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#### CONDUCT

CCHS board adopts new District Compliance Plan.

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### WAITSBURG

FRAMING FABLES  
AWAY FROM HOME



#### MUSIC

Framing Fables, a band with strong local ties, recently released their debut album.

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### SPORTS



#### FOOTBALL

DW cruises to win at Lyle, 52-0.

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## DAYTON ON TOUR ART DEMONSTRATION



Photo by Michele Smith

Dayton artist Martha Mason (right) sketches a portrait in the Wenaha Gallery during Saturday's Dayton On Tour celebration. Mason was one of several artists showing their work in venues throughout downtown Dayton.

# Dayton Seeks to Withdraw Restraining Order

COUNTY PROSECUTOR HAS AGREED TO PROVIDE SERVICES TO THE CITY FOR 90 DAYS

By Michele Smith | THE TIMES

DAYTON--On Sept. 28, the City of Dayton asked Superior Court Judge Jackie Shea-Brown to accept the withdrawal of its request for a temporary restraining order against Columbia County, and its Prosecuting Attorney, Rea Culwell, requiring them to restore prosecutorial services to the city.

Quinn Plant, attorney for the

City of Dayton, said that Culwell has agreed to restore services to the city for a period of 90 days, if the court allows.

Plant said that because the nature of the situation is no longer determined to be emergent, the extra time will allow the parties involved to develop a back-up plan.

"We still have a lawsuit," Plant said.

The decade-old inter-local agreement between Dayton and the county could "likely" be renegotiated, so that the city could contract with an outside attorney to provide prosecutorial services for the city, he said.

"Many cities do," said Plant. "The city is interested in settling as soon as possible," he added.

Dale Kamerrer, an attorney representing the county, has filed a

counter suit to the city's request to withdraw the requested TRO, stating that, "We disagree, given that Columbia County has filed a cross claim in regards to the above, seeking a TRO which specifically orders the PA to resume performance under the Inter-local agreement."

The county also objects to the city and the prosecutor modifying the inter-local agreement without the county's consent, according to Kamerrer.

Plant, representing the city, said that taking one article out of the inter-local agreement is not a very simple thing.

"We need to sit down and talk about how to resolve this," Plant said. "We are not interested in a fight with the county or the Prosecuting Attorney," he added.

# Wing-Air Changes Hands

KEVIN WINGER RETIRES AFTER 28 YEARS IN HUNTSVILLE; EMPLOYEE SETH MURDOCK WILL TAKE OVER

By Dena Wood | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG – After spending nearly three decades spraying crops for Touchet Valley farmers, Kevin Winger is passing the keys of Wing-Air to six-year employee Seth Murdock of Dayton. Murdock and his wife Paula, took over ownership on Monday, renaming the business Maco Aviation, Inc. after their two sons, Max and Connor.

Murdock grew up in Alaska and learned to fly under the tutelage of his father, who was an airline pilot. He moved to Canada as a teen, but after graduating high school, he returned to Alaska where he flew float planes and air taxis.

"Alaska is a special and unique place, but there's not a lot of agricultural flying. I always liked the idea of crop dusting and wanted to try it," Murdock said.

Murdock said he did some crop dusting in Tennessee and Idaho before coming to work for Wing-Air. He and his family have lived in Dayton for about six years and he says they love the area and the people.

"Crop dusting and flying float planes are both adventurous, but in different ways," Murdock said. "In Alaska you're always watching the weather and terrain. With crop dusting you're right in there and it can be over in a second if something goes south. And you're by yourself, so it's all on you."

Winger said that Murdock has been doing about 80% of the spraying since he came on board and the business is in good hands.

"I feel that Seth is the best pilot I know in the aerial application business. He has worked with us for six years and has an intense work ethic, positive attitude, and is easy to talk and work with," Winger said.

## MAKE A DIFFERENCE DAY REQUESTS WELCOME

Oct. 22 event will focus on helping seniors and those with disabilities

By Dena Wood  
THE TIMES

WAITSBURG – Plans for a massive Make A Difference Day clean-up and renovation of the Waitsburg fairgrounds in preparation for the creation of an equestrian center were discarded when Waitsburg's City Council failed to approve the center's master plan at their Sept. 20 regular meeting.

Instead, a scaled down work day will take place on Oct. 22, from 8 a.m. to noon, with a focus on the elderly and disabled. Citizens may contact the Waitsburg Commercial Club at (509) 539-8773 or email waitsburgcc@icloud.com if they know of a senior citizen or person with disabilities who could use help with outdoor chores or yardwork.

Hundreds of volunteers and skilled laborers from the Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints Church of Walla Walla had originally agreed to coordinate with the Waitsburg Commercial and Waitsburg Friends of the Fairgrounds to spend Make a Difference Day in Waitsburg working on the fairgrounds. Each year, the church chooses a community and project to support with volunteer help.

The extensive work list for the equestrian center preparations included electrical work, painting, fencing, pasture and parking lot improvements, and more. When council members failed to approve the equestrian center master plan at their Sept. 20 meeting, Commercial Club President Joy Smith warned them that the church might not be willing to come to Waitsburg, after all.

"I think we can realistically aim for 300 volunteers, which is 1,200 man-hours. If we are not going to approve the equestrian proposal, we've got to redline a lot of this and probably send the church to another community," Smith said, during the meeting. "There was some concern by this group when they came to me that if they didn't have wholehearted approval, they wouldn't come," she added

Following the Sept.

# TOUCHET VALLEY LIFE

## NEWS BRIEFS

### BEGINNING QUILT CLASS

DAYTON – The Dayton Historic Depot is offering a six-week beginning quilting class on Tuesdays beginning Oct. 11 and running through Nov. 15. The classes will run from 10:30 a.m. – 2 p.m. and the cost for the series is \$25.

Quilt artist Sandra Hawks will teach participants the basic skills necessary to create beautiful quilts. Students will end the course with four to six completed quilt projects. Call the Depot at (509) 382-2026 to learn more or to register.

### DSHS MOBILE OFFICE

DAYTON – The DSHS mobile office will be in Dayton on Tues., Oct. 11 from noon to 4 p.m. by City Hall (111 S. 1st St.). Visitors can apply for emergency cash assistance, basic food assistance, medical assistance, or Medicare Savings Program. They can also drop off paperwork and complete eligibility or mid-certification reviews or make changes to their existing files.

## OBITUARY

### LORETTA ELNORA BATH

SEPTEMBER 6, 1936 -  
SEPTEMBER 30, 2016

Loretta Elnora Bath, age 80, passed away peacefully at home in Dayton, Washington surrounded by her family on September, 30th 2016. She was born in a log cabin on September 6th, 1936, in Eight Mile, Idaho to Jack and Elnora James. She was raised in Grace, Idaho and met the love of her life, Roy Bath, while she was waitressing in the Idaho Café in Soda Springs, Idaho. They were married on April 24th, 1952 in her grandmother's house.

Roy worked road construction and was relocated frequently. After years of moving around, they settled permanently in Starbuck, Washington in 1968, where Loretta loved to call home.

Loretta had started working at the local post office serving as postmaster for 17 years. There she established many life-long friendships. She embraced the community by serving on the school board (22 years), was a member of the Starbuck Community Church and the Rebekah Lodge, organizing many community events, and always willing to lend a helping hand to anyone in need. Shortly after retirement, Loretta and Roy took their motor home and traveled the country, and became snowbirds. After Roy's death in 2000, she moved to Dayton, Washington continuing to form new friendships and community relationships.

Loretta knew no stranger, gave to those in need, lived with courage and taught family members to love unconditionally. She was a woman full of faith, traditions, collections, laugh-



ter and opinion. She had a great sense of humor. She loved to shop, socialize with her friends, meet with her birthday girls, and could cook a hearty meal. Most of all she cherished and loved her family. Together they had 8 children, 5 of which survived.

She is survived by her children Jeannie (John) Fowler, Payson, UT, Joel (Theresa) Bath, Richland, WA, Jackie (Todd) Fulbright, Redmond, WA, Jeri (Kelly) Fulbright, Dayton, WA, Jody (Steve) Martin, Dayton, WA. Siblings, Geri Bartlome, Donnetta Skinner, and brother Duane James. She is also survived by her adoring 22 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Funeral Service will be held at the Starbuck Community Church, Starbuck, Washington on October 8th, 2016 at 11:00 am. There will be a viewing from 9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m., before the service.

Charity or memorial donations can be made to Starbuck Community Church or Dayton YoungLife.

## PIONEER PORTRAITS

### Ten Years Ago October 12, 2006

PacifiCorp will purchase the 140.4-megawatt Marengo wind project, currently under construction near Dayton, the energy company announced recently. When completed in August 2007, Marengo will become part of the resource mix used to supply electricity to PacifiCorp's 1.6 million customers in six Western states. This particular project is expected to have the capability to serve the needs of approximately 37,000 customers.

The Waitsburg City Council voted 4-1 to give City employees a 3% wage increase while changing the benefit package from 100% to an 80-20 split in an effort to offset deficit budgets in 2004 and 2005. Councilwoman Markeeta Little Wolf voted against the measure at the Council Meeting October 4.

Freshman Maya Garcia has been finishing in the top five at XC meets this fall and is a favorite to make an appearance at state this year.

### Twenty-Five Years Ago October 10, 1991

The Louisiana-Pacific Corp. mistakenly cut timber from five acres of land owned by the city along Coppei Creek, where city residents get their water supply from springs. City officials are now assessing what should be done in the sensitive watershed area, south of town, to maintain Waitsburg's high quality water in the future. City utility chief Elmer Hays said the logging operation was stopped by city officials before any damage was done to the springs. Mayor Roy Leid said this week the logging never should have happened.

Ernest Kison's special talent flows from his ancestors. "I come from a German-Russian family," says Kison, sitting in the living room of his home on Main Street in Waitsburg. "They were a peasant people and every one had a knack for handling tools." Kison's tools are small carving blades used to sculpt wooden figurines. He's just about finished caring a set of 50 figures – Noah, his wife and 48 animals.

Farmers began seeding this month in the latest of a string of dry planting seasons in the last six years. "This is our sixth dry fall," said Bob Danforth, who has been farming for more than 30 years near Waitsburg.

### Fifty Years Ago October 6, 1966

Photo caption: Waitsburg Superintendent Gerry Maib greets a long-time Waitsburg grade school teacher, Daisy Wale, who was present for the first meeting of the PTA on September 21. Teachers who were introduced to the large crowd of parents on hand were Gladys Keve, Dawn Jackson, Nancy Faix, Jim Faix, Orvil Clay, Bill Peterson (PTA Pres.), Ed Larsen, Jerry Gordon, Duane French, Larry Hickman, Maib and Daisy Wale, Art Jarvis, Dick Kinart, Richard Wright, Olive Smith, Shannon Hiatt, Nora Keyes, and Bob Sickles (School Board member.)

Troop 336, Boy Scouts held a Court of Honor September 29, 1966, Larry Broom, troop committee chairman was in charge. Charles Baker received merit badges in First Aid, Swimming, and Life Saving. Douglas Brown, Wildlife Management merit badge. Martin Huffman merit badges in Horsemanship, Swimming, Life Saving. Charles Baker and Martin Huffman received awards for successful completion of a one mile swim. John Nordheim was the recipient of Second Class rank in Scouting.

### Seventy-Five Years Ago October 10, 1941

The teachers were honored by the PTA Friday night at a Ho-Bo party. First prize went to Daisy Wale; second prize, Mrs. Leland Kessler; first prize, men, Mr. Sutton; second prize, Forrest Conover.

