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Kate Hockersmith

Visiting students and chaperones from Tamba-Sasayama Japan spent the afternoon in Waitsburg on their last day of their two week trip. The kids were hosted by local families through the Walla Walla - Tamba-Sasayama Sister City Affiliation Committee. Be sure to read the full article in next week's issue of The Times.

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CCRLD played role in Senate Bill 5824

By Lane Gwinn | THE TIMES

OLYMPIA — On Tuesday, March 26, Senate Bill 5824, sponsored by Sen. Sam Hunt (D-Olympia) and requested by Secretary of State Steve Hobbs, was signed into law in Olympia. The bill raised the required number of petitioners from 10% to 25% of eligible voters. In addition, eligible voters include all residents who pay taxes to fund the library district.

“The Dayton library was on the verge of becoming the first library in the country to shut down because of a dispute over the books inside,” Hunt said. “We’re just trying to give all people a fair say in what happens to their library and not let minority rule.”



Courtesy photo

Dayton residents Tanya Patton (6th from left) and Elise Severe (second from right) were invited to attend the Bill-Signing at the capital.

In 2023, petitioners collected the required signatures from rural taxpayers to put Proposition 2 on the November 2023 ballot. The measure would ask voters to dissolve the rural library district.

The petition was filed by organizers per legislation covering rural library districts, which excluded incorporated area (City of Dayton) taxpayers from participating in the petition or ballot measure. Neighbors United for Progress members Elise Severe and Gerald Kaiser filed a lawsuit in Columbia County Superior Court challenging the statute’s constitutionality based on taxation without representation.

The court decided for the plaintiffs, preventing the measure from being included on the ballot.

Columbia Superior Court Commissioner Julie Karl presided over the hearing. She said, “It doesn’t make sense to have people that live in the county be the only ones that vote on something that so affects the citizens of the city.” Karl said. “We settled taxation without representation a long time ago.”

After the court found the dissolution procedure unconstitutional under federal and state constitutions, Senate Bill 5824 was passed with bipartisan support, ensuring voters paying into a library district will have a say on its future.

Dayton residents Tanya Patton and Severe attended the bill-signing ceremony at the capital. Severe said, “When our library’s existence was threatened, Neighbors United knew we needed to stand up for what was right. If our community was going to vote on dissolving the only public library, it needed to be a fair vote allowing every registered voter within the library taxing district.”

The legislation goes into effect June 6, 2024.

Waitsburg City Council table filling vacancy, raise utility tax

By Lane Gwinn | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG— Waitsburg City Council held its regular meeting on March 27 after being delayed one week due to council members’ availability.

In public comment, Joy Smith told the council that with the success of new businesses in town, there is now a budding parking problem. She said Waitsburg Commercial Club and the city have used signage to direct visitors to additional parking, usually the city-owned property west of the Main Street bridge.

Smith suggested it may be time for businesses to post parking options on their websites. She also said Gloria Wilson offered overflow parking at her lot next to Simply Sawdust. Smith asked that the council allow Hinchliffe to work on the necessary signage.

Weller Public Library Manager Sarah Roberts gave the council a brief update. She said painting and reshelving in the back room have been completed, and foot traffic for March has been up since tracking began. She invited the council members to tour the library on April 9 at 5:30, before the Friends of the Library and Library Board meetings later that evening.

After the comment period was closed, the council took up the council member vacancy. There are two applicants, Karen Gregutt and Court Ruppenthal, who have previously served on the council. Neither applicant was in attendance and Henze requested the matter go to executive session.

The council heard from Miles Nowlin, executive director of Common Roots Housing Trust. He described the trust’s mission and said it would like to work with the city to provide needed affordable housing. The land trust offers homeownership opportunities to people who are not served well by financing.

The community land trust’s services include education, funding, community investment, and property development. To help low and moderate-income homebuyers, the CLT offers homes sold as separate property from the land. The CLT retains ownership of the land and manages the property.

Nowlin was asked what kind of properties the trust would consider for a project in Waitsburg: multi- or single-family projects, ten- or more-acre properties, or existing buildings.

Nowlin said they are considering all options, including restoration or preservation projects. They are always looking for the right piece of land and have a property under consideration.

Common Roots Board Member Joy Smith said low to moderate-income projects are workforce housing, which the city needs.

In 2004, the city agreed to vacate two small parcels next to Camp Road. The land was to go to two landowners abutting the parcels. The transfer was delayed and accrued delinquent taxes. The filing is complete, and the council approved paying the taxes.

The council appointed Matt Bertucci to fill the vacated seat on the Planning Commission. Deanna Tipton was accepted as an applicant to fill Karen Gregutt’s seat on the commission should Gregutt be appointed to the city council.

In old business, the Friends of the Fairground and Parks and Recreation on the Waitsburg Fairgrounds presented the strategic plan to the council. The strategic plan will be included in the online version of this article at waitsburgtimes.com.

Kate Hockersmith, representing RYSE, asked the fair-



NEWS BRIEFS & SPORTS

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AT THE LIBERTY: "Kung Fu Panda 4"

THE TIMES

WAITSBURG — "Kung Fu Panda 4" starring comedy icon Jack Black who returns to his role as Po, the world's most unlikely kung fu master, with a hilarious, butt-kicking new chapter in DreamWorks Animation's beloved action-comedy franchise. After three death-defying adventures defeating world-class villains with his unmatched courage and mad martial arts skills, Po the Dragon Warrior, is called upon by destiny to ... give it a rest already. More specifically, he's tapped to become the Spiritual Leader of the Valley of Peace.

Rotten Tomatoes critics rated this movie as 72% favorable, while the audience gave it an 86%. That website's critics say "the movie offers enough eye-catching entertainment to sustain the franchise's young fans, although it's starting to feel like this series is running out of steam." The audience summary is that the movie is fun for the whole family, but not as good as the first three versions. The movie is rated PG for martial arts action/mild violence, scary images and some mild rude humor. It has a runtime of 94 minutes. This movie will run for 2 weeks, starting on March 29.

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CARDINALS SPLIT DOUBLEHEADER

By Karen Huwe | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG — The Cardinal baseball team split its doubleheader with Sunnyside Christian (SSC) on Saturday, March 30 in Waitsburg.

Isa Reyes had a solid day pitching, holding SSC to two runs in six innings in the first game.

Jayce Gleason started the bottom of the first inning with a lead-off walk. Klint Kuykendall and Quinn Benevidas reached base, and with stolen bases and an SSC fielding error, the three scored to give the Cardinals an early 3-0 lead.

The Cardinals scored five runs in the fourth inning on five hits. They had three runs in the fifth and after scoring one in the sixth inning, the game was called due to the mercy rule as the Cardinals led 12-2.

Gleason led the team, scoring three runs, and Benevidas had five stolen bases.

Sunnyside Christian won the second game 12-8. Issac Mahre started on the mound for the Cardinals.



Karen Huwe

Gleason and Jarod Hankins pitched in relief.

The Cardinals had a big fourth inning, scoring five runs. Cyson Morris and Hankins led the team in runs scored, with two each.

On Saturday, April 13, the Cardinals will play at Liberty Christian.



(above) Jarod Hankins holds runner close to base in the first game.

(left) Catcher Quinn Benevidas is upended as he tags out the runner in the second game with Jayce Gleason in coverage.

TRACK TEAM PREPARES FOR FIRST LEAGUE MEET

By Karen Huwe | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG — Waitsburg High School's track team participated in the Clay Lewis Invite at Hanford on Saturday, March 30. Competing against 1A and 3A schools was good preparation before their first league meet on April 9 at Pomeroy.

