

Farm-City Pro Rodeo, other Umatilla County events press on

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As summer plans hang on the race between COVID-19 vaccines and the spread of new, more contagious COVID-19 variants, some major Umatilla County events are trying to plan ahead the best they can.

Farm-City Pro Rodeo board member Dennis Barnett said the rodeo will go on in Hermiston in August, after being canceled in 2020 while Umatilla County was under strict COVID-19 restrictions.

"There will be a rodeo, we just don't know if there will be no fans, or some fans or 100%," he said.

Barnett said there have already been other rodeo events held at the Eastern Oregon Trade and Event



Rusty Wright, of Milford, Utah, rides to victory in saddle bronc on day two of the Farm-City Pro Rodeo in Hermiston in 2019.

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Center without fans present since the pandemic began, establishing a precedent for using the arena. So the board is making three plans — one for an event with no live spectators, one in an arena at partial capacity, and one for an event that looks like years past.

"We owe it to the cowboys, we owe it to the contractors, because they need to make a living too," he said.

Barnett said in March that the Farm-City Pro Rodeo has not received any government money to support the event, despite its cancellation last year. So if event organizers can't sell any tickets this year or half the usual amount, it will fall to sponsors to make up the difference.

Fortunately, he said, sponsors he has met with so far have all been very sup-

portive. The rodeo takes place each year in tandem with the Umatilla County Fair, held on the same dates, also at EOTEC. Fair Manager Angie McNalley has said the fair board is also moving forward with plans on the assumption that there will be a "fair that looks like a fair" in August, even if there are some regulations in place regarding social distancing, capacity, sanitation and other safety measures.

On the east side of the county, the Pendleton Round-Up Association is planning a full slate of events the second week in September, according to Pat Reay, the Round-Up's publicity director.

When the Pendleton Whisky Music Fest canceled its 2020 event, it retained headliners Eric

Church and Macklemore for a rescheduled 2021 concert. Whisky Fest is still advertising a July 10 concert, but in mid-March, co-founder Doug Corey said he was still waiting on word from the state about what would be allowed before making a final decision.

Pendleton Bike Week recently posted to its website that the 2021 event was postponed to July 2022 because of COVID-19 restrictions.

Jackalope Jamboree, a music festival that held its inaugural event in Pendleton in 2019, is selling tickets for its June 25-26 shows.

The Pendleton Cattle Barons are gearing up to restart April 30. The two-day event will feature a mix of rodeo, horse auctions and trade shows with the goal of raising money for college scholarships.

Courts:

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Amber Terry of Hermiston: seeks \$1,177.11.
•Credits Inc. vs. Adan Torres Rafael of Irrigon: seeks \$931.72.
•Credits Inc. vs. Colby L. Murray of Hermiston: seeks \$579.94.
•Credits Inc. vs. Jerry A. Leicht of Hermiston: seeks \$1,032.95.
•OneMain Financial Group LLC vs. Martin Araiza of Hermiston: seeks \$2,375.27.
•Midland Credit Management Inc. vs. Juan Macias of Hermiston: seeks \$2,129.40.
•Velocity Investments LLC vs. Rodney G. Reynolds of Umatilla: seeks \$3,003.62.
•Bank of America N.A. vs. Ryan Glenn Ofarrell: seeks \$7,533.22.
•DNF Associates LLC vs. Charles A. Munro Jr. of Stanfield: seeks \$1,097.57.
•Financial Assistance inc. vs. Rosanna Diaz: seeks \$17,587.43.
•Credits Inc. vs. Raymond and Jessica Aguilar of Hermiston: seeks \$5,949.26.
•Credits Inc. vs. Katie E. Barthel of Umatilla: seeks \$6,008.03.
•Credits Inc. vs. Connor Cham-

berlain of Hermiston: seeks \$2,523.03.
•Credits Inc. vs. Leobardo B. and Erika Contreras of Boardman: seeks \$5,599.24.
•Evergreen Financial Services Inc. vs. Enrique Llerenas of Hermiston: seeks \$222.95.
•Credits Inc. vs. Emmanuel Morfin Garcia of Hermiston: seeks \$799.35.
•Credits Inc. vs. Guadalupe Lezama and Jesus Estrella Torres of Boardman: seeks \$1,087.10.
•Credits Inc. vs. Juan and Guadalupe Martinez of Boardman: seeks \$2,768.74.
•Credits Inc. vs. Marc Matthew McWilliams of Boardman: seeks \$2,242.14.
•Credits Inc. vs. Andres A. and Kimberly Ramirez of Boardman: seeks \$615.63.
•Credits Inc. vs. Pedro Tejeda and Elidia M. Lopez of Umatilla: seeks \$584.77.
•Credits Inc. vs. Jerad and Katherine R. Uzzell of Hermiston: seeks \$2,085.97.
•Credits Inc. vs. Martha Vazquez Gomez of Boardman: seeks \$7,801.60.
•Credits Inc. vs. Aaron Wilson of Irrigon: seeks \$1,418.09.
•Quick Collect Inc. vs. Wendy L.





