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## Town Crier

by Pat Savage Krazy Daze were fairly successful considering the cool weather, but as the day warmed up, more people came to town and the fun began. A big crowd put dents in the old car and seemed to enjoy pounding away with a sledge hammer. The funniest sight of course was seeing some of our local citizens getting hit in the face with a pie. Many thanks to all who volunteered to receive the 'hit' so to speak. Some of our prize winners didn't get their picture taken so thought I would mention them here. I thought the 'Super Hero' idea of KSRV's was delightful. This was something the little kids (some of you bigger ones too) could really relate to. Danny and Tony Sillonis, sons of Mike and Janice Sillonis of Parma won \$5 each from KSRV for their hero costumes and Tony also won second place at the Gate City

Kimmie Jasper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Jasper won the pet dish at Pet Haven for dressing up her dog. "Pepper." The whole day was fun, involving a lot of people, and if this town needs something to give it a push, it certainly needs total involvement between the merchants and townspeople.

Gymnastics will be starting

Journal. Other Journal prize

winners were Jackie Yepez,

daughter of Shirley and

Henry Yepez, first place and

Nichole Runnels, daughter of

Dick and Donna Runnels was

the third place winner.

Monday, October 3, after school for those third grade boys and girls that are interested. Practice will be Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 3:15 to 4:30 p.m. in McPartland Hall. This program will rotate to include other grades later on.

Volleyball will also be starting October 3, for the fifth and sixth graders. Practice will start right after school and will be over about 4:30 p.m. in McPartland Hall. Practice will be on Monday, Tuesday, Wednes-

day and Thursday.

Mom, here is the answer of what to do with Junior after school. Can't think of better programs than the two mentioned above.

Nyssa will be having a new first in November. The ladies of the Eagles Auxiliary are sponsoring the first Annual Holiday Market on Saturday, November 19 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Eagles Hall. This is for the whole community, clubs organizations, churches, individuals, etc. Booth space will be available for \$5 per booth. (There is limited space, so get your booth rented.) All

## Selected for Task Force

State Representative Denny Jones, R-Ontario, has been selected to serve on the House Task Force on Rules and Procedures, House Speaker Phil Lang announced Thursday.

Jones joins a legislative committee that will evaluate legislative reform proposals with the goal of improving the procedure by which the House operates.

The 13 member committee will begin meeting soon and will operate throughout the legislative interim.

Jones said that the efforts of the Task Force are important because, "The legislature wastes too much time and money for the amount it accomplishes."

#### Photography Display

The work of over thirty Oregon photographers is currently on display at Treasure Valley Community College. The collection, "Photographers of Oregon" is a traveling exhibit, sponsored through visual arts resources at The University of Oregon. The exhibit will be in the college's Weese Building through October 13.

The exhibit features both professional and amateur work and covers the full range of work in photography throughout the state. Subject material ranges from still-lifes to portraits, from land-scapes to abstracts, both in color and black and white.

Selected from entries in the Coos Art Museum's first annual photographic exhibition, the display was made possible by grants from the Oregon Arts Commission, the National Endowment for the Arts, The University of Oregon, and numerous other agencies. The exhibit is open to the general public at no

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craft items, food, handicrafts bazaar items, etc., may be sold during the day. This sounds great because the public is invited to shop, or browse; those selling get to keep their profits; it is a new idea for Nyssa, and many thanks to the Eagles Auxiliary for coming up with the idea. For further information call Betty Rieb, 372-3947 or Kay Carpenter, 372-2204.

#### Up With People Ready Oct 13

Donna Kerfoot and Geert Feriens, people providing advance information for the "Up With People" troupe, arrived in Nyssa and Payette earlier this week. They are available to speak to any organization or club and those interested in hearing the two young people, should contact Mrs. Phyllis Grasty, chairman of the American Cancer Society at 889-5256.

Local chairmen of the "Up With People" program are Mrs. Donna Blackburn and Mrs. Judy Martin. They report that all is ready for the Nyssa performance on Thursday, October 13 at 8 p.m. in the high school gymnasium. The youthful, musical troupe will also perform in Payette at the high school dome on October 15 at 8 p.m. Tickets are available starting October 1 at all local banking establishments. For those wishing more information contact Mrs. Blackburn, 372-3654 or

Mrs. Martin at 372-3772.

Members of the troupe will stay throughout the area since the performances are sponsored by both the Malheur County and Payette County American Cancer Societies. This allows more people to get acquainted with the performers who come from a variety of back-

grounds and nationalities.

Greg Gheen, son of Evan Gheen of Ontario will be one of the performers in the group to appear here. Brent Grasty, also of ontario, is performing with another cast Dan McGowen, Vale, appeared with the group that performed in Ontario last year. Local young people may try-out or interview for the

#### Restrictions Lifted

Fire restrictions in the Deschutes, John Day, and Crooked River canyons of the Bureau of Land Management's Prineville district in north central Oregon will be lifted on Monday, September 26.

State Director Murl W. Storms said, "Weather conditions have decreased fire danger, but we remind hunters and other recreationists that forest and grasslands could dry out quickly and urge cautious use of campfires."

### NOTICE

The Department of Motor Vehicles report that the drivers license examiner scheduled to be in Nyssa, October 12 will not be there until October 19. Persons may apply for their learners permits and licenses from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. on the 19th at the Public Library Meeting Room.



NYSSA HIGH SCHOOL BAND recently started its tenth annual Community Birthday Calendar fund raising project. You have the opportunity for only \$3.00 to list the birthdays of the whole family and your anniversary. There is also a special place for memorials and sons/daughters in the service.

The calendar will also contain a list of meeting dates of churches, school, organizations, and other events coming in the community.

