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#### FUTURE FARMERS

FFA kids prepare for the Walla Walla Fair & Frontier Days

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#### DUNHAM DAYS

Drawings by Waitsburg Artist, Karen Gregg-Stanton featured at Dunham Cellars' annual celebration.

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## WAITSBURG LEVEE REPAIR



Photo courtesy of U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers contractors worked last week to help rehabilitate flood damaged areas of the Waitsburg levee system. The levee was damaged by sustained high flows during the 2017 flood season. The project is expected to last two or three weeks. In this photo, compliance biologist Benjamin W. Morris and environmental resource specialist John D. Hook check for fish prior to beginning excavation.

# Waitsburg Council Delays Grandstand Decision

### PARKS AND RECREATION DISTRICT TO BE FORMED BY OCTOBER; WILL CONSIDER OPTIONS

By Brianna Wray | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG—During their August 15 meeting, the Waitsburg City Council agreed to delay a decision on what to do with the grandstand structure at the Waitsburg Fairgrounds. Council members said they want to wait until the city's Parks and Recreation District is up and running.

The council made the decision to resurrect the district at its June 20 meeting. One of the main purposes of the new district will be to sort out issues at the fairgrounds, including the

fate of the grandstands, booking events and general maintenance.

However, the district board will be responsible for overseeing other facilities, including the Waitsburg Pool, Preston Park and the Waitsburg Cemetery.

The deadline to form the new district was set by the council for October, but as of now Justin Steagall (Chair), Sandra Morrison (Vice Chair) Danielle Carpenter (Secretary), Wyatt Withers (Treasurer) and Trevor Johnson (Member) have been recruited as Parks and Recreation District Board members.

With the formation of the district underway, interested parties await the next installation of the ongoing conversation. Danielle Carpenter, the board's secretary, is enthusiastic but realistic.

"We don't have an account with money in it for Parks & Rec specifically or anything like that," Carpenter said. "So we're

starting with very low-budget projects such as movie nights, getting a running trail going, and just getting people out and doing things together in the parks.

"I'm really excited about this," she added. "The next two or three weeks are going to be some big movements for us."

The group plans to meet with the Friends of the Pool and the Friends of the Fairgrounds committees as well as the city council representatives to establish a baseline of communication. Then, going forward, they will host public open forum meetings.

"We want to do a lot for Waitsburg and we hope we get some good community support," Carpenter said.

Currently the board functions on a volunteer basis and is funded only by donations and grants. The city plans to run a Parks and Recreation levy in 2019, which, if it passed, would

provide funding from property taxes for the district. The levy was originally planned for this November, but was delayed.

"Pushing [the levy] back gives us a chance to show people what they would be voting for," Carpenter said. "If we can do this without it, imagine what we could do if we had a budget."

In April, an advisory vote on the grandstands was included on the Waitsburg city election ballot. Given the choice of using taxpayer money to restore the grandstands, tear them down, or replace them with a modern facility, nearly 60% of voters chose the teardown option.

In order to avoid that fate for the grandstands, city council member Kate Hockersmith has applied for two grants which, if awarded, will cover the costs of bringing the grandstands up to code by stabilizing the posts and adding brackets the top. She

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# Columbia County Fair: Fun for Young and Old

### THE 128TH COLUMBIA COUNTY FAIR IS SEPT. 7 – 9; LOTS OF NEW EVENTS IN STORE

By Michele Smith | THE TIMES

DAYTON—"Dirty Hands and Country Fans" is the theme of this year's 128th Columbia County Fair. From the opening ceremonies at 9 a.m. on Sept 7 until the fair closes at 5 p.m. on Sept. 9, expect to see a mix of new and traditional activities.

"Things are coming together. We have a pretty good team right now," said Fair Board President Matt Johnson.

Johnson said a few more reliable volunteers would be welcome, to help with fair activities.

"There will be even more variety at this year's fair," said Johnson. Here's what the line-up looks like:

#### Musicians and Entertainers on the Midway

Big Top the Clown will bring smiles and laughter to children of all ages when he performs daily on the midway. Watch out, though. Big Top is a former Ringling Brothers & Barnum and Bailey Red Unit Circus clown, with a penchant for pie fights.

Penelope the Clown, one of Calgary's favorite entertainers, has spread her unique brand of humor all across North America.

Catch Penelope's interactive performance on the midway each day at noon, 2 p.m., 4:30 p.m., and 7 p.m., as she entertains with amazing face painting, juggling, magic and balloon animals.

If you like comedy and juggling be sure to catch Paul Isaak at 1 p.m., 4 p.m., and 7 p.m. each day.

