



THIS WEEK

DAYTON



EXPANSION

The owners of Mary's Candies move to a larger suite at Blue Mountain Station.

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PAINTING

Brushes 'n Brix owner Barb Newby spent two days painting with Waitsburg Elementary students.

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RECREATION



SWIMMING

Pools in Dayton, Waitsburg, and Prescott are opening next week and offer a variety of classes and activities.

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Photo by Scott Kirk Photography

Graduating seniors for the Class of 2016: (Front row l to r): Rachel Gradwohl, Elizabeth Johnson, Austin Hopkins, Stuart Walsh, Anissa Holmberg. (Second row l to r): Jason Carter, Zion Branson, Brandon Penner, Bailey Adams, Alexis Snyder, Jaidyn Brown. (Third row l to r): Trey Potts, Tristan Newman, Mark Montgomery, Coe Richards, Levi Hatfield. (Back row l to r): Megan Morrison, Caitlin Mohney, Maurisa Hulce, Caitlyn Jones.

Waitsburg Class of 2016 Looks to the Future

EXITING SENIORS EMBRACE THEIR CLASS'S UNIQUENESS

By Dena Wood | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG – Twenty graduating WHS seniors made the traditional walk down Kison Court to receive their diplomas at Waitsburg High School's 120th commencement ceremony on Friday, June 3. "If we can't find the road to success, we will make one," was the motto chosen by the class that proudly proclaimed and celebrated its uniqueness as the doors closed on high school and its members looked expectantly to the future.

Honor Speaker Caitlyn Jones, with a GPA of 3.26, is the daughter of Collette Jones and has been involved in a variety of activities throughout her high school career. She played volleyball all four years, served as ASB and FFA secretaries, is a member of FFA and Leos and is an active member of her class. After high school, she will serve our country in the Air Force.

Jones spoke about the many ways their class, a

group of unique individuals, has always "taken the path less traveled on." Jones quoted from the movie *The Breakfast Club*, saying that the Class of 2016 will not be forgotten.

"You see us as you want to see us. In the simplest terms, in the most convenient definitions. But what we found out is that each one of us is a brain, and an athlete, and a basket case, a princess, and a misfit." The Breakfast Club gives the best way to explain the Class of 2016. You guys have truly made high school an unforgettable experience," said Jones, addressing her classmates.

Class Salutatorian Zion Branson is the son of Leanne Branson and earned a 3.49 GPA. Branson is a three-sport athlete, playing football, basketball, and track all four years of high school. As a sophomore, he attended the 2B State Track meet where he competed in the shot put. After graduation, Branson will attend Lewis-Clark State College.

In his speech, Branson expressed thanks for the strong support of parents and teachers. "Our teachers have been guiding our education from the first time we walked through the elementary doors up until now, just minutes before we are given our diplomas.

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Shaber Completes First Year as DHS Principal

NEW DAYTON HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL PAUL SHABER REFLECTS ON FIRST YEAR AT DHS

By Ian Smay | THE TIMES

DAYTON – During the 2014-2015 school year, it was decided that instead of removing the term "interim" from Principal Kate Wenzl's title, the district would open up the search to applicants. After a search, that included three finalists plus the interim principal. After interviews by district officials, the student body, and community members, Mr. Paul Shaber was offered the job, which he accepted.

Fast forward a year later and Shaber is nearing the completion of his debut year at DHS. Being the

third principal in as many years, there were high hopes for him to maintain a positive educational experience for the students enrolled in Dayton.

Paul Shaber graduated from the University of Idaho in 2003 and landed a job in Fruitland, Idaho as a teacher of both Physics and Geometry. "I taught there for 12 years in addition to coaching eighth grade football," said Shaber. After completing his Masters work in Administration in 2014, he landed the position at DHS.

Shaber was asked to reflect on his experience in his first year as a principal. "I have had a solid year of ups and downs. I certainly made mistakes at times but I have worked hard to be available to the students and community and to establish priorities. I have high expectations for myself and I have been trying to decide specifically which issues I need to focus on for next year," commented Shaber



Shaber

when asked to give a summary of the past year.