Winter visited Tollgate for the first of the week. Three inches of snow fell at the Blue Mountain resort Saturday.

Contractor Wm. Vogt and a force of carpenters have commenced remodeling of the cottage at the corner of Orchard and West Sixth Street, known as the Steele property and recently purchased by Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Shaffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory McCown and Miss Winnifred Neace have returned from a month's trip to Alaska.

### One Hundred Years Ago October 13, 1916

Voyle Perkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Perkins and Guy Loundagin, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Loundagin, were two of the Waitsburg boys who returned with Co. K.

Everybody in this locality, with the exception of a few farmers on the mountain who have not quite completed their harvesting operations, are hoping and wishing for a general soaker – a real rain.

The Dayton Band under the leadership of E. D. Cleveland, gave an open air concert in this city Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the band stand on Main Street.

The Jones, Keve, Testament and Allen families visited at the Tom Fell home Sunday.

### One Hundred Twenty-Five Years Ago October 16, 1891

Glad to learn that the proposed entertainment for raising funds to buy a new flag for the new school house has not fallen through. The books are ordered and a play will be prepared soon. Glory!

John Dooly, the cattle king, was in town on Tuesday.

J. V. Crawford, Vawter Crawford and T. J. Hollowell left on Tuesday morning for Seattle to attend the state convention of the Christian church.

Dr. C. L. Stubbs has a new buggy, one of the very best in town. He is an excellent physician, and has a very extensive practice.

## Touchet Valley Weather

Oct. 5, 2016

### Waitsburg's Seven Day Forecast

<b>Wednesday</b> Few Showers High: 61 Low: 43	<b>Thursday</b> Partly Cloudy High: 64 Low: 46	<b>Friday</b> Mostly Cloudy High: 65 Low: 46	<b>Saturday</b> Mostly Cloudy High: 66 Low: 47	<b>Sunday</b> Mostly Cloudy High: 66 Low: 42	<b>Monday</b> Partly Cloudy High: 68 Low: 44	<b>Tuesday</b> Mostly Sunny High: 71 Low: 45

#### Weather Trivia

What is the longest distance travelled by a tornado?

**Answer:** In 1917, a tornado travelled 293 miles from Missouri to Indiana.

#### Local Almanac Last Week

Day	High	Low	Normals	Precip	Precipitation
Monday	85	52	75/50	0.00"	0.00"
Tuesday	83	61	75/49	0.00"	0.25"
Wednesday	76	55	74/49	0.00"	-0.25"
Thursday	81	54	74/49	0.00"	64.2°
Friday	75	52	73/48	0.00"	61.3°
Saturday	69	49	73/48	0.00"	+2.9°
Sunday	65	42	73/48	0.00"	

Data as reported from Walla Walla

#### Sun/Moon Chart This Week

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
<b>First 10/9</b>	6:58 a.m.	6:22 p.m.	11:19 a.m.	9:14 p.m.
Wednesday	6:59 a.m.	6:21 p.m.	12:14 p.m.	9:54 p.m.
Thursday	7:00 a.m.	6:19 p.m.	1:06 p.m.	10:40 p.m.
Friday	7:02 a.m.	6:17 p.m.	1:55 p.m.	11:32 p.m.
Saturday	7:03 a.m.	6:15 p.m.	2:39 p.m.	Next Day
<b>Full 10/16</b>	7:04 a.m.	6:13 p.m.	3:21 p.m.	12:30 a.m.
Sunday	7:06 a.m.	6:11 p.m.	3:58 p.m.	1:33 a.m.

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# TOUCHET VALLEY NEWS

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

## NEWS BRIEFS

### GRAND OPERA AT THE LIBERTY THEATER

At noon on Sat., Oct. 8, the Liberty Theater, in partnership with the San Francisco Opera, will present La Bohème, the first of four of the San Francisco Opera's critically acclaimed, sold-out performances. These recorded, high-definition presentations provide a high quality experience that leave the audience feeling as though they were hearing the opera live.

San Francisco Opera's Music Director Nicola Luisotti conducts Giacomo Puccini's most beloved opera. This heartwarming story of starving artists falling in and out of love in 19th century Paris is a seamless mix of romantic passion, poignant tragedy, and high-spirited fun. The outstanding cast is headed by superstar Romanian soprano Angela Gheorghiu as the ill-fated Mimì, and by Polish tenor Piotr Beczala as her lover, the poet Rodolfo.

Tickets for the HD Cinema presentation of the San Francisco Opera can be purchased online at [www.libertytheater.org](http://www.libertytheater.org) or by calling (509)382-1380. A season ticket for all four San Francisco Opera HD presentations – which also include Elixir of Love, Don Giovanni, and Showboat – are available at a discounted price. The San Francisco Opera Grand Cinema Series is made possible through a grant from the Blue Mountain Community Foundation.

### TRI-STATE VETERAN STANDDOWN

WALLA WALLA – All veterans are invited to the 2016 Tri-State Standdown at the Walla Walla Fairgrounds Community Center on Wed., Oct. 19 from 8 a.m. – 2 p.m. Bring your military paperwork to take advantage of resources, and find out what benefits are available to you.

Veterans will receive breakfast, lunch, free haircuts, and much more. To learn more about the event or to secure transportation, call Don Schack at (509) 386-3564.

If you are interested in how your organization can get involved with helping local veterans, please call (509) 529-4980 and ask for SSVF Program or email [laural@mbacww.org](mailto:laural@mbacww.org).

### OKTOBERFEST AT BLUE MOUNTAIN STATION

DAYTON – The second annual Oktoberfest at the Blue Mountain Station Food Park (700 Artisan Way) will take place Sat., Oct. 8 from 11 a.m. – 4 p.m. Visitors will enjoy an afternoon of German food, local craft beer, and German music.

Dayton's Kiwanis and Lions clubs will grill bratwursts from Tucannon Meats and man the beer garden featuring craft brews from Chief Springs Brewery. The co-op will prepare and sell additional German offerings such as authentic German Potato Salad, German Red Cabbage, and Apple Strudel.

Organic hot chocolate will be available for purchase and fire pits will be set up on the property for guests to sit and enjoy. Jumpin' Jellybeanz will have a bounce house for the kids and vendors will have a variety of arts, crafts, and home based business goods for sale.

The event is organized by the Blue Mountain Station Co-op board and sponsored by the Port of Columbia and Pacific Power.

### BIRTHDAYS

- October 7:** Terrie Mason, Rachel Townsend.
- October 8:** Mark Tabor, Adelle Ganguet, Laurie Withers, Denise Hoon, Jim Mitchell, Debbie Webber, Gabriel Wood.
- October 9:** Clare Reese, Nancy Doering, Jennifer Baker, Jim Schulke, Lora Abbey.
- October 10:** Sereta Robinson, Brad Patton, Carolann Angell, Lyle Erikson, Christopher Carpenter, Jennifer Hilton.
- October 11:** Val Woodworth, Betty Branson, Michael Flannigan, Tracy Fine, Melody Harris, John Doty, Kim Porter.
- October 12:** Logan Dozier, Brian Krause, Pat Abel, Theo Byergo, Kelly Piersol, Michele Robert, Terry Hofer, Dodie Perry.
- October 13:** Joan Miller, Robert Smith, Becky Brown, Steve Sickles, Bertha Poirier, Earl Smith.

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**Dayton Special Park Board Meeting**  
Dayton City Hall  
5 p.m.  
Discuss status of plan for dog park by private club.

7

**Dayton-Waitsburg Homecoming Football Game**  
@Dayton vs. Mabton  
7 p.m.  
Homecoming royalty announced at halftime.

8

**Oktoberfest**  
Blue Mountain Station  
10 a.m. – 4 p.m.  
Food & craft vendors, live music, local beer, bratwurst.

**Waitsburg Resource Center**  
106 Preston Avenue  
9-11 a.m.  
The Center provides food and resources to families in the Waitsburg and Prescott School Districts.

**San Francisco Opera: La Boheme**  
The Liberty Theater

**School Lunch Menu**

Breakfast listed first.  
Fruits & vegetables, non-fat chocolate milk and 1% white milk are offered with every meal.

- 7:** Pancake on a Stick; Tuna OR Egg Salad Sandwich; Sunchips
- 10:** Scrambled Eggs; Chicken Patty on a Bun, BBQ Beans
- 11:** Biscuit & Gravy; Turkey Bacon Ranch Wrap
- 12:** Cinnamon Roll; Ham & Potato Casserole, Roll
- 13:** Breakfast Pizza; Finger Steaks, Gravy

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12 p.m.

**Karaoke**  
The Tuxedo Bar & Grill (Prescott)  
8 p.m.

**The Gems**  
Dayton Eagles (222 E. Main)  
Tickets are \$5 to see this Walla Walla band.

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### COLUMBUS DAY

**Dayton City Council Meeting**  
Dayton City Hall  
6 p.m.

Waitsburg Story Time  
Weller Public Library  
10:30 a.m.

11

**Prescott Library Story Time**  
Prescott Library  
11 a.m.  
Crafts and stories geared to preschool children, but all ages are welcome.

**Waitsburg Senior Round Table**  
Waitsburg Presbyterian Church  
11:30 a.m.  
Join local seniors every Tuesday for lunch. \$4 suggested donation for those over 60. \$7 charge for guests under 60. Meals on Wheels are available. Call 337-8541 for more info.

**Dayton Senior Round Table**  
Senior Center (403 E. Patit St.)  
12 p.m.

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**Wii Night**  
Prescott Library  
4 p.m.

12

**Dayton Library Story Time**  
Dayton Memorial Library  
10 a.m.  
Storytime is free to the public and no library card is needed.

**Waitsburg Writer's Group**  
Waitsburg Public Library  
6:30 p.m.

**Waitsburg School Board**  
Preston Hall Board Room  
7 p.m.

**Waitsburg City Council**  
Lions Memorial Building  
7 p.m.

13

**Waitsburg Resource Center**  
106 Preston Avenue  
2-4 p.m.

**Dayton Senior Round Table**  
Senior Center (403 E. Patit St.)  
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#### Waitsburg Presbyterian Church

504 Main  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Worship 11 a.m.  
337-6589  
Rev. Bret Moser

#### Waitsburg Chapel

320 W. 2nd  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship 6 p.m.  
Bible Study  
Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.  
337-6235  
Rev. Jimmie Daves

#### Waitsburg Christian Church

604 Main St  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Worship 11 a.m.  
Each Sunday  
337-8898

#### New River Fellowship

121 Main St, (Town Hall)  
Waitsburg  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Worship 11 a.m.  
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## Why would anyone want a one-way ticket to Mars?

By Elaine Ou, Bloomberg View

SpaceX CEO Elon Musk made a splash at the International Astronautical Conference in Mexico with his plans for an Interplanetary Transport System, along with a disturbingly inspirational ultimatum:

"There are really two fundamental paths. One path is we stay on Earth forever and there will be some eventual extinction event. . . . The alternative is to become a space-faring civilization and a multi-planet species, which, I hope you would agree, that is the right way to go."

Unless we slip the surly bonds of Earth, humankind is doomed. The only alternative -- the right thing to do -- is to colonize Mars. Manifest destiny!

Musk's plans for a giant 42-engine rocket leave little doubt that we will one day have the technology to send humans to the red planet. But throughout the hour-long presentation, Musk did not exactly specify how the first interplanetary settlers will survive the harsh environment on Mars.

