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TEEN SCENE

Blue Mountain Counseling's summer recreation program for local teens was a hit this year with many activities and field trips.

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Local wheat researchers work locally for local growers. Research facil-



It's not every day you get to drive a real, live sheriff's patrol boat. Cody Coulston, cheered on by big brother Tyler, took obvious pleasure in the opportunity to play deputy at Waitsburg's very first National Night Out on Tuesday, Aug. 4. See the Last Page for more photos of Dayton's and Waitsburg's 2015 NNO events.

Health System to Lose Two Leaders This Fall

District will seek permanent CEO, interim board member in the coming months

By Dian Ver Valen | THE TIMES

DAYTON - Leadership changes are in the works for the Columbia County Health System. Board Chair Ted Paterson and interim CEO Jon Smiley will both leave the organization at the end of September.

The resignations were announced at the July CCHS board meeting last Thursday after a lengthy meeting discussing the future of the hospital district and planned remodel of Dayton General Hospital.

"Jon has done a great job, but it's time



Two leaders with the Columbia County Health System will leave at the end of September: (left) Jon Smiley,

Arson Unlikely in Several Dayton **Fires**

ALL RECENT CASES TO REMAIN OPEN; MANY STILL **UNDER ACTIVE** INVESTIGATION

By Dian Ver Valen THE TIMES

DAYTON - Arson has been ruled out in four of the five suspicious fires here between June 28 and July 22, according to incident reports released by Columbia County Fire Marshal Kim Lyonnais on Monday.

"But all of the cases are going to remain open," Lyonnais said. "We hope that eventually a witness hears some kids bragging or overhears something else that gives us a lead." Each report that discounts arson includes the language "at this time."

The marshal's office was not called to investigate one of the fires - a brush fire along the Touchet River dike behind the city's wastewater treatment plant on July 15. That fire is still under investigation by the Columbia County Sheriff's Office. A press release by Chief Deputy Joe Helm last week stated the grass fire did not appear to be arson, but his office is still soliciting information. Its cause remains unknown. The other four cases were structure fires. Each appeared suspicious, but Lyonnais has determined that faulty wiring was the cause in two. And while one appeared to be human-caused, it was unlikely arson. The fourth fire is still an open book – no cause and very little information listed in the report. Lyonnais stated that of the four fires, the one that closed down the county dump on July 17 was the most suspicious in his opinion. Walla Walla fire investigators were called in to assist on two of the house fires. Lyonnais has not received their reports yet, he said Monday. The most suspicious element to all five fires was their frequency. Five fires in Dayton in a month? Citizens have been worried. They don't believe it's a coincidence. Lyonnais said he felt that way as well. "I was wondering what was going on, too," he said. "I was afraid to go to sleep, thinking 'Am I going to get called out again?""

ity employs 20 during harvest season.

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someone else in here," Paterson told the board. Both stressed that getting a new CEO on the ground at the start of major renovations to the hospital would be in the community's best interest.

"We have a solid core of individuals," Smiley said. "We've done significant things with the organization, but it's time for me to go. When you get close to 80, it's time to turn another page."

Smiley was first hired to temporarily run the health system in 2012, following the resignation of Charlie Button. Smiley worked as CEO for about six months. He agreed to return in 2013 after Dale Polla resigned interim CEO, and Ted Paterson, chairman of the board of directors for the hospital district.

from the position. He's been with the hospital district ever since.

The district board had put the search for a permanent leader on hold while it focused on hiring a new CFO (chief financial officer), which they did several months ago, and new physicians. The health system has had some turnover of doctors, but Dr. Kurt Frauenpreis has joined the team at Columbia Family

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the thought of seeing if Dayton is

interested in joining us - as a com-

bine - for middle school football?"

er issues such as cost-sharing and

transportation, but the first step is

to determine if there is interest, on

Dayton would need to consid-

Clarke asked.

Waitsburg and Dayton Talk Football

Baseball

Jacob Dunn pitched a complete game to lead the Walla Walla Bruins American Legion baseball team to the Washington **State Junior AA state** championship.

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WAITSBURG AGREES TO **DISCUSS POSSIBILITIES** FOR A MIDDLE SCHOOL COMBINE WITH DAYTON

By Dena Wood | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG Waitsburg School District's July 29 budget hearing was followed by a brief public discussion "entertaining the idea" of combining Waitsburg and Dayton for middle school football. Those in attendance responded in favor of the suggestion.

Superintendent Carol Clarke stated the concerns of Waitsburg middle school football coach Jeff Bartlow, who was unable to be present at the meeting. With only 44 seventh- and eighth-grade students (about 52 percent boys), Bartlow is worried about the ability to field an 11-man football team, Clarke said.

Bartlow was also concerned for Dayton, Clarke said. That school already knows it doesn't have



Forty-nine kids from Waitsburg, Dayton, and Walla Walla turned out for

May. Dayton and Waitsburg school districts are currently entertaining the

idea of combining seventh- and eighth-grade football players from each

the WHS football camp coached by current WHS Cardinal players last

district into one team for the coming school year.

enough players to field an 11-man

team and is unsure if it has enough

level because the same discussion

is going to take place in Dayton -

but it will be dependent on the

outcome of this discussion. Are

we at all interested in entertaining

"This is strictly at a discussion

to field an eight-man team.

Times File Photo

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TOUCHET VALLEY LIFE

Deputies Arrest Wanted Subjects After Pursuit

THE TIMES

DAYTON – Three wanted subjects were arrested in Dayton last Friday after attempting to flee from a Columbia County Sheriff's Office Deputy. The deputy had planned to pull over the gray Chevrolet Lumina in the 100 block of North Front Street, but the driver failed to yield and stopped instead at 101 Klingenstein Drive. The driver then fled on foot. Deputies searched the area and located the driver, 25-year-old Milton-Freewater man Salvador Saucedo, Jr. Saucedo was already wanted on a warrant out of Walla Walla for failure to appear on charges in that county of vehicle prowl and malicious mischief. He was arrested in Columbia County on suspicion of attempting to elude a law enforcement vehicle.

Also located and arrested at the scene were 39-year-old Richard

Streck and 26-year-old Katie Sargent, both of College Place. Steck was wanted by the Department of Corrections as well as the U.S. Marshals Service on a federal probation violation. Sargent was wanted by Department of Corrections and was named in two warrants out of Walla Walla County.

Both Sargent and Streck will face local charges of providing false information to a law enforcement officer.

NEWS BRIEFS

WHS Fall Sports Meeting on Monday

WAITSBURG – A parent information meeting for all Waitsburg Cardinal fall sports will be held Monday, Aug. 10, at 7 p.m. in the Waitsburg High School Auditorium.

A coaches meeting (for all coaches, assistants and volunteers, for all sports for the school year) will take place Monday, Aug. 10 at 8 p.m.

Project Timothy Receives Grant

DAYTON – Project Timothy has received two grants to assist in meeting the basic needs of individuals and families in Dayton and the surrounding areas. The grants were contributed by the "Live United" mini grant from the United Way of Walla Walla County and the Blue Mountain Community Foundation.

Project Timothy is a Christian-aid organization that provides emergency financial assistance primarily to people living in Dayton, Waitsburg, Starbuck and the surrounding community. Financial assistance is provided primarily for emergency housing, utilities and food. Volunteers at the Project Timothy office follow the organization's approved guidelines when providing financial assistance to those in need.

Assistance is limited due to funding availability; many applications are reviewed and audited for accuracy. Project Timothy operates solely on grants and donations from organizations, churches, county budgets, and individuals.

Anyone wanting to donate funds or volunteer time to the efforts of Project Timothy, contact the office at 249 East Main St. in Dayton or call 509-382-2943.

Waitsburg Makes the Cut

WAITSBURG – According to the OnlyInYourState website, Waitsburg ranks among "20 of the Most Beautiful, Charming Small Towns in Washington." A July 29 post on their website listed Waitsburg as one of the small-town Washington communities filled with "northwest charm."

"You won't want to miss a meal at one of the tasty restaurants in this town by Walla Walla, like the Whoopemup Hollow Café! The rustic buildings and cozy vibe will make you feel right at home alongside about 1,200 other residents," reads the caption below a photo of north Main Street.

Check out other noteworthy small towns in Washington at www.onlyinyourstate.com/washington/wa-small-towns/.



CLASSIFIEDS HELP WANTED

POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT: Waitsburg School District is accepting applications for a Night Maintenance Custodian, 8 hrs/day for 260 days/year. Salary range - \$13.53/hr to \$17.62/hr plus benefits, depending on verified experience in related field. Applicant must have a high school diploma or GED.