The Cardinals competed against thirteen large schools and two 1B schools. "Athletes can have their best performances (PRs) and still place in the double-digits in these large meets," said Coach Nechodom.

PRs: Alyssa Hollingsworth & Makenna Barron: 100 meters and long jump; Ava Childers and Addison Crenshaw: shot put and discus; Marion Duncan: 200 and 400 meters; Cedar Stegall: 400 meters; Alyssa Byers: 400 meters. Reuben Yutzy, Blake French and Brenton Segraves: 100 meters; French: triple jump and Teegan Kenney: long jump.



(above) Cardinal Brenton Segraves shot put.

(left) Bonnie Anderson running for the Dayton Bulldogs and Waitsburg's Makenna Barron for the Cardinals.

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OBITUARY

Roland Delbert Schirman

November 1, 1937 – March 22, 2024

On Friday, March 22, 2024, Roland Delbert Schirman, 86, of Dayton, WA went home to be with his Lord and Savior after a brief but aggressive infection while visiting in Denver, CO.

Born in Salem, OR on November 1, 1937, Roland was raised on a berry and dairy farm before he received his BS in Agriculture from Oregon State University. Roland then went on to complete his Master's in Agronomy at the University of Wisconsin (Madison). He then received his Ph.D. in Agronomy with a minor in Plant Physiology from the same institution.

Roland was preceded in death by his parents, Samuel and Lydia Schirman of Salem, his wife of over 48 years, A. Carol (Canaevit); and his second wife, Betty (Shockley) Burgamy Zastrow of 10 years.

Roland spent his life serving his community through work. Roland was first hired by Chevron Chemical Co. as an herbicide development specialist for the 11 Western States. He relocated from Fresno, CA in the Summer of 1965 to Pullman, WA to find more time for his budding family. In Pullman, Roland completed research for the U.S.D.A. in conjunction with the WSU Experiment Station for the Department of Agronomy at WSU. In 1979, Roland decided to shift gears and moved to Dayton, WA to be the Columbia County Extension Agent until his retirement in 2004. Roland loved the farming community, working with young people and the people of SE



Roland Delbert Schirman
November 1, 1937 – March 22, 2024

Washington. He was heavily involved in multiple community organizations, held various leadership positions, and was recognized for his contribution up until his death. Roland was a student of life and thrived on education and helping others implement what he had learned. An avid baker, Roland enjoyed feeding people and perfecting his recipes. Roland was a follower of the teachings of Jesus Christ and pursued ways of learning and life application and sharing the good news of the Gospel.

Roland leaves behind his children Steve (& Donna) Schirman, of Denver, CO; (Shayne &) Susan Ganz of Corning, CA, and (Edward &) Jane Korver of Eagle River, AK; along with grandchildren Billy Patterson, Jack (& Samantha) Korver and Ellen Korver.

A Celebration of Life is scheduled for Saturday, May 11th at 1pm at the Columbia County Fairgrounds Pavilion. In place of flowers, please consider contributing to 4-H Bi-County Camp (for donations to camp, please have checks in Roland's memory made out to Bi County 4-H Camp and mailed to: Bank of Eastern Washington (BEOW) PO Box 145 Dayton, WA 99328) or a charity of your choice that would benefit the youth of Columbia County.

WWCC OFFERS STUDENTS ONE-ON-ONE HELP WITH FINANCIAL AID APPLICATIONS

May 1 is the priority deadline, so contact WWCC today

THE TIMES

WALLA WALLA — New changes in the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) have made more financial aid available, including grants that do not need to be repaid. The form is also shorter and, for many people, more accessible to complete.

Walla Walla Community College Navigators are ready to help. Call the Student Success Center at (509) 527-4262 for Walla Walla, (509) 758-3339 for Clarkston, or email warroradvising@wwcc.edu to schedule an in-person meeting.

Students ineligible to use the FAFSA (for example, due to citizenship or immigration status) should submit a Washington Application for State Financial Aid (WASFA) application instead. By submitting either application, you will also be reviewed for WWCC's Warrior Pledge Scholarship.

Students at Walla Walla Community College can learn a trade, earn a transfer degree, or attain a Bachelor of Applied Science degree in Agriculture or Business Management.

WWCC student Brittani Drennan recommends that everyone considering college apply for financial aid.

"You can do it," she says. "You can work. You can be a mom. And you don't have to put unreasonable expectations upon yourself. You just have to take that first step."

The first in her family to go to college, Drennan is studying for an accounting degree. She attends classes part-time while working full-time as a mom to two young boys.

With the assistance of a WWCC navigator, Drennan secured financial aid, received a laptop, and paid for one year of childcare.

Contact the college today to ensure your application is in the mix before the May 1 priority deadline. This gives you the best opportunity to have all the pieces in place before the summer quarter starts. It's also not too early to submit your applications for fall.



Submitted photo

WWCC student Brittani Drennan

THE ART OF FRIENDSHIP RETURNS TO CAVU

THE TIMES

WALLA WALLA — Seven Walla Walla Valley artists continue to celebrate friendship in a gallery show at CAVU Cellars during May. Returning artists include Barbara Bates, Brenda Bernards, Shannon Kimball, Marilee Schiff, Betty Simcock, and Bobbi Walker. New to the show is Mareth Curtis Warren.

An artists' reception for The Art of Friendship exhibit will be held Friday, May 3, from 5-7 p.m. at CAVU Cellars at 175 E. Aeronca Avenue across from the Walla Walla Regional Airport. Light refreshments will be provided, and beverages will be available for purchase. Not only works in watercolor, oil, pastel, graphite, and other media will be on display, but also a kindred spirit that binds the artists together.

In Bate's words, "The Art of Friendship conjures up images of relationships that are balanced, harmonious, diverse, and connected. We encourage, lift up, and celebrate one another's accomplishments."

"Artists, being interesting and curious people, are fun to spend time with," added Walker.

Curtis explains, "An artful life means learning to live through our senses. To take in every day what we see, hear, taste, feel, and smell. With art as my first language, I want to draw, to paint, to express all these things. I love to be with others who think like this, who revel in each new day and are eager to discover what sights, colors, smells, flavors, and sensations it will bring."

"Art is introspective and gives us new ways to explore other aspects of



Submitted photo

(l-r) Bobbi Walker, Betty Simcock, Barbara Bates, Marilee Schiff, Shannon Kimball, Brenda Bernards, Mareth Curtis Warren.

life," Kimball believes. "Through art, we grow as community, developing friendships with people who are truly fascinating and inspirational."

Bernards enjoys the numerous and varied opportunities to expand her artistic side and loves the people who have become part of her life through these efforts. She supports the arts in Walla Walla by serving on the board of ArtWalla and the City of Walla Walla Arts Commission and assisting with the planning of the Co(W)alla Creative District. "This new side – the creative side – has brought so many experiences and wonderful friendships," says Brenda. "It has opened another window to my Walla Walla life."

"As a lifelong student of the Humanities, I continue to ask the question, 'How best do we journey through this wonderful gift we call life?' Each week when we get together for coffee, I find myself leaving with another piece of the puzzle," Marilee reflects.

"It's been a delight to find friends who share common interests, but what are we to do with the art we've created? Perhaps sell it!" Simcock concludes. "Our friendship continues, and we are having another show!"

