

Banks Barbecue readied

The annual Banks Barbecue & Tractor Pull gets off to a weekend of fun on Friday, August 15, with a Fun Shoot at the Banks Gun Club from 7:00 to 11:00 p.m.

Saturday events will start at 9:00 a.m. with registration for Horseshoe Pitch competition, and the Singles contest will start at 10:00 a.m.

The hamburger stand will open at noon and, from 5-7:00 p.m., will feature a special "Bill Burger" in honor of Bill Crowther, who ran the stand for many years. The Beer Garden will be open Saturday from 5:00 p.m. to midnight.

Speedway action on Saturday will feature racing from 7-9:30 p.m.

Sunday events will begin with a Community Worship Service at 9:30 a.m. at Kelly Field, followed by the Parade,

at 11:00 a.m., from The Brown Derby to Sunset Park. When the parade reaches the park, there will be a flag raising.

The much-anticipated Barbecue Beef Sandwiches will be served starting at noon, when the Beer Garden also opens.

The Truck & Tractor Pull will fill the afternoon, starting at 1:00 p.m.

Kids's games are also featured on Sunday, with a Greased Pole climb followed by a Frog Jump and, at 2:30, a new event, a kids' Pedal Pull.

Additional events, including a drawing for a handmade quilt, will be ongoing during the weekend.

All events will take place at Sunset Park except the worship service and the parade. Sunset Park is easily located, on Hwy. 47 in Banks.

For additional information, call Brian Duyck at 324-1870.



More than 1,000 dogs were exhibited and put through their paces at the Tualatin Kennel Club Dog Show in Banks last week.

4-H results from Columbia County Fair competition

Many area youth participated in the Columbia County Fair. Following are the categories they entered and awards presented in those categories.

BEEF CATTLE

Angus, Red, Junior Calf (Steer/Bull), Blue Award - Greg Schmidlin, Vernonia.

Angus, Red, Senior Cow, Blue Award - Greg Schmidlin, Vernonia. Hereford, Junior Yearling heifer-Blue Award-Eric Schmidlin, Vernonia. Angus, Red, Dam and Produce-Blue Award-Greg Schmidlin, Vernonia.

Other Breeds, Market Steer, Champion-Blue Award - Robert Green, Rainier.

Reserve Champion, Blue Award - Steven Gibson, Rainier.

Blue Award - Derik Grove, St. Helens; Greg Schmidlin, Vernonia.

Red Award - Jack Vanderford, Clatskanie; Veronica Pelster, Peter Schmidlin, Vernonia; Jason Johnston, Sean Larson, Warren.

Showmanship, All Breeds, Junior,

Champion-Blue Award - Steven Gibson, Rainier.

Reserve Champion-Blue Award - Eric Schmidlin, Vernonia.

Blue Award - Steven Greisen, Joseph Klobes, Scappoose; Danielle Grove, Derik Grove, Kyle Melton, St. Helens; Christopher Larson, Sean Larson, Warren.

Intermediate, Reserve Champion-Blue Award - Jack Vanderford, Clatskanie.

Blue Award - Jordan Stebins, Rainier; Jayson Larson, Warren.

Red Award - Robert Green, Justin Stennick, Rainier; Michael Klobes, Scappoose; Veronica Pelster, Vernonia.

Senior, Reserve Champion-Blue Award - Ryan Blaylock, Rainier.

Blue Award - Rosanna Cooney, Rainier; Greg Schmidlin, Peter Schmidlin, Vernonia; Jason Johnston, Warren.

DAIRY CATTLE

Holstein, Intermediate Heifer Calf, Champion-Blue Award - Christopher Larson, Warren.

Reserve Champion-Blue Award - Luke Ellis, Vernonia.

Blue Award - Heidi Larson,

Jayson Larson, Warren.

Holstein, Senior Yearling Heifer, Blue Award - Luke Ellis, Vernonia.

Showmanship, Intermediate, Champion-Blue Award - Jarod Larson, Rainier.

Reserve Champion-Blue Award - Vicky Fetterly, Rainier.

Blue Award - Luke Ellis, Vernonia.

Red Award - Jayson Larson, Warren.

FOODS

Shortened Cakes, Phase 3, Reserve Champion-Blue Award - Erin Lauridsen, Clatskanie.

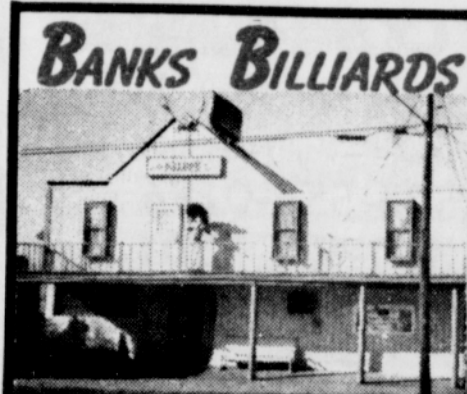
Blue Award - Steven Gibson, Rainier; David Koch, Vernonia.

Red Award - Kaisa Kujala, Clatskanie; Beth Krenz, St. Helens.

Food Products, Shortened Cakes, Champion-Blue Award - Nicole Koch, Vernonia.

Blue Award - Tracy Hulings, Scappoose.

Ed. Note: Results of the 1997 Columbia County Fair 4-H competition will be published in the Aug. 20, 1997, issue of The INDEPENDENT.



SAT., AUG. 16, 1-2:30 PM

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RAFFLE 7 PM

DANCE @ 8:00 PM TO
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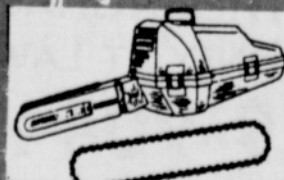
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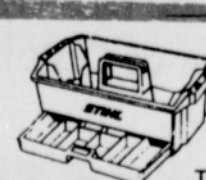
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