Toilet Plunger, Bingo, Can You Karaoke, and Oreo Cookie Throw are just some of the Crazy Contest games Freddie Prez has in his entertainment line-up. Catch Freddie Prez and his Crazy Contests at 1 p.m., 3:30 p.m., 6

p. m., and 8 p. m. daily.

#### Friday on the Midway

Singer-pianist Kit Crawford will entertain at 2 p.m., followed at 3 p.m. by folk singer-songwriter Hannah Nicole. Country singer-songwriter Daniel Mark Faller will perform at 5 p.m. Mari Gisele, folk singer-songwriter will perform at 8 p.m.

A dance party for all ages with music by Shank's Pony is planned for Friday at 9:30 p.m.

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Courtesy photo

Columbia County Fair Hostess McKenzie Dobbs rides the fair float in Joseph, Ore.



# TOUCHET VALLEY LIFE

## WAITSBURG ARTIST AT DUNHAM DAYS



Photos by Brianna Wray, except top left. Drawings and prints by Waitsburg Artist Karen Stanton-Greggutt were hanging on wine vessels at the ninth annual Dunham Days celebration at Dunham Cellars in Walla Walla on August 24-26. As a filmmaker, Stanton-Greggutt spent 30 years developing a visual point of view by examining the world through her camera lens. Now she is developing her vision using charcoal.



## Americanisms



"I'm tired of hearing all this talk from people who don't understand the process of hard work — like little kids in the back seat asking 'Are we there yet?' Get where you're going one mile-marker at a time."

—Nick Saban

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## BIRTHDAYS

August 30: Lee Bergstrom, Jake Harshman, Tristan Michael Dunn, Chance McDaniel, Kendra Smith.

August 31: Tim Quigg, Tammie Witt, Dara Roberts, Marshall and Maverick Counts, Mark Leroue, Jr.

Sept. 1: Leslie Yancey, Allison Huwe, Janis Huwe, Todd Hawkins, Ronald William Winnett, Travis Roberts, David Mahoney, Mathew Witt, Donna Thomas, Mrs. L.O. Gardner.

Sept. 2: Bob Wright, Marjorie Lowe, Kirk Huwe, Sherry Cook, Jordan Ely, Darlene Damm.

Sept. 3: Delbert Mock, Glenn Bickelhaupt, Alice Mercer, Michael Adams.

Sept. 4: Rosella Bains, Doris Worden, Ray Russell, James Laughery, Blaine Bickelhaupt, Katy Broadhead, Gil Sharpe.

Sept. 5: Corinne Baker, Fred Singer, Linda Marshall, Lowell Houtchens, Ellen Webster, Linda Mercer, Scott Zuger, Garrick Sampson, Margaret Brown, Edua Cheshire.

Sept. 6: Summer Wood, Caris Cole, Ed Larson, Jeanette Hansen, Robert Henze, Nancy Wittman, Orrin Anderson.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY  
FROM  
*The Times*

## LISA BROWN IN DAYTON



Photo by Michele Smith. Fifth Congressional District candidate Lisa Brown (foreground, right) visited Dayton on Saturday afternoon to meet local residents. The event, called Lemonade with Lisa, was held at Flour Mill Park. Brown, a Democrat, is challenging incumbent Republican Cathy McMorris Rodgers in the November election.

## MEMORIAL SERVICE

### FRANCIS "FRANK" BROWN

WAITSBURG—Graveside service for Francis "Frank" Brown, 98, who died June 24, 2018, will be held at Waitsburg City Cemetery on Sept. 8 at 9:30 a.m. A reception will be held at noon in the Fireside Room at the Washington Odd Fellows Home, 115 Miriam St., in Walla Walla.

## CORRECTION

Last week, The Times reported that Suzi Tasker is opening her new business, Wenaha Wellness, at Main Street Salon. Tasker's business will actually be located at Creative Designs, on Main Street.

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## DW Football Seeks Fresh Start

TEAM TRAVELS TO COLUMBIA-BURBANK FRIDAY NIGHT FOR SEASON'S FIRST GAME

By Ken Graham | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG—Coming off a 0-9 season, DW football coach Troy Larsen says his team is hungry to correct the program. Larsen says he has great confidence in his senior class, who will lead the team.

Senior starters include Brayden Miller, who will play tight end/slot back on offense and defensive end. Jack Willis will play offensive tackle and defensive end, Jarred Williams will play offensive tackle and middle linebacker, Chris Andrews will play wide receiver, and defensive back, Carson Alessio will play offensive guard and defense tackle, Dylan Swan will also play offensive guard and defensive tackle, and Kaleb Bryant will play offensive tackle and outside linebacker.

Underclassmen, who are also expected to contribute are junior Tayven Seney at center and defensive tackle, and sophomore Shawn Evans, who will start the first game at quarterback and outside linebacker. Freshman Damien Johnson will start at running back and outside linebacker.