Application process and materials are available at www.waits-



The Wylie Family has been designing

PIONEER PORTRAITS

Ten Years Ago August 11, 2005

Fire fighters from all over the country are streaming into Pomeroy this week to fight the 41,000 acre School Fire, which started last Friday in School Canyon along the Tucannon, and, aided by heavy fuel loadings of timber and grass, ballooned daily while hot, dry conditions, steep ground and an abundance of grass caused the fire to "exhibit extreme burning conditions" which hampered fire suppression efforts. Tuesday will be a crucial day for Camp Wooten, a popular spot in the Tucannon River valley.

The sturdy construction of the Coppei Avenue Bridge was resisting the effects of a 7.000 wrecking ball Tuesday afternoon. Over the past week, the temporary, one-lane bypass bridge was set in place and pavement extended to it. With traffic detoured around the site and local traffic using the by-pass bridge, contractors began the arduous task of busting the 85-year-old bridge into small pieces.

Twenty-Five Years Ago August 9, 1990

Waitsburg City Council voted to appoint John Lindsey as the newest council member, replacing Denise Winnett who resigned last month. Later in the meeting, Mayor Roy Leid suggested that the council approve the appointment of Ann McCambridge as Municipal Court Judge, with Martha Kenney appointed as court clerk.

Ernest Kison of Waitsburg was pleased to find out recently that he had been awarded an Honorary Bachelor of Fine Arts degree from Rhode Island School of Design. He is one of several hundred RISD alumni who attended the 113-year-old art and design school before it was fully accredited in 1944.

Fifty Years Ago August 5, 1965

New residents in Waitsburg the past few weeks include Mrs. Marie Shea and family who are living in the Rose property on East Sixth Street. Mr. Shea is in the service. The Coleman's hav purchased the Otto Nelson home also on East Sixth. The Wayne Crowe's are in the Campbell house on Preston Avenue, and the William Myers' are living in the Mitchell house also on Preston Avenue. The James Roosevelt have moved their trailer to the Allmon lot on West Third Street. Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Keyes have purchased the Swanger house on East Sixth Street and are getting settled as are the Joseph Bodman's who have purchased the Dilts home on West Fifth Street.

Waitsburg's budding inventor, Sam Thompson (3), made some adjustments on the family lawnmower the other day. Then, fully confident that his invention would allow the mower to run on just plain water, he filled up the tank with the garden hose. A slight miscalculation caused the mower to stop. The young inventor got a spanking. Gee whiz, where would the world be today if Thomas Edison had gotten a spanking every time his electric light bulb experiment had failed?

Seventy-Five Years Ago August 9, 1940

Mrs. Jake Smith and her infant daughter have returned home from St. Mary's Hospital.

Mrs. Moxie Zuger and daughter, Miss Erma Jo

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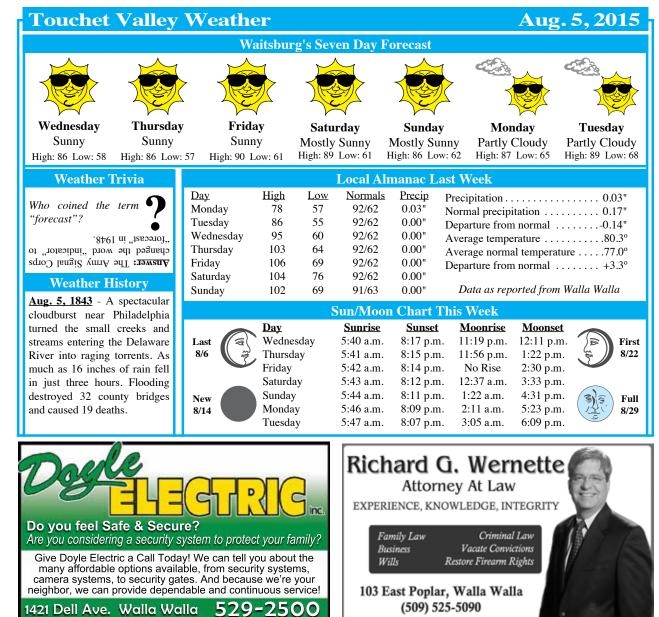
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drove to Hood River, Ore., Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Jones and family.

Newt Sutton of Independence, Kansas stopped a couple of days last week to visit his brother, A. T. Sutton and family. With him were his wife, daughter Grace, son Bill and a friend Dale Fowler,

Mr. and Mrs. Dessni Schnell and children who recently lost their home by fire, have moved into the Arthur Long house on West Third Street.

Miss Martha Lu Benson became the bride of James Butler at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Congregational Church in Walla Walla.

One Hundred Years Ago August 13, 1915

Chairman Langdon has announced that arrangements have practically been completed for the ceremony of laying the cornerstone of the new county courthouse, the date chosen being Monday evening, Aug. 16 at 7:30 o'clock. The Masonic Grand Lodge of the state will be in charge.

Monday four Indians were arrested on the Tucannon for catching salmon out of season.

Dr. F. H. Carver of Madison, Wis. has arrived in Waitsburg, to take charge of Dr. Hill's practice as Dr. Hill is going to Walla Walla.

One Hundred Twenty-Five Years Ago August 8, 1890

Prof. Merwin Pugh and family came down from their mountain camp last Sunday. They don't want more campin' theirin. Sensible people, for this thing of going to the mountains for pleasure, recreation and health, is a delusion and a snare. That's just what it is.

S. Wilson, this week left at this office eight of the finest potatoes of the season. While they are unusually large, they are also remarkably smooth. Mr. Wilson does not know the variety but he purchased the seed from Geo. Starrett, the Walla Walla seed man. He planted fifty pounds and dug eleven hundred pounds.

Tom Parker has been trying for years to beat Frank McCown on a wheat crop, bus so far has been unable to accomplish his desire.

Milt Jonas was in the city on Wednesday. He was kicking because his wheat is yielding only forty bushels per acre.

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TOUCHET VALLEY NEWS

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Super Science Friday Dayton Memorial Library 1 p.m.

Waitsburg Resource Center 106 Preston Avenue 9-11 a.m. The Center provides food and re-

sources to families in the Waitsburg and Prescott School Districts.

Swim the Snake

Lyons Ferry Park & Marina 11 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Call Lisa Naylor at (509) 386-6021 for information.

Saturday Market

Blue Mountain Station, Dayton 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Crochet Class

Prescott Library 1 p.m.

Karoake

Tuxedo Bar & Grill, Prescott 8 p.m. - midnight



405 W. Fifth, Waitsburg 382-2311 Father Bob Turner Mass - Sunday evening, 5 p.m.

Waitsburg Presbyterian Church 504 Main Worhsip 9:30 a.m. 337-6589 **Rev. Bret Moser**

Depression and Bipolar Support Dayton Public Library (Delaney Bldg,) 7-8:30 p.m.

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

Fall Sports Parent Information Meeting WHS Auditorium 7 p.m., Coach/volunteer meeting 8 p.m.

Dayton City Council Meeting City Hall 7 p.m.



Dayton Library Story Time

Dayton Memorial Library Baby & Toddler storytime at 10 a.m. and Preschool storytime at 10:45. Storytime is free to the public and no library card is needed.

Prescott Library Story Time Prescott Library 10:30 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 School Lunch Menu donation for those 60. \$7 over charge for Fruits & vegetables, non-fat chocolate milk and guests under 1% white milk are offered with every meal. 60. Meals on Wheels are available. Call FREE SUMMER 337-8541 for MEAL PROGRAM more info.

Dayton Senior

Tuesdays and Thursdays. Call 382-2836 to RSVP by the day prior.

Artisan Food Market

Blue Mountain Station, Dayton 12 p,m. – 6 p.m.

Wii Night Prescott Library 4 p.m.

Summer Bluegrass in the Park Preston Park, Waitsburg

10 a.m. Current and new kid-musicians

are invited to jam in the park each Wednesday (weather permitting). Contact Kate Hockersmith for more info. 629-0017.

Teen Craft Time Dayton Memorial Library 1 p.m.

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

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Dayton Senior Round Table Senior Center (403 E. Patit St.)

12 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. Call 382-2836 to RSVP by the day prior.

Throwback Superhero Show Dayton Memorial Library 1 p.m.

Waitsburg Resource Center

106 Preston Avenue 2-4 p.m.

The Center provides food and resources to families in the Waitsburg and Prescott School Districts.

Prescott Joint Parks & Rec. Board Meeting

PJPRD Activity Center (101 S. D. St. #A, Prescott) 8 p.m.