GRACE TRUMP, JOSHUA RESER ARE P.E.O. CITIZENSHIP AWARD RECIPIENTS

THE TIMES

DAYTON — Grace Trump and Joshua Reser were chosen as the recipients of the 2024 P.E.O. Citizenship Award. This award is given to the outstanding young man and woman in Dayton High School's senior class, judged on qualities of character, scholarship and activities. Especially emphasized are honesty, courtesy, amiability, morality and punctuality—the marks of a good citizen. Recipients are selected by the high school faculty, the associated student body officers and the P. E. O. Awards Committee.

P.E.O. is a philanthropic educational organization which supports six philanthropies.

This includes ownership of Cottey College, a woman's college in Nevada, Missouri, and five programs that provide higher educational assistance for women through scholarships, grants, awards and loans.

Founded in 1869 at low Wesleyan University, P.E.O. is one of the oldest women's organizations in North America and has grown to almost 6,000 local chapters with more than 225,000 members in the United States and Canada. The Dayton chapter was organized in 1925.

The award consists of a certificate and a \$300 check to be presented at graduation. The P.E.O. Citizenship Award was first presented in 1930 and has continued for 94 years.

CITY COUNCIL - FROM PAGE 1 ground budget be transitioned over five years to Parks and Rec. She said that the success of the Friends of the Pool to raise money for a feasibility study shows what is possible for the fairgrounds.

Since the Friends of the Pool is in the process of completing a feasibility study with PBS Engineering in Walla Walla, the city does not need to cover or fill in the old city pool per Health Department requirements.

The last item on the agenda was the fire hydrant project. Hinchliffe credited city council members Randy Charles and Jillian Hence for addressing the city's aging fire suppression system. There are 78 hydrants in the city with over half over 50 years old. At this time, Hinchliffe said all hydrants work, but as they age the city must continue replacing them.

The cost to install hydrants averages \$10,000 per hydrant. The plan is to replace three per year, and the council passed a \$5 utility increase to go into effect on May's billing.



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LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

IN AND FOR WALLA WALLA COUNTY PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS RCW 11.40.030 In re the Estate of: MAITAA. HAGEDORN, Deceased. CAUSE NO. 24 4 00061 36 The Co-Personal Representatives named below have been appointed as Co-Personal Representatives of this estate. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim would 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 Co-Personal Representatives, or the Co-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 Co-Personal Representatives served or mailed the Notice to the Creditors as provided under RCW 11.40.020(1)(c); or

(2) Four (4) months after the date of 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 decedent's probate and non-probate assets. Co-Personal Representatives: GEORGIANNA R. TODD and GEORGE R. HAGEDORN, JR. Attorney for the Personal Representative: Mona J. Geidl of Minnick-Hayner, PS Address for Mailing or Service: Minnick-Hayner PO Box 1757 Walla Walla, WA 99362 Court of Probate Proceedings and Cause Number: Walla Walla County Superior Court 24 4 00061 36 Date of First Publication: March 21, 2024 /s/ Georgianna R. Todd GEORGIANNA R. TODD Co-Personal Representative /s/ George R. Hagedorn, Jr. GEORGE R. HAGEDORN, JR. Co-Personal Representative Dates of Publication: March 21, 2024 March 28, 2024 April 4, 2024 The Times March 21, 28, April 4, 2024 3-21-b

NOTICE OF SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of the State of Washington for the County of Walla Walla No. 24-3-00012-36 Adrianna D. Torres, Respondent. Jose Angel Perez, Petitioner, The State of Washington to the respondent Adrianna D. Torres : You are hereby summoned to appear within 60 days after the date of the first publication of this dissolution of marriage summons, after the DATE, and defend the above-entitled action in the above-entitled court, and answer the complaint of the petitioner, Jose A. Perez, and serve a copy of your answer upon the petitioner at the address below stated; and in case of your failure, to do so, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the dissolution petition, which has been filed with the clerk of said court. If you do not serve your written response within 60 days after the date this summons was served on you, exclusive of the day of service, the court may enter an order of default against you, and the court may, without further notice to you, enter a final order and approve or provide for the relief requested in the petition. The court will not enter the final order until 90 days after filing and service. Serve a copy of your response to Jose A. Perez at 1311 W Yakima Street, Pasco, WA. 99301. The Times March 7, 14, 21, 28 April 4, 11 2024 3-7-g

WALLA WALLA COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 6

Notice of Solicitation for Professional Services Walla Walla County Fire Protection District No. 6 "District", a municipal corporation, is soliciting Statements of Qualifications for Professional Services for the remodel of an existing building into a fire station. Interested parties should obtain the Request for Statements of Qualification from the District by contacting Rusty Waite, at rm.waite@hotmail.com or 509-386-8423 and by submitting a statement of qualifications in accordance with the RFQ and chapter 39.80 RCW by 5:00 p.m. on April 9, 2022. The Times March 21, 28, April 4, 2024 3-21-e

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WALLA WALLA NO: 24-4-00050-36 NOTICE TO CREDITORS REGARDING VACANCY AND SUCCESSION OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE RCW 11.40.150 In re the Estate of: DAVID K. CADMAN, Deceased. The original personal representative of this estate resigned as personal representative, creating a vacancy. The successor personal representative, Jack Black Cadman, has been appointed as personal representative of this estate. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim would 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 representative's 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 days after the personal representative served or mailed the notice to the creditor as provided under RCW 11.40.020(1)(c); or (2) four months after the date of first publication of the notice by the original personal representative as provided under RCW 11.40.020(1)(b), together with the time between the creation of the vacancy and the first publication of the vacancy and succession, as provided under RCW 11.40.150(2). 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 RCW 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and nonprobate assets. DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION: February 29, 2024 DATE OF VACANCY CREATED BY ORIGINAL PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE: March 19, 2024 DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF VACANCY: March 28, 2024 Jack Black Cadman Personal Representative Attorney for Personal Representative: Courtney Lawless, WSBA #57415 Basalt Legal PLLC 6 1/2 North Second Ave., Suite 200 Walla Walla, WA 99362 509-529-0630 The Times March 28, April 4, 2024 3-28-d

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WALLA WALLA PROBATE NOTICE OF CREDITORS No. 24 4 00071 36 In Re the Estate of M. NADINE HANSES, 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 would 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 Representative's attorney stated below a copy of the claim and filing of 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 days after the Personal Representative served or mailed the notice to the creditor as provided under RCW 11.40.020(1)(c); or (2) four months after the date of 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 decedent's probate and non-probate assets. Personal Representative: WILLIAM PIPER Date of First Publication: March 28, 2024 /s/ WILLIAM PIPER Personal Representative of the Estate of M. NADINE HANSES Attorney for the Personal Representative and address for mailing and service: Steven C. Frol Minnick-Hayner, P.S. P.O. Box 1757 249 West Alder Walla Walla, WA 99362 Publish: March 28, April 4, 11, 2024 Court of Probate Proceedings and Cause Number: Walla Walla County Superior Court Cause No.: No. 24 4 00071 36 The Times March 28, April 4, 11, 2024 3-28-e

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON FOR THE COUNTY OF WALLA WALLA No.24-3-00040-36