(Kralman) and Tony Raymond of Umatilla: seeks \$818.13.
JUDGMENTS
PENDLETON — The following judgments have been rendered in Umatilla County courts (interest, court costs and fees not listed):
•Credits Inc. vs. Carmen Ramos of Echo: judgment for \$1,730.53.
•Credits Inc. vs. Adam Rutter of Hermiston: judgment for \$2,296.57.
•LVNV Funding LLC vs. Joanna Luna of Hermiston: judgment for \$1,105.35.
•LVNV Funding LLC vs. Samantha Lowrance of Echo: judgment for \$1,038.75.
•Credits Inc. vs. Domingo Javier Tojin Us of Hermiston: judgment for \$840.86.
•Credits Inc. vs. Crissa Parker of Irrigon: judgment for \$1,033.53.
•Credits Inc. vs. Stephanie Gibson of Stanfield: judgment for \$1,383.02.
•Credits Inc. vs. Roy G. and Christina Weems of Hermiston: judgment for \$1,158.06.
•Quick Collect Inc. vs. Janet Almonte and Jose Calderon of Hermiston: judgment for

\$345.30.
•Credits Inc. vs. Clementina Villegas of Hermiston: judgment for \$470.96.
•Credits Inc. vs. Amanda M. and Joshua Estes of Umatilla: judgment for \$732.13.
•Credits Inc. vs. Shawn C. Fitzgerald of Umatilla: judgment for \$2,410.53.
•Credits Inc. vs. Lezlee H. Curtis of Hermiston: judgment for \$615.37.
•Credits Inc. vs. Alejandro Zazueta Villegas of Hermiston: judgment for \$1,623.69.
•Credits Inc. vs. Alberto Ruiz Gomez and Loni Silvani Gomez of Hermiston: judgment for \$5,172.06.
•Credits Inc. vs. Florencio Arrellano Alatorre of Hermiston: judgment for \$047.94.
•Credits Inc. vs. Ryan and Amanda Tremblay of Hermiston: judgment for \$694.28.
•Credits Inc. vs. Maria E. and Francisco Tejada of Hermiston: judgment for \$5,232.59.
•Credits Inc. vs. Vania B. Flores of Hermiston: judgment for \$783.54.
•Credits Inc. vs. Saida Y. Benicio Rodriguez of Hermiston: judgment for \$5,048.48.


•Credits Inc. vs. Nick Landreth of Boardman and Nick Landreth dba Nicks Cell Phone, Computer and Electronics Repair: judgment for \$1,013.46.
•Credits Inc. vs. Samuel E. Morrow of Hermiston: judgment for \$632.30.
•Bonneville Billing and Collections Inc. vs. Randolph B. Moore of Hermiston: judgment for \$241.43.
•Discover Bank vs. Brian K. Barrett of Umatilla: judgment for \$14,373.37.
•Absolute Resolutions Investments LLC vs. J. Jesus Alaniz of Echo: judgment for \$1,600.23.
•United Finance Co. vs. Maria Gurrella Covarrubias of Irrigon: judgment for \$1,644.52.
•Darin R. Greaton of Stanfield vs. Titan Freight Systems Inc. of Portland: judgment for court costs and fees.
•Credits Inc. vs. Blake and Stacey Chewning of Umatilla: judgment for \$492.31.
•Credits Inc. vs. Christopher J. Mallory of Hermiston: judgment for \$1,051.59.
•Credits Inc. vs. Juan Jose Pacheco of Umatilla: judgment for \$1,158.48.
•Credits Inc. vs. Tyler Muldoon

of Hermiston: judgment for \$4,530.42.
•Credits Inc. vs. Carlos A. Ramirez of Hermiston: judgment for \$1,502.90.
•Credits Inc. vs. Joshua McKamey of Hermiston: judgment for \$3,959.37.
DIVORCES
PENDLETON — Divorce decrees were signed in Umatilla County Courts for:
Mayra Zepeda of Hermiston and Reynaldo Perez-Zepeda of Boardman; James Todd Mack of Echo and Celeste Michelle Pike of North Bend.
MARRIAGES
PENDLETON — Marriage licenses have been registered in Umatilla County for:
Herminio Exael Solorio Patino, 37, of Hermiston, and Sandra Bedolla-Leon, 25, of Umatilla.
Armando Parra Hernandez, 38, and Mayra Maleni Palencia Hernandez, 29, both of Umatilla.
Kai Edmund Leslie, 22, and Steven Paul Douglas Surber, 22, both of Hermiston.
Juan Pablo Amezcua, 29, and Maribel Navarro Mendoza, 29, both of Hermiston.

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