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POLICE NOTES

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Nothing to report.

Dayton

July 26

Caller reported 16-year-old female at Cameron Courts out of control and yelling at her mother; deputies cited the juvenile female for disorderly conduct and released her to her father's custody. Open door with keys in the lock reported at the fairgrounds; keys returned to owner.

July 27

RV parked blocking the yield sign on S. 2nd Street. Report of possible fireworks on N. Touchet Road turned out to be people target shooting. Non-injury collision on E. Main Street as truck pulling a trailer eastbound struck a tree with the trailer causing minor damage to trailer and tree. Male and female arguing loudly at Country Village Courts were asked to lower their voices.

July 28

Juvenile walking to summer youth program at the elementary school was bitten by a dog when he or she stuck a hand through the fence into the yard; dog owner provided proof of vaccinations. Caller on W. Commercial Street reported receiving text messages from an unknown cell phone number.

July 29

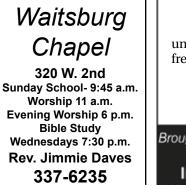
Fire reported on Strom Road in a wood stack; blaze was accidentally started by the home owner and was extinguished. Illegal dump reportedly blocking the road on Stonecipher Road at the tunnel; county public works was notified for cleanup. Motorcycle collided with a deer on Highway 12 near milepost 382; state patrol investigated and driver refused transport to hospital. Dogs barking in area of S. 5th Street for at least 45 minutes; forwarded to animal control.

July 30

Deputy assisted citizen with a wheel chair stuck in gravel. Caller reported losing four micro-USB cards in a silk bag and wanted to know if any had been brought into the sheriff's office. Deputy assisted Walla Walla County on a collision at Waggoner and Middle Waitsburg roads. Complaint of a tan passenger car sitting on N. Touchet Road near milepost 1 playing loud music.

July 31

Complaint about a rooster making noise all the time on S. 2nd Street; information forwarded to animal control. Single-vehicle collision on Little Goose Dam Road when vehicle went into the ditch; unknown reason why vehicle left roadway but driver was transported to hospital via Lifeflight. Caller at Lyon's Ferry Marina reported that a boater shot a pelican; information forwarded to state Fish & Wildlife officer. Suspicious female reported walking in and out of traffic near Elk Drug; deputy determined her car had broken down and she needed assistance. Non-injury collision on Thorn Hollow Road when vehicle struck deer vehicle was driven from the scene.



Lunch 11:30 a.m. noon

Monday - Friday

Breakfast 8-8:30 a.m.

Breakfast listed first.

All children 18 & under receive meals free of charge.

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August 1

Loud television reported on S. 2nd Street that reportedly woke the caller. Possible fighting reported at a home on S. 4th Street; deputies determined this wasn't a fight but a family up making breakfast. Female panhandling and yelling at people on E. Main Street; deputy made contact.

BIRTHDAYS

August 7: Dale Ford, Tim Huwe, Kevin Richardson, Brooklyn Smith.

August 8: Ginny Butler, Jeremiah Bennett.

August 9: Kaye Wagoner, Tish Hulce, Adam Rogers, Tracy Gluck, Robert Anderson.

August 10: Skylar Wood, Connie Langlo, Tyson Cole, Jim Leid, Dean Smith, Glynn Davis, Alan Jackson, Sr., Janice Bode.

August 11: Alfred Peters, John Wood, Gary Pierson, Kim Townsend, Dorothy Anderson, Bradley Grende.

August 12: Seth Deal, Gordon Gilmore, Abby Hyder Barrantes, Darleen Dozier, Shawn Smith, Suzanne Schulke, Mia Becker, Bess Herndon, Patsy Fouste, Keaton Jean Larsen.

August 13: Shawn Thomas, Tammy Wood, Mark Leid, Angela Williams, Forrest Waltermire.

August 14: Jim Wills, Gary "Bubba" Brookshire, Lassie Wittman, Pamela Cresswell, Betty Kress, Joan Helm, Daniel Stanley.



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KEN GRAHAM: FROM THE PUBLISHER

A 'Home Town' Event

mergency services have been on the minds of Touchet Valley residents a lot this sum-

mer, what with four major building fires in Dayton and the Blue Creek Fire in Walla Walla County.



None of the causes of these fires has been determined for sure, but they've kept a lot of

firefighters and other emergency personnel up a lot of nights in the last few weeks.

So it's fitting that this week, Dayton and Waitsburg residents got to see many of these emergency management people during daylight hours and learn about what they do, during the annual National Night Out events.

I'm writing this a few hours before this year's events happened, so I can't describe them to you. But just before we sent this issue of The Times off to the press on Tuesday evening, our Waitsburg and Dayton reporters, Dena Wood and Dian Ver Valen, were to file what I'm sure were excellent photos and short descriptions of the local NNOs.

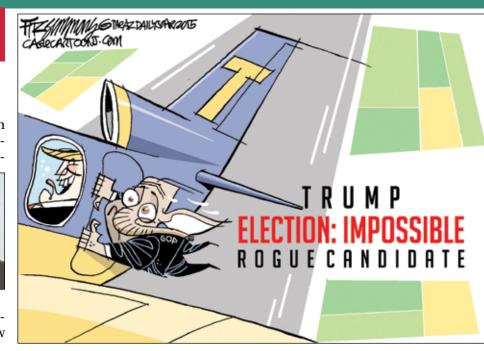
This is Dayton's eighth NNO. It's been a huge success each year, attracting at least 1,000 visitors to the Dayton City Park each year. What's particularly exciting about that is that the attendees are almost all local residents.

This year is Waitsburg's first NNO, so I don't know how many people attended (obviously). But I'm sure there were a lot, and that they were also mostly local residents.

Dayton and Waitsburg are famous for their annual events, like All Wheels Weekend and Celebration Days, just to name two. But these events are organized to attract visitors to town. Attracting visitors is very important, of course, and Waitsburg and Dayton are good at it, but it's great that we can now have our own event too.

The first NNO was held in 1981. It was created by the National Association of Town Watch, which is a non-profit crime-prevention organization that works with communities and local law enforcement.

The group's website describes NNO as; "An annual community-building campaign that promotes police-community partnerships and neighborhood camaraderie." I hope most of our local readers got to enjoy a local "night out," and if you didn't, be sure to put it on the calendar for next year.



EMMA PHILBROOK: STUDENT LIFE Dear Future Self...

I'm an avid Dear Abby reader, and I've always thought that I'd be good at writing something like that. The only problem seems to be that nobody

wants my advice.

So I've decided to write down everything that's been on my mind this week, put it in a safe, unlock the safe as soon as time travel is possible, answer my own questions, and send them back to today.

Here are the results of this experiment:

Dear future self: I'm in the process of writing a novel. I'm almost to the exciting part, but I can't motivate myself to keep writing. Can you help?

Dear former self: Is this <u>Addy</u> <u>Landon versus the Sycophantic</u> <u>Cyborgs from Sirius</u>? If so, stop work on it immediately. Delete the file, then delete it from the "deleted files" folder – because if you care at all about your characters, you will act now to save your masterpiece from ever being made into a movie. (They put Gladys in a crop top! A CROP TOP!)

Dear future self: I just got assigned my roommate, and the assignment e-mail showed her address, which was in an area I wasn't familiar with. I was curious, so I looked it up on Google Earth. Now I feel kinda creepy. Am I creepy? Dear former self: Not at all. In fact, she's probably got 340 West 7th in her sights as we speak. Say cheese! Dear future self: I just got my first phone, which is a flip phone. I like it, but I'm afraid people will make fun of me for it. What course of action would you suggest? Dear former self: Keep it. Believe

me, it will come in handy during the Great Hack-Tastrophe of 2029, and nobody will ever steal it.

Dear future self: Who's going to win the 2016 presidential election?

Dear former self: A group of desperate students, including yourself, will travel to Washington, DC, and infiltrate the White House. You will then sneak into the Lincoln Bedroom and perform an ancient ritual which will trap Lincoln's ghost, which still haunts the bedroom, inside a '70s-era piggy bank shaped like Lincoln's head. The piggy bank will then win the election – because, surprisingly, there are no provisions in the Constitution barring dead people from running for office.

Dear future self: All right, how about the next Kentucky Derby?

Dear former self: Look here, toots. I get that college is expensive, and I'm not happy about my student loan debt either, but I don't feel ethically comfortable helping you out on this one. *cough, Peony Dreams, cough*.

Dear future self: What comforter set should I get for my dorm?

Dear former self: Well, what did you think Peony Dreams was, a horse?

Dear future self: I have no purpose in life. My days are shapeless

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Clinic and is now accepting patients.