“With Miller and Andrews at the [wide receiver] spots, we have good hands and speed out there,” Larsen said. “And I am excited to see what Damien Johnson can do at [running back]. He has had a great fall camp.”

Some other athletes to watch out for are Drake Campbell and Andrew Reeves at offensive guard and defensive tackle, and Johnny Wyatt at wide receiver and safety. Some Juniors who will try to get some time will be Seamus House on the offensive line and outside linebacker, while Cason Nichols competes at wide receiver and defensive back. Christian Watson-Solis will rotate through the receiver and running back spots, while playing outside linebacker on defense.

DW starts their season Friday night on the road against Columbia-Burbank team. The game starts at 7 p.m.

DW has only three games at home this year – two in Dayton and one in Waitsburg. The first home game will be Sept. 7, when DW hosts DeSales in Dayton.



## Dayton-Waitsburg Fall Sports Schedules

### Varsity Football

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
Fri. Aug. 31	Columbia Burbank	Columbia Burbank	7 p.m.
Fri. Sept. 7th	DeSales	Dayton	7 p.m.
Fri. Sept. 14th	White Swan	White Swan	7 p.m.
Fri. Sept. 21st	Medical Lake	Medical Lake	7 p.m.
Fri. Sept. 28th	Mabton	Dayton- Homecoming	7 p.m.
Fri. Oct. 5th	Liberty Christian	Liberty Christian	7 p.m.
Fri. Oct. 12th	Kittitas	Kittitas	7 p.m.
Fri. Oct. 19th	Columbia Burbank	Waitsburg - Sr. Night	7 p.m.
Fri. Oct. 26th	Tri-City Prep	Tri-City Prep	7 p.m.

Head Coach - Troy Larsen  
Assistant Coach - Tracy Pearson & Gabe Kiefel  
Volunteer Coaches - Todd Miller

### Varsity and JV Volleyball

Date	Opponent	Location	JV	Var.
Sept. 4th	Oakesdale	Oaksedale	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Sept. 13th	Liberty Christian	Liberty Chr.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Sept. 14th	Sundome Tournament	Yakima	----	TBA
Sept. 18th	DeSales	Dayton	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Sept. 20th	St. John/Endicott	St. John	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Sept. 22nd	Border Battle	Pomeroy	----	TBA
Sept. 25th	Liberty Christian	Dayton	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Sept. 27th	Tri-City Prep	Dayton	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Oct. 2nd	WWVA	Waitsburg	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Oct. 4th	Mabton	Waitsburg	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Oct. 9th	DeSales	DeSales	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Oct. 11th	Columbia Burbank	Burbank	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Oct. 13th	Kittitas	Waitsburg**	TBA	TBA
Oct. 16th	WWVA	WWVA	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Oct. 18th	White Swan	White Swan	5 p.m.	6 p.m.

\*\*Senior Night  
Head Coach - Tara Brenner  
Assistant Coach - Karen Huwe

### Varsity Soccer

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
Sat. Sept. 16th	Priest River	Dayton	11 a.m.
Sat. Sept. 23rd	Ukiah	Dayton	11 a.m.
Tues. Sept. 26th	WWVA	WWVA	4 p.m.
Sat. Sept. 30th	St. George's	Dayton	1 p.m.
Tues. Oct. 3	Prescott	Prescott	4 p.m.
Sat. Oct. 14th	Trout Lake	Trout Lake	11 a.m.
Tues. Oct. 17th	WWVA	Dayton	4 p.m.
Sat. Oct. 21st	Riverside Christian	Dayton	11 a.m.
Sat. Oct. 28th	Trout Lake	Dayton	11 a.m.

Head Coach - Bill Dowdy  
Volunteer Coach - Jeff McCowen and Jorge Zuniga



Photo by Brianna Wray

The fate of the grandstands will be decided by the Parks & Recreation District board.

### GRANDSTANDS - FROM PAGE 1

stressed that those funds would only be available if the city makes the decision to save the grandstands.

“No grandstands, no money,” Hockersmith said at the August 15 city council meeting. According to Hockersmith, if the council votes to remove grandstands, the grants will be rejected outright, she said. Award winners are announced in October.

The City of Waitsburg assumed control of the fairgrounds in 2005 and presented a plan for installing a little league complex, removing the inner track rail, grassing over the track, and demolishing the failing horse stalls. This plan was met with opposition by citizens who wanted to preserve the city's racing history, and by others who had different ideas for using the space.