Guadalupe Serrano Martinez Petitioner, Marco Antonio Gonzalez Trujillo, Respondent. The State of Washington to the Respondent Marco Antonio Gonzalez Trujillo You are hereby summoned to appear within 60 days after the date of the first publication of this Petition for a Parenting Plan, after the DATE, and defend the above-entitled action in the above-entitled court, and answer the complaint of the petitioner, Guadalupe Serrano Martinez, and serve a copy of your answer upon the petitioner at the address below stated; and in case of your failure, to do so, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the parenting plan petition, which has been filed with the clerk of said court. If you do not serve your written response within 60 days after the date this summons was served on you, exclusive of the day of service, the court may enter an order of default against you, and the court may, without further notice to you, enter a final order and approve or provide for the relief requested in the petition. The court will not enter the final order until at least 60 days after filing and service. Serve a copy of your response on Guadalupe Serrano Martinez 213 S 1st Ave, Walla Walla, WA. 99362 The Times March 21, 28 April 4, 11, 18, 25, 2024 3-21-d

SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON, WALLA WALLA COUNTY

Probate Notice to Creditors No. 24-4-00064-36 (RCW 11.40.030) In re the Estate of Earl William Richardson, 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 would 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 representative's 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 the creditors as provided under RCW 11.40.020(1)(c); or (2) four (4) months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this timeframe, 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 decedent's probate and non-probate assets. Date of First Publication: March 28, 2024 Terry L. Richardson, Personal Representative Attorney for the Personal Representative: Lenard L. Wittlake, PLLC, WSBA #15451 P.O. Box 1233 Walla Walla, WA 99362 (509) 529-1529 Court of Probate Proceedings: Walla Walla Superior Court 315 W. Main Walla Walla, WA 99362 The Times March 28, April 4, 11, 2024 3-28-f

SUPERIOR COURT, WALLA WALLA COUNTY, WASHINGTON

NOTICE OF VACANCY AND SUCCESSION No. 24 4 00076 36 (RCW 11.42.140) In re the Estate of: MARY ELLA JOHNSON, Deceased. The Personal Representative named below has been appointed as personal representative of this estate. Non-probate notice to creditors was previously filed by a Notice Agent in Walla Walla County Superior Court cause number 23-4-00238-36, and that notice was published according to law in the Waitsburg Times, beginning on November 2, 2023. The powers and authority of the Notice Agent ceased immediately, and the office of notice agent became vacant, upon the appointment of the Personal Representative. However, except as provided in RCW 11.42.140(2), the cessation of the powers and authority does not affect the filing and publication of the previous non-

probate notice to creditors and does not affect actual notice to creditors given by the Notice Agent. Date of Filing: 3-27-2024 Date of First Publication: 4-4-2024 Personal Representative: Robert Van Dorn Attorney at Law and Trust Officer Upper Columbia Corporation of SDA's Address for Mailing or Service: 505 South College Avenue College Place, WA 99324 Telephone: (509) 242-0481 Court of Probate Proceedings: Walla Walla Superior Court 315 W. Main Walla Walla, WA 99362 Telephone: (509) 524-2780 Cause No. 24-4-00076-36 The Times April 4, 11, 2024 4-4-a

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

No.: 4:23-cv-5151 UNION INSURANCE COMPANY, Plaintiff, vs. POCKETINET COMMUNICATIONS, INC; and DAVID MADRIGAL, Defendants. The State of Washington to the said David Madrigal: You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the date of the first publication of this summons, to wit, within sixty days after the 28th day of March, 2024 and defend the above entitled action in the above entitled court, and answer the complaint of the plaintiff Union Insurance Company, and serve a copy of your answer upon the undersigned attorneys for plaintiff, Geoffrey Bedell of Soha & Lang P.S., at their office below stated; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, which has been filed with the clerk of said court. The complaint seeks a determination by the Court that an insurance policy issued by plaintiff to Defendant does not provide coverage for a lawsuit filed against Defendants. Geoffrey Bedell, Plaintiff's Attorneys. 1325 Fourth Ave. Ste 940, Seattle, 98101 King County Washington. The Times April 4, 11, 18, 25 May 9, 16, 2024 4-4-b

STATE OF WASHINGTON

DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR SEASONAL CHANGE/ TRANSFER OF WATER RIGHT UNDER TWO (2) GROUND WATER CERTIFICATES TAKE NOTICE: That Kirk Baumann of Walla Walla, WA, has made application for SEASONAL change/ transfer of water right in order to add a point of withdrawal and change a portion of the place of use as granted under Ground Water Certificate Nos. 2265-A and 4715-A. That Ground Water Certificate No. 2265-A authorizes the withdrawal of 350 gallons per minute, 160 acre-feet per year, for irrigation of 40 acres. That the authorized point of withdrawal is from a well located within the SW¼ of NW¼ of Section 28, T. 7 N., R. 34 E.W.M. That the authorized place of use is within the SW¼ of NW¼ of Section 28, T. 7 N., R. 34 E.W.M. That Ground Water Certificate No. 4715-A authorizes the withdrawal of 480 gallons per minute, 480 acre-feet per year for the irrigation of 120 acres. That the authorized point of withdrawal is from a well located within the SW¼/NW¼ of Section 28, T. 7 N., R. 34 E.W.M. That the authorized place of use is within the S¼NW¼, SW¼NE¼ of Section 28, T. 7 N., R. 34 E.W.M., excepting therefrom the right of way for a county road. That he proposes to add a point of withdrawal to the SW¼SE¼ of Section 24, T., 7 N., R. 33 E.W.M. That he proposes to change a portion of the place of use to the S¼SE¼SE¼ of Section 24, T. 7 N., R. 33 E.W.M. All within Walla Walla, Washington. Protests or objections to approval of this application must include a detailed statement of the basis for objections; protests must be accompanied by a fifty-(\$50.00) dollar recording fee and filed with the Department of Ecology, at the address shown below, within thirty (30) days from (Last date of publication to be entered above by publisher) STATE OF WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY WATER RESOURCES PROGRAM - ERO PO BOX 47611 OLYMPIA, WA 98504-7611 NOTICE The Times April 4, 11, 2023 4-4-c

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Palouse Outdoors: Stay Safe with a Satellite Communication System

By Brad Trumbo | THE TIMES

Hunting, fishing, and hiking always seemed vanilla to me when it comes to the potential for injury and death. That could be one reason that a passion for the outdoors hit me when I was a child. My brothers chided me for being a “sissy,” and the best escape from the ridicule was avoidance somewhere beneath the trees on the neighboring woodlots.

I began tree-stand hunting for white-tailed deer in my late teens and quickly realized the dangers of the activity. I took the proper precautions with ropes and harnesses and always let someone know when and where I was headed and returning. Aside from that, trail running and mountain biking alone in the Appalachians never appeared dangerous, partially because testing the limits of gravity or intelligence for a thrill never appealed to me. When I moved west and began wilderness hiking and hunting routinely, I realized the dangers in the backcountry, even for the careful and prepared outdoors enthusiast. Middle age likely played a role as well.

Elk and mule deer country is steep, rugged, slippery, and riddled with deadfalls. Add 60-plus pounds of quarters and backstraps to your pack and start back to camp exhausted and sometimes in the dark, and you have a recipe for trips and falls that can lead to impalement on pine branch stubs, torn ligaments and cartilage in knees and shoulders, broken limbs and ribs, and possible tumbles over cliff faces. Navigating all this alone is absurd, yet we’ve all done it and will do it again. All to secure food, experience the beauty and solace of the wilderness, and bestow honor upon the wild life we took to feed our families and memory bank by pursuing them on their terms.

Fortunately, today’s technology offers life safety for average and extreme outdoor enthusiasts via affordable, reliable, and easy-to-use satellite communications devices.