Both Smiley and Paterson urged the board to consider an interim CEO after September as the search heats up for a new system leader. That hunt could take months, Paterson said. The board agreed unanimously, with Jack Otterson absent, to post an ad for a new CEO regionally as soon as possible.

Paterson has held a seat on the hospital district board for approximately 12 years. He will also leave in just two months. His position is not up for re-election until 2019, according to the county auditor's office. The board will have to appoint someone to fill his spot.

That person will hold the board position until 2017 at which time the position will be up for election. Hospital board seats are usually held in six-year terms, but because of Paterson's early resignation, whoever is elected in 2017 will serve a two-year unexpired term. The seat will be up for re-election in 2019 and will then return to a six-year term, Columbia County Auditor Sharon Richter explained.

Two board positions are open for re-election this year. One is currently held by Jim Kime, who is running against Ken Dyball for that seat. The other is currently held by Lisa Naylor, who is not running for the seat again.

Wes Leid is running unopposed for Naylor's position. He has been attending board meetings this year in an effort to prepare for his election this fall. He's a likely candidate for being appointed to Paterson's empty seat until he takes Naylor's position at the first of the year.

"The board could, for the time being and if they wanted to, accept Wes Leid for my position – if he applied for it," Paterson said Tuesday. "Then, at the end of the year when he was elected, they'd have to go out and find someone to take my position."

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Waitsburg's end, Clarke said. The combine would be only for middle school, and only for football.

"We're aware that Dayton's middle school program has had three false starts, meaning they put a schedule together, had just enough kids to start the season, but then had to cancel the rest of their games," said Board Chair Ross Hamann. "What I see is an opportunity to perhaps make it so we have a program for all the kids who want to play."

Dayton Superintendent Doug Johnson has also expressed interest in pursuing the conversation, Clarke said. She said Dayton has other options such



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Moose on the Loose!

globs of boring chores and lame internet gaming. I'm making lousy progress on all of my projects, and my crossword skills are going downhill. There are never any workshops at Three Divas on the days when I'm in Walla Walla, and we're all out of decent crackers. What do I have to live for?

Dear former self: Three words, dear – "professional Knowledge Bowl."Also, "Cleverlys at Wintergrass." Oh, and "herd of corgis." And "Monty Python Revival"... as offering flag football or some other internal program or allowing eighth graders to play up to high school, which wouldn't allow seventh graders to gain experience.

"Developmentally, it's the right thing to do for both programs," Hamann said. "I would like to see Dayton have a healthy football program again."

He also commented that middle school combines are much less complicated than varsity sports, and that they don't require a change in WIAA classifications. "There really is much more emphasis and focus on participation," he said.

The Waitsburg school board agreed to entertain the idea of combining middle school football with Dayton and agreed that all conversations will go through Clarke and Johnson. If those conversations are favorable, Clarke said the combine would likely show up as an action item on the Aug. 12 Waitsburg School Board agenda.

Letters Welcome

The Times invites readers to share their thoughts on our Opinion Page. Letters to the Editor can be emailed to us at editor@waitsburgtimes.com, or mailed to The Times at P.O. Box 97, Waitsburg, WA 99361. Letters can also be hand-delivered to our office.

Letters should be no more than 400 words long. All letters must be signed by the writer(s) using their actual name, and complete contact information for each writer, including address and phone number must be included.

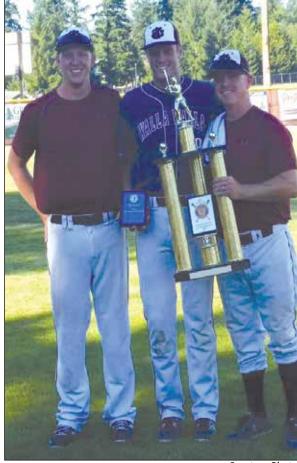
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Greg Butler nabbed this shot of recent visitors to his home at Shilo Farm, just west of Lewis & Clark Trail State Park, last month. He said the moose came up from the river and lounged under the trees in his backyard before taking a brief meander through the family's garden and heading toward Dayton. Butler said the young moose appeared to be siblings.

TOUCHET VALLEY NEWS

STATE CHAMPIONS



Jacob Dunn, an incoming junior at Waitsburg High School, pitched a complete game Thursday to lead the Walla Walla Bruins American Legion baseball team to the Washington State Junior AA state championship in Olympia. The Bruins trailed 3-2 going into the bottom of the seventh and final inning against Kennewick, but rallied for the 4-3 win on a walk-off RBI single by Carter Davis. Dunn gave up all three Kennewick runs in the sixth inning, but was otherwise almost flawless, giving up only six hits in the game. Waitsburg's Kyle Gradwohl, also an incoming junior, was hitless against Kennewick, but in the previous game, Gradwohl had two hits and three RBIs to lead the Bruins to a 9-4 win over Redmond, which sent them to the championship. Above: Dunn (center) poses with the state championship trophy.

Courtesy Photo

NEWS BRIEFS

Missoula Children's Theatre Returns

DAYTON – The Missoula Children's Theatre is returning to Dayton to mount a production of its original play, Aladdin, at the Liberty Theater. Auditions will take place at the Liberty on Monday, Aug. 10. Youth entering first grade through their senior year of high school who want to audition must pre-register at the Liberty on Friday, Aug. 8, between 2:30-5:30 p.m.

Students can also sign up for three afternoon workshops open to any young person, regardless of whether they are cast for the play. There is no cost to participate in either the play or the afternoon workshops.

Aladdin will be presented at 7 p.m. on Friday, Aug. 14, and Saturday, Aug. 15, at the Liberty. Tickets are \$5 and \$7 and will go on sale online at libertytheater.org and at the box office at noon on Monday, Aug. 10.

For more information contact the

Liberty Theater at 509-382-1380 or via email at info@libertytheater.org

FireWise Workshops Scheduled

WALLA WALLA- The Walla Walla County Emergency Management Department, in partnership with Walla Walla County Fire District 4, has scheduled a FireWise workshop at Walla Walla County Fire District 4 - Station 45 on Aug. 11 from 6-7:30 p.m. The address is: 6549 Mill Creek Road.

Discussion topics will include the remaining fire-season outlook, defensible space, fire response, and potential mitigation projects.

Residents who reside, or own property, in the Wildland Urban Interface are encouraged to attend the FireWise workshop. Discussions will be led outdoors at the back of the station and participants are asked to bring their own chair(s).

'FROZEN' FANS UNITE!



Photos by Tracy Daniels

Temperatures topping 100 degrees did nothing to melt the enthusiasm of fans of Elsa from the movie "Frozen." Youngsters flocked to Whiskey Creek Sports Bar & Grill on Sunday afternoon to join Elsa for ice cream sundaes on the patio. Many of the young ladies arrived wearing blue dresses and braids, just like Elsa. The children enjoyed ice cream and karoake while Elsa signed autographs and served up hugs and smiles.

Clockwise from top: Fans flock Elsa for autographs. Sophia Castillo sneaks a peek at the camera while a talented trio sings "Let it Go!". Little Kaitlyn Paul snuggles up for a hug from Elsa.



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DAYTON



Dayton's most recent fire, on Bowman Hill, on July 22.

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Lyonnais, who was appointed fire marshal in March, was previously the fire marshal for the county for 15 years between 1986 and 2000. "I think in all that time, I had three structure fires to investigate," he said. He's investigated a half dozen just this year, including the four recently.

For a while, the fire district and citizens were on high alert. "We were all getting pretty heavy into watching for it and responding as fast as we could," Lyonnais said. Although the majority of his reports deemed the fires unintentional, he doesn't recommend that the community fall back into complacency.

"I would like to say that everybody can rest assured; that it was all just a coincidence," he said. "But on the other hand, we can't be naïve. We need to stay on our toes. And if you see anything suspicious, report it."

Any information should be reported to the sheriff's office at (509) 382-2518. Lyonnais, who is also the fire marshal for the city of Dayton, will discuss his findings with county commissioners in their regular, open board meeting this week. He was also asked to speak with Dayton City Council; that presentation will take place during the council's regular session next Monday, Aug.10, at 7 p.m. in city hall.