Artistic renderings of space colonies depict plexiglass domes full of green plants and grow lights. But even if we develop the technology to build pressurized hamster balls, it needs to be recreated on Mars. The first settlers won't have the luxury of towing a climate-controlled terrarium in the cargo hold of a SpaceX rocket. They'll have to work the earth and figure out how to live off the fat of the Martian land.

Mars is not exactly prime real estate. The average temperature is negative 80 degrees Fahrenheit. Even during the warmest part of the year, temperatures reach a high of 68 near the equator and still fall to negative 100 at night. Without the dense atmosphere of Earth, temperatures can fluctuate dramatically, causing powerful dust storms that shroud the entire planet.

Also unlike Earth, Mars doesn't have a global magnetic field. Combined with the thin atmosphere, there isn't much to shield its inhabitants from the gigantic nuclear reactor that is our sun. Surface conditions on Mars are comparable to life near Chernobyl in the late 80s, and no amount of Coppertone will protect

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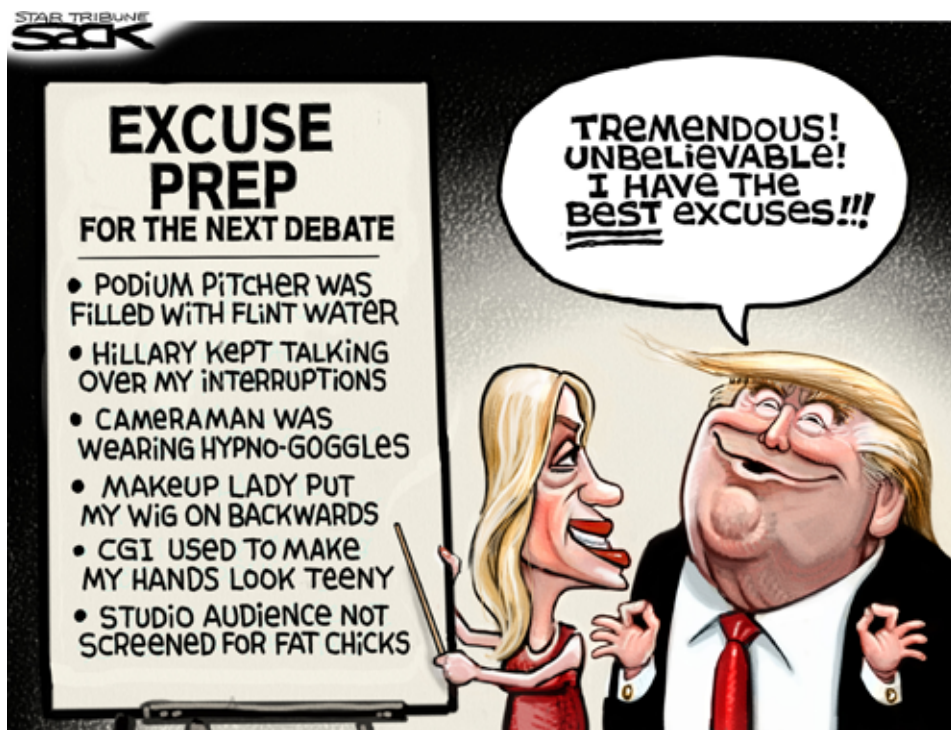
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## Facebook driving huge numbers to the polls

By Caitlin Dewey, The Washington Post

There's been a lot of consternation in recent months about Facebook's impact on politics. If it's not fears of partisan censorship and suppressed trending topics, it's worries about echo chambers or hyper-targeted campaign ads.

But in the upcoming presidential election, at least, Facebook's influence will lie somewhere else: The social network is driving huge numbers of people to the polls -- and most of those people are likely to vote Democrat.

This effect is not at all by design. Instead, it's an accident of demographics. Facebook skews both young and female, which means the site's powerful get-out-the-vote campaigns reach more potential voters in the Hillary Clinton camp. The same could be said of Twitter, which over-indexes with people of color. Or Airbnb, which is popular among older, white adults -- those statistically most likely to be Republican voters.

In the past week, dozens of technology companies have launched nonpartisan, apolitical voter registration drives, meant to increase civic participation on Election Day. But all could have potent political consequences, even if none of the companies frame them that way.

"Facebook can influence millions of votes by the literal press of a button," said Michael Brand, a professor of data science at Monash University in Australia. "Any decision it now makes regarding the political content of its pages . . . is inherently politically loaded."

How loaded, of course, is a matter of conjecture -- at least until after Election Day. Many technology companies, including Twitter and Uber, don't release any data on the number or types of voters reached by their campaigns. Other companies, such as the blogging platform Tumblr, report the number of times a get-out-the-vote campaign was shared (in Tumblr's case, 172,500), but not how many people actually registered as a result of it.

Facebook, on the other hand, is fairly unique: The social network has a long history of running voter registration and Election Day prompts, which means we have a good idea how well they work. The site has, for the past several years, displayed an "I Voted" button on Nov. 8, which allows users to notify their friends when they've voted and shows pictures of their friends who have voted already. Last weekend, Facebook also displayed a prominent News Feed banner encouraging users to register with their state board of elections.

In 2010, a team of researchers from the University of California at San Di-

ego, working with Facebook's internal data science team, estimated that the site's "I Voted" button pushed an additional 340,000 voters to the polls. When Facebook added a publicly displayed organ donor option to profiles, organ donor registration rates increased 21-fold.

It's a pattern that seems to be repeating in this election, as well. While only a few states have released data about the registrations they've seen since Facebook began displaying a voting banner in News Feeds earlier this week, the numbers we do have are stunning. The reminder prompted 200,000 registrations in California, 30,000 in Indiana and 25,000 in Kentucky. Connecticut's voter applications increased tenfold over the previous week, and Minnesota saw 27,000 applications in a single day -- the largest ever in the state's history.

"I applaud Facebook for joining our efforts to increase voter registration awareness in Georgia," reads a statement by Brian Kemp, the secretary of state of Georgia, where hits to the online voter registration system are up more than 2,000 percent. "I am encouraging all Facebook users to take action now and verify their registration status leading up to this year's historic election."

Kemp is a Republican; his party wouldn't benefit, in all likelihood, if "all Facebook users" heeded his call. Georgia's current active electorate skews white and Republican. Facebook's demographics, on the other hand, favor young people, people of color and women.

According to the Pew Research Center, 77 percent of female Internet users are on Facebook, while only 66 percent of men are. Eighty-two percent of those ages 18 to 29 use the site, as do 75 percent of Hispanics.

That means that any efforts to encourage voter registration through Facebook will necessarily have an outsize impact on those communities, explained Katherine Haenschen, a postdoctoral researcher at Princeton University who studies digital media and political participation. And while there's more variation here than some pundits would have us believe, those voting blocs generally come out for Democrats.

Haenschen stresses that this shouldn't be political: "It's not Facebook's fault if a candidate fails to be a credible choice for everyone," she said. And of course, people and politics are both fantastically complicated -- perhaps Facebook's "voter megaphone" won't have the impact we expect. Brand points out that studies show Republi-

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## FACEBOOK - CONT. FROM LEFT

can voters tend to be motivated by consensus, so maybe they'd be more persuaded by a social voting prompt than a Democratic voter would. Or maybe all these people will register, but they'll never show up to vote.

Experiments published in the Journal of Politics in 2015 found that while voter-registration drives do get people signed up, particularly in impoverished areas, they don't change the overall composition of the electorate. That's because, when Election Day rolls around, underrepresented voters -- even if they're registered -- still don't make it to the polls at the same rates as older, wealthier white people. They face larger structural and procedural obstacles that can't yet be addressed by Facebook.

Still, there's no doubt that Facebook will impact November's election: Its size and power guarantees it, if nothing else does. Brandon Naylor, the communications director for Democracy Works, a nonpartisan voting organization, says efforts like Facebook's are "making democracy more representative." The social network, together with Airbnb, Spotify, Uber, Foursquare and Lyft, has recently partnered with Democracy Works on its "Turbovote Challenge," an ambitious project that hopes to boost turnout to 80 percent by the 2020 presidential election.

"It's not beyond the realm of possibility," Naylor said. "Companies like Facebook have tremendous reach -- we believe we're touching every eligible voter who did not turn out in the last election."

Caitlin Dewey is The Post's digital culture critic.

## MARS - CONTINUED FROM LEFT

humans from the deep-space radiation burn. For the most part, we should plan for life on Mars the same way we might plan for life after a nuclear apocalypse. That is, we can expect to live in underground burrows, like rabbits or prairie dogs. The first Martian settlers will be busy building fallout shelters.

The expected price for a ticket to paradise? Early trips might go for as much as \$10 billion per seat, but Elon Musk envisions an eventual one-way fare of \$200,000 after reaching economies of scale. Why on Earth would anyone pay the median cost of an American home to launch themselves into a post-apocalyptic climate?

"I think that Mars is gonna be a great place to go," Musk says. "It will be the planet of opportunity."

There was a time when people called America the land of opportunity. But it hasn't always been that way for everyone. For the early settlers, the New World tended to be the place to go only if you were completely out of luck at home.

During the Age of Exploration, a large portion of immigrants to Colonial America were dragged there as convicts or slaves. During the 1700s, only a quarter of American immigrants arrived with their freedom. Those who came voluntarily did so largely to escape religious persecution. After the American Revolution, the story repeated itself in Australia.

Undeveloped settlements tend not to be luxury destinations for the rich. Most early colonists in the New World died of disease or starvation in the foreign climate. Conditions on Mars will be far tougher, and we can be pretty sure that there won't be a native Martian Squanto standing by to lend a helping hand.

Those who can afford a ticket to Mars are the least likely to want to move there. At best, Mars will be the destination of the tired, the poor and the marginalized. Which means SpaceX will need to drastically reduce the ticket price or come up with a financing program more palatable than indentured servitude. Maybe after a few centuries of development and inevitable lost lives, the planet can plausibly become a destination for wealthy libertarians.

Elaine Ou is a blockchain engineer at Global Financial Access, a financial technology company in San Francisco. Previously she was a lecturer in the electrical and information engineering department at the University of Sydney.

## LETTERS

### NO ESCAPE FROM SUFFERING IN LEADERSHIP

Dear Editor,

Walt Gobel's cleverly written letter pointing his finger at his neighbors makes one suffer the three pointing back at him.

Sorry Walt resigned his leadership as mayor. Apologies do not cost much. One's faith in what's right rather than who's right is redeeming enough. All of us are given more Grace than we deserve.

Truth is – there is no escape from suffering in leadership except through suffering. It's too bad unity suffers in a lack of transparency and trust in our council.

Phillip Monfort  
Waitsburg

### SUPPORT URGED FOR TODD KIMBALL

Dear Editor,

Todd Kimball will be an exceptional Walla Walla County commissioner. I have known Todd for many years and he has the necessary skill to be a successful Commissioner. Todd understands agriculture, which is the foundation of our local economy. He also has financial proficiency as a practicing C.P.A. The most important responsibility of the commissioners is managing a complex county budget. Todd has the expertise to do this and will be a fine addition to our Walla Walla County commission.

Harold Cochran  
Prescott

Dear Editor,

My name is Scott Jordan and I am writing this letter on behalf of my wife and myself. We would like to recognize Todd Kimball, who is running for Walla Walla County Commissioner, District 2.