To address these concerns, the Friends of the Fairgrounds committee was formed, with Lane Gwinn as Chair. The committee was faced with the choice to tear down the grandstands at a net cost of \$15,000 or accept a bid from contractor Richard Nicely for \$41,000 to bring the grandstands up to code, or \$500,000 to tear down the existing structure and build something entirely new. This was the choice voters faced in the April advisory vote.

Meanwhile, opinions on the matter were as varied as ever. Waitsburg resident Jim Davison suggested placing a time limit on the fundraising efforts so that the decision could be made once and for all. The idea of creating a racing museum also arose.

The Waitsburg Commercial Club Board members suggested using funds to hire a contracted part-time booking agent and outfitting the grounds with wi-fi were more important decisions than renovating the grandstands.

The City Council will hear from Parks and Rec board members at their Sept. 19 about progress on getting the new district up and running.

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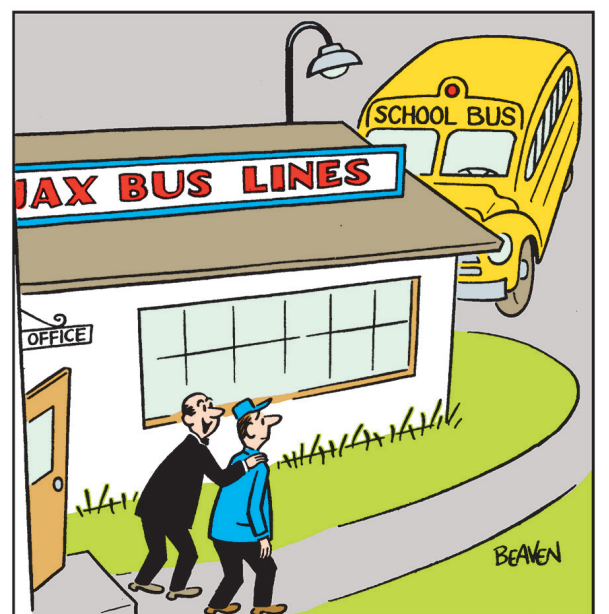
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Courtesy photos  
Left: Members of the Waitsburg Corral Wranglers FFA Group during last year's Walla Walla Fair and Frontier Days. Right: FFA members decorated the animal pens in preparation for this year's fair.

# FFA Kids Ready for Walla Walla Fair

ACTUAL TIME AT THE FAIR IS A SMALL PART OF THE EFFORT OF RAISING AND SHOWING LIVESTOCK

By Emma Philbrook | THE TIMES

WALLA WALLA—"We are decorating Sunday," said the post on the Waitsburg FFA's Facebook page. "Please meet [at] 10 a.m. Bring extra supplies such as zip ties, wire, or side cutters if you have them."

The accompanying picture showed pink letters on a black background: "I CAN'T KEEP CALM IT'S FAIR WEEK."

The reference was to the upcoming 152nd Walla Walla Fair and Frontier Days. On paper, the event lasts a bit less than a week, kicking off this Wednesday and ending on Sunday. But as far as Waitsburg's FFA and 4-H members are concerned, the seven days between decorating their pens and giving them a final clean-out pass-by in an indivisible hay-scented clump.

"Fair week is a very busy time," explained Nicole Abel, the FFA group's advisor.

It would certainly seem so.

When a Times reporter got in touch with Tracy Barron, who leads the Corral Wranglers 4-H club in Waitsburg, to see if she had a minute to chat, she re-

plied with the following: "We are very busy with it being fair week. How long do you need?"

Lisa Morrow, who heads up the Pen Pals, another 4-H group in town, put it more succinctly: "Any time after Fair...LOL."

If the fair is stressful for the parents, it can be downright grueling for the young exhibitors themselves.

"Members arrive at the [fairgrounds] as early as 5 a.m. to begin prepping their animals for the day. This includes feeding, cleaning stalls, fitting (washing and clipping hair), and general time calming the animal," Abel explained.

"If the members are not in an event, they are taking care of their animals," she added. "Almost all kids are also attending sports practices in the evenings, then travel back to the fairgrounds to feed their animals one more time before going to bed."

"The animal's care often comes before their own," Tracy Barron added.

But, as Barron was quick to emphasize, "the time commitment to showing an animal is huge and starts months before the fair, when an animal is actually purchased." She noted that the fair itself "is really a small part" of all the effort and energy the kids devote to their show animals.

Most of the FFA projects – in addition to many of the 4-H exhibits – are swine. But steers, goats and sheep are also part of the mix. Typically, different types of animal are housed in different barns, and

"each barn is on its own schedule," said Abel. Regardless, her group tries to get together "at all the extra events and between shows."

Barron, meanwhile, sees the splitting-up of the group as something of an opportunity. "The kids are making lifelong friends from other towns that they may not have had the chance to meet otherwise," she said.

