# Spring Bazaar enjoyed

## Vendors, attendees brave rain for annual event

By ERICK PETERSON Hermiston Herald

fter a slow start, business started picking up at the Hermiston Spring Bazaar, according to Hermiston Parks & Recreation employees and event vendors.

Michelle Villalobos, recreation lead, counted 50 vendors inside and 35 outside for a total of 85 sellers.

She said this was a good turnout for sellers, and that the low attendance early on in attendees was probably due to the rainy weather on Saturday, May 14.



Hermiston Parks and Recreation employees Michelle Villalobos, Lexi Alvarez and Amber Aguilar pose Saturday, May 14, at the Spring Bazaar at the Hermiston Community Center.



Karyn Thomson arranges the goods at her table Saturday, May 14, 2022. She said she has been doing events like Hermiston's Spring Bazaar for



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Maria Avila of Hermiston sits at her vendor table Saturday, May 14, 2022. She was selling handmade baby clothing.



Michelle Hull of Hermiston said it was her first time to display her art at the Spring Bazaar, Saturday, May 14, 2022.



Jeramy Schultz stirs popcorn at Hermiston's Spring Bazaar Saturday, May 14, 2022.

# Buyers, sellers rock out



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Mike Filar ski and Judi Allison, both of the HatrockhoundsGem & Mineral Society, pose for a photo on Saturday, May 14, 2022. They were at the 2022 Rock & Gem Show Nature's Treasures Under Foot at the Eastern Oregon Trade and Event Center in Hermiston. Filarski, Irrigon resident and society vice president, said he was happy with the early morning crowd and the 20 vendors who attended. Allison, Hermiston resident and society newsletter editor, said she was pleased, too.



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Buyers and sellers interact at the 2022 Rock & Gem Show Nature's Treasures Under Foot at the Eastern Oregon Trade and Event Center Saturday, May 14, 2022.



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