Todd and Sandy have two boys who are similar in age to our children, so we have known them for many years. In that time, we have witnessed Todd as a devoted husband and father. We have observed his dedication to be a leader in both community and family. Todd's roots in the Walla Walla area are six generations strong and it is obvious that he cares about the future of Walla Walla and that he will be here for years to come.

Todd's interest in the future of our community is shown with his dedication to the many organizations that he belongs to including the Washington Association of Wheat Growers, the Northwest Grain Growers, Walla Walla County Conservation District and his numerous volunteer positions in our county. His educa-

tion and his experience in leadership more than qualifies him to ensure the financial stabilities of our community.

In the past three years, we ourselves have personally experienced his dedication to the economic development of the Walla Walla community through our own business Paragon Auto Sales. I had been in the automobile industry for 18 years and wanted to take my life one step further by owning my own dealership. Todd understood my dream and helped me make it a reality. His support and encouragement throughout the process of becoming business owners was exceptional and greatly appreciated. With this position, being part of Todd's dream for his future, I know he would make every effort possible to represent our community and its people with integrity, loyalty and the utmost respect for our county.

It is with great pleasure that we endorse Todd Kimball as Walla Walla County Commissioner, District 2.

Scott Jordan  
Walla Walla

Dear Editor,

Todd Kimball has my support for District 2 County Commissioner. Todd's experiences as a farmer, certified public accountant, and his service on natural resource related Boards will add important perspective and value to the Commission. I have known Todd for most of his life and can attest to his character and work ethic. He is a collaborator that places service above self.

Todd will be the only Commissioner with an extensive agricultural background. He has done his homework on the issues and concerns the County will face, as demonstrated on his web page, and he has the vision and drive to make a difference.

Vote for Todd Kimball.

Steven VanAusdelle  
Walla Walla

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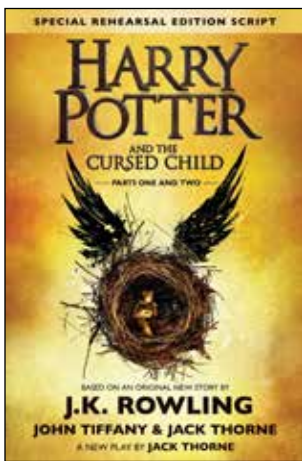
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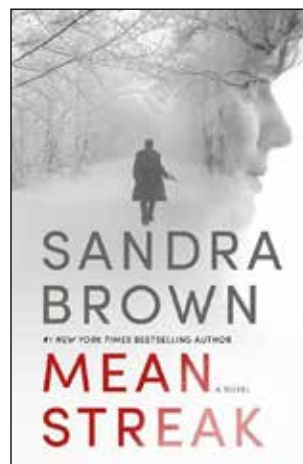


“**Harry Potter and the Cursed Child**,” by J.K. Rowling, John Tiffany, and Jack Thorne (Fiction): The eighth story. Nineteen years later. “Harry Potter and the Cursed Child” is the eighth story in the Harry Potter series and the first official Harry Potter story to be presented on stage. It was always difficult being Harry Potter and it isn't much easier now that he is an overworked employee of the Ministry of Magic, a husband and father of three school-age children. While Harry grapples with a past that refuses to stay where it belongs, his youngest son Albus must struggle with the weight of a family legacy he never wanted. As past and present fuse ominously, both father and son learn the uncomfortable truth: sometimes, darkness comes from unexpected places.

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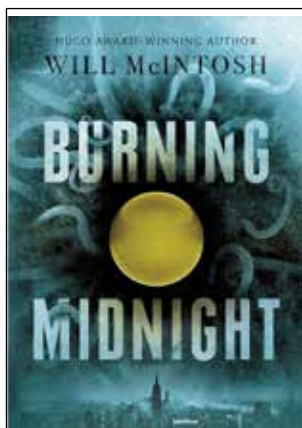
py families. She takes on the foundations of our lives: marriage, sex, parenthood, and friendship. She shows how quilt can expose the fault lines in the most seemingly strong relationships, how what we don't say can be more powerful than what we do, and how sometimes it is the most innocent of moments that can do the greatest harm.

“**Mean Streak**,” by Sandra Brown (Adult Fiction): Dr. Emory Charbonney, a pediatrician and marathon runner, disappears on a mountain road in North Carolina. By the time her husband Jeff, miffed over a recent argument, reports her missing, the trail has grown cold. While police suspect Jeff of “instant divorce,” Emory, suffering from an unexplained head injury, regains consciousness and finds herself the captive of a man whose violent past is so dark that he won't even tell her his name. She's determined to escape him and willing to take any risks necessary to survive. But as her husband's deception is revealed, and the FBI closes in on her captor, Emory begins to wonder if the man with no name is, in fact, her rescuer from those who wish her dead – and from heartbreak.



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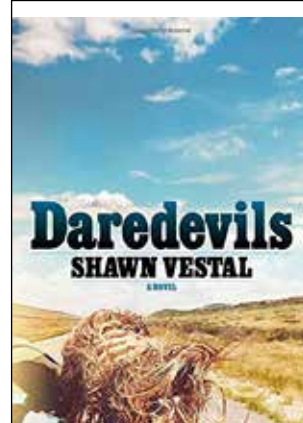


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“**Into the Lion's Mouth: The True Story of Dusko Popov: World War II Spy, Patriot, and the Real-Life Inspiration for James Bond**,” by Larry Loftis (Biography): James Bond has nothing on British double agent Dusko Popov. As an operative for the Abwehr, SD, MI5, MI6, and FBI during World War II, Popov seduced countless women – including agents on both sides – spoke five languages, and was a crack shot, all while maintaining his cover as a Yugoslav diplomat.

“**Into the Lion's Mouth**” is a globe-trotting account of a man's entanglement with espionage, murder, assassins, and lovers – including enemy spies and a Hollywood starlet. It is a story of subterfuge and seduction, patriotism, and cold-blooded courage. It is the story of Dusko Popov – the inspiration for James Bond.

“**Daredevils**,” by Shawn Vestal (Young Adult): An unforgettable debut novel about Loretta, a teenager married off as a “sister wife,” who makes a break for freedom. Fifteen-year-old Loretta slips out of her bedroom every evening to meet her gentle boyfriend. Her strict Mormon parents catch her returning one night and promptly marry her off to Dean Harder, a devout yet materialistic fundamentalist who already has a wife and a brood of kids. The Harders relocate to his native Idaho, where Dean's teenage nephew Jason falls hard for Loretta. He and Loretta make a break for it. They drive all night, stay in hotels, and relish their dizzying burst of teenage freedom as they seek to recover Dean's cache of “Mormon gold.” But someone Loretta left behind is on their trail...



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## TOURING DAYTON BY CARRIAGE



Photo by Michele Smith  
Visitors to Saturday's Dayton on Tour enjoyed rides through downtown Dayton aboard this horse-drawn wagon. Rides were provided by AJ Carriages.

# CCHS Board Adopts New Compliance Plan

DOCUMENT PROVIDES WRITTEN STANDARD OF CONDUCT FOR ALL HEALTH SYSTEM EMPLOYEES

By Ken Graham | THE TIMES

DAYTON—The Columbia County Health System Board of Commissioners formally adopted a new District Compliance Plan at their monthly meeting on Sept. 29.

CCHS Chief Executive Officer Shane McGuire publically thanked Chief Compliance Officer Cheryl Skiffington for all the work that went into the plan.

"This is a milestone moment. We are excited to get it out to our staff," McGuire told the commissioners.

In a separate interview Skiffington said, "We had been operating with a previous plan that needed a lot of work. It was not efficient, had outdated references, and it didn't read well."

Skiffington explained that the compliance plan is a written standard of conduct for all employees who provide direct patient care, and for ancillary service representatives as well. She said the plan requires an understanding and commitment to following all county, state and federal regulations regarding the standards outlined in the plan.

The 29-page document covers such ethical issues such as billing payers for incorrect amounts, changing claims to get higher reimbursements, and accepting gratuities from patients, Skiffington said.

Testing and monitoring are also a big part of the plan.

Skiffington said systematic checks are being performed in all departments, and that an audit was recently conducted of the Physical Therapy Department to determine whether there were any administrative deficiencies.

A recent risk audit of CCHS security systems uncovered several potential problems, pointing to the importance of staff education and training, which is also a requirement of the plan, Skiffington said.

Ensuring that all departments are in compliance with HIPAA, the federal patient privacy act, is a top priority as well, Skiffington said.

Some of the security issues brought to light by the risk audit underscore the importance of locking cabinets and maintaining secure shredding bins in the medical records department, developing business associate agreements with vendors to protect patient information, requiring company cell phones to use a PIN, and encrypting e-mail, Skiffington said.

"This was a good learning experience for us," Skiffington said.

In the meantime, Human Resources Manager Steve Stahl has implemented a digital training course for employees to take, and it covers such topics as customer protocol and security, with new modules added every year, Skiffington said.

Disciplinary action against those who violate the compliance policies is also addressed in the plan.

A 24-hour hotline for anonymous reporting of suspected misconduct has recently been implemented so that those who report can do so without fear of retaliation, she said.

Skiffington said she is required to meet with the nine-member compliance committee on a monthly basis to continue working on the plan's design and



Photo by Michele Smith

CCHS Chief Compliance Officer Cheryl Skiffington is pleased with the updated District Compliance Plan.

implementation, and ongoing review of it.

Prior to its adoption, the District Compliance Plan was "heavily reviewed" by the commissioners, and by attorney Kim Boggs, and it will be reviewed by the board annually, as required, Skiffington said.

## NATIONAL 4-H WEEK



Photo by Dena Wood

Home Grown Go Wild 4-H group leader Cindy Daves puts the finishing touches on a window display created by her club members in the Ten Ton Press building on Waitsburg's Main Street. The display is in recognition of National 4-H Week which is the first full week in October and will be judged against competing displays in Walla Walla.

Daves said her group does "a little bit of everything" including canning, baking, art, rocketry and science. To learn more about her 4-H group visit the group's Home Grown Go Wild Facebook page or email Daves at cldtig@yahoo.com. Several other Waitsburg 4-H groups focus on raising animals including: Swine Swaggers, Corral Wranglers, and the Pen Pals. Contact the Walla Walla extension office at (509) 524-2685 or email wallawalla4h@wsu.edu to learn more about 4-H and find out what groups are available locally.

WING-AIR - FROM PAGE 1

At age 61, Winger said the time has come for him to say good-bye to crop dusting, even though it is a job he has enjoyed and finds exhilarating.

Winger worked as a "gas boy" at the La Grande, Ore. airport in his early 20's and took advantage of the opportunity to learn to fly. He said he had lots of incentives and was able to fly many different types of planes while there.

He spent several years flying hunters into the back country and flying charters before he began crop dusting in the LaGrande area. In 1985 his employer purchased the site in Waitsburg and hired Kevin to manage it.

Kevin eventually purchased the business and named it Wing-Air in 1988 when his employer was hired by the DEA to spray drug crops in Central America.

"He asked if I wanted to go along and I asked if they ever got shot at. He said 'yes, but they give you an armor plated seat.' I asked if you could take a gun with you and he said 'no.' I told him I'd stay right here!" Winger said, laughing.

Winger says he's been very satisfied working out of the Huntsville airport owned by Dan Bickelhaupt. He said the air strip was originally put in by the Bickelhaupt family after the war to train pilots through the GI Bill. The current Maco office was once the pilot's classroom.