One issue that faced Shaber was the transition from teacher to principal, which for some can be a big step to take. "It is certainly an adjustment, there are no two ways about it. Fortunately, I have

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WAITSBURG SCHOOL BOARD APPROVES 'PRESCHOOL FOR ALL'

DISTRICT WILL PARTNER WITH WWCC ECEAP PROGRAM

By Dena Wood
THE TIMES

WAITSBURG – Making preschool available to all students, at no charge, has been a top priority for Waitsburg School Board member Marilyn Johnson, since she was elected in Sept. of 2009. That goal was met on May 11 when the board unanimously approved partnering with the Walla Walla Community College preschool program to provide free preschool to all students.

"I'm really excited that we'll be able to give early education access to all kids. Part of the recent levy dollars were allocated for preschool. We asked the voters to support it and now we're going to follow through," Johnson said.

District Superintendent Carol Clarke said the district is entering a partnership with the existing WWCC early learning program. That program, formerly known as the parent cooperative preschool, adopted the state-funded Early Childhood Education and Assistance Program (ECEAP) curriculum in January. This coming school year it will be called Waitsburg Preschool.

Through that program three- and four-year-olds from low income families, or with developmental or environmental risk factors that could interfere with school success, are provided with free enrollment. Non-qualifying students are still required to pay the monthly fee.

Johnson, however, was emphatic that all children living in the Waitsburg school district should have access to quality preschool.

As their part of the partnership, the Waitsburg School District has committed \$40,000 toward covering the cost of serving 30 students. The district will also provide space at the elementary school, janitorial services, and minimal administrative support.

Walla Walla Community College will continue to manage the program and it will be up to them to determine specifics

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TOUCHET VALLEY LIFE

A BLAST FROM THE PAST



Photo Credit

The Waitzburg High School band took a field trip to check out the new Musical History of Waitzburg exhibit at the Wilson-Phillips House last week. Clockwise from top: Austin James, Leena Baker, Scott Leamy, and Devon Harshman are impressed with the guitar display. Students, led by Mary Phillips, get a kick out of photos of early Waitzburg basketball uniforms. A group of freshman join band instructor Brad Green to listen as Bill Hinchliffe recalls the military story of Waitzburg's 'Company K.'



Touchet Valley Weather

June 8, 2016

Waitzburg's Seven Day Forecast

Wednesday Few T-storms High: 84 Low: 56	Thursday Partly Cloudy High: 76 Low: 51	Friday Partly Cloudy High: 73 Low: 49	Saturday Mostly Sunny High: 69 Low: 48	Sunday Mostly Sunny High: 72 Low: 51	Monday Partly Cloudy High: 73 Low: 55	Tuesday Mostly Sunny High: 75 Low: 54

Weather Trivia

What does the term "lake effect snow" mean?
Answer: It is snow created by massive evaporation that occurs over the Great Lakes.

Weather History

June 8, 1966 - A tornado ripped right through the heart of the capital city of Topeka, Kan., killing 16 people and causing 100 million dollars in damage. The tornado, which struck during the evening, cut a path of near total destruction eight miles long and four blocks wide.

Local Almanac Last Week

Day	High	Low	Normals	Precip	Precipitation
Monday	75	50	75/51	0.00"	0.00"
Tuesday	83	47	76/51	0.00"	0.35"
Wednesday	84	54	76/51	0.00"	-0.35"
Thursday	75	61	76/51	0.00"	.69.9°
Friday	86	56	76/51	0.00"	.63.7°
Saturday	94	56	77/52	0.00"	+6.2°
Sunday	97	60	77/52	0.00"	

Data as reported from Walla Walla

Sun/Moon Chart This Week

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
Wednesday	5:00 a.m.	8:43 p.m.	9:02 a.m.	11:41 p.m.
Thursday	5:00 a.m.	8:43 p.m.	10:06 a.m.	12:06 a.m.
Friday	5:00 a.m.	8:44 p.m.	11:10 a.m.	12:16 a.m.
Saturday	5:00 a.m.	8:44 p.m.	12:12 p.m.	12:46 a.m.
Sunday	5:00 a.m.	8:45 p.m.	1:13 p.m.	1:14 a.m.
Monday	4:59 a.m.	8:45 p.m.	2:12 p.m.	1:40 a.m.
Tuesday	4:59 a.m.	8:46 p.m.	3:11 p.m.	2:06 a.m.

