

Catholic Daughters host stylin' fundraiser

By HERMISTON HERALD

A pair of Hermiston men with larger-than-life personalities nearly ran away with the spotlight during a Valentine Luncheon and Style Show.

Kristi Smalley, regent for Catholic Daughters of the Americas Our Lady of Angels Court #1692, said Mark Gomolski and Kyran Miller hammed it up while modeling Carhart clothing gear for bigger men. Smalley said the two men, who are members of Knights of Columbus Council #3999, upstaged babies and toddlers, who typically steal the show.

Inclement weather, Smalley said, certainly didn't dampen the spirits of those attending the Feb. 16 event at Our Lady of Angels Catholic Church in Hermiston. A fundraiser for the Catholic Daughters, the annual event drew more than 150 people. Those in attendance enjoyed a meal

prepared by members of the Catholic Daughters, under the guidance of co-chairs Leticia Little and Teddy Reynozo.

A total of 48 models — ranging in age from 11 months to 84 years — donned the latest fashions from Bealls, Maurice's, Smitty's Ace Hardware, Andee's Boutique, Lucky Endz Gifts, LuLaRoe with Sarajane Gutierrez and the Good Shepherd Medical Center Auxiliary Gift Shop. Smalley provided narration and co-chair Sandi Rizk sent the models down the runway. In addition, Marti Plum served double-duty by singing the national anthem and strutting on the catwalk.

The event netted \$1,500, which will support the Marilyn Harris Memorial Scholarship Program. Money is awarded to a pair of local graduating seniors each spring during a Baccalaureate Mass at the Hermiston church.



Photo contributed by Janet Sexton
Chris and 16-month-old Max Moon show off casual threads while modeling clothing from local merchants Feb. 16.



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A 50-year member of the Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Arla Mae Vannett participates in the group's style show.

BRIEFS

SAGE Center hosts job fair

Employers who are actively hiring will be on hand during the Agriculture Energy & Processing Job Fair.

The event is Wednesday, March 6 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the SAGE Center, 101 Olson Road, Boardman. People can learn about local career opportunities and identify education and training for high demand positions.

People can meet with employers at the SAGE Center and colleges at BMCC Workforce Training Center, 251 Olson Road.

For more information, call 541-481-7243.

Diaper Dash races toward fifth year

A 5K and 10K walk/run has helped distribute more than 45,000 diapers to area parents and agencies in need.

Coordinated by Hermiston Church of the Nazarene, the fifth annual Diaper Dash is Saturday at 9 a.m. Registration and check-in begins at 8 a.m. The event starts and ends at the church, 1520 W. Orchard Ave., Hermiston. The route includes Riverfront Park and along the Oxbow Trail. The entry fee is a package or box of diapers.

The 2018 event included 182 participants with more than 11,000 diapers donated. Office manager Gabrielle Fritz said organizers are hoping for an even bigger turn-out and have set a goal of 15,000 diapers.

People can register in advance at www.hermistonnazarene.org. For questions, contact Fritz at 541-567-3677 or hermistonnaz@gmail.com.



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Members of the Hermiston High School softball team participate in the 2018 Diaper Dash.

Ladies Night Out helps relief nursery

An event to raise money to help prevent child abuse is planned in Pendleton.

Ladies Night Out is Thursday, March 7 from 5:30-8 p.m. at the Pendleton Convention Center, 1601 Westgate. The cost is \$25 per person. In addition, table sponsorships are available that include reserved seating for eight, special signage and other perks.

Kate Lacy, executive director at Pioneer Relief Nursery, said the inaugural event offers a fun and inspiring evening for women leaders throughout Umatilla County and surrounding areas. It will include a Power of the Purse Auction, featuring themed handbags filled with goodies from area sponsors, a raffle, hors d'oeuvres and a no-host bar. In addition, clients of Pioneer Relief Nursery will share how the agency's services have been life changing to their family.

The nonprofit organization serves Umatilla County with comprehensive services to prevent child abuse. They utilize a holistic and

compassionate combination of services in an effort to strengthen the family and make the household a safe place for children.

Tickets are available at www.pioneerreliefnursery.org. For questions, contact Lacy at katel@pioneerreliefnursery.org.

Parent club sets annual auction

People can have a chance to win a one-night stay and gift card for Great Wolf Lodge, a drone with a high definition camera, a hoverboard with helmet, a laser tag set and more during the Desert View Parent Club Auction & Raffle.

In its 11th year, the event is Thursday, March 14 from 5-7 p.m. at Desert View Elementary School, 1225 S.W. Ninth St., Hermiston. Raffle tickets are 15 for \$10 or 26 for \$20. A chili dog dinner will be available for one

ticket. Also, carnival-type games can be played for two tickets.

The fun-filled family friendly event raises money for field trips, library books, classroom projects and many other things to support and enhance the school and benefit its students.

People can donate raffle or auction items, water for drinks or volunteer to help with the event. Donations are tax-deductible. For more information, contact Katie at 541-561-6807 or dvparentclub@gmail.com.

Trivia Games 2019 highlight local people

People are encouraged to go to the library, visit museums or utilize Google as they brush up on knowledge in preparation for Trivia Games 2019.

A fundraiser for the Umatilla County Historical Society, the topic centers around "Diverse Peoples of Umatilla County." The event is Saturday, March 9 at 5:30 p.m. in the Roy Raley Room at the Pendleton Round-Up Grounds, 1205 S.W. Court Ave. Tickets, which a corned beef and cabbage dinner and dessert, are \$25 per person or \$120 for a table of six. The event also features an entertaining live auction.

To register a team or to purchase tickets, call 541-276-0012 or stop by Heritage Station Museum, 108 S.W. Frazer Ave., Pendleton. www.heritagestation-museum.org.



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STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Alizay Rodriguez

Senior – Umatilla High School

Alizay Rodriguez will graduate with honors from Umatilla High School in June with a 3.78 GPA. She is involved in Robotics, National Honor Society, Volleyball, and Leadership. She will be attending Portland State University in the fall and majoring in Biomedical Engineering.



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