Both Murdock and Winger admit to enjoying the adrenaline rush of flying, with Winger comparing the freedom to riding a motorcycle, except that you're dodging trees and power lines.

"In the older days, crop dusting was pretty wild. The spray planes had open cockpits and the pilots would shoot at each other if they crossed into another pilot's territory," he said laughing.

As the years progressed, rules and regulations increased and things calmed down to what is now, a respectable and professional occupation, he said.

"It's all about safety. Protecting people and protecting crops. It's not like it used to be," Winger said. "The job is about a lot more than having fun. There's a great responsibility with it," he added.

Winger said he will miss flying the hills. "Most



Photo by Dena Wood

After 28 years operating Wing-Air out of the Huntsville airport, Kevin Winger is selling the business to his employee of six years, Seth Murdock. Above: Murdock (l) and Winger shake hands in front of a Wing-Air crop duster.

places around the world farm flats. This is one of the only places with big, rolling hills. It's challenging, fun, and beautiful. You're up there every few days with the hills, the greens, the browns, the mountains . . . it's a beautiful part of the country. Definitely one-of-a-kind," Winger said.

While he is stepping back, Winger said he will retain the business name Wing-Air under which he will continue to operate his two water trucks during fire season.

As for the aerial application business, Murdock says he intends to keep things running pretty much status quo, with some modest growth down the road.

"We'll have one plane available 100% of the time. If things heat up like they did last spring with the rust outbreak we'll bring in what we need to get the work done," Murdock said.

He said the spraying season typically begins in February, with the application of dry fertilizer, and runs through November, with not much going on in December and January.

"Basically, we work from the last snow to the first snow. Last year we had three planes flying on Dec. 20 because we were trying to get the guys home for Christmas!" Winger said.

Murdock works out of a triangulation of airstrips in Huntsville, Walla Walla, and Clyde.

"It's a lot to manage but the closer he is to the work, the less expensive it is and the better service he can provide," Winger said. "We've had customers for over 25 years. We've watched kids take over operations, and now grandkids are getting involved," he added.

"I'm very appreciative of my time working with Kevin both as a pilot and for the knowledge I've learned from him in the areas of aviation and agriculture. I plan to be here for a very long time. We love the people here, it's a great place to raise kids, and I love flying in the hills," Murdock said.

Murdock invites interested parties to stop by or call the office with questions, comments, or input at (509) 337-6481.

# Framing Fables

The group, with strong Waitsburg ties, just released their first album, *Away From Home*

By Dena Wood | THE TIMES

WALLA WALLA – Twenty-somethings Cody Clark, David Brock, and Jennifer Nichols agree that it's a shared drive, focus, and goal that make their band, Framing Fables, something special.

"I've been in a lot of bands, but I've never been in one that works together this well," Clark said.

With their first album, *Away From Home*, released in September, the group is one step closer to their dream of making a living through their shared passion of music.

The trio began singing together last November, and made their public debut at the 4th of July celebration in Pioneer Park in Walla Walla. They have continued to grow a steady fan base ever since.

Their musical style is as eclectic as their backgrounds, but all three grew up with strong musical roots.

Nichols, daughter of Jeff and Dawn Nichols of Waitsburg, is a WHS grad and travels two hours each way from her home in Ione, Ore. to practice with the band a couple of nights a week. She provides the band's strong female vocals, and plays bass during performances.

Brock, the band's drummer, attended WWCC to learn welding, and farms outside Prescott. He is married to Waitsburg graduate Megan (Withers) Brock.

Clark works in Walla Walla as a real estate assistant, but earned his degree in music composition from the University of Idaho. He plays guitar and harmonica live, but picks up other instruments, including piano and banjo, as needed.

"Pretty much anything you hear on the album that's not drums is Cody," Nichols said.

"I learned the harmonica the week before we recorded. I even practiced in the car on the way to record," Clark said, laughing.

Brock and Clark have played in several bands together over the years, including a metal band called *Echoes of a Dream*.

"We decided to get back together and try something friendlier to the local scene here," Brock said. Brock's wife, Megan, approached Nichols about singing with the band, and the trio was born.

"We started out with the idea of being a cover band, playing other people's songs. But we started writing together and pretty soon we were creating two songs a week. At that point we decided we should probably do our own music," Nichols said.

Nearly all the songs are written collaboratively, which is unusual for a band.

When asked to describe their sound they agree that "Americana," a genre that draws influence from country, folk, and rock, fits them well.

The first song they wrote together was *Away from Home*, which is also the title of their newly released debut album, which contains 10 originals. They re-



corded the album themselves. Clark mixed it and they sent it out to be mastered.

The album photos were taken at the old schoolhouse in Clyde, Wash. by Tyler Vaughn of Milton-Free-water.

"David's dad has this old truck that is in perfect condition, and we decided we wanted that by the old schoolhouse to bring back old times. We dressed in 50's attire to kind of bring life to the schoolhouse and the truck and have it make sense," Nichols said.

Once they knew they were headed toward creating an album, the band decided to put together a music video, which in turn forced them to come up with a name.

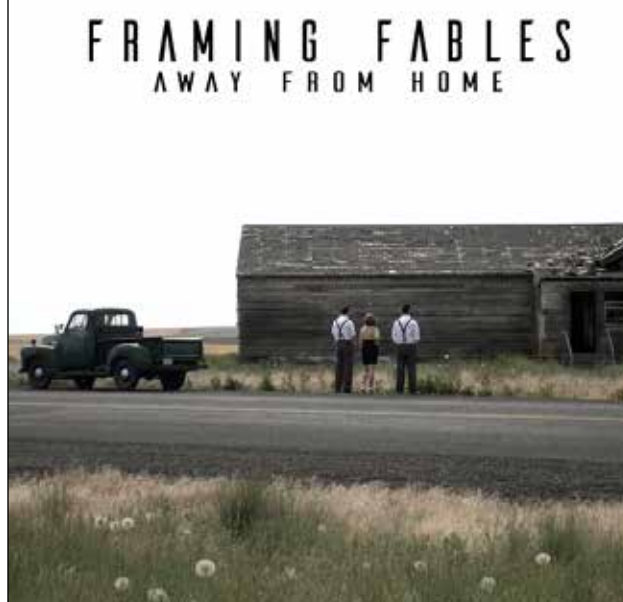
For a band that creates music together practically nonstop, coming up with a name that had meaning, and hadn't already been taken, was surprisingly difficult. Krista Creighton, the videographer, was moving and needed a name immediately in order to upload the video.

"The band basically sat in a room for 12 hours, making list after list of names. We had to come up with something that night, or wait for the video to be posted," said Nichols. Finally, they fell on Framing Fables, which fit perfectly, since their songs are frames for the stories they tell.

The band members are passionate about what they do and are thankful for the support of their significant others.

"I'll get here at 3 or 4 p.m. and then we're together until 1 a.m., and we'll do it again the next night. When we were recording we basically spent all of two weeks staying up until 5 a.m. We've spent a lot of time together!" Nichols said.

Nichols said she loves recording for the purpose of hearing the finished product. "I get to sing harmonies and background vocals. It's really fun to be able to do



Photos by Tyler Vaughn

Top: Framing Fables band members (l to r) Cody Clark, Jennifer Nichols, and David Brock pose during a photo shoot for their promotional materials. Above: The cover of the band's debut album, taken in Clyde, Wash.

that," she said.

Brock agreed that there is satisfaction in seeing the final product after having spent so many hours in writing and recording. "My next favorite thing is playing on stage, promoting the product, and seeing the response," he said.

"My favorite part is probably the songwriting process – sitting in a group and writing the songs. Then of course the rewarding part of seeing how the crowd

# SPORTS



Photos by Nick Page

Clockwise from above: Dayton-Waitsburg quarterback Jacob Dunn takes off running during the game against DeSales last month. DW Lineman Drake Lamere celebrates a touchdown. DW coach Troy Larsen calls out instructions to his team, including lineman Laramie Matthews (71).

## DW Cruises to Win at Lyle, 52-0

### DOMINANT DEFENSE FORCES FIVE FUMBLES AGAINST YOUNG LYLE-WISHRAM TEAM

By Ken Graham | THE TIMES

LYLE, Wash. – The Dayton-Waitsburg football team took a four-hour-plus bus ride down the Columbia River gorge on Friday and came away with a 52-0 win over Lyle-Wishram.

The win puts DW in a tie for first place with Kittitas in the Eastern Washington Athletic Conference. Each team has a 3-0 league record. DW is 4-1 overall.

"It was nice to have a great game on the road," said DW Coach Troy Larsen. "They have a very young team; a lot of freshmen and sophomores," he said of L-W. "Our defense got great penetration and really dominated them."

After kicking off to start the game, DW forced a Lyle fumble on the third play, and Ben Kleck, playing free safety, picked up the loose ball and ran it in from the 20-yard-line for the game's first score.

Kleck, playing in his second game since coming back from a knee injury, scored again on DW's next drive, on a 9-yard run, as his team built an early lead. The team would score four more times in the first half, including a 14-yard run by quarterback Jacob Dunn, two rushing TDs by running back Travis Crockett and a seven-yard passing TD from Dunn to receiver Nick Kitselman.

The score at the half was 40-0. With the 40-point lead, the running clock rule went into effect.

"I put our starters in to start the second half, hoping they could get one long drive in," Larsen said. "But they scored quickly." Kitselman caught a 39-yard pass from Dunn for the team's seventh touchdown.

With a 46-0 lead early in the third quarter, and the running clock, Larsen played his reserves the rest of the game.

"It was good to give the younger kids a chance to get some playing time," Larsen said, but with the clock running, the second half went quickly. DW

scored once more, on a 3-yard run by backup running back Chris Philbrook in the fourth quarter.

For the game, Crockett rushed for 101 yards on six carries, including two touchdowns. He also caught one pass for 13 yards. After four games played, Crockett now has over 1,000 total offense for the season.

Running back Cal Martin carried the ball four times for 32 yards, and Kleck had three carries for 16 yards and a touchdown. Philbrook had nine carries for 28 yards and one touchdown.

Kitselman caught three passes for 54 yards and two TDs. Martin had two catches for 48 yards, and Hayden Wooldridge caught one pass for 31 yards.

DW's defense held L-W to only two first downs in the game, and a total of 84 yards offense. They also recovered five L-W fumbles.

Larsen said he's been particularly pleased with Kitselman's play. "Nick had three key catches, two for scores," Larsen said. "And he's doing a great job playing corner for us on defense."

DW hosts a 3-1 Mabton team on homecoming night Friday in Dayton.

"They're a running team and they're very fast," Larsen said of Mabton. "It should be a great game."

Dayton-Waitsburg 52 Lyle Wishram 0

Dayton: 20 - 20 - 6 - 6 - 52

L-W: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0 - 0

D-W: Kleck fumble recovery 20 yard run (kick failed).

D-W: Kleck 9 yard run (Kleck run, 2 pt.)

D-W: Dunn 14 yard run (kick failed).

D-W: Crockett 41 yard run (kick failed).

D-W: Crockett 9 yard run (kick failed).

D-W: Kitselman 7 yard pass from Dunn (Dunn run, 2 pt.).

D-W: Kitselman 39 yard pass from Dunn(kick failed).

D-W: Philbrook 3 yard run (kick failed).

