

New Swimmers Added To List

Mrs. Betty Ellis, park pool life guard, was called to Spokane the first of this week because of the illness of her mother and her place as life guard is being filled during her absence by Roy Lee Robinson who came here recently from Oklahoma and is staying with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wilson. He is 19, a high school graduate, and well qualified for the job.

Mrs. Ellis announced 11 new names for the list of those who have learned to swim in the classes being conducted each morning at 10:00 o'clock. They are Jerry Coburn, Patty West, Louise Coburn, Jerry Hays, Carol McKamey, Shirley Pollock, Caroline Fowler, Walter Lantieri, Susan Edgin, Kathy Heckenlathel and Ginger Heckenlathel.

Mrs. Ellis expects to return this week end and again be on duty next week.

Livestock Group Picnic Sunday

The annual picnic of the Columbia County Livestock Association will be held Sunday, July 28, starting at 11 a.m. at the fairgrounds, according to President Donald Egan, Scappoose.

This year the Association will furnish hamburgers, wieners, salad, and coffee, and members are asked to bring the rest of the food potluck style and their own stools.

Don Jones, "Farmer Jones" of radio station KEM will be master of ceremonies.

Several guest speakers will be present and some musical numbers will be presented on the program.

Officers for this year include Jim Langford, Clatskanie, vice-president; and Don Con Walnut, Scappoose, secretary. Members of the board of directors are Forrest LaBach, Clatskanie; Charles Bloom, Rainier; Jim Moran, Vernonia; Dick Richards, Scappoose; and Ted Dalton, Deer Island.

Salmon Fishing Attracts Two Families Sunday

BUMMERS — Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gibson Jr. and daughter went salmon fishing at the Longview bridge Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Smith and family of Warren, visited at the Glen Hopkins home Sunday. They are moving to Pilot Rock where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hunt and family of Richland, Washington, returned to Vernonia over the week end. Mrs. Hunt and children remained here for a week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lindley and son, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lindley and Lee Norman and Dewey Hunt returned to Seaside on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Rose and family of Springfield are visiting at the J. E. Rose home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lloyd and Lowell Lloyd and Mrs. Bug Rose visited Mrs. Helen Stull who is in the Physicians and Surgeons hospital in Portland Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kenick visited at the E. C. Hill home in Lathrop and with Mrs. Kenick's sister at Clifton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Parker visited at the Al Parker home at Warrenton Sunday.

Mrs. Edward Hartman Hosts Guest Sunday

BIRKENHEAD — Mrs. Katherine of West entertained Mrs. Edna Hartman at her birthday Sunday. Mrs. L. Bellingham was also there.

Mrs. Fred Gray's mother, Mrs. Clara Miller of Portland, spent last week here. Her son Larry Miller came after her Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eben Hartman had an auto and family here from Portland for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cahill visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cahill and girls in Portland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Turner and family of California are staying Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jenson.

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