Fire Marshal's Investigation: At a Glance

- · Fire on July 29 at 203 E. Washington Ave. that destroyed the derelict home and spread to 205 E. Washington, severely damaging that home. Considered highly likely to be human-caused. The fire marshal's report states that because of the water and fire damage, it was impossible to investigate on the night of the fire. He left and returned at daylight. At that time, he was approached by a young boy who said his "ex" had called him the night before and told him that she and some friends were sneaking out and asked him to meet them at the abandoned home, where the fire later originated. He said he did not meet with them but was sure the others had gone. That information was given to the sheriff's office. The marshal's office could not find a cause of this fire - the derelict house did not have electricity or other utilities. "The fire was most likely accidental," the report reads. "To sift through the debris and search for a source would have been extremely difficult and costly.'
- House fire at 119 E. Commercial St., in the early morning hours of July 15, rendering the home a complete loss. Fire burned most heavily on the eastern first and second floors. Building was unoccupied at the time, "and the consensus was it had potential to be arson," the report reads. Firefighter Tom Thompson from the Walla Walla City Fire Department assisted in the investigation. After removing debris, looking at the fire pat-

Architects Selected for Hospital Remodel

Construction planned for April on this 18-month, \$5.5 million project

By Dian Ver Valen | THE TIMES

DAYTON - Columbia County Health System leaders have selected an architect team for the planned \$5.5 million Dayton General Hospital upgrade, they announced last week.

Two architects responded to the hospital district's request for letters of interest last month, according to Chief Operations Officer Shane McGuire. Both were invited to the bidding process with RFQ (request for quotation).

Rather than respond individually, the two architects decided on their own to come back to the table as partners, McGuire said. CCHS leaders accepted the idea. Blue Room Architecture & Design, out of Spokane, will work with John Decker, a hospital expert, to plan the comprehensive remodel of the hospital.

Interim CEO Jon Smiley said last Thursday that he had the draft contract on his desk and would be forwarding it to attorney Kim Boggs for final approval.

Hiring an architectural team was the first big step in seeing the hospital project come to fruition. The professionals will base their designs on a report received earlier this year by Stroudwater Associates, contracted by the health system to help determine the community's hospital needs after voters approved a \$5.5 million bond levy last fall to improve Dayton General.

Between now and the end of the year, the architects will produce draft documents for the board of directors to approve, McGuire said. Building plans will be ready after the first of next year. Construction should start in April, he said.

The board should have schematics to approve at its September meeting, Smiley added. The drawings and specifications will go to the state hospital board for their required approval between September and November.

More than any other aspect of the project, timing is the most critical to determine, Smiley told the board.

"I have to be very frank," Smiley told the board. "It's a messy little remodel. A lot of people won't appreciate it while you're doing it. It's like remodeling a kitchen. You have to keep using it while the work is going on. It is important that we look at phasing it so no one department is not operating while the construction is going on."

Smiley and McGuire have estimated it will take 18 months to complete the project. Planned changes do not require that any external building take place - other than the addition of a physical therapy pool but the changes inside could be dramatic.

Stroudwater's report urged the relocation of emergency services to the front of the facility, where general admitting is now. Outpatient therapies would be consolidated and organized into the annex between DGH and Booker Rest Home.

Acute care and ancillary services would join with emergency at the front of the building to consolidate critical care. And administrative offices would move to inside the hospital facility and be co-located with other support services.

"The priority of each phase of the project will be guided by the fact that we have to have places to move people," McGuire said. Board member Jim Kime was adamant, as he has been at each meeting, that the project address those issues promised to the voters - an expanded physical therapy department and addition of a PT pool. McGuire assured him that the architects are aware of the priority that should be given to those areas.

Teen Scene: 'What We Did for Summer Vacation'

By Dian Ver Valen THE TIMES

DAYTON - When teachers at Dayton High School ask their students to write an essay on what they did over their summer vacation, more than two dozen will have a ready answer: Teen Scene.

Teen Scene is managed by leaders and volunteers with Blue Mountain Counseling, who also run the Summer Youth Program for younger children in the community. Both programs this year took place from the last part of June through July 31. This isn't the first year of this summer recreation program for older youth, but it was the first time in a long time that local teens were able to go on a number of field trips and have experiences outside of the community. "We always try to do at least as much with the kids as we were able to do the summer before. if not more," said one of the Teen Scene leaders, Jennifer Mathews, who works as an administrative assistant at Blue Mountain Counseling. Funding the two summer youth programs is always a challenge, she



terns and all other information uncovered, it was agreed that the fire was most likely not arson but rather faulty wiring.

- Fire at the Columbia County Transfer Station (dump) at 500 S. Cottonwood St., in the early morning hours of July 17, rendering the facility useless until further notice. Fire marshal states the fire clearly originated in the semi-truck trailer loaded with garbage and parked under the main facility building. Because the trailer was filled with garbage - items unknown - the marshal decided that "sifting through the burnt material would not be advantageous," and so the rig was dismantled. He mentioned "suspicious voices in the weeds" in his report, but stated this information was given to the sheriff's office with no further explanation. He reported that no accelerants were found on the scene. His conclusion: "Reports pending, under investigation."
- · Fire completely destroying a newly built home on Bowman Hill, at 226 Lower Hogeye Rd., on the evening of July 22. Fire marshal determined, through evidence at the scene when he arrived just after it was reported and from witness information, that the fire started in the garage. The house was close to being issued a certificate of occupancy. Walla Walla fire investigators were also called in to investigate. The marshal's office determined that "the electrical panel in the mud room had been energized and had arcing inside the panel and the wiring throughout the garage. Both the contractor and home owner stated that this panel was not supposed to be in service and had not been inspected by the state inspector." His conclusion: "Investigation supports negligence in electrical wiring.



ed the programs – we need for the kids, and the teens, to have something to do during the summer," she said.

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Dayton School Registration

- Dayton K-12 registration day will be on Wednesday, August 19th from 12 to 6 P.M. in the Dayton Elementary Multipurpose room. Please come and register your child.
- If your child is new to Dayton School District please bring immunization records and a copy of their birth certificate.
- Class supply lists and fall sports schedules are available on our website at www.daytonsd.org.
- Fall Sports Clearance night is Tuesday August 11 at 6:00 in the HS Auditorium. Clearance night is for all JH and HS student athletes and their parents.

Top: Dayton students Corra Smith and Chase McClurg, both 14, reach for each other as Smith is lifted high into the air at a ropes course in Walla Walla in July. Bottom: More than two dozen teens from Dayton and surrounding areas participated in a summer recreation program over six weeks in June and July.

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Limagrain: 'Working Locally for Local Growers'

WHEAT BREEDER EMPLOYS 20 FOR LOCAL HARVEST CREW

By Dena Wood | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG - During the months of July and August, the Touchet Valley is buzzing with activity as farmers harvest their crops, reaping the rewards of the year's labor. Even those not actively involved in the process take part as witnesses.

Drivers respectfully give heed as combines crawl along highways, making their way between fields, and children Beaufume pump their arms in the air,



begging truck drivers to blow the horn on their way through Main Street.

And while it doesn't require grain elevators or bank-out wagons, the Limagrain Cereal Seeds (LCS) research station, located on the north end of Waitsburg's Main Street, is bustling with harvest activity as well. That's where one of the world's leading wheat breeders processes and packages the seeds grown in the Pacific Northwest test plots before sending them off for testing.

LCS set up its Waitsburg station in the summer of 2011, with the goal of combining the best characteristics of French and British wheat seeds with those of the Pacific Northwest (PNW) to produce superior varieties that appeal to local growers.

Waitsburg is one of four LCS research stations in the U.S. The other three are located in Fort Collins, Colorado; Wichita, Kansas; and Lafayette, Indiana.

Jean-Bruno Beaufume', Limagrain's wheat breeder for the Pacific Northwest, said the PNW is a very important region for wheat, and the climate and soil in the area is highly favorable. "The Walla Walla area is a nearly perfect location for breeding," he said.

Beaufume' moved from a small town in the south of France to Walla Walla, to oversee the PNW breeding program in 2011. Beaufume' says his wife, son (13) and daughter (10) enjoy the region and have adapted surprisingly quickly.

"When we moved here, my kids knew no English at all, but it only took them a couple of weeks to settle in. People were very warm and welcoming," he said.

Beaufume' said LCS is working to develop soft winter white and hard red wheat varieties that provide high yields while being resistant to diseases like stripe rust, strawbreaker, and Fusarium crown rot.

We are also breeding wheat that is resistant to drought," Beaufume' said. "Last year and this year have been very good for studying that. We are just harvesting now, so it's too early to tell, but we've had some interesting results, and we hope to continue the research this year to become more efficient."

LCS currently farms 16 plots, located in Oregon, Washington and Idaho, which make up the PNW region. The plot locations were chosen to cover the di-



"One great challenge is the great diversity of this region," Beaufume' said. "You can have 20 inches of rainfall in one area, then drive a short way to a 10-12 inch rainfall zone. It's very diverse and challenging for a breeder, but that makes it interesting. In a small perimeter, there are many things to tackle."

