bucks, Bulldogs paint The Dawghouse pink



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During a boys basketball game Tuesday night, the Hermiston student section — and much of The Dawghouse — wears pink to support former Hermiston Spanish teacher and current Pendleton Spanish teacher Kathryn Youngman, who is battling cancer for the third time.



The Hermiston boys basketball team along with the Pendleton boys basketball team and both girls teams, wear pink warm-ups Tuesday night in solidarity with both high schools, who are trying to send Kathryn Youngman to Los Angeles to appear on the popular daytime talk show "The Ellen DeGeneres Show."



Hermiston High School cheerleaders and students show their support for Pendleton teacher Kathryn Youngman. The #YoungmanOnEllen campaign began last week fueled by students from Pendleton and Hermiston and snowballed on social media, gaining traction with celebrity re-tweets and enthusiasm from both schools.

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1 Pet. 5:7

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THURSDAY.....Spanish 7:00 am
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.....Spanish 7:00 pm
SUNDAY.....English 9:00 am
.....Bilingual 11:00 am
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.....567-5812

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Monday @ 6 pm

To share your worship times call Amanda Jacobs
541-278-2683

Introducing Mariette Macrander

MD, Family Medicine & OB

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