D-W - Lyle Wishram

First Downs: 12 - 2

Rushes/yards: 31-224, 10-31

Passing Yards: 192 - 53

Passes (atts-compl-int): 18-9-0, 17-4-1

Punts: 2-28.5, 4-34.5

Fumbles: 3-2, 5-5

Penalties: 8-73, 6-35

Individual Summary:

Rushing D-W: Crockett 6-101-2, Martin 4-32, Kleck 3-16-1, Dunn 2-20-1, Philbrook 9-28-1, Wooldridge 1-33, Miller 2-3, Team 6-(-17). Lyle Wishram: Montoya 6-10, Ostrander 2-18, J. Leslie 1-0, Dorr 1-0, D. Leslie 2-15, McCullough 2-3, Team 4- (-35).

Passing D-W: Dunn 5-14 109 yards, 2 TD's, Miller 4-4 93 yards. Lyle Wishram: Ostrander 4-15 53 yards, D. Leslie 0-2 0 yards.

Receiving D-W: Kitselman 3-54-2, Kleck 1-42, Crockett 1-13, Martin 2-48, Nichols 1-4, Wooldridge 1-31. Lyle Wishram: Quintero 2-47, Flock 1-3, D. Leslie 1-3.

### Eastern Washington Athletic Conference Football Standings After Five Weeks

	League	Overall
Kittitas	3-0	4-0
Dayton-Waitsburg	3-0	4-1
Tri-Cities Prep	2-1	4-1
Mabton	2-1	3-2
DeSales	1-2	2-3
Liberty Christian	1-2	1-3
Lyle-Wishram	0-3	1-4
White Swan	0-3	0-5

### Games played Friday, Sept. 30

Dayton-Waitsburg 52, Lyle-Wishram 0

Tri-Cities Prep 32, White Swan 28

Mabton 18, DeSales 13

Kittitas 20, Liberty Christian 14

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## Waitsburg Drops Two Matches to Tough Foes

LADY CARDS ARE SWEEPED BY POMEROY AND OAKESDALE; LOOK TO RECOVER VS. GP

By Ken Graham | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG – The Waitsburg Volleyball team hosted Pomeroy on Sept. 27, and lost the match in three sets, 11-25, 20-25, 9-25.

On Thursday, Sept. 29, the Waitsburg girls traveled to Oakesdale and again were swept, 11-25, 19-25, 7-25.

“Last week was pretty tough playing against the top two teams in the state in our classification,” said Waitsburg coach Angie Potts. “There were things I thought we did very well and there were definitely areas where we struggled.

“The girls played well together, they didn’t get down on each other or themselves for their mistakes and when they competed (in the 2nd sets of each match) they competed very well and showed that they can play with the best,” Potts added.

“We had a lot of touches on the block and had the most blocks in these last two matches that we’ve



Members of the Waitsburg volleyball team celebrate after a big play against Pomeroy in their match in Waitsburg on Sept. 27.

Photo courtesy of Brad Sandau

had all season,” she said. “Devon and Analisea seemed to be getting their hands almost everything that the opposing teams were hitting.”

Stats vs. Pomeroy: Tayler Jones 7 digs, Analisea Araya 3 blocks, Devon Harshman 3 blocks, 2 kills.

Stats vs. Oakesdale: Tayler Jones 6 digs, 4 kills; Chloe Pearson 6 digs, 2 aces; Jade Alleman 2 kills, 1 block; Ariel Sandau 10 assists; Devon Harshman 2 blocks, 4 kills; Taylor Hays 5 digs.

WAITSBURG VB TO HOLD PINK NIGHT OCT. 25; SHIRTS ON SALE NOW

THE TIMES

WAITSBURG – The Waitsburg volleyball team will hold its third annual Pink Night Breast Cancer Fundraiser on Tuesday, Oct. 25. The team will host Prescott at 6 p.m.

The Match will also be senior night for Taylor Hays, Jade Alleman, Analisea Araya, and Timber Frohreich.

“This year our fundraiser will be in honor of Prescott resident Doreen Bicknell, who has been battling breast cancer for the last several months,” said Waitsburg coach Angie Potts.

Proceeds from the fundraiser will help offset expenses Bicknell’s family has incurred, as she continues her treatments.

“As always, our fundraiser includes the pre-sale of t-shirts,” Potts said.

Shirts can be ordered from any of the Waitsburg volleyball players, and should be ordered no later than Oct. 10 so that the shirts can be delivered prior to the match. The team will also have its pink night bake sale at the match. Donations will also be accepted.

## Waitsburg Runners Fare Well at Sunfair Invite

EMILY ADAMS FINISHES 2<sup>ND</sup> IN VARSITY HEAT RACE; CALLAS PLACES 13<sup>TH</sup>

By Ken Graham THE TIMES

YAKIMA - The Waitsburg cross country team attended the 43<sup>rd</sup> Sunfair Invite in Yakima on Saturday.

Emily Adams and Landon Callas started the combined Varsity Heat Race #4 together. Adams was 2<sup>nd</sup> out of 20 runners in the heat, with a season record of 19:21.94. Callas finished 13<sup>th</sup> out of 26 runners with a personal record of 17:22.84.

Of Callas, Waitsburg coach Ann Adams said, “Landon ran an excellent race, he looked good, relaxed and strong. Landon used the hills both up and down to his advantage.”

“Emily also had a great race,” said Coach Adams. “She paced well in the front pack, attacking the uphill parts of the course and using them to gain ground on others around her.”

In the senior race, Skylar Wood came in 21<sup>st</sup> out of 62 runners, with a time of 18:56, for a season record for a 3 mile course. “Skylar ran a great race, he ran smart and strong, his best race

of the season so far,” said Adams.

In the same race, Joe came in 53<sup>rd</sup>, with a season best of 22:11.29. TJ Morrison finished 58<sup>th</sup>, with a personal record of 24:27.46.

Dalton Lambert ran in the Sophomore race, finishing 53<sup>rd</sup> out of 206 runners, with a personal record time of 19:53.99 for three miles. “He ran smart, getting a spot early and maintaining,” said Adams of Lambert.

“It was a great day for a meet, windy but sunny and not too hot,” said Adams. “The Cards hadn’t run at Sunfair so it was a new course and proved to be a challenging one. The kids all ran really well, I am very proud of every one of them. Our hard hill work-outs paid off for this course that is for sure.”

## Lady ‘Dogs Get Wins Over WWVA, TCP

FOUR-SET ROAD MATCH AT WWVA IS FOLLOWED BY SWEEP AT HOME AGAINST TCP

DAYTON – The Dayton volleyball team got two big wins last week, over league rivals Walla Walla Valley Academy and Tri-Cities Prep.

On Sept. 27, the team traveled to College Place and won a tough battle against WWVA in four sets, 25-18, 25-16, 20-25, 25-22.

The Dayton girls hosted TCP on Sept. 29 and swept the Lady Jaguars, 25-15, 25-8, 25-23.

It was a great week for the Lady Dawgs,” said Dayton coach Shannon Turner. “We’re off to a good start!”

Game Stats vs. WWVA  
Jenna Phillips -15/15, 4 Aces, 21 Kills, 1 Blocks, 13 Digs

Josilyn Fullerton - 15/15 Serving, 2 Aces, 5 Kills, 2 Blocks, 10 Digs  
Mia Becker - 12/12 Serving, 14 Digs  
Hanna Becker - 4/5

Serving, 5 Kills, 18 Assists, 10 Digs  
Megan Robins - 13/13  
Serving, 1 Ace, 4 digs  
Kaleigh White - 17/17  
Serving, 5 Aces, 5 Kills, 8 Digs  
Tatumn Laughery - 2/3 Serving, 15 Digs  
Scully Castorena - 11 Assists, 2 Kills, 8 Digs  
Neylan Bryan - 1/2

Serving, 2 Digs  
Game Stats vs. TCP  
Jenna Phillips -20/24  
Serving, 7 Aces, 10 Kills, 1 Block, 11 Digs  
Josilyn Fullerton -5/6  
Serving, 11 Kills, 1 Block, 9 Digs  
Mia Becker - 10/10  
Serving, 2 Aces, 3 Kills, 4 Digs  
Hanna Becker - 7/9

Serving, 3 Aces, 2 Kills, 19 Assists  
Megan Robins - 8/8  
Serving, 2 Kills, 1 dig  
Kaleigh White - 6/8  
Serving, 2 Aces, 7 Kill, 3 Digs  
Tatumn Laughery - 1/2 Serving, 2 Digs  
Scully Castorena - 10 Assists, 3 Digs, 1 Kill

### Upcoming Sporting Events

**Dayton-Waitsburg Football**  
Friday: Mabton at DW in Dayton (Homecoming) – 7 p.m.

**Dayton Volleyball**  
Thursday: Mabton at Dayton – 5 p.m.  
Tuesday: Dayton at White Swan – 5 p.m.

**Waitsburg Volleyball**  
Thursday: St. John-Endicott at Waitsburg – 5 p.m.  
Tuesday: Waitsburg at Colton – 5 p.m.

**Prescott Volleyball**  
Thursday: Pomeroy at Prescott – 5 p.m.  
Tuesday: Prescott at LWK (Lacrosse) – 5 p.m.

**Waitsburg Cross-Country**  
Saturday: Richland Invite  
Tuesday: D7 League Meet at Davenport

**Dayton Soccer**  
Saturday: Riverside Christian at Dayton – Noon  
Tuesday: Dayton at Boardman – 4 p.m.  
Wed., Oct. 5: Prescott at Dayton – 4 p.m.

**Prescott Soccer**  
Saturday: Irrigon at Prescott – 1 p.m.  
Wed., Oct. 12: Prescott at WWVA – 4 p.m.

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# LEGAL NOTICES

After Recording Return To:  
Weinstein & Riley, P.S.  
2001 Western Avenue Suite  
400  
Seattle, WA 98121

Reference: Shawna Douglas aka Shawna M Douglas aka Shawna Maria Douglas aka Shawna Maria Middleton and Frank Douglas aka Frank W. Douglas aka Frank William Douglas, 46879717

Reference No(s) of Documents Assigned or Released: 2012-09447

Document Title: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE  
Grantor: Weinstein & Riley, P.S.

Grantee: Shawna Douglas and Frank Douglas, wife and husband

Abbreviated Legal Description as Follows: LOT 1 BLK 3 SINGLETON'S ADDITION

Assessor's Property Tax Parcel/Account No(s): 360729780301

We are a debt collector. This communication is an attempt to collect a debt, and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

Notice of Trustee's Sale  
II  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Weinstein & Riley, P.S. will on October 14, 2016 at 10:00 AM at the Main Entrance of the Walla Walla County Courthouse, 315 West Main, Walla Walla, WA 99362 located at Walla Walla County, State of Washington, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in Walla Walla County, State of Washington, to-wit;

Lot 1 in Block 3 of Singleton's Addition to the City of Walla Walla, Washington, according to the Official Plat thereof of record in the Office of the Auditor of Walla Walla County, Washington.

ALSO, beginning at the Northeast corner of said Lot 1 and running hence North on the produced East line of said Lot a distance of 10 feet to the South line of Maple Street as established by City Ordinance No. A-1031 vacating a portion of said Street; thence West along the South line of Maple Street as so established to the point of its intersection with the Easterly line of Second Avenue South (formerly Second Street) in the City of Walla Walla, Washington; thence South 11° 06' East along said Easterly line of Second Avenue South to the Northwest corner of said Lot 1; thence East along the North line of said Lot 1 to THE POINT OF BEGINNING. Being a part of the vacated portion of Maple Street as vacated by the City of Walla Walla under Ordinance NO. A-1031.