Each test plot is made up of many, small, 10.5-foot by 5-foot plots, each planted with a different type of wheat. Beaufume' said they test several thousand varieties, and the same varieties will be replicated in different plots to compare how the difference in soil affects the wheat.

Plots are harvested with a special research combine that has a 5.5-foot header, which is about four times smaller than the typical farm combine, according to Beaufume'. "Our harvest is much slower than a traditional harvest," he said. "We have to check each plot and clean the combine between each plot. This year we started the beginning of July and we'll finish around the end of August."

Once the seeds from one small plot are harvested, they are taken to the Waitsburg research center where they are bagged, coded, and sampled, before being shipped to the LCS quality lab in Ft. Collins, Colorado.

We test for the qualities that match the demands of the end user in this area and discount the varieties that don't have the qualities they desire," Beaufume said.

In addition to Beaufume', the Waitsburg facility employs two full-time researchers. Jeron Chatelain, who was born and raised on a dry-land farm near Connell, was the first hire in the winter of 2011. Chatelain graduated from Washington State University and worked at Oregon State University before joining the Limagrain team.

The most recent hire is Ben Brimwell who just purchased a home in Waitsburg. Brimwell is from western Washington and received his masters from WSU this year. "We hired him right after he graduated. We like to recruit local people," said Beaufume'.

The research facility also employs an expatriate from France, Beaufume' said, who will spend one year here, making a total of three full-time employees, in addition to the 16 temporary workers who help out during harvest.

Wheat will always be the main focus for LCS, Beaufume' said, but the company has been having some



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Courtesy Photos

Clockwise from top: Wheat breeder Jean-Bruno Beaufume' speaks to farmers at the Pacific Northwest Field Day in June in a test field off Middle Waitsburg Road. Limagrain leased the former Northwest Grain Growers building on Waitsburg's Main Street and set up shop in 2011. Limabrew No. 2 is crafted from Limagrain's popular Artdeco soft white wheat. The pale wheat ale is a treat for Field Day attendees. LCS

CEO Frank Curtis (I) joins Beaufume ´among the test versity of the area. LIMAGRAIN - PAGE 9 plots at the June PNW Field Day.

WAITSBURG SCHOOL BOARD UPDATE JULY 15, 2015

Board members: Ross Hamann, Greg Zuger, Marilyn Johnson, Randy Pearson and Christy House with Zuger absent.

- · Superintendent Carol Clarke read a letter from OSPI congratulating the district's transportation department for receiving "exceptional results" in the Washington State Patrol bus inspections, for the second year in a row.
- Late legislative action dropped the end-of-course proficiency exam requirement in biology for the Class of 2016. The class of 2017 will be held to meeting that standard.
- Thirty new computers will be ordered for the high school as part of the 2015 M&O levy. The purchase will be part of the 2015-16 budget.
- Approved adoption of the 2012 Holt/McDougal Literature Series for use in grades 6-12.
- Approved the purchase of a used 12-14 seat lift bus for \$3,500, and the purchase of a new bus for \$62,372.
- Accepted resignation of Jeff Bartlow as boys high school basketball coach.
- · Approved hire of Matthew Elder as middle/high school social studies teacher pending his certification as "highly qualified" in social studies in Washington. Elder is currently certified "highly qualified" in social studies and language arts in Oregon.
- Approved hire of Elizabeth (Liz) Alleman as full time para educator at the elementary school.
- Discussed projected costs of bond projects. (See full story in July 23 issue.)

WAITSBURG SCHOOL DISTRICT APPROVES 2015-16 BUDGET

Allocates \$4.1 million in general fund expenditures

By Dena Wood | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG - During the July 29 public budget hearing, the Waitsburg School Board unanimously approved the proposed \$4.1 million budget for the 2015-16 school year.

The 2015-16 budget is based on a total K-12 projected enrollment of 281.75 full-time-equivalent (FTE) students. For the 2014-15 school year, the district budgeted for 269.4 FTE and ended the year at 292.48.

Total expected revenues for 2015-16, based on projected enrollment and anticipated grant funds, is \$3.9 million. Total projected program expenditures equal \$4.1 million. When combined with the \$11,500 the district transfers to either the capital projects or transportation/vehicle fund each year, the budget shows an excess of expenditures over revenues of \$110,095.

Superintendent Carol Clarke said the state recommends districts carry a reserve-fund balance of 8 percent as a "rainy day fund" and to cover specifically designated expenses. Clarke said the district's general fund generally runs at about 15 percent reserve, with two of the last 10 years dipping to 12 percent. The excess 2015-16 expenditures would leave the fund balance at \$521,765, which is a 12.5 percent reserve.

Clarke said that 74.5 percent of expenditures are staff and benefits related. The 2015-16 increased expenditures are attributed to an increase in staff, salaries and benefits, an increase in contracted special services, student participation in supported employment, and athletic expenditures resulting from the dissolution of the Waitsburg-Prescott Combine.

LEGAL NOTICES

In the Superior Court of the State of Washington for the **County of Walla Walla**

Magdalena Rodriguez Moreno, Petitioner. No 15-3-00134-0 Ezequiel Martinez Mesa, Respondent.

The State of Washington to the said Ezequiel Martinez Mesa

You are hereby summoned to appear within 90 davs after the date of the first publication of this dissolution of marriage summons, after the July 9, 2015, and defend the above entitled action in the above entitled court, and answer the complaint of the petitioner, Magdalena Rodriguez Moreno, and serve a copy of your answer upon the petitioner at the address below stated; and in case of your failure so to do, 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 90 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 decree and approve or provide for the relief requested in the petition. The court will not enter the final decree until at least 90 days after filing and service. Serve a copy of your response on Magdalena Rodriguez Moreno at PO Box 154 College Place, WA 99324.

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PROBATE NOTICE OF CRED-ITORS No. 15-4-00145-9

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

In Re the Estate of MELVIN EDSEL HAAS,

De

ceased

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

Cause No.: 15-4-00145-9

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NONPROBATE NOTICE **TO CREDITORS** (RCW 11.42.030) NO. 15 4 00140 8

SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON FOR WALLA WALLA COUNTY

Nonprobate Estate of

AUDREY C. NAILOR,

Deceased

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

As Notice Agent, I have elected to give notice to Decedent's creditors.

On the date of filing of this Nonprobate Notice to Creditors with the Court:

I had no knowledge of: Any other person acting as Notice Agent, or

The appointment of a Personal Representative for Decedent's probate estate in the state of Washington.

According to the records of the Court that were then available:

No cause number regarding Decedent had been issued to any other Notice Agent, and No Personal Representative

of Decedent's probate estate had been appointed.

Any person having a claim against Decedent must present the claim:

Before the time when the claim would be barred by any applicable statute of limitations, and

In the manner provided in RCW 11.42.070:

By filing with the Court the original of the signed Creditor's Claim. and

By serving upon or mailing by first class mail to me at the address provided below a copy of the signed Creditor's Claim.

The Creditor's Claim must be presented by the later to occur of:

Thirty (30) days after I served or mailed this Notice to you as provided in RCW 11.42.020(2)(c), or

Four (4) months after the date of first publication of this Notice.

If the Creditor's Claim is not presented within the foregoing time period, the claim will be forever barred except as provided in RCW 11.42.050 and 11.42.060. This bar is effective for claims against both the Decedent's probate and non-probate assets.

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. 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 PUBLICA-TION: July 23, 2015.

Mellene B. Keudell Personal Representative Attorney for Personal Representative: Jeff Burkhart, WSBA #39454

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PROBATE NOTICE OF CRED-ITORS NO. 90-4-00229-1

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY

OF WALLA WALLA In re the Guardianship of

FREDERICK SANTOS, 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 nonprobate assets.

PROBATE NOTICE TO CRED- Special ITORS RCW 11.40.030

NO: 15-4-00148-3

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASH-IN AND FOR THE COUNTY

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For the Board of Walla Walla County Commissioners.

> By: Randy L. Glaeser, P.E. Director of Public Works

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PROBATE NOTICE TO CRED-ITORS

RCW 11.40.030 NO: 15-4-00149-1

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASH-INGTON

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WALLA WALLA

In re the Estate of:

DORIS L. ROMINE,

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 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 RCW 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and nonprobate assets.

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Jeffrey Charles Anderson Personal Representative LARRY SIEGEL LAW OFFICE

129 W. Main Walla Walla, WA 99362

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File No. CUP15-006 NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEAR-ING

File name/number: Jumpin Jellybeanz/CUP15-006

Application type: CUP (Conditional Use Permit) Applicant: CUNHA, ALISHA

& SEAN; 648 JUNIPER:

WALLA WALLA WA, 99362 Project description: Remodel existing building for a new Family Entertainment Center with snack bar concessions. The entertainment center will provide an indoor location for children to play that includes bounce houses, coupe chairs. and balls. The site is located at 16560 W HIGHWAY 12 (330734310037).

Review process and public comment: The Hearing Examiner will make a decision within ten working days of the public hearing. Written testimony may be submitted prior to or at the public hearing on 8/10/2015.

Please indicate your name and

Send written comments to:

c/o Lauren Prentice, Princi-

310 W Poplar St., Suite 200

PUBLIC HEARING INFOR-

Walla Walla County Court-

Walla Walla, WA 99362

commdev@co.walla-walla.

8/10/2015 at 9:30 AM

315 W. Main Street

Walla Walla, WA 99362

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In re the Estate of:

JAY H. HOUTZ,

Deceased.

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/s/ Loleta E. Haas

LOLETA E. HAAS Personal Representative of the Estate of MELVIN EDSEL HAAS

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: July 23, July 30, August 6, 2015

Court of Probate Proceedings and Cause Number:

Walla Walla County Superior Court

In accordance with RCW 9A.72.085, I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

SIGNED

Date: On July 8, 2015 Place: At Spokane, WA /s/ R An-Signature: drwe McCrary R. Andrew McCrary, Notice Agent Address for Mailing or

Service: POB or Street Address: 3715 S. Grove Rd. City, State ZIP:Spokane, WA 99224-6090

Date of First Publication of this Notice: July 23, 2015

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PROBATE NOTICE TO CRED-ITORS RCW 11.40.030 NO: 15-4-00141-6

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASH-INGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WALLA WALLA

In re the Estate of:

MELVIN R. BUTTICE,

Deceased.

The personal representative named below has been

Date of First Publication: July 23, 2015 OMNIGUARDIANSHIP SERVICES

By:

Marci Perkins Personal Representative of the Estate of Frederick J. Santos

Attorney for the Personal Representative and address for mailing and service: David S. Grossman Minnick-Hayner, P.S. P.O. Box 1757 249 West Alder Walla Walla, WA 99362

Publish: July 23, 30, August 6.2015

Court of Probate Proceedings and Cause Number: Walla Walla County Superior Court

Cause No.: 90-4-00229-1

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Washington 99362, until 10:30 A.M. on

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August 17, 2015 and will then and there be opened and publicly read for the construction of

the improvements.

All bid proposals shall be accompanied by a bid proposal deposit in cash, certified check, cashier's check, or surety

bond in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the amount of such

bid proposal. Should the successful bidder fail to enter into such contract and furnish satisfactory performance

bond within the time stated in the specifications, the bid proposal

deposit shall be forfeited to the Walla Walla County Department of Public Works. Informational copies of maps, plans, and specifications are on file for inspection at the Walla

Walla County Department of Public Works.

Complete bidding information and specifications are available on request upon payment of a non-refundable fee of

\$50.00 from the Walla Walla

for the improvement of Frog Hollow Road by installing new

grading, placing crushed surfacing, Lower Dry Creek Road by installing flexible guide post,

double chevron assembly and other work. all in accordance with the Contract Plans,

DATE OF FIRST PUBLICA-TION: July 30, 2015.

Steven D. May Personal Representative Attorney for Personal Representative: Jeff Burkhart, WSBA

#39454

- Burkhart & Burkhart, PLLC 61/2 N. Second Avenue, Suite 200
- Walla Walla, WA 99362 509-529-0630
- The Times July 30, Aug. 6, 13, 2015 7-30-a

PROBATE NOTICE TO CRED-ITORS

(RCW 11.40.030) No. 15 4 00150 5 IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASH-INGTON

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WALLA WALLA

In the Matter of the Estate of JACKIE RAE ANDERSON, Deceased.

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County Department of Public Works Office, 990 Navion Lane- Airport, P.O. Box 813, Walla Walla, Washington 99362. Telephone (509)524-2710. Monday through Friday, 7:00 am - 4:30 The improvements for which bids will be received are described below: This contract provides

guardrail,

LEGAL NOTICES/NEWS

File No. CUP15-007 NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEAR-ING

File name/number: Doubleback Winery storage warehouse/CUP15-007 Application type: CUP (Conditional Use Permit) Applicant: DOUBLEBACK WINERY;

PO BOX 518;

WALLA WALLA WA, 99362 Project description: The project includes an addition to existing winery facility to increase office space, renovation of the existing tasting room, and construction of a new detached barrel storage/warehouse building. New construction will increase the building floor area on site by approximately 6,000 square feet. The current building floor area on site is 8,310 square feet. With the proposed additions, the facility would be considered a Type 2 winery. The site is located at 1825 J B GEORGE RD (350613120005).

Review process and public comment: The Hearing Examiner will make a decision within ten working days of the public hearing. Written testimony may be submitted prior to or at the public hearing on 8/10/2015. Please indicate your name and address and refer to the file indicated above.

Send written comments to: Walla Walla County Community Development Department (CDD)

c/o Lauren Prentice, Principal Planner

310 W Poplar St., Suite 200 Walla Walla, WA 99362 commdev@co.walla-walla. wa.us

PUBLIC HEARING INFOR-MATION

8/10/2015 at 9:30 AM Walla Walla County Courthouse Room 203 315 W. Main Street Walla Walla, WA 99362

THE PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD ON THIS APPLICA-TION ENDS AT THE CON-CLUSION OF THE 8/10/2015 PUBLIC HEARING.

Any interested person may comment on this application, receive notice, and participate in any hearings. Persons submitting testimony may participate in the public hearing, request a copy of the final decision, and have rights to appeal the final decision. You can obtain a copy of the staff report from the CDD by contacting the person listed below.

FOR MORE INFORMA-TION: For more information regarding this application, please contact Lauren Prentice, Principal Planner, at 509-524-2610 or commdev@co.walla-walla.wa.us. hearing, the court may enter a dependency order in your absence.

To request a copy of the Notice, Summons, and Dependency Petition, call DSHS at (509) 524-4900. To view information about your rights, including right to a lawyer, go to www. atg.wa.gov/DPY.aspx.

Dated: July 23, 2015 By direction of: M. Scott Wolfram, Judge KATHY MARTIN Clerk

By:/s/ Dee Dee Fjeld Deputy Clerk Print Name: Dee Dee Fjeld

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Notice and Summons by Publication X Dependency Termination (SMPB)(Optional Use)

No: 15-7-00105-1

Superior Court of Washington

County of Walla Walla Juvenile Court

In Re the Dependency of:

HALBERG, Sylar

D.O.B.: 06/19/2015

To: JOHN DOE, Father

A Dependency Petition was filed on July 6, 2015; a Fact Finding hearing will be held on this matter on: September 2, 2015, at 9:30 AM, at Walla Walla County Superior Court, 315 W. Main St., Walla Walla WA, Department I. You should be present at this hearing.

The hearing will determine if your child is dependent as defined in RCW 13.34.030(6). This begins a judicial process which could result in permanent loss of your parental rights. If you do not appear at the hearing, the court may enter a dependency order in your absence.

To request a copy of the Notice, Summons, and Dependency Petition, call DSHS at (509) 524-4900. To view information about your rights, including right to a lawyer, go to www. atg.wa.gov/DPY.aspx.

> Dated: July 21, 2015 By direction of: John W. Lohrmann, Judge KATHY MARTIN Clerk

To be considered as a party of record send written comments to: Walla Walla County Com-

munity Development Department c/o Lauren Prentice, Princi-

pal Planner 310 W. Poplar Street, Suite 200

Walla Walla, WA 99362 commdev@co.walla-walla. wa.us

APPEALS: The Director's decision may be appealed by the applicant(s) or parties of record to the Walla Walla County Hearing Examiner pursuant to WWCC 14.11.010 and 14.11.030.

FOR MORE INFORMA-TION: Please contact Lauren Prentice, Principal Planner, at (509)524-2620 or commdev@ co.walla-walla.wa.us.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEAR-ING BOARD OF COUNTY COM-MISSIONERS WALLA WALLA COUNTY, WA

The Board of County Commissioners will be holding a public hearing on the 2015 Comprehensive Plan and **Development Regulations** Amendment Cycle. The Planning Commission reviewed the applications on the preliminary docket on July 1 and forwarded a recommendation on what items should be included on the 2015 final docket to the Board of County Commissioners. Two items were not recommended for inclusion on the final docket by the Planning Commission.