PIONEER PORTRAITS

Ten Years Ago June 15, 2006

The Waitzburg Lions Club held its season-end meeting at the Lions Cookshack Tuesday, June 13. Glynn Davis was named recipient of the Melvin Jones Award, the highest honor bestowed in Lionism. John Payne was honored as Lion of the Year. J.W. "Bill" Thompson was awarded a rubber chicken by outgoing President Marty Dunn.

Top honors in the track program went to Aaron Leal and Natasha Montgomery, the male and female Most Valuable Player choices, based on total points. Tyson Cole was named Most Improved and Marci Jo Lanning received the Come Back Award, for overcoming an injury and coming back to miss a state berth by inches.

Some 20 softball teams from around the region will be competing for glittering hardware in the 22nd Annual Waitzburg Lions Softball Bash this weekend. The teams will grapple on the softball fields in the Days of Real Sport infield.

Twenty-Five Years Ago June 13, 1991

In an Awards Ceremony held last week for Waitzburg High School, several students were honored for their contributions to the student body. Jenny Jameson was named Outstanding FHA Member for the 1990-91 year. Pep Club participation awards went to Michele White (1st), Sara Payne (2nd) and Travis Larsen (3rd). Angela Ferguson was named the Outstanding Senior for the National Honor Society.

A Hansen reunion was held Sunday, May 26 at the family farm on top of Coppei Mountain. Grandfather Robert William Leid purchased the property 101 years ago. A potluck dinner was held at the 150-year-old home. Fifty-four family members enjoyed food, baseball, visiting, and the scenery.

Fifty Years Ago June 16, 1966

Waitzburg has added a new dimension to its cultural life this week with a bonified art studio. Joy Broom has obtained the Wood house on 6th, and has set up shop there. Anyone who would like to see her work is welcome to drop in for a visit.

Four students achieved a 4.0 point average for the spring semester of 1966 at Waitzburg High School according to the list just released by Superintendent Gerald Maib. They were Lewis Neace, Randy Pearson, Stan Pierson and Mary Leid.

George Wood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wood, has been appointed as program coordinator of Western Wheat Associates it was announced last week.

Seventy-Five Years Ago June 20, 1941

Sheaf exhibits to be shown at our annual Community Exhibit and for the Waitzburg booth at the Walla Walla County Fair should be selected in June and July according to Max Wills, Smith-Hughes instructor at the high school.

At a tea Sunday afternoon at the R. D. Flaherty home in Walla Walla, the announcement of Miss Patricia Flaherty engagement to Paul E. Hofer of Waitzburg was made.

Mrs. Ira Bloor drove up to Spokane Sunday to take their daughter, Miss Virginia, back to her nursing duties at St. Luke's Hospital.

Mrs. Tom Eller has blooming in her back yard last week, a Black Lily of the Nile. This is a carnivorous plant and the fragrance is anything but fragrant.

One Hundred Years Ago June 23, 1916

Troy L. Davis, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Davis, of this city is on a United States training ship which just now is stationed at Peking, China.

A. F. Mock of Waitzburg has purchased from Prescott the pump in the old pumping station and 1500 feet of the old wooden pipe. He paid the city \$100 for the outfit.

Perry Harmon was accidentally shot in the ankle Saturday while riding in a wagon on the way to the mountains.

The local W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. McCown Friday, June 30 at 2:30 P.M. Subject - the great need of purity work in the public schools. All ladies interested are urged to attend.

One Hundred Twenty-Five Years Ago June 26, 1891

We would like to see an ordinance passed prohibiting cows with bells from roaming about the streets of the city, for all nuisances, the biggest nuisance is a town cow with a bell on.

"You'll find in all professions
In pulpit, in court, and in shop,
As well as in strawberry boxes,
The best always comes to the top."

Frank McKinney and bride arrived in the city on Wednesday night. They were met at the Hunt depot by a tin can brigade and escorted to their home.

Rev. J. H. Pearson is the hoss boy to run a hay rake.

A. W. Phillips, one of the successful farmers on the Coppei, is building a new barn 58 x 60 feet. C. J. Witt is doing the work.

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Dates contingent on public safety and weather condition considerations.

City of Waitzburg residents are now subject to burn ban restrictions.

TOUCHET VALLEY NEWS

WEEKLY CALENDAR

NEWS BRIEFS

10

Prescott & Waitsburg Last Day of School

Prescott Graduation
Prescott School Gymnasium
7 p.m.