Businesswomen and men will have the opportunity to advertise their expertise.

All seniors are taking responsibilities as co-chair persons. They are back row (left to right) Director Ralph Werner; Roger Blaylock, 2-2432; Fred Stephen, 2-2342; and

Kayleen Fowler.

Front row (left to right) Pat Sims, 2-2935; Ralph Abe, 2-2539; Barbara Haney, 2-3342; Linda Richeson, 2-2841; And Glenda Williams, 2-2342. Not pictured are Carolyn Webb, 2-5101; Brenda DeRock, 2-5225 and Emily Wiley, 2-2185.

For the past several years, the NHS band has been selling the Community Birthday Calendars, to help raise money for projects. Among the things under consideration are new flags, a NHS marching banner, and other special band activities.

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The band will be having night practices, from 8 to 9:30 on Tuesday evening. They will be marching soon at some home games.

## Repairs on Adrian Bridge Approved

Repairs costing an estimated \$60,000 to the Snake River (Adrian) Bridge were approved today by the Oregon Transportation Commission

The repairs are expected to be made without significant interruption to traffic. The bridge at Adrian was completed and opened to traffic in 1973 but a post-construction problem has developed at three of the supporting piers.

A contract for the repair work is expected to be let

## TVCC Enrollment Approximates Last Year's

The preliminary enrollment figures are in at Treasure Valley Community College for fall quarter, and it looks as though the college will serve about the same number of students as they did last fall.

Comparing the second day of registration for 1977 with the 1976 figures of the same period, total enrollment is down 55 students, but the number of full-time students has increased. Total head count this year is 865, compared to 920 last year.

The number of full-time students registered this quarter is 582, compared to 577 a year ago. In 1976, the college had 343 part-time students, this year 283 have enrolled.

College officials point out that, contrary to fall quarter, 1976, most of the community education classes do not start until the week after registration. In addition, past history indicates that about 130 full-time students will register after classes start.

The official figures will not be available for another three to four weeks, according to Dick DeBischopp, dean of students. At that time, the college will not only know how many total students have enrolled, but will also know the important full-time equivalancey (FTE) figure.

The FTE figure is the basis for state reimbursement and is the number of Oregon students who are enrolled.

### Recruiter to Visit Nyssa

College of Idaho admissions recruiter David Lindsay will visit schools in Idaho and Oregon during October. The C. of I. is an independent, liberal arts institution at Caldwell in the southwestern

portion of the state.

His schedule includes:
Monday, October 3, Adrian
at 9 a.m. and Nyssa at 11
a.m.; Tuesday, October 4,
Ontario at 9 a.m. and Vale at
11 a.m.; Wednesday, October 5, Burns at 11 a.m.

#### Nyssa Woman In Car Train Crash

For the second time in four days, a collision took place between a freight train and an automobile at the SE 25th Avenue railroad crossing just south of the Ontario Livestock Commission sale yards. The only injury caused by the mishap was an ankle injury to a passenger in the car.

The accident took place at about 3:35 p.m. on Sunday.
The car, driven by Vera Mae Jensen, 74, of Nyssa was "pretty well totaled" according to a spokesman for Chet's Body Shop of Ontario

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The car, which was traveling eastbound, apparently ran into the side of a northbound Union Pacific Railroad engine which was pulling 72 rail cars.

Also traveling in the car were Anita Bodine, 46 of Mesa, Arizona who sustained the ankle injury and was taken to Holy Rosary Hospital by an unknown passerby; Marsha Jensen of Nyssa and two infants, Michael Jensen and Matthew Ellsworth.

## Who Sez We're Krazy



JENNIE MURPHY was the third place winner named by the judges at the breakfast at Brownie's Cafe. She was



BIANCA CLEAVER, winner of KSRV's \$25 cash prize as Super Hero 'Wonder Woman.'

## Amalgamated Appoints New Director

A. E. Benning, chairman of the board and president of The Amalgamated Sugar Company, today announced the appointment of Quentin R. Smelzer, Jr. to the company's board of directors. A graduate of Canisius College, Buffalo, New York, Mr. Smelzer joined Amalgamated in 1968 as its vice president of marketing, a position he has held since that time. Mr. Smelzer is also

a director and vice president

of the Western Corn Company, a wholly-owned sub-

sidiary of Amalgamated.

Prior to joining Amalgamated, Mr. Smelzer was vice president in charge of national accounts for the international sugar brokerage firm of Lamborn & Company, Inc., a position he held for ten years. Mr. Smelzer has also been associated with the Packaging Corporation of America and the Union Starch and Refining Company.



AN ONTARIO woman was fatally injured Wednesday morning in a two car collision at the intersection of Clark Boulevard and Alberta Avenue. No further information was available at press time pending the notification of next of kin.



JOHN MESSICK [behind the mask] and Dennis Francis of The Merc (behind the pie on his face) really got in the swing of things during Nyssa's 18th Annual Krazy Days



STEVE WALLACE won the transistor radio as second prize winner in the Super Hero category. The radio was awarded by KYET Radio. This young Superman also won \$10 from the Nyssa Merchants for taking second place in the costume competition at the early morning breakfast.



JEFFERY ADAMS, three-month old son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Adams, was all decked out as a big yellow flower for the Kids Parade Saturday. He is shown with his mother, Faith and won \$5 in merchandise from Wilson Brothers Department Store for being the youngest person in the parade with a



RALPH WERNER, Nyssa High School Band Director, really donned his best threads for Saturday's Crazee Daze parade. He won the \$5 gift certificate at The Merc for being the eldest person in goofy garb.



CLEDA BLAIR grabbed First Place at the Krazy Days breakfast. She was awarded \$15 by the Nyssa Merchants.