Pursuant to Walla Walla County Code (WWCC 14.15.060E(1)), the Board of County Commissioners will hold a public hearing to consider whether these two items, which are described below, should be added to the final docket.

*ZCA15-001 – J Alan and Deanne Fielding, Cameo Heights Mansion

Zoning Code Text Amendment application to amend WWCC 17.08.074C to allow dining service at Type 3 Bed and Breakfast Guesthouses for 50 guests and to allow various events with up to 50 attendees. *ZCA15-007 – Don Johnson Trailer Sales, Inc. c/o.Garv

Trailer Sales, Inc. c/o Gary Aichele Zoning Code Text Amendment application to amend

WWCC 17.08 and 17.16.014

to define "livestock trailer sales

A Rude Awakening



Photos by Dena Wood

When Arrah Lee Wilson and Benjamin Moser arrived to clean the Waitsburg Presbyterian Church on the morning of Thursday, July 30, they entered to find the sanctuary "covered with hundreds of tiny shards of glass," according to pastor Bret Moser. Vandals threw rocks and broke three of the antique glass panels in the sanctuary window that faces Main Street. Church members were hopeful that they had enough glass to replace the broken panels. The antique glass is filled with tiny bubbles and tinted purple (see glass shard inset above). It is believed to have come from Italy.

That same morning, the bronze plat, held by William Bruce in the Founding Fathers statue which sits in front of The Times on Main Street, was found torn from the statue and lying on the bronze bag of wheat. It is unknown if the two incidents are related.

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fun, recently, with the malt and barley market. LCS sent malt from their new Genie spring barley to several breweries, including Burwood Brewing in Walla Walla, which used it to craft its Barley Pop Blonde Summer Ale. "The barley is Beaufume´ said. "It is not a main focus but is a fun and interesting thing to do and a good way build a connection between the barley growers and the craft brewers. Customers can drink beer grown from local barley." But as for Waitsburg, Beaufume´ said Limagrain is right on track and plans to stay that way. "The program has developed quickly. The plan is to keep developing to make it a key program for Limagrain and the growers in the region in coming years," he said. "We really are working locally for local growers."



Walla Walla County complies with ADA; reasonable accommodation provided with 3 days notice.

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No: 15-7-00104-2

Notice and Summons by Publication X Dependency Termination (SMPB)(Optional Use)

Superior Court of Washington County of Walla Walla Juvenile Court

In Re the Dependency of:

BUNDY, Maryah Jessyka Nikkole

D.O.B.: 06/28/2015

To: ALEXANDRIA K BAR-FOOT, Mother ROBERT ALAN BUNDY, Father JOHN DOE, Father

A Dependency Petition was filed on June 30, 2015; a Fact Finding hearing will be held on this matter on: August 28, 2015, at 9:30 AM, at Walla Walla County Superior Court, 315 W. Main St., Walla Walla WA, Department II. You should be present at this hearing.

The hearing will determine if your child is dependent as defined in RCW 13.34.030(6). This begins a judicial process which could result in permanent loss of your parental rights. If you do not appear at the By:/s/ Dee Dee Fjeld Deputy Clerk Print Name: Dee Dee Fjeld

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File No. SUB15-012 NOTICE OF APPLICATION

The application described below has been submitted to the Walla Walla County Community Development Department (CDD).

File name/Docket #: 2-lot short plat, Cavalli, Campbell Rd/SUB15-012 Application type: SUBDIVI-SION, CO SHORT PLAT Applicant: CAVALLI BEN F JR 1278 WALLULA AVE WALLA WALLA WA, 99362 Owner: SAME

Date application submitted: 7/16/2015

Project description: The applicant has proposed a 2-lot short plat of 10.32 acre lot. The smallest lot proposed will be 5 acres. The present land use is farmland. The site is located generally at CAMPBELL RD (APN 350726521505), in the Rural Residential 5 zoning district.

Complete Application date: 7/31/2015

Notice of Application date: 8/6/2015

REVIEW PROCESS AND PUBLIC COMMENT: The decision on this application will be made by the CDD Director. The comment period for this project is fourteen (14) days from issuance of this notice; this period ends 8/20/2015. The notice of application is required by RCW 36.70B.110 and Walla Walla County Code (WWCC) 14.07.080. and service" and to identify this use as a permitted use in the Agriculture Residential 10 district, subject to certain criteria.

Written comments regarding the above application may be submitted prior to and at the hearing on August 18. Send written comments to the following addresses:

Board of County Commissioners

c/o Walla Walla County Community Development Department 310 W. Poplar, Suite 200 Walla Walla, WA 99362

or the Board of County Commissioners at: commdev@ co.walla-walla.wa.us

PUBLIC HEARING INFOR-MATION

County Public Health and Legislative Building 314 West Main Street 2nd floor - Room 213 Walla Walla, Washington August 18, 2015 at 10:00 AM

Any interested person may comment on this application, receive notice, and participate in any hearings and request a copy of the decision.

FOR MORE INFORMA-TION: For more information regarding this meeting, please contact Lauren Prentice, Principal Planner, at 509-524-2610 or commdev@co.walla-walla. wa.us.

Walla Walla County complies with ADA; reasonable accommodation provided with 3 days notice.

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NATIONAL NIGHT OUT IN DAYTON







Photos by Dian Ver Valen Top: U.S. Army Corps Park Ranger Walt Ray, from Little Goose Dam, demonstrates water safety using oranges to (I to r) 3-year-old Abby Corey-Boulet of Tacoma who was in Dayton visiting grandparents on National Night Out, 10-year-old Cameron Guettinger and 8-yearold brother Jaron of Dayton, and Stephanie Guettinger of Dayton.

Center: Dayton 9-year-old Madison Richardson poses for a photo at the Students Helping Each Other (SHEO) booth.

Left: More than 1,000 people attend Dayton's National Night Out, which celebrated its eighth year on Tuesday night, to learn more about health and safety in the community, play games and enjoy free hotdogs and soda.

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT IN WAITSBURG









Photos by Dena Wood

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Waitsburg's first-ever National Night Out, held at the school district's athletic complex, was a well-attended success.

Clockwise from top:Daniel Foley (I) and William Hong are impressed with the loot in their goody bags.

Gabe Kiefel, with children Audrey and Liam, visit with dispatcher Michelle Long at the Walla Walla Dispatch booth.

Ben Lorang has a captive audience as Samantha Henze paints his face with a

knight's shield. Makenna Baron (I) and Marashyn Russell enjoy ice cream, courtesy of the Firefighter's Associa-



Dinner

4pm-7:30pm Tues-Sat

BREAKFAST

The Traditional - Choice of House Made Walla Walla Sweet Onion Sausage or Bacon, Yukon Potatoes, Two Farm Fresh Eggs & slice of Buttered House Baked Sourdough or Whole Wheat Toast with House Made Jam

Aardvark Breakfast - Weinhard Café Signature Blend Aardvark Granola with House Made Honey Yogurt, Seasonal Fresh Fruit, Toasted House Made Sourdough English Muffin & House Made Jam

Eggs Benedict - "Porked Out" House Cured & Smoked Ham, Bacon Crumbles, Poached Farm Fresh Eggs, House Made Sourdough English Muffin,

Citrus Hollandaise, Choice of House Salad or Fresh Fruit



FROM PAGE 6 Teen Scene participants this year got to play Daytonopoly at the Columbia County Courthouse, throw glowin' Frisbee at the city park, tour Hell's Canyon in a boat, visit the Clarkston Waterpark, swim at Lyon's Ferry, play Cougar Laser Tag in Pullman, hike Middle Point Trail in the Blue Mountains, watch Jurassic World at the Liberty Theater in Dayton, see a Walla Walla Sweets game, golf at the Touchet Valley Golf Course, tackle the ropes course in Walla Walla, and enjoy latenight movies at the city pool every Wednesday with Flick-n-Float. 'The point of Teen Scene was to have a fun summer, but also, in a way, it was to go and make new friends and to learn about the value of others," said Dayton teen Corra Smith. "It gave me opportunities to go out and do things this summer I otherwise wouldn't have been able to do." Other Teen Scene leaders included Laura Tolman, a preventionist with Blue Mountain Counseling, and Dianne

Schultz, who was the leader for the Summer Youth Program at the elementary school and helped out as a chaperone on Teen Scene expe-

ditions. Dayton School District donated the use of the elementary school for the youth program and a district bus for the teen outings. Columbia

County Public Transportation took the teens when they went to the Snake River, Mathews said.



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