Outdoor Family Movie Night
Waitsburg Chapel (320 W. 2nd)
7 p.m.
Finding Nemo

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Waitsburg Resource Center

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

Waitsburg Garden Club
209 W. 4th
9 a.m.
Gather at Susan Donegan's then walk across the street for a tour of Markeeta Little Wolf and Mike Hubbard's garden.

Writing Group
Delaney Room, Dayton Memorial Library
9:30-11 a.m.
This group is open to those of all ages and interests.

Coffee & Craft
Prescott Public Library
1 p.m.

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

Dayton High School Graduation
High School Gymnasium
Noon

13



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

10: Breakfast Only – Last Day of School

Summer Meal Program Begins June 13

Breakfast 8-8:30 a.m.
Lunch 11:30-12 p.m.

All children 18 & under receive meals free of charge.

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

Prescott City Council
Prescott City Hall
7:30 p.m.
Council will review the city's six-year street plan.

YMCA Fun Factory
Preston Park, Waitsburg
2:30 – 4 p.m.
Mondays, June 13 – Aug. 5. Free crafts, fun and games for kids ages 5-10.

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Dayton Library Story Time
Dayton Memorial Library
10 a.m.
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.

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.

Wii Night
Prescott Library
4 p.m.

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Dayton Last Day of School
Waitsburg City Council Lions Memorial Building (Fairgrounds)
7 p.m.

Dayton School Board
School Boardroom
6:30 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.

Prescott School Board
High School Library
6 p.m.

Knitting
Dayton Memorial Library
6:30-7:30 p.m.
Every Thursday. All skill levels are welcome.

Prescott Friends of the Library
Prescott Library
7 p.m.

COMM. CLUB HOSTS CANDIDATE FORUM

WAITSBURG – The Waitsburg Commercial will host a candidate forum for local and legislative races on Thurs., June 9, at 10 a.m. at The Q Wood Fired Grill (137 Main, Waitsburg). Community members are welcome; RSVP not needed.

Melissa Farley Hansen (R) and Randall Son (D) have confirmed attendance. Both are running for the Walla Walla County Commissioner District 2 seat currently held by Perry Dozier, who is not seeking reelection. District 2 encompasses the eastern portion of the county including Waitsburg, Prescott, and portions of Walla Walla County.

Legislative District 16 position candidate Skyler Rude (R), will also be in attendance.

Other candidates are welcome to attend by calling or emailing Waitsburg Commercial Club at (509) 539 8773 or waitsburgcc@icloud.com. The Washington State Primary Election is August 2.

WAITSBURG FUN FACTORY

WAITSBURG – The Walla Walla YMCA Fun Factory will be at Preston Park from 2:30-4 p.m. on Mondays, beginning June 13 through Aug. 5. The Fun Factory provides free fun, outdoor games, and arts and crafts geared toward children ages 5 – 10.

SAINT-JEAN-BAPTISTE DAY CELEBRATION

LOWDEN – The Frenchtown Historical Foundation invites the community to participate in the fifth annual Saint-Jean-Baptiste Day Celebration on Sat., June 25 from 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. at the Frenchtown Historic Site located at 8364 W. Old Highway 12, two miles west of the Whitman Mission.

St. Jean-Baptiste Day has been observed annually since 1834 throughout Canada and parts of the U.S. to honor the birthday of Quebec's patron saint, and French-Canadian culture. This year's celebration will feature a tour of the Hudson Bay farm, site tours of the newly restored Prince's cabin, a presentation of plans for further restoration of the St. Rose of Lima cemetery (the oldest Catholic cemetery in the area), as well as food and entertainment for all ages.

Schedule of Events:

10 a.m.: Free tour bus leaves Frenchtown site for the Hudson Bay Farm tour, returning by noon.

12 p.m.: Free potato bar lunch at Frenchtown site.

12-4 p.m.: Events at Frenchtown site including tours, demonstrations, children's activities, and music.

Learn more at www.frenchtownwa.org

BIRTHDAYS

June 10: Jake Long, Belinda Johnson, Linda Doyle and Mike Drew.

June 11: Frank Donnelly and Kathie Payne, Katelyn Lambert.

June 12: Suzanne Moser, Ida Polley, Chad Lambert, Joshua Reser.