After the much-dreaded qualifying weigh-in on Wednesday, the atmosphere relaxes somewhat. There's a livestock-judging competition; "confirmation classes," in which the animals are evaluated and the sale order is set; and the fitting-and-showing contest. All are opportunities to acquire premium points and impressive satin ribbons.

On Saturday, which Abel describes as "a rest day of sorts," the FFA takes part in a tractor race before Sunday's final livestock sale.

"This is a very competitive group," Abel said of her FFA team. "The animals are in good shape. Once they all weigh in, it is easy sailing from there. We have two first-year showmen – they are always my favorite to watch, as well as the junior 4-Hers. They are so excited to show, and try so hard!"

"The kids are very excited for the fair," Barron confirmed. "The atmosphere...is busy and a little chaotic, but the memories made make the craziness worth it."

"It is time to see if their hard work and dedication will pay off," she added.

## COL. CO. FAIR - FROM PAGE 1

### Saturday on the Midway

Ukulele musician Banyan Moss will perform at 2 p.m. Barroom poet Michael Parker will perform at 3 p.m. Mari Gisele will entertain at noon. The Steve Laws Band will perform at 8:30 p.m.

### Sunday on the Midway

Mari Gisele will perform at noon. Banyan Moss will perform at 2 p.m. and Kit Crawford will perform at 4 p.m.

### Rascal Rodeo

Share the adrenaline rush and sense of accomplishment of the western way of life with special needs athletes at the Rascal Rodeo, on Saturday, at 10 to 11 a.m., in the arena. This event is free to people of all ages with handicapping conditions. Registration is at: rascalrodeo.org.

### Mutton Bustin' and Jackpot Rodeo

Mutton Busting takes place at 5:30 p.m. on Saturday in the arena, followed by the Jackpot Rodeo at 6 p.m.

Barrel racing, break-a-way roping, calf team roping, chute dogging (which is steer wrestling without the horse), ranch bronc riding, bull riding, wild cow milking, steer riding, and a calf scramble for the younger crowd, are all on tap, said Greg Fullerton, rodeo coordinator.

Chrysler, Dodge, Jeep, and Ram of Walla Walla is loaning a Dodge truck to the rodeo and event winners will get to take a championship lap in it. Winners will receive cash prizes and buckles. The Walla Walla Wagonette Drill Team will also perform, said Fullerton.

Fullerton invites diehard rodeo fans to stick around after the rodeo and watch 10-12 slack teams compete.

ORV Rodeo Challenge and Demolition Derby

If ATV barrel racing, side by side drag races, an Aussie race and a wild-card race sound like something you might want to try, then the ORV Motorsports Rodeo Challenge might be up your alley.

New for this year, the ORV Rodeo Challenge will take place at 6 p.m. in the arena, on Friday. Entry is open to

the public. The cost is \$15 per event, and registration is at the gate, said event coordinator Johnny Brown.

Expect standing room only as the 10th annual Demolition Derby gets underway at the arena on Sunday at noon.

"The numbers are up a little bit, and hopefully we will have 60 cars," said Brown.

Heat races, powder puff, mechanic races, figure eight races and an Australian pursuit are planned for this year, along with the demolition derbies; for four or six-cylinder cars, for full-size trucks, and for full-size cars. A \$3,500 purse will be shared among derby winners, Brown said.

The Crash Mania point series winner will be crowned as well, and the winner will receive \$1,000. This is the finale of the Crash Mania point series that has been taking place all summer, Brown said.

"There are a lot of people gunning for that," he said.

Anyone wanting to enter the races can register at the gate beginning at 10 a.m. Sunday. The cost is \$30 per driver. Winners will receive cash prizes, said Brown.

### Traditional Displays

Homemakers have displayed their skills and farmers have displayed their crops at the Columbia County Fair since its inception in 1888, and though production methods may have changed over the years, the end results are just as important, as ever.

Fraternal organizations, businesses, non-profit organizations and government entities will have booths in the pavilion.

Wine and beer, baked goods, crops and forages, needlework and furniture, gardening and food preservation, crafts and hobbies, junior science exhibits, quilts and clothing, art and photography, and floral entries will be displayed in the pavilion during the fair.

All entries are due on Tuesday, Sept. 4 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., except for floral, which is due on Thursday from 7 a.m. until 9 p.m., said Pavilion Coordinator, Rose Englebreit.

### 4-H Programs

Everything the 4-H clubs do, with the exception of animal life, will be on display in the youth building during the fair.

### 4-H Animal Life

Animal exhibit director Tracy Hangar's job is to sort out the large and small animals, appoint superintendents in charge of each class of animals, and help get them registered for the livestock showing, classification and judging. That will take place on Friday beginning at 9 a.m. in the beef barn for cattle, and goats, sheep and pigs, and in the main arena at noon for small animals.

Hangar invites visitors to stick around for the round robin 4-H FFA competition for all breeds, at 3 p.m. on Friday, in both barns, where you can see how livestock owners are judged on showmanship.

At 5 p.m. on Friday there is a non-professional Mutt Show, open to the public, where children can bring the family pet in for judging.

On Saturday at 9:15 a.m. all 4-H and FFA participants are invited to the livestock judging contest in the main show barn.

The market livestock sale for sheep, swine, goats and beef will begin at 12:30 p.m.

Then be sure to see the livestock costume contest on Sunday, at 2 p.m., where youth get to dress themselves to match their animals.

On Saturday, in the indoor arena, 4-H members will hold a horse and hay judging contest.

On Sunday, the 4-H Horse Show and Open Horse Show will run together in the indoor arena at 9 a.m. Classes will be halter, English equitation, English pleasure, western equitation and western pleasure, bareback equitation, lead line, a walk trot class, and driving.

People may enter the open portion of the horse show at the Dayton Extension Office, or until 8:30 of the day of the show at the indoor arena. Open Show is \$5 per class or \$25 per day.

"Come down and enjoy the livestock

programs the kids have worked on all year," said Hangar about the tremendous amount of effort 4-H kids and FFA kids have put into it.

### Kids

Kids can visit Old MacDonald's Farm in the KidZone, located behind the fair office, and see and touch a miniature donkey, rabbits and other assorted small animals.

Young Life will have games for youth from 1:30 to 2 p.m. on Friday and Saturday, and from 12:30 to 1 p.m. on Sunday, also in the KidZone.

### Eat

This is your chance to eat something wonderfully sinful! Fair vendors will offer the usual array of goodies, from elephant ears, hamburgers and hotdogs, to ice cream.

On Saturday, beginning at 11 a.m., Chicken Bill's will serve BBQ brisket, pulled pork, baked beans and coleslaw.

And don't forget breakfast. On Friday at 6 to 8 a.m., the Columbia County Cattlemen/Livestock Association is offering a free full breakfast with paid gate admission, which will take place under the grandstand.

On Saturday, breakfast is sponsored by the Columbia County Marksmen 4-H Club and will be held in the Youth Building at 7 a.m. until 9 a.m. Donations are appreciated.

Free breakfast, sponsored by NW Farm Credit Services and served by the Robotics 4-H Club and Dayton FFA, will take place on Sunday from 8 to 10 a.m.

### Admission

A single day pass to the fair includes admission to all events. The cost is \$10 for adults 13 years and older, \$5 for seniors, 60 years and over (Saturday and Sunday), \$5 for Juniors, 7 – 12 years of age, and free to children 6 years and under.

A three-day all event pass is \$22 for adults, 13 years and older, \$10 for Seniors 60 years and older (Saturday and Sunday), \$10 for Juniors 7 -12, and free for children 6 years and younger.

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## Super Crossword

- ACROSS: 1 Back muscles, informally, 5 Future doc's program, 11 Edison rival, 16 Flat-fixing gp., 19 "Out of Africa" writer, 20 French playwright, 21 Made from a certain wood, 22 Coffeehouse dispenser, 23 Cereal grain for a special event?, 26 Found groovy, 27 "Goodbye, mon ami!", 28 Forever, seemingly, 29 Canonically woman of Fr., 30 Little tales, 31 Paid up, 33 Sleep with a cereal grain on one's blanket?, 37 Augustus' son-in-law, 41 Shoulder decoration, 42 Performing in a film, 46 "Unh-unh!", 48 Fierce fire, 51 Easily seen cereal grain?, 90 Carroll of "All in the Family", 93 Puzzle cube inventor, 94 Old TV dog, 95 -oxide (laughing gas), 98 Word-for-word, 100 Response after being gifted with a cereal grain?, 103 Charms "Good for life" pet food, 108 Roof feature, 109 -rule, 110 See 5-Down, 113 Wild fight, 114 Dream Team's land, 115 Useful material for processing a cereal grain?, 120 Rocker Vicious, 121 Pop/rock singer, 122 Layered eye part, 123 DVR option, 124 Timeline segment, 125 Muscle woe, 126 Starts using in an arena, 127 Glimpsed, 1 Cash in Turkey, 2 Whisper for the audience, 3 Implied, 4 Clay target shooting, 5 With, 6 Like many gory films, 7 Comeback?, 8 Expression, 9 Right fielder, 10 Final mo., 11 On the nose, 12 Softer, 13 Do moguls, 14 Zodiac sign, 15 TV's Jillian, 16 Channel in a recording studio, 17 West Indies vacation isle, 18 Inner turmoil, 24 University in New Orleans, 25 Long-running CBS show, 30 Unshackled, 32 Like custard, 33 Nonclerical, 34 Toe feature, 35 Desert sight, 36 Polar drudge, 38 Combined, 39 Pan relatives, 40 Letter before omega, 42 Basic lesson, 43 French city, 44 Nirvana, e.g., 45 It "blows no good", 47 Ship again, 49 Friendly, 50 Epps of films, 52 Like Vikings, 53 Brazilian palm berry, 54 Short while, 59 Float easily, 60 Thick polar coverings, 62 New Mexico resort, 63 Unruly tyke, 64 Less dry, 65 Clod buster, 66 Great anger, 67 -and hers, 69 Gyro meat, 71 Singer Perry, 72 Gp. for Iran, 73 City near Lake Tahoe, 74 Eligible for Soc. Sec., 75 Hanukkah pancake, 76 Olympic god, 77 Leslie Caron, 78 Behind, 81 Razz, 84 Israeli dance, 85 With, 57-Across, easily attached patches, 86 Whopper, 87 Kimono sash, 88 Gusto, 89 Sub meat, 91 Evening, in some ads, 92 To the -degree, 96 Arbitrary decrees, 97 Methodology, 99 Softer, 100 Employ anew, 101 PLO's Arafat, 102 Clodhopper, 104 Goes soft, 105 Iran-Contra figure North, 106 Superman portrayer, 107 Determined to do, 110 Born and -Graham, 111 Quarterback Thrash, 115 Ford fluid, 116 Put tears in "believer!", 118 -pro nobis", 119 Pas' mates