Since 2011, Garmin Corporation, among others, has been producing satellite communicators that can summon emergency medical and rescue services through the touch of the “SOS” button using your global position system location coordinates. Should you experience a fall, get lost, or have Mother Nature throw a curveball, location information is transferred through a satellite network to “Garmin Response” in Montgomery, Texas. According to Garmin, “all SOS monitoring, communication, and emergency response coordination are handled at this location.”

A global emergency response system capable of reaching remote locations and saving lives. Sounds great, right? But how does it work?

“Garmin Response maintains a global database of local first responders and emergency services. As soon as an SOS activation is received, the Garmin Response team pulls up the precise location of the SOS alert, a corresponding list of emergency response organizations for that area, and a map overlay of agency jurisdictions. The Garmin Response team contacts the local organization and works with them to dispatch resources to the incident site as necessary.”

In 2023, Garmin coordinated emergency responses for over 10,000 SOS calls made from Garmin devices around the globe. While the number of Garmin subscribers is unknown, a breakdown of activities for which an SOS was transmitted suggests that hiking/backpacking makes up approximately 40 percent. Nearly 20 percent of transmissions are from automobile, motorcycle, and boating accidents. Hunting makes up only about five percent of SOS transmissions.

Overall, more than 70 percent of SOS transmissions could have been made from remote wilderness area situations. Physical injuries caused most SOS transmittals, while medical emergencies, being stranded or stuck (data include offroad vehicle activities) and being physically lost were the other most common emergencies.

“Responses...from New Zealand to Norway to Argentina to Canada were coordinated for plane crashes, grizzly bear encounters, sinking sailboats, skiers in avalanches, stranded divers, injured climbers, and many more,” from the 2023 Garmin inReach SOS Year in Review blog at <https://tinyurl.com/uhmhd2n8>.

Over the past few years, getting older, fatter, achier, and spending most of my time outdoors alone were nagging at the back of my mind to get a satel-



Brad Trumbo

The Garmin inReach is a small and affordable device that communicates via text through satellites in remote locations.

lite communicator. I finally pulled the trigger when a remote work trip came up shortly after my wife had major surgery. I settled on the Garmin inReach Messenger because it allows text messaging with friends and family via the Iridium satellite network. During my time in the Idaho mountains, I checked my wife’s health status routinely and could receive immediate notice from her in an emergency.

Whether you’re into extreme mountain sports or leisurely hikes, carrying a satellite communicator makes good sense. With the door to summer recreation opening quickly, now is the time to prepare for your safety while escaping civilization, particularly when going solo. Hopefully, you’ll never need to summon a wilderness rescue, but come wildfire, grizzly attack, or loss of common sense due to hypothermia or elk hunting exertion-induced delirium, carrying a satellite communicator provides a lifeline when faced with the unexpected.

Wine of the Week

Argyle 2022 Pinot Noir

By Paul Gregutt | THE TIMES

On one of the recent early spring days when it was just warm enough to fire up the grill, I put on a couple of duck legs, two ears of sweet corn and some fat asparagus. What to drink? The always perfect choice with duck is Pinot Noir. I recognize that this is a challenging wine for a lot of folks, and it’s not easy to find a good one at a somewhat affordable price. Argyle is an Oregon winery best known for its sparkling wines, but it also makes as many as six or seven different non-sparkling Pinots. This is the entry-level wine, hence the most available and least expensive. The grapes come from Argyle’s almost 500 acres of estate vineyards. Very little (5%) French oak is used for this wine. It’s fresh, clean and balanced, with crisp acids and lightly ripened red fruits. The 2022 is a brand new release. Much better than the previous vintage. 55000 cases; 13.5%; \$25; 90/100

Note: there is also a very nice 2022 Chardonnay – barrel fermented, lightly spicy with clean apple and pear fruit. 5000 cases; 12.5%; \$25; 90/100

<https://buywinesonline.com/products/argyle-pinot-noir-2022-750-ml>



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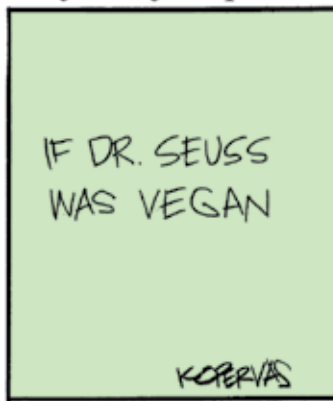
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Out on a Limb

by Gary Kopervas



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Fruit
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Breakfast
Yogurt Parfait
Lunch
BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich
Something crunchy

Tuesday, April 9
Breakfast
Biscuits & Gravy
Lunch
Chicken & Cheese Burrito
Refried beans

Wednesday, April 10
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Donut & Fruit Smoothie
Lunch
Chicken Alfredo

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ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL EASTER EGG HUNT AT THE PARK

By Karen Huwe | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG — There was a terrific turnout at the Waitsburg Community Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, March 29. Children enjoyed taking pictures with the Easter Bunny before the siren blew at 10 a.m.

Kids raced to find plastic eggs scattered over Preston Park when the siren sounded. Each of the twelve hundred eggs had a surprise inside: toy cars, stickers, squishy toys, or gold chocolate coins.

Numerous volunteers also sprinkled forty pounds of foil-covered chocolates in the park. Twelve very special-prize eggs held surprises, allowing the lucky hunters to choose from giant plush bunnies or colorful kids' books.



(above) Oakley, Emma, and Vaida pose with the Easter Bunny

(left) Cian (with Mom Becca) found a special prize egg and chose a big plush bunny.

PIONEER PORTRAITS

10 Years Ago

April 10, 2014

What do historical fiction, science fantasy, romance and stories of the supernatural hold in common? In this instance, it's the author – Prescott's very own Susan Matley. Best known by locals as Cimarron Sue, Matley spends her days rehearsing music with her husband Bruce (aka Nevada Slim), and honing the craft of writing. Matley has had several short stories published and recently sold her first book – a science fantasy novella – to WolfSinger Publications. Born and raised in Port Townsend, Wash. Matley moved to her current homestead, one mile east of Prescott, in 2007. The Matleys share a love of history and heritage and have been performing together as traditional cowboy music duo Nevada Slim and Cimarron Sue since 1999. The pair plays festivals and fairs across the western states and Canada, with over 1,800 professional performances to date.

25 Years Ago

April 8, 1999



[Photo Caption] If you don't recognize this building, perhaps it's because of the age of the photograph, 1888. It is now the home of Touchet Valley Hardware on the corner of Main and West Second Street. There have been improvements to the streets and sidewalks. The building was erected by E.L. Powell. The signage on the side says "Pioneer Supply Depot, E.L. Powell, Importer. Retails Merchandise of All Kinds at Wholesale Prices."

50 Years Ago

April 11, 1974

Queen Krista Archer and Princess Adelle Ford, royalty for the Days of Real Sport will be guests of Commercial Club Tuesday night, April 16, along with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris will present a travelogue of their recent trip to Australia and New Zealand. Wives and friends are invited to join club members for the dinner and program. Reservations may be made by contacting Ivan Keve or Herman Gohlman.

Peter Cottontail with an able assistant from the members of boy Scout Troop No. 336 and the Commercial Club, will be busy Saturday morning, hiding Easter eggs in Preston Park for the youngsters of the area. The big hunt will start promptly at 9 a.m. on Saturday, April 13 for all kids thru age 8.

75 Years Ago

April 22, 1949

Mrs. Jack Wright was elected president of the PTA Wednesday evening. Other officers include E. A. Stinson, vice president; Mrs. Donald Harris, secretary; and George Pambrun, treasurer.