June 13: Anne Nelson, Michael Raven, Jan Cronkhite, Larry Weir, Bob Newbury, Mike Talbott, Cecilia Acevedo.

June 14: Haly and Shawny Ingle, Aaron Moffitt and Anthony Kiefel.

June 15: Jeff Hofer, John Segraves, Ryan Mason, Glen Smith, Nicholas and Jonathon Danforth, Ruth Fulton, Diane Conover, Susa Roberts, Jim Burres, Darrell Syferd, Cheyenne Gritman and Maude Oberholtzer.

June 16: Catherine and her Grandpa John Melvin Reese, Jon Hays and Courtney Streeter.

Church Directory

Waitsburg Presbyterian Church

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

Waitsburg Chapel

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

Waitsburg Christian Church

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

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Age Groups	Class Times
7-10 years	9 a.m. - 9:50 a.m.
11-14 years	10 a.m. - 10:50 a.m.
15 - 17 years	11 a.m. - noon

COMMENTARY

WHAT YOU ARE DOING ONLINE AND OTHER TOP FINDINGS FROM AN EXHAUSTIVE STUDY OF THE INTERNET

By Matt McFarland, *The Washington Post*

Mary Meeker, a venture capitalist at Kleiner Perkins Caufield & Byers, released her 21st annual report on the biggest trends in technology and the Internet on Wednesday. The report covers a wide swath of issues, from slowing smartphone sales to photo sharing and online advertising.

Here's a quick take on some of the most interesting findings.

1. *Mobile ads will grow by tens of billions of dollars in the coming years -- and will mostly line the pockets of Facebook and Google.*

The two Silicon Valley giants account for 76 percent of all U.S. Internet advertising. Google's share of the pie is far larger, but Facebook is growing more rapidly. Meeker sees mobile advertising growing another \$22 billion in the United States because the time consumers spend on mobile devices -- 25 percent -- is more than double the share of ad dollars the platform receives. However, a major concern is the 420 million smartphone users who utilize ad-blocking technology.

2. *Tech companies now run the two most lucrative brick-and-mortar stores.*

Diamonds are incredibly expensive, so Tiffany & Co. has always had one of the highest sales per square foot of retail space. But Apple surpassed it in recent years on the strength of its huge iPhone business. Now another tech company -- Warby Parker, which sells eyeglasses -- has also passed Tiffany & Co. Warby Parker began selling eyewear online, but now has 31 locations.

3. *The growth of photo sharing is stunning.*

More than three billion photos are shared everyday on Facebook, Facebook Messenger, Instagram, Snapchat and WhatsApp. This number has more than doubled in the last two years. The report also highlighted the rapid rise of Snapchat in just a few years. And while there are plenty of other platforms for

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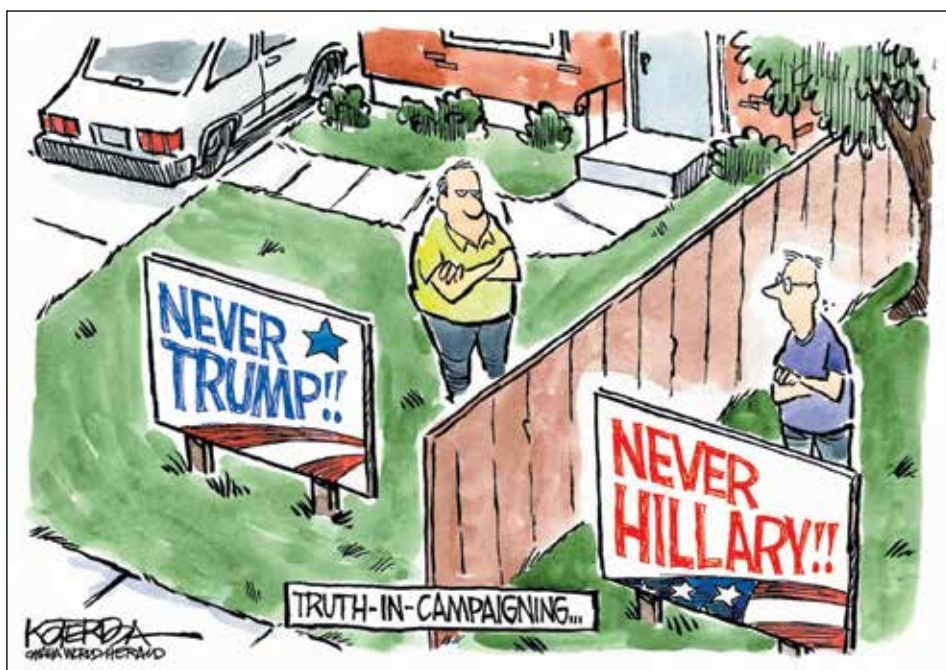
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HISTORIC HOMES LEAVE LEGACY FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS

By Ginny Butler, *president, Dayton Historic Depot Society*

Both of the featured homes this week are part of the South Side Historic District, which is a reminder of a past that had a bright and prosperous future. It is a timeline of the formation and growth of a small farming community that is still striving to flourish.

Dayton's Residential Districts are unique in that they feature several architectural styles and many variations within those styles. These reflect what was popular at the time they were built and also the unique individuals that built them.

This allows us to move through the past as we move through the districts. We can drive or walk through the district and know our place in the settlement of the west. It gives Daytonites a sense of self and place. It gives visitors a window into who we were and are today.

In the two residential historic districts, The Washington Street and the South Side, each home owner will face issues unique to their property. In the case of 402 S. First Street, the biggest challenge was how to add square feet without overpowering the original house. This Queen Anne Victorian

had been in the same family for many years. As lifestyles change, the need for a bigger, more open kitchen, a master bedroom and bath on the first floor and a TV/office were part of the wish list of the current members of this family who wished to retire in the home.

As you can see they were able to add to the back of the house in a way that left the character of the original structure intact. This sensitive, creative addition was able to give the owner everything they wanted but also to keep the historic nature of the home for future generations to enjoy.

The second house had been badly abused by enclosing part of the front porch, changing and adding strange doors and general neglect. By opening up the front porch to its original configuration, the bungalow architecture is revealed. Further digging revealed that part of this home was once a barn known as the "wedding barn" for the many weddings held there.

The level of craftsmanship and the superb quality of the materials used make these older structures well worth saving. These homes and the others both in the Districts and scattered throughout Dayton leave a historical legacy for future generations.



Courtesy Photos

Top row; The owners of this historic home on S. First Street were able to add square footage while maintaining the integrity of the home's Queen Anne Victorian style by adding to the back of the home.

Bottom row: Poor "renovations" to this home were removed to restore the home's original bungalow architecture.

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photo-sharing, they are all controlled by Facebook.

4. *Millennials don't want to talk on the phone.*

You might as well throw out that landline now.

Individuals born from 1981 through 1999 would rather hear from a business via social media, digital messaging or an app. Their least popular option is the telephone, with only 12 percent saying they preferred that option.

That's a stark contrast to Generation X and especially Baby Boomers and the so-called "Silent Generation," which was born before 1945. Those groups prefer the phone by far.

5. *A big warning for Apple -- smartphone growth is definitely plateauing.*

Smartphone users are still growing around the world. In 2007 only 34 percent of smartphone users worldwide were in Asia-Pacific. Now its share is 52 percent.

But in North America and Europe, the biggest gains appear to be in the past. This has huge implications for Apple, which leans on the iPhone for the majority of its profits.

6. *Consumer spend almost as much time commuting as on Facebook.*

Meeker suggests that the arrival of autonomous vehicles could free up a significant amount of time for consumers, creating a new entertainment opportunity for businesses.

But where will people spend their time? If this chart is any measure, Facebook could be a big winner. People are already spending more time on the social network than behind the wheel. Smartphone users in the U.S. and globally spend 80 percent of their time using only three apps.

In general, in looking through this report, you can see the dominance of Facebook's properties, whether it's their messaging apps or the flagship social network. There is little doubt we are living in the age of Facebook right now.

One final note from this report -- despite the launch of Apple Music and others in the music space, Spotify is still holding its ground, at least in terms of user engagement.

Of course, you can be on Facebook while listening to Spotify at the same time. Either way, both companies are probably pretty happy with how people are spending their time.

7. *We're creating and sharing more videos online.*

Consumers are increasingly sharing videos via platforms such as Facebook and Snapchat. In the most remarkable recent example a video of Candace Payne in a Chewbