

THREE MINUTES WITH ...



KIMBERLY MACIAS

Advertising Media Consultant
for the East Oregonian

When and why did you move to Hermiston?
At age 5, my parents decided to move here from California for a better future since we lived in a pretty ghetto area in Cali. Plus Hermiston was affordable and my dad's brother lived here.

What is your favorite place to eat in Hermiston?
Delish Bistro!

What do you like to do in your spare time?
Spend time with my niece; she's the coolest!

What surprises you about Hermiston?
The growth throughout the years

What was the last book you read?
La Spia by Paulo Coelho

What app or website do you use most often other than Facebook or Google?
Probably Instagram

If you could travel anywhere, where would you go?
I've been fortunate to travel to nine countries so far, my next one is between Iceland, Costa Rica, or Guatemala.

What is the funniest thing that's happened to you?
It wasn't funny to me when it happened but on my 23rd birthday my brother came out of nowhere to smash my head in the cake. It was so hard I thought I had lost my tooth. Looking back at the video, it's funny now.

What is one of your goals for the next 12 months?
Honestly, one of my goals has been trying to make each day count! I'm focusing on trying to live in the present because tomorrow isn't guaranteed!

What is your proudest accomplishment?
Graduating from the University since my parents didn't have the opportunity. Go Eagles (Eastern Washington University)!

HERMISTON HISTORY



HH FILE PHOTO.

Hermiston High School football players (left to right) Scott Brown, Carlos Flores, Jon Schutte and their friend Brice Logan clear snow off Don Dority's car. Dority paid the boys to clear snow off cars in his lot to raise money for a summer trip to Australia.

25 YEARS AGO
MARCH 9, 1993

A section of Interstate 82 near the junction with Interstate 84 was closed for nearly two hours after a truck carrying nuclear waste slid off the road and was struck by another truck.

At no time during the morning did any radiation leak from the truck. The only damage suffered by the truck was to the trailer, with the nuclear waste tucked safely inside a well-sealed and well-protected cask. It was en route to Hanford from a decommissioned nuclear reactor at Fort St. Vrain in Colorado.

A neighborhood in Umatilla County near Holdman has suffered multiple thefts and burglaries over the last few months and resident Ken Smith is putting them on notice. He said he is sorry it has come down to this, but he plans to patrol the roads and if he sees someone messing around any of the houses in the area "I will shoot to kill. They are nothing but a bunch of thieves, they don't belong here and I am going to take care of them."

Smith said he contacted Oregon State Police about his plans, and they asked him not to kill anybody, but to get their license plate number so the police can find the person.

50 YEARS AGO
MARCH 7, 1968

Hermiston's planning commission has been presented with a tentative proposed plan for the creation of a street mall for the two-block area of Main Street from First to Third Street.

The commission received the proposed plan at its regular monthly meeting. Making the proposal was Carl Peters, a member of the commission.

The group conducted a general discussion on the proposed plan with regards to its desirability and various changes that would have to be made to vehicular traffic movement and allied activities. To present his proposal to the commission Peters presented



HH FILE PHOTO.

Stanfield youngsters (from left) Chris Jeffs, Nate Lemmon, Adam Lemmon, April Jeffs and Mary Lemmon look out of an igloo they built on a snow day in March 1993.

preliminary drawings of the mall.

Two Hermiston women, Mrs. Emma Hutchinson, 78, and Mrs. Emry Bleakman, 83, said today they are anxiously awaiting for someone to publicly acknowledge the merits of their proposal for the establishment of a watermelon preserve processing plant in Hermiston. They say they will continue to profess that the idea is economically sound and that all that is necessary for the establishment of the plant is the ambition of some enterprising young man.

The two made it plain they would be tempted to undertake the project themselves "that is, if only we were younger," they relate with a note of disappointment. As their reward to such a man starting the processing plant the two women are offering their recipe for watermelon preserves, free of charge.

75 YEARS AGO
MARCH 11, 1943

Shortly after the Hermiston fire siren aroused the residents of this city Sunday afternoon, a Union Pacific engine took up the noise-making chore. Considerable speculation was heard as to the reason for the whistle, varying from another call to fire to the general assembly of all state guardsmen. However, upon checking up

on the matter it was found that a stuck whistle could not be released. Anyway, it was blowing when it came into town, blew when it was here and was blowing when it left — could be that it is still blowing.

Instructions to selective service local boards prohibiting the drafting of men with children who are recognized as dependents under the selective service act are still in effect, the War Manpower Commission stated today.

"The only men with children who are being selected for induction at this present time," Paul V. McNault, chairman, said today, "are those in whose cases the dependency was acquired after December 8, 1941, and at a time when selection was not imminent, may not be inducted through selective service until there is direct authorization by national headquarters."

Men with wives and children will be reclassified only after the supply of single men without dependents and who are not deferred as "necessary men" in their occupations is exhausted in the local board area.

100 YEARS AGO
MARCH 9, 1918

The new Hermiston library building has been completed in all detail, and preparations will soon be

under way for the removal of the library from the Civic Center room on Main Street to its new home. The Civic Center organization will also move and occupy the basement of the new building. Monday and Tuesday of this week Folger Johnson, architect of Portland, made a general inspection of the library building proper and found it measured up to plans and specifications and in excellent condition for occupancy.

An excerpt from a letter from Cpl. Jack Johnson "somewhere in France" to his sister Edlie: "My dearest sister, Everyone is reading and discussing the sinking of the American transport Tuscania. Those in our company realize what feeling all aboard had when the ship was torpedoed. Our commander and all of us kept vigilant watch the last night of our trip, for it was reported that a submarine was following us.

One this certain is that it will bring home to the people in the States that the war is won by no means yet. It ought to add a stimulus to recruiting and greater efforts on the part of everyone. It certainly will quiet those peace advocates at any rate. We are hard at work supplying the boys, and can't say I am a bit disappointed by any means. It is muddy and raining but most of us are under cover."

Hermiston Herald
VOLUME 112 • NUMBER 10



- Jade McDowell | Reporter • jmcodowell@eastoregonian.com • 541-564-4536
- Jayati Ramakrishnan | Reporter • jramakrishnan@hermistonherald.com • 541-564-4534
- Tammy Malgesini | Community Editor • tmalgesini@eastoregonian.com • 541-564-4539
- Alexis Mansanarez | Sports Reporter • amansanarez@eastoregonian.com • 541-564-4542
- Jeanne Jewett | Multi-Media consultant • jjewett@hermistonherald.com • 541-564-4531
- Audra Workman | Multi-Media consultant • aworkman@eastoregonian.com • 541-564-4538
- Dawn Hendricks | Office Manager • dhendricks@eastoregonian.com • 541-564-4530

To contact the Hermiston Herald for news, advertising or subscription information:
• call 541-567-6457
• e-mail info@hermistonherald.com
• stop by our offices at 333 E. Main St.
• visit us online at: hermistonherald.com

The Hermiston Herald (USPS 242220, ISSN 8750-4782) is published weekly at Hermiston Herald, 333 E. Main St., Hermiston, OR 97838, (541) 567-6457.

Member of EO Media Group Copyright ©2018

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION RATES
Delivered by mail Wednesdays
Inside Umatilla/Morrow counties.....\$42.65
Outside Umatilla/Morrow counties.....\$53.90

Periodical postage paid at Hermiston, OR.
Postmaster, send address changes to Hermiston Herald, 333 E. Main St., Hermiston, OR 97838.

CORRECTIONS

It is the policy of the Hermiston Herald to correct errors as soon as they are discovered. Incorrect information will be corrected on Page 2A. Errors committed on the Opinion page will be corrected on that page. Corrections also are noted in the online versions of our stories.
Please contact the editor at editor@hermistonherald.com or call (541) 564-4533 with issues about this policy or to report errors.

Stop By and See Our New Garden Area!
Plants & Home Decor

Put a smile on the heart with the power of flowers.

HWY 395, HERMISTON
541-567-4305
Mon-Sat 8am-6pm • Sun 12pm-5am

www.cottagefloweronline.com

LOG HOMES
JUST RELEASED - PAY BALANCE DUE ONLY

AMERICAN LOG HOMES recently assisted in the Estate Sale of several Log Home Kits.

2 Log Homes added for **BALANCE OWED - FREE DELIVERY**

- Model # 402 St. Louis \$40,850 BALANCE OWED \$16,500
- Model # 403 Augusta \$42,450 BALANCE OWED \$16,000
- New - HOMES HAVE NOT BEEN MANUFACTURED
- Make any design changes you desire!
- MAY APPLY FULL PRICE TO ANY AMERICAN LOG HOME MODEL
- Comes with Complete Building Blueprints & Construction Manual
- Windows, Doors, and Roofing not included
- NO TIME LIMIT FOR DELIVERY!

VIEW at www.loghomedream.com - Click on House Plans
SERIOUS ONLY REPLY, Call (704)602-3035 ask for Accounting

MORE HD CHANNELS, FASTER INTERNET AND UNLIMITED VOICE.

Blazing fast Internet is available and can be yours with **Spectrum Internet™**. With speeds starting at 60 Mbps.

\$29.99 per month
SPECTRUM INTERNET™
AS LOW AS

125+ CHANNELS
UP TO 60MBPS
UNLIMITED CALLING

SPECTRUM TRIPLE PLAY™
\$89.97 per month

CONTACT YOUR LOCAL AUTHORIZED RETAILER
855-613-2321

Your Family Deserves The **BEST** Technology... Value... TV!...

Upgrade to the Hopper® 3 Smart HD DVR
• Watch and record 16 shows at once
• Get built-in Netflix and YouTube
• Watch TV on your mobile devices
Hopper upgrade fee \$5/mo.

Add High Speed Internet
\$14.95/mo.
Subject to availability. Restrictions apply.
Internet not provided by DISH and will be billed separately.

190 Channels

CALL TODAY Save 20%! 1-866-373-9175

OUT WITH CABLE. IN WITH SAVINGS.

Get a **\$200 AT&T Visa®** Reward Card* when you sign up for DIRECTV SELECT™ Package or above.

ASK ME HOW TO BUNDLE AND SAVE. CALL TODAY!
IV SUPPORT HOLDINGS LLC
855-502-2578

EARTHLINK INTERNET
HIGH SPEED INTERNET

Enjoy big-time internet speeds without spending big bucks!

Get Connected for as low as **14.95/mo.**
HyperLink™ High-Speed Internet
Connection speeds up to 75 Mbps

Get Connected for as low as **49.99/mo.**
Satellite Internet
What you get with HyperLink Satellite Internet

CONTACT YOUR LOCAL AUTHORIZED RETAILER
855-977-9436