Grid for Super Crossword puzzle.

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TEENY MCMUNN: MY RECIPE BOX

## Zucchini Casserole

This recipe is from the kitchen of Marie Baker, Jerry Baker's mom.

I had asked for zucchini recipes a few weeks ago. When I got to work last week, this, along with another one was typed on a sheet of paper and dropped through the mail slot. Sherri Erikson had her number on the bottom of the page, so I gave her a call to ask a few questions. She also gave me a recipe for Cheesy Green Chile Zucchini Soup that she said is great. Now that it is cooling off a bit, I think I will try it next. I do need some zucchini, though, hint hint.

\*\*\*See below my review of last week's recipe.

I made this casserole for dinner last night. I wasn't sure what to expect, but it's a keeper. It's very good and makes a lot, plus helps use up your zucchini if you have extra.



### INGREDIENTS:

- 1/2 c. butter, 1 pkg Stove Top stuffing, 1 chopped onion, 8 c. chopped zucchini, 1 can cream of chicken soup, 1 c. sour cream, 1 c. grated cheddar cheese

### DIRECTIONS:

Cook onion and zucchini in butter until just tender. Add Stove Top, soup, and sour cream. Combine. Pour into 9 x 13 pan and top with grated cheddar cheese. Bake at 350 for 45 minutes.

The note on the recipe mentioned the cheese was a modification. I did put cheese on top.

### MY NOTES:

I started by using a medium fry pan to sauté the zucchini and onions, but quickly realized I had to go to a much larger and deeper pan. Mine was large enough to add the rest of the ingredients, then put into the baking pan. I also mixed the soup and sour cream together in a smaller bowl before adding it to the mixture.

I cubed the zucchini into about 1/2 inch cubes (estimate) with skin on. I had two fairly large ones that made the eight cups. We had a baked chicken so I cut up about two cups of chicken and added it. I also added Juliet tomatoes, which are like baby Romas. We grow them and they hold their shape well in baking.

It was delicious. Honestly, I don't think I would have gravitated to the recipe, but since Sherri dropped it off as a tried-and-true recipe, I thought I'd try it. I'm glad I did.

The recipe doesn't say whether to cover to not. I didn't, making the cheese more like a crust, so you might consider covering it.

\*\*\*\*I made the Tomato and Corn pasta salad recipe for the church potluck. Ugh. I did break up the angel hair pasta, thinking it would be easier to eat. It wasn't. I also didn't measure the pasta. I'm sure I had more than the eight ounces it asked for. In my opinion, the olive oil and red wine vinegar, which I bought special for it, didn't add much flavor. When tossing it all, the tomatoes and corn was heavy enough to stay on the bottom. So this is what I did. I asked Joe to fix it. He added a half bottle of Zesty Italian dressing. I added garbanzo beans. We tossed it again, put it into another bowl and put the chery tomatoes all on top as decoration. It was very tasty. However, if you ate it with a fork you either got the pasta or the vegetables, but not both. If you ate it with a spoon, the pasta falls off! Haha. All that to say, I don't think this one is a keeper for me. ENJOY!

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## Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

Sudoku grid with numbers 3, 1, 7, 7, 2, 5, 8, 1, 4, 7, 3, 2, 4, 9, 6, 5, 2, 1, 9, 4, 4, 3, 7, 9, 2, 6.

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

### DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆

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

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## LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS:

### Super Crossword

#### Answers

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### Weekly SUDOKU

#### Answer

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### Hitori

#### answer

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## LEGAL NOTICES (Cont.)

reviewed at the CDD office at 310 W Poplar St., Suite 200, Walla Walla, WA 99362. All interested persons and parties may comment on the application, appeal rights are outlined in Walla Walla County Code Chapter 14.11

The Department is using the optional threshold determination process under the State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) authorized by WAC 197-11-355. The application comment period may be the only opportunity to comment on the environmental impacts of the proposal. A copy of the SEPA determination on the proposal may be obtained upon request. The proposal may include mitigation measures under applicable codes, and the project review process may incorporate or require mitigation measures regardless of whether an environmental impact statement is prepared. The SEPA Responsible Official has preliminarily determined that the proposal is:

[ ] categorically exempt under SEPA  
 [X] subject to SEPA threshold determination requirements and the responsible official expects to issue the following determination: Determination of Non Significance (DNS).

The following identified existing environmental documents are hereby incorporated by reference, and all or part of the documents may be used to evaluate the application/proposal:

- SEPA Checklist
- Critical Area Report dated 7/27/2018
- Planting Plan
- Critical Areas Permit application

These documents are located at the office of the CDD at 310 W Poplar St., Suite 200, Walla Walla, WA, and shall be made available for public review during all applicable comment periods on the application/proposal. Preliminary determinations and information contained herein shall not bind the County and are subject to continuing review and modification.

Applicant/Owner: ST-RUVE, MORI & IONE; 2329 WALLULA AVE; WALLA WALLA WA, 99362

Application filing date: 5/2/2018

Application type: critical areas permit

Date that application was determined to be substantially complete: 8/13/2018

Location and description of proposed action: Struve Creek Restoration and Culvert Replacement. Correct critical area violation; applicant removed dead vegetation from creek banks. The restoration proposal includes planning and establishing native woody and herbaceous plant species in the critical area buffer for Cole Creek. The applicant has also proposed to install a culvert extension. The site is located generally at 2329 WALLULA AVE (APN 350727310012).

Comprehensive plan map designation for the location: Agriculture Residential

Zoning map designation for the location: AR-10

Required Permits: HPA from WDFW

Development Regulations: WWCC Chapter 18.08

Comments on this application must be submitted in writing to the CDD at 310 W Poplar St., Suite 200, Walla Walla, WA 99362. Any person desiring to submit written comments concerning an application, or desiring to receive notification of the final decision concerning the proposal as expeditiously as possible after the issuance of decision, may submit the comments or requests for decisions to the department within fourteen days following the date of final publication of the notice of application. Comments must be received by the CDD before 5:00 PM on the following date: 9/13/2018.

A public hearing will not be held on the proposal.

The decision on this application will be made by the CDD Director.

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 additional information please contact the CDD at 310 W Poplar St., Suite 200, Walla

Walla, WA 99362; 509-524-2610; commdev@co.walla-walla.wa.us.

Staff Contact: Lauren Prentice, Principal Planner, 509-524-2620.

This Notice of Application is required by RCW 36.70B.110 and Walla Walla County Code 14.07.080.

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### ORDINANCE SUMMARY Pursuant to RCW 35A .12.160, the Council of the City of Prescott hereby approves for publication the following Ordinance Summary:

1. The name of the City is the City of Prescott, Washington.  
 2. The Ordinance summarized is Ordinance o. 2018-08, adopted by the Council of the City of Prescott on August

13, 2018.  
 3. The Ordinance adopts the City of Prescott's Shoreline Master Program ("Shoreline Master Program") and amends the City's Comprehensive Plan and Development Standards to include the Shoreline Master Program.  
 4. The Ordinance is summarized as follows:  
 a. The Ordinance is divided into four (4) sections.  
 b. Section 1 adopts the Shoreline Master Program.  
 c. Section 2 amends Ordinance 402, adopting a Comprehensive Plan and Technical Report, to include and incorporate the Shoreline Master Program.  
 d. Section 3 amends Ordinance 403, adopting Development Standards, to include and incorporate the Shoreline Master Program.  
 e. Section 4 states that

the Ordinance shall take effect five days after its passage, approval, and publication.

5. A copy of the entire Ordinance will be mailed upon request or may be examined at City Hall.

This Ordinance was APPROVED by the Council of the City of Prescott on the 13th day of August, 20 J 8.

/s/ Steve Heimbigner, Mayor

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