EXCEPTING THEREFROM, beginning at the Northwest corner of Lot 1, Block 3, of Singleton's Addition; thence Northerly along the East line of Second Avenue South a distance of 2.59 feet which is THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING for this description; thence on an arc to the right having a radius of 7.71 feet a distance of 13.57 feet to the South line of Maple Street as now established; thence Westerly along the South line of Maple Street a distance of 9.30 feet to the point of intersection of the South line of Maple Street and the East line of Second Avenue South; thence Southerly along the East line of Second Avenue South a distance of 9.30 feet to THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

ALSO EXCEPTING that portion conveyed to The City of Walla Walla for road purposes as disclosed by deed recorded April 5, 2000 in Volume 297 of Official Records of Walla Walla County at Page 0031 as Auditor's File No. 0003247.

Situated in the City and County of Walla Walla, State of Washington.

which is subject to that certain Deed of Trust dated October 25, 2012, recorded October 26, 2012, under Recorder's/Auditor's File Number 2012-09447 records of Walla Walla County, Washington, from Shawna Douglas and Frank Douglas, wife and husband, as Grantor, to Land Title, as Trustee, to

secure an obligation in favor of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. solely as nominee for Quicken Loans Inc. as Beneficiary. Quicken Loans Inc. is now the beneficiary of the deed of trust. The sale will be made without any warranty concerning the title to, or the condition of the property.

II  
No action commenced by the Beneficiary of the Deed of Trust is now pending to seek satisfaction of the obligation in any Court by reason of the Grantor's default on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust.

III  
The default(s) for which this foreclosure is made is/are as follows:

i) Failure to pay the following amounts, now in arrears: Amount due to reinstate by May 31, 2016

Monthly Payments: Delinquent Monthly Payments Due:  
From 08/01/2015 through 05/01/2016

4 payment(s) at \$1065.26  
4 payment(s) at \$1150.57  
2 payment(s) at \$1129.26  
Total: \$11,121.84  
Accrued Late Charges: \$273.50  
Recoverable Balance: \$105.00  
Total Default: \$11,500.34

IV  
The sum owing on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust is \$148,412.41, together with interest from July 1, 2015 as provided in the note or other instrument, and such other costs and fees as are due under the note or other instrument secured, and as are provided by statute.

V  
The above-described real property will be sold to satisfy the expense of sale and the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust as provided by statute. The sale will be made without warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances on October 14, 2016. The payments, late charges, or other defaults must be cured by October 3, 2016 (11 days before the sale date) to cause a discontinuance of the sale. The sale will be discontinued and terminated if at any time on or before October 3, 2016 (11 days before the sale date) the default(s) as set forth in paragraph III, together with any subsequent payments, late charges, or other defaults, is/are cured and the Trustee's fees and costs are paid. Payment must be with cashier's or certified checks from a State or federally chartered bank. The sale may be terminated any time after October 3, 2016 (11 days before the sale date), and before the sale by the Borrower, Grantor, any Guarantor, or the holder of any recorded junior lien or encumbrance paying the entire principal and interest secured by the Deed of Trust, plus costs, fees, and advances, if any, made pursuant to the terms of the obligation and/or Deed of Trust, and curing all other defaults.

VI  
A written notice of default was transmitted by the beneficiary or Trustee to the Borrower and Grantor at the following address(es):

See 'Mailing List' attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference.

by both first-class and certified mail on January 13, 2016, proof of which is in the possession of the Trustee; and the Borrower and Grantor were personally served on January 13, 2016, with said written notice of default or the written notice of default was posted in a conspicuous place on the real property described in paragraph I above, and the Trustee has possession of proof of such service or posting.

VII  
The Trustee whose name and address are set forth will provide in writing to anyone requesting it, a statement of all costs and fees due at any time prior to the sale.

VIII  
The effect of the sale will be to deprive the Grantor and all those who hold by, through or under the Grantor of all their interest in the above-described property.

IX  
Anyone having objections to this sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to be heard as

to those objection if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the sale pursuant to RCW 61.24.130. Failure to bring such a lawsuit may result in a waiver of any proper grounds for invalidating the Trustee's sale.

X  
NOTICE TO OCCUPANTS OR TENANTS

The purchaser at the Trustee's Sale is entitled to possession of the property on the 20th day following the sale, as against the Grantor under the deed of trust (the owner) and anyone having an interest junior to the deed of trust, including occupants who are not tenants. After the 20th day following the sale, the purchaser has the right to evict occupants who are not tenants by summary proceedings under Chapter 59.12 RCW. For tenant-occupied property, the purchaser shall provide a tenant with written notice in accordance with RCW 61.24.060.

If the Trustee's Sale is set aside for any reason, the submitted bid will be forthwith returned without interest and the bidder will have no right to purchase the property. Recovery of the bid amount without interest constitutes the limit of the bidder's recourse against the Trustee and/or the Beneficiary.

XI  
NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS AND PARTIES WHO ARE GUARANTORS OF THE OBLIGATIONS SECURED BY THIS DEED OF TRUST: (1) The Guarantor may be liable for a deficiency judgment to the extent the sale price obtained at the Trustee's Sale is less than the debt secured by the Deed of Trust; (2) The Guarantor has the same rights to reinstate the debt, cure the default, or repay the debt as is given to the grantor in order to avoid the trustee's sale; (3) The Guarantor will have no right to redeem the property under the Trustee's Sale; (4) Subject to such longer periods as are provided in the Washington Deed of Trust Act, Chapter 61.24 RCW, any action brought to enforce a guaranty must be commenced within one year after the Trustee's Sale, or the last Trustee's Sale under any deed of trust granted to secure the same debt; and (5) In any action for a deficiency, the Guarantor will have the right to establish the fair value of the property as of the date of the Trustee's Sale, less prior liens and encumbrances, and to limit its liability for a deficiency to the difference between the debt and the greater of such fair value or the sale price paid at the Trustee's Sale, plus interest and costs.

DATED: August \_\_\_\_, 2016

WEINSTEIN & RILEY, P.S.  
Successor Trustee  
By:  
Daniel Ross, Director  
2001 Western Avenue Suite  
400  
Seattle, WA 98121  
206-269-3490  
State of Washington )  
) ss.  
County of King )

On this \_\_\_\_ day of August 2016, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Daniel Ross, to me known to be an Officer of Weinstein & Riley, P.S., the corporation that executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the said instrument to be the free and voluntary act and deed of said corporation, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and on oath states that they are authorized to execute the said instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal hereto affixed the day and year first above written.

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PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS

RCW 11.40.030

In the Matter of the Estate of

ELISA C. LOVRAK,

Deceased.

The personal representative named below has been appointed as Personal Representative of this estate. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim could be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.40.070 by serving on or mailing to the personal representative or the personal representatives attorney at the address stated below a copy of the claim and filing the original of the claim with the court in which the probate proceedings were commenced. The claim must be presented within the later of:

1. Thirty (30) days after the personal representative served or mailed the Notice to Creditors, as provided under RCW 11.40.020(1)(c); or 2. Four (4) months after the date of the first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.40.051 and 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedents probate and non-probate assets.

Date of First Publication: September 22, 2016

Personal Representative: Jon G. Lovrak  
Attorney for Personal Representative: Peter J. Hess  
Address for Mailing or Service: Hess Law Office, PLLC  
415 N Second Avenue Walla Walla, WA 99362  
Court of the Probate Proceedings: Walla Walla County Superior Court  
Cause Number: 15 4 00166 1

DATED this 16th day of September, 2016

/s/ Jon G. Lovrak, Personal Representative

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(RCW 11.40.030)

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON  
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WALLA WALLA

Estate of  
LILA L. OWSLEY,  
Deceased.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

The above Court has appointed me as Personal Representative of Decedent's estate. Any person having a claim against the Decedent must present the claim: (A) Before the time when the claim would be barred by any applicable statute of limitations, and (B) In the manner provided in RCW 11.40.070: (i) By filing the original of the claim with the foregoing Court, and (ii) By serving on or mailing to me at the address below a copy of the claim. The claim must be presented by the later of: (a) Thirty (30) days after I served or mailed this Notice as provided in RCW 11.40.020(1) (c), or (b) Four (4) months after the date of first publication of this Notice. If the claim is

not presented within this time period, the claim will be forever barred except as provided in RCW 11.40.051 and 11.40.060. This bar is effective for claims against both Decedent's probate and non-probate assets.

Date of First Publication of this Notice: September 22, 2016.

Personal Representative  
Carla J. Phillips  
3638 S. Hwy 125  
Walla Walla, WA 99362

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

I. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Trustee will on the 4th day of November, 2016, at the hour of 10.00 a.m. o'clock at Walla Walla County Courthouse, 315 W. Main, Walla Walla, Washington, 99362, immediately inside the lobby of the front door, sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder, payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Walla Walla, State of Washington, to-wit:

Lots 9 and 10 in Block 37 of the Town of Prescott, Washington according to the official plat thereof recorded in Volume C of Plats, at page 29, records of Walla Walla County, Washington.

Tax Parcel No. 36-10-33-51-3709

And more commonly known as: 101 N. F Street, Prescott, WA 99348

which is subject to that certain Deed of Trust dated September 12, 2012, recorded September 19, 2012, under Walla Walla County Auditor's/Recorder's No. 2012-08177, records of Walla Walla County, Washington, from Jared W. Crum and Patricia L. Brown, husband and wife, as Grantors, to Dayton Title Company, as Trustee, to secure an obligation in favor of Chuck Caruthers and Danielle Riggs, as Beneficiaries.

II. No action commenced by the Beneficiary of the Deed of Trust is now pending to seek satisfaction of the obligation in any Court by reason of the Borrower's or Grantor's default on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust.

III. The defaults for which this foreclosure is made are as follows:

Failure to pay when due the following amounts which are now in arrears:

Principal, interest and late fees, resulting in a delinquency of \$172,858.25;

Fees charged by the escrow company, resulting in a delinquency of \$213.38; and

Property taxes and penalties from 2015 until 2016, totaling \$5,180.57;

for a total delinquency with respect to missed payments of principal, interest and late fees, unpaid fees charged by the escrow company, and unpaid property taxes in the amount of \$178,252.20 as of July 1, 2016. It is estimated that the total delinquency with respect to missed payments of principal, interest and late fees, unpaid fees charged by the escrow company, and unpaid property taxes on the 24th of October, 2016, will be \$184,592.58.

IV. The sum owing on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust is: the principal sum of \$180,847.37, together with interest as provided in the note from the 12th day of September, 2012, and such other costs and fees as are due under the note or other instrument secured, and as are provided by statute.

V. The above-described real property will be sold to satisfy the expense of sale and the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust as provided by statute. The sale will be made without warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances on the 4th day of November, 2016. The defaults referred to in paragraph III, above, must be cured by the 24th day of October, 2016 (11 days before the sale date), to cause a discontinuance of the sale. The sale will be discontinued and terminated if at any time on or before the 24th day of October, 2016 (11 days before the sale date) the defaults

as set forth in paragraph III are cured and the Trustee's fees and costs are paid. The sale may be terminated any time after the 24th day of October, 2016 (11 days before the sale date) and before the sale by the Borrower, Grantor, any Guarantor, or the holder of any recorded junior lien or encumbrance paying the entire principal and interest secured by the Deed of Trust, plus costs, fees, and advances, if any, made pursuant to the terms of the obligation and Deed of Trust, and curing all other defaults.