Mrs. Miles Quigg was honored at a surprise birthday dinner Monday night by her daughters, Mrs. Culbertson and Miss Helen Quigg of Dayton.

Danny Clodius hosted an Easter party for the kindergarten last Friday. Ice cream bunnies, cake and milk, and an Easter toy was presented to each child.

100 Years Ago

May 2, 1924

Wesley Frick has been elected as principal of the Huntsville school for the next school year. The other two teachers who will make up the faculty are Miss Catherine McCauley intermediate and Mrs. Ruby Fox, primary.

Walter Reigle has just completed the building of a very neat little service station on a triangle strip of ground in front of his country home a mile east of this city.

Mrs. Ray Pollard, Miss Naomi Pollard, Miss Gladys Wise, Miss Valerie Schmitt and Miss Isla Hales with Mr. Davidson of Huntsville left Tuesday morning by auto to attend the wedding of Miss Aldene Culp Wednesday to a young Portland business man.

125 Years Ago

April 21, 1899

Many a lover has turned away from an otherwise lovable girl with an offensive breath. Karl's Clover Root Tea purifies the breath by its action on the bowels etc. as nothing else will. Sold for years on absolute guarantee. Price 25c and 50c J. W. Morgan.

Our old friend F. M. Pully of Walla Walla, has been awarded the contract for furnishing the tobacco for the Walla Walla penitentiary and the Medical Lake asylum.

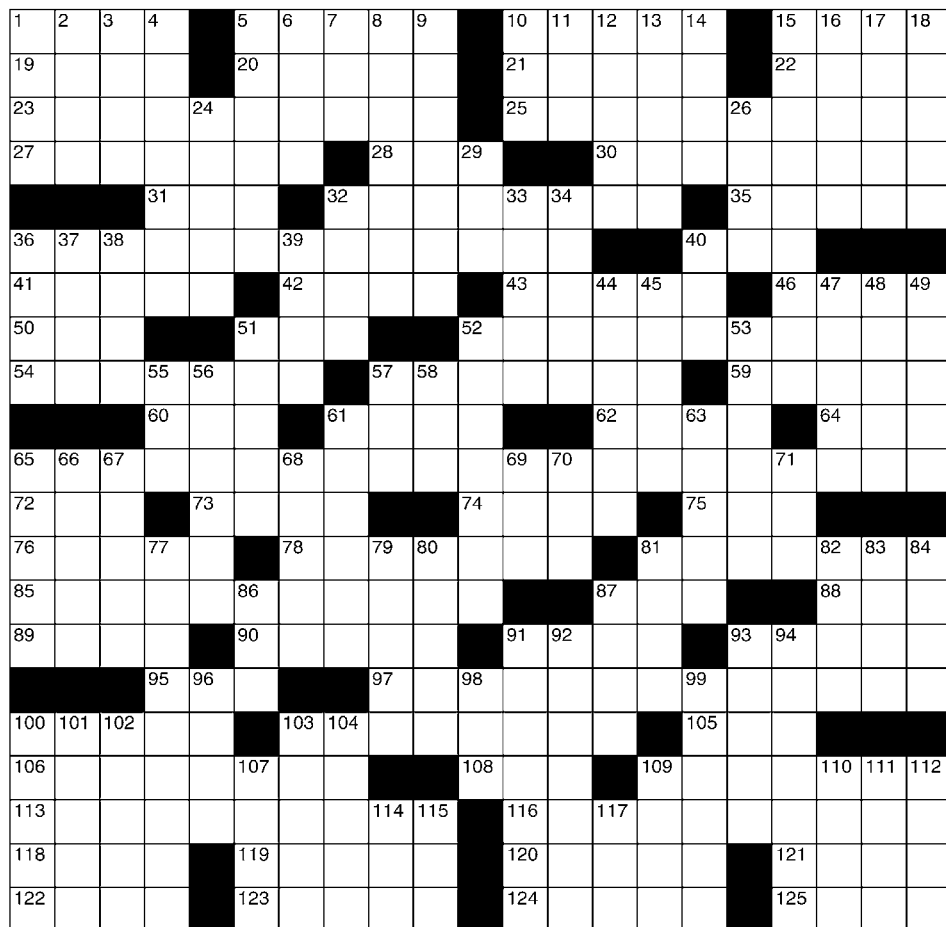
Two fine milk cows died in town this week from the effects of eating alfalfa. Milt Denny lost a full-blooded Jersey and the other cow belonged to W. W. Frink.

PUZZLES & LIFESTYLES

Super Crossword

PUTTING ON A GOOD FACE

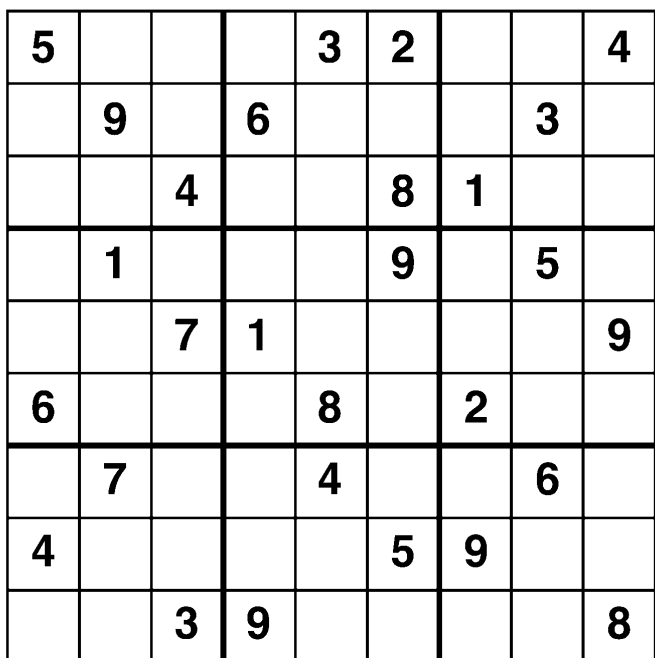
- ACROSS**
- 1 Very little bit
 - 5 Large Indian city
 - 10 Discover by chance
 - 15 Elegant
 - 19 Liposuction target
 - 20 Take out — (borrow cash)
 - 21 Journalist — Rogers St. Johns
 - 22 Actor Cronyn
 - 23 Initial impression
 - 25 Printer cartridge contents
 - 27 Still in the future
 - 28 Harsh review
 - 30 Admit defeat
 - 31 Wonder
 - 32 Like bedroom communities
 - 35 Partners of 84-Down
 - 36 Metal sleeve in an engine's piston
 - 40 Slide down a slope
 - 41 Cuts of pork
 - 42 Disney who drew
 - 43 Toot one's own horn
 - 46 Gaius' garb
 - 50 Rand of objectivism
 - 51 "Viva — Vegas"
 - 52 Base coat on a wall, maybe
 - 54 Is a little too fond of
 - 57 Rest on top of
 - 59 Writer Nin
 - 60 Prefix with conscious
 - 61 Dock
 - 62 Honey liquor
 - 64 Cpl., e.g.
 - 65 Big grant-giving group
 - 72 Totally
 - 73 Granny
 - 74 Dog food brand
 - 75 Places with lots of IVs
 - 76 Mental picture
 - 78 Dictators
 - 81 Row of PC-screen buttons
 - 85 Cabaret where the cancan originated
 - 87 Kilmer of "Tombstone"
 - 88 Kitchen utensil brand
 - 89 "Little" actress Rae
 - 90 Decorative tattoo dye
 - 91 Very little
 - 93 Garden pest
 - 95 Mem. of the family
 - 97 Annotation in the text of Christian scripture
 - 100 Server overseer, informally
 - 103 Convention speeches
 - 105 "... flaw — feature?"
 - 106 Mixed with cognac, e.g.
 - 108 Flip (out)
 - 109 Clip out
 - 113 Something cast at sunset
 - 116 What you have passed when you figure out this puzzle's theme?
 - 118 Hydroxyl compound
 - 119 Cooling, as champagne
 - 120 French gal pals
 - 121 To be, to Livy
 - 122 Really resist
 - 123 Former quarterback Rodney
 - 124 French governing body
 - 125 Letters after pis
- DOWN**
- 1 Not definite
 - 2 "Rolie Polie —" (kids' book)
 - 3 Sour
 - 4 Refrain from drinking
 - 5 Patted lightly
 - 6 Fanning of "Teen Spirit"
 - 7 Baseball's Gehrig
 - 8 Wields influence
 - 9 Occupy
 - 10 TV's Linden
 - 11 Lupino or Tarbell
 - 12 Actress Thompson of "Creed"
 - 13 Brand of fake 69-Down
 - 14 — a one (zero)
 - 15 Go through the motions
 - 16 1/16 pound
 - 17 Aroma
 - 18 "— Johnny!"
 - 24 Small cities
 - 26 Ankara native
 - 29 Convent sister
 - 32 Span. women
 - 33 Steel support for concrete
 - 34 Grill
 - 36 Dressed (in)
 - 37 "Around-the-world" toy
 - 38 Dryer fluff
 - 39 Actor McGregor
 - 40 Fuel additive brand
 - 44 Strong ill will
 - 45 Dutch artist Jan
 - 47 Certain Arab
 - 48 State Farm alternative
 - 49 Fiery crime
 - 51 Spa sponge
 - 52 Actress Valerie of "Lenny"
 - 53 Storm-finding systems
 - 55 Cartoon cry
 - 56 Act starter
 - 57 Qatar export
 - 58 Letter #22
 - 61 Take selfish advantage of
 - 63 "It's —!" ("You're on!")
 - 65 "Darkman" director Sam
 - 66 Actor Edward James —
 - 67 Santa —
 - 68 — nous
 - 69 Liposuction target
 - 70 Mantra words
 - 71 "For shame!"
 - 77 In a harshly bright way
 - 79 Pass quickly on foot
 - 80 "To repeat ..."
 - 81 Unveiling cry
 - 82 — chic
 - 83 Pivot point
 - 84 Fishing sticks
 - 86 Devils' org. e.g., in brief
 - 91 Nissan car models
 - 92 Reason for extra innings
 - 93 Get — on reality
 - 94 Ceiling coat
 - 96 Terminates
 - 98 Arrow shooter
 - 99 Short-horned grasshopper
 - 100 Differently — (other-skilled)
 - 101 Pilotless craft
 - 102 Lead-in to "the cloth" or "the hour"
 - 103 Cartoonist Bil
 - 104 Comic and actor Murphy
 - 107 Breakfast chain, in brief
 - 109 "I — bad moon rising"
 - 110 Meeting period, slangily
 - 111 — buco (veal dish)
 - 112 Map nos.
 - 114 Tenth mo.
 - 115 Very little
 - 117 Cousins, e.g.



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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle



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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆

- ◆ Moderate
- ◆◆ Challenging
- ◆◆◆ HOO BOY!

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MY RECIPES

Luke Chavez

Spaghetti Carbonara with Asparagus

Spring is here. Birds are chirping, blooming bulbs have finally brought some color to our garden, and fresh local asparagus will soon come into season. While I often serve asparagus simply with just a drizzle of olive oil and a squeeze of lemon, I am always looking for new recipes to highlight this springtime delight. Here, I have tossed asparagus into a classic Roman pasta dish, making a decadent and quick weeknight dinner. Spaghetti alla Carbonara marries eggs, cured pork, and cheese, with plenty of black pepper to create a silky creamy dish that pairs beautifully with the crisp green spears.



Ingredients:

- Salt
- 2 large eggs and 3 large yolks, room temperature
- 1 cup grated Parmesan
- Coarse ground black pepper
- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 4 ounces thick cut bacon, sliced into 1/2 inch strips
- 1 bunch asparagus, trimmed and cut in 2-inch lengths
- 2 cloves garlic, sliced
- 1 pound spaghetti
- 3 green onions, sliced

Directions:

Prepare a large pot of salted water and set on medium heat. In a medium bowl whisk together the eggs, yolks, and Parmesan. Season with a pinch of salt and plenty of black pepper.

Add the oil and bacon to a Dutch oven or heavy pot. Sauté over medium heat until the bacon gets crispy and the fat renders out. Remove bacon with slotted spoon and set aside on plate. Next add the asparagus and sauté until tender but still crisp, 3-4 minutes. Add the garlic and stir in for another 30 seconds then take pan off the heat.

Raise heat on water pot to high and bring to a boil. Add pasta and cook until just a bit firmer than al dente, 7-8 minutes. Just before pasta is done, return pan with asparagus to medium-low heat, and add crisped bacon. Reserve 1 cup of the pasta water, then drain pasta. Add cooked pasta to pan with the asparagus and bacon and cook for a minute or two to heat and incorporate.

Take pan off heat, then pour in egg and cheese mixture. Stir in rapidly to melt cheese into sauce, and thoroughly coat all the noodles. Add a little pasta water, a splash at a time, as you stir to create the perfect creaminess. You will not use all the reserved water, perhaps only a couple tablespoons. If sauce gets too thin return pan to low heat and stir gently to reduce. Taste and add more salt if needed. Serve immediately, garnished with a pinch of sliced scallions, additional grated cheese, and a hearty crack of black pepper.

Notes:

Because this dish is made from just a few components, it is important to use the best quality ingredients you can. The base of the sauce is the egg yolks, so use the freshest, cage free eggs you can get. It is important to let the eggs sit on the counter and come to room temperature before cooking.

Classically, this dish is made with Italian guanciale (cured pork cheek), or pancetta (salt cured bacon), but a high-quality thick cut American smoked bacon will also work great.

Carbonara is often made with grated pecorino Romano, which is a hard Italian sheep's milk cheese. If you can find it, try using a blend of half pecorino Romano and half Parmesan.

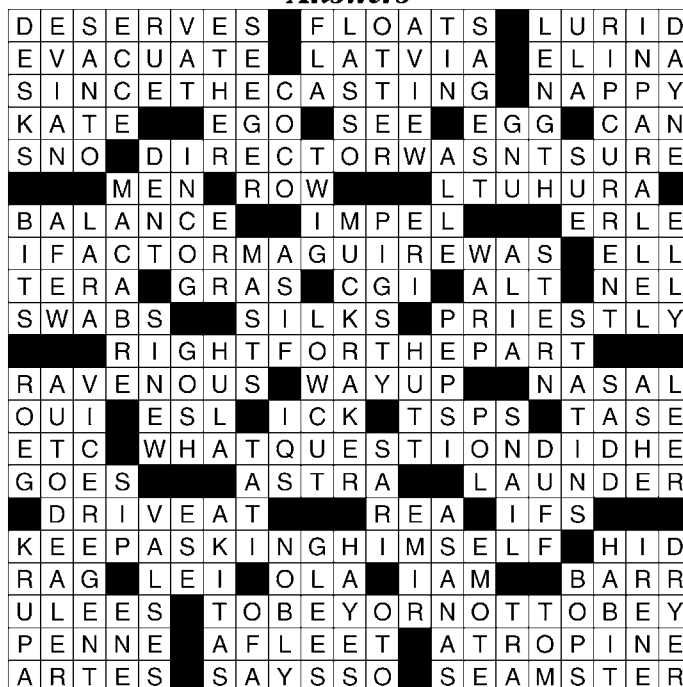
Experiment with other green spring vegetables such as fava beans or English peas in place of the asparagus. Some fresh chopped chervil or tarragon from your garden would be lovely as a garnish with the scallions.

This dish is all about timing. Have all your ingredients prepared and ready to cook before you start. Don't be shy with the black pepper. Enjoy.

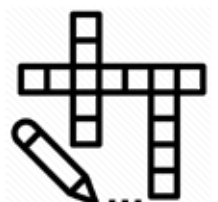
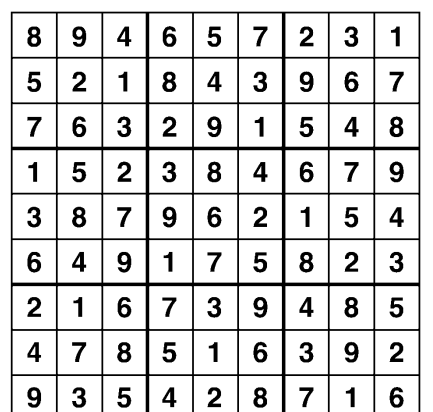
Super Crossword

Weekly SUDOKU

Answers



Answer



CALENDAR

Community Calendar

WAITSBURG MONTHLY MEETINGS



Waitsburg City Council
Third Wednesday of each month @ 7 p.m. at City Hall. Next meeting

Planning Commission
Second Friday of the month @ 10 a.m. @ City Hall and on Zoom.

Waitsburg School Board

Third Thursday of every month @ 6 p.m.
Zoom info is available by emailing waitsburgcc@icloud.com

Waitsburg Home and School Association – First Wednesday of each month, 6:30 p.m. at the Waitsburg Elementary School Library. All parents, school district staff, or community members are welcome.

Waitsburg Historical Society

Third Tuesday of the month @ 6:00 p.m. @ Weller Public Library

Waitsburg Booster Club

First Tuesday of the month, 6:30 p.m. @ High School Home Ec. room

Waitsburg Parks and Recreation Public Meeting

First Thursday of the month, 6 p.m. @ Ten Ton Coffee
Info email: info@waitsburgparks.org

Weller Public Library Board of Trustees

Second Tuesday of the month, 6 p.m. at the Weller Public Library, 212 Main St.

Friends of the Weller Public Library

New Meeting Time - Second Tuesday of the month @ 7 p.m.

Weller Public Library, 212 Main Street, Waitsburg

Waitsburg Commercial Club

Last Thursdays of the month @ Ten Ton Coffee @noon. Zoom info is available by emailing waitsburgcc@icloud.com

Waitsburg Resource Center

Community Food Bank

106 1/2 Preston Ave
Thursdays, 2 – 4 p.m.



DAYTON & COLUMBIA COUNTY MEETINGS

Board of Columbia County Commissioners

Regular meetings - First and third Monday of the month @ 9 a.m.
Work sessions - Second and fourth Monday of each month @ 9 a.m.
Call-in information available at <https://www.columbiaco.com/114/County-Commissioners>

Dayton City Council

Second Tuesday of the month @ 6 p.m.
Call-in information available at <https://www.daytonwa.com/54-inside-city-hall/city-council>



Dayton School Board

First and third Wednesday of the month @ 6 p.m. @ Dayton High School auditorium

Columbia County Public Hospital District Board of Commissioners

Fourth Wednesday of the month @ 1:30 p.m.
Call (509) 382-2531 for information.

Dayton Memorial Library Board of Trustees Meeting

Third Monday of the month @ 7 p.m. Delany room and Zoom
Meeting ID: 852 3836 3787

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85238363787>

Columbia County Parks and Recreation Pool District

Regular Board Meetings are held the last Thursday of each month, 5 p.m. at the Columbia County Fire District Conference Room.

Dayton Kiwanis Club Meeting

Second and fourth Thursday @ Noon
Hybrid in-person meetings at the Delany Library with online Zoom available.



PRESCOTT MEETINGS

Prescott Joint Park & Rec District (PJPRD) Monthly meetings for 2024 are 2nd Thursday of each month, @ 6pm



STARBUCK MEETINGS

Starbuck City Council
Second Tuesday of each month at 6 p.m. at Starbuck City Hall

Church Directory

St. Mark Catholic Church

405 W. Fifth, Waitsburg
Mass Sunday 5 p.m.
382-2311
Fr. Steve Werner

Waitsburg Presbyterian Church

504 Main
Worship 10:00 a.m.
337-6589
Pastor Stan Hughes

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
Worship 10:00 a.m.
Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
Each Sunday
337-8898
Pastor Cameron Hedges

Events, Film, Performance, Live Music

WAITSBURG

AMERICAN 35



Pizza Class
Wednesday, April 10 @
5:30-7:30 p.m.

Bingo
Thursday, April 11
@ 6:30-8 p.m.

Wednesday,
April 24 @
6:30 - 8:30 p.m.



ROYAL BLOCK WAITSBURG

APR 4 6-8PM
OPEN MIC NIGHT

APR 6 3-6PM
RYZO WINE TASTING

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APR 6 6-7PM
ART TALK
WITH JOSEPH ROBERTS



APR 13 3-6PM
OYSTERS & BUBBLES
(GIRL AND POP)

WALLA WALLA

April is the 5th Annual Walla Walla Wine Month and Spring Kickoff Weekend is April 4 -7, 2024.

Go to Visit Walla Walla at wallawalla.org for more information.



Friday, April 26 - Live music by
Rogue Lobster, 7-9 pm
Free, open to all ages

Karaoke Night

Whiskey Canyon Sports Bar & Grill
701 Preston Ave
Waitsburg, WA 99361

April 5th, 2024
Starting at 8pm

WALLA WALLA

— Gesa — POWER HOUSE THEATRE

STEVE HOFSTETTER: KILL THE BUTTERFLIES STAND-UP COMEDY

Gesa Power House Theatre proudly presents stand-up comedy by Steve Hofstetter on Wednesday, April 10 at 7 p.m.



I Need Help.

Everyone needs help sometimes

At Columbia County Health System, we believe that no one should go without healthcare due to lack of insurance, or fear of inability to pay.

You may qualify for free care or reduced-price care based on your family size and income, even if you have health insurance.

Please contact us if you have questions about this program, or need assistance in completing your application.

Columbia County Health System Business Office
1012 S 3rd Street, Dayton, WA
(509) 382 - 2531

Open Sewing Lab Tate Art Waitsburg 137 Main Street

Saturday, April 6
1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Learn to use one of four vintage sewing machines to work on a new or current project.

Sign up in advance to reserve a machine:
www.tateartwaitsburg.com/workshops

Ages 12 and up | \$25



April 6 - Free Admission

Welcome to Spring at the Museum!
OPEN HOUSE
April 6 one day only.
Free Admission
Saturday, April 6, 2024
10:00am - 5:00pm

FORT WALLA WALLA MUSEUM

Open House
Fort Walla Walla Museum
755 NE Myra Rd., Walla Walla, Wash.