VI. A written notice of default was transmitted by the Beneficiary or Trustee to the Borrower and Grantor at the following addresses:

Jared W. Crum and Patricia L. Brown, 150 Pine Coulee Lane, Cascade, MT 59421-0307, by certified mail, return receipt requested, on July 1, 2016, proof of which is in possession of the Trustee; and, Jared W. Crum and Patricia L. Brown, P.O. Box 307, Cascade, MT 59421-0307, by first-class mail, on July 1, 2016, proof of which is in possession of the Trustee. Both Jared W. Crum and Patricia L. Brown were personally served with the written notice of default at 1700 Cedar Street, Helena, Montana, 59601, proof of which is in possession of the Trustee.

VII. The Trustee whose name and address are set forth below will provide in writing to anyone requesting it, a statement of all costs and fees due at any time prior to the sale.

VIII. The effect of the sale will be to deprive the Grantor and all those who hold by, through or under the Grantor of all their interest in the above-described property.

IX. Anyone having any objection to the sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to be heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the sale pursuant to RCW 61.24.130. Failure to bring such a lawsuit may result in a waiver of any proper grounds for invalidating the Trustee's sale.

X. NOTICE TO OCCUPANTS OR TENANTS: The purchaser at the Trustee's sale is entitled to possession of the property on the 20th day following the sale, as against the Grantor under the Deed of Trust (the owner) and anyone having an interest junior to the Deed of Trust, including occupants who are not tenants. After the 20th day following the sale the purchaser has the right to evict occupants who are not tenants by summary proceedings under chapter 59.12 RCW. For tenant-occupied property, the purchaser shall provide a tenant with written notice in accordance with RCW 61.24.060.  
SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE:

Daniel J. Roach, PLLC  
38 East Main Street, Suite 206

P.O. Box 1776  
Walla Walla, WA 99362  
(509) 522-6800

DATED this 1st day of August, 2016.

State of Washington

County of Walla Walla

On this day personally appeared before me Daniel J. Roach, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the within and foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he signed the same as his free and voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and on oath stated that he is duly authorized to execute said instrument.

GIVEN under my hand and official seal this 1st day of August, 2016.

/s/ Sonja Zivak

Notary Public in and for the State of Washington

Residing at Walla Walla.

My Commission expires: 10-10-17

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NO. 16-4-00011-4

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the Estate of  
WILLIAM B. GRAHAM, Jr.,



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## PACIFIC POWER LENDS A HAND



Courtesy Image

Pacific Power recently awarded Waitsburg a \$2,000 check toward the purchase of Celebration Days banners to line Main Street. The check will help purchase 22 street banners, six entry banners, and one large banner to go across Main Street.

Pacific Power also recently awarded \$2,500 to the Prescott Parks & Recreation District to go toward the purchase of new playground equipment.

Above: Waitsburg City Manager Randy Hinchliffe (l) receives a check for \$2,000 from Pacific Power Regional Manager Bill Clemens.

## BAND - FROM PAGE 7

responds," Clark said.

The band recently played to a full house at The Tuxedo Bar & Grill in Prescott, and performed the National Anthem at the Walla Walla Sweets Roller Derby. They have created special song lists for wineries that are "softer and more approachable," and will perform for house parties as well.

"We can play acoustic or electric; anywhere that makes sense with our type of music. We have a lot of songs and can pick the ones that will fit best for any type of event," Clark said.

Songs from the entire Away from Home album can be found on the band's YouTube Channel. You can also find Framing Fables on Facebook, Spotify, and iTunes.

THANK YOU FOR  
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**The Times**

## WORK DAY - FROM PAGE 1

20 city council meeting, Smith met with Waitsburg Historical Society members to see if they could use volunteer help. Plans were made for the volunteers to perform building renovations, painting, and foundation work at the Bruce and Wilson-Phillips House Museums and to do a deep clean of Town Hall, along with some electrical work there.

Smith said church representatives initially agreed to the change in focus from the fairgrounds to the Historical Society, but later decided they would instead send a smaller crew of 10 to 20 volunteers to do outdoor chores and yard work.

Volunteers from Waitsburg churches, community organizations, and youth organizations are invited to contribute their time along with the LDS church volunteers for service to others on Sat., Oct. 22 from 8 a.m. to noon. Please contact the Commercial Club with group or individual offers to help at (509) 539-8773 or email [waitsburgcc@icloud.com](mailto:waitsburgcc@icloud.com).

## LEGALS - FROM PAGE 11

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Pursuant to the Revised Code of Washington 61.24, et seq. TS No.: WA-15-685086-SW APN No.: 300812550501 Title Order No.: 150230363-WA-MSO Deed of Trust Grantor(s): DELMAR GREGORY, MARSHA GREGORY Deed of Trust Grantee(s): AMERICAN GENERAL HOME EQUITY, INC. Deed of Trust Instrument/Reference No.: 2005-07463 I. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington, the undersigned Trustee, will on 11/4/2016, at 10:00 AM at the main entrance of the Walla Walla County Courthouse, 315 W. Main, Walla Walla, WA sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder, payable in the form of credit bid or cash bid in the form of cashier's check or certified checks from federally or State chartered banks, at the time of sale the following described real property, situated in the County of WALLA WALLA, State of Washington, to-wit: LOT 1 IN BLOCK 5 OF COLUMBIA VIEW ADDITION NO.3 AS PER PLAT THEREOF OR RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE AUDI-

## LEGAL NOTICES (Continued)

TOR OF WALLA WALLA COUNTY, WASHINGTON. More commonly known as: 10 CLOVER LANE, BURBANK, WA 99323 which is subject to that certain Deed of Trust dated 6/16/2005, recorded 6/21/2005, under 2005-07463 records of WALLA WALLA County, Washington, from DELMAR GREGORY & MARSHA GREGORY, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Grantor(s), to BENTON-FRANKLIN TITLE COMPANY, INC., as Trustee, to secure an obligation in favor of AMERICAN GENERAL HOME EQUITY, INC., as Beneficiary, the beneficial interest in which was subsequently assigned to U.S. Bank National Association as Indenture Trustee for CIM Trust 2015-4AG Mortgage-Backed Notes, Series 2015-4AG under and assignment recorded under Auditors File Number 2016-00609 II. No action commenced by the Beneficiary of the Deed of Trust is now pending to seek satisfaction of the obligation in any Court by reason of the Borrower's or Grantor's default on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust/Mortgage. III. The default(s) for which this foreclosure is made is/are as follows: Failure to pay when due the following amounts which are now in arrears: \$60,492.40 IV. The sum owing on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust is: The principal sum of \$64,983.38, together with interest as provided in the Note from 12/30/2014 on, and such other costs and fees as are provided by statute. V. The above-described real property will be sold to satisfy the expense of sale and the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust as provided by statute. Said sale will be made without warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances on 11/4/2016. The defaults referred to in Paragraph III must be cured by 10/24/2016 (11 days before the sale date) to cause a discontinuance of the sale. The sale will be discontinued and terminated if at any time before 10/24/2016 (11 days before the sale) the default as set forth in Paragraph III is cured and the Trustee's fees and costs are paid. Payment must be in cash or with cashiers or certified checks from a State or federally chartered bank. The sale may be terminated any time after the 10/24/2016 (11 days before the sale date) and before the sale, by the Borrower or Grantor or the holder of any recorded junior lien or encumbrance by paying the principal and interest, plus costs, fees and advances, if any, made pursuant to the terms of the obligation and/or Deed of Trust, and curing all other defaults. VI. A written Notice of Default was transmit-

ted by the Beneficiary or Trustee to the Borrower and Grantor at the following address(es): NAME DELMAR GREGORY & MARSHA GREGORY, HUSBAND AND WIFE ADDRESS 10 CLOVER LANE, BURBANK, WA 99323 by both first class and certified mail, proof of which is in the possession of the Trustee; and the Borrower and Grantor were personally served, if applicable, with said written Notice of Default or the written Notice of Default was posted in a conspicuous place on the real property described in Paragraph I above, and the Trustee has possession of proof of such service or posting. These requirements were completed as of 4/8/2016. VII. The Trustee whose name and address are set forth below will provide in writing to anyone requesting it, a statement of all costs and fees due at any time prior to the sale. VIII. The effect of the sale will be to deprive the Grantor and all those who hold by, through or under the Grantor of all their interest in the above-described property. IX. Anyone having any objections to this sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to be heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the sale pursuant to RCW 61.24.130. Failure to bring such a lawsuit may result in a waiver of any proper grounds for invalidating the Trustee's sale. NOTICE TO OCCUPANTS OR TENANTS - The purchaser at the Trustee's Sale is entitled to possession of the property on the 20th day following the sale, as against the Grantor under the deed of trust (the owner) and anyone having an interest junior to the deed of trust, including occupants who are not tenants. After the 20th day following the sale the purchaser has the right to evict occupants who are not tenants by summary proceedings under Chapter 59.12 RCW. For tenant-occupied property, the purchaser shall provide a tenant with written notice in accordance with RCW 61.24.060. THIS NOTICE IS THE FINAL STEP BEFORE THE FORECLOSURE SALE OF YOUR HOME. You have only 20 DAYS from the recording date of this notice to pursue mediation. DO NOT DELAY. CONTACT A HOUSING COUNSELOR OR AN ATTORNEY LICENSED IN WASHINGTON NOW to assess your situation and refer you to mediation if you are eligible and it may help you save your home. See below for safe sources of help. SEEKING ASSISTANCE Housing counselors and legal assistance may be available at little or no cost to you. If you would like assistance in determining your rights and opportunities to

keep your house, you may contact the following: The statewide foreclosure hotline for assistance and referral to housing counselors recommended by the Housing Finance Commission: Toll-free: 1-877-894-HOME (1-877-894-4663) or Web site: [http://www.dfi.wa.gov/consumers/homeownership/post\\_purchase\\_counselors\\_foreclosure.htm](http://www.dfi.wa.gov/consumers/homeownership/post_purchase_counselors_foreclosure.htm). The United States Department of Housing and Urban Development: Toll-free: 1-800-569-4287 or National Web Site: <http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD> or for Local counseling agencies in Washington: <http://www.hud.gov/offices/hsg/sfh/hcc/fcl/index.cfm?webListAction=search&searchstate=WA&filterSvc=dfc> The statewide civil legal aid hotline for assistance and referrals to other housing counselors and attorneys: Telephone: 1-800-606-4819 or Web site: <http://nwjustice.org/what-clear>. If the sale is set aside for any reason, including if the Trustee is unable to convey title, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the monies paid to the Trustee. This shall be the Purchaser's sole and exclusive remedy. The purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Trustor, the Trustee, the Beneficiary, the Beneficiary's Agent, or the Beneficiary's Attorney. If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holders right's against the real property only. QUALITY MAY BE CONSIDERED A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE AS required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. Dated: 7/5/2016 Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington, as Trustee By: Lauren Esquivel, Assistant Secretary Trustee's Mailing Address: Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington C/O Quality Loan Service Corp. 411 Ivy Street, San Diego, CA 92101 (866) 645-7711 Trustee's Physical Address: Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington 108 1st Ave South, Suite 202 Seattle, WA 98104 (866) 925-0241 Sale Line: 916-939-0772 Or Login to: <http://wa.qualityloan.com> TS No.: WA-15-685086-SW IDSPub #0110490 10/6/2016 10/27/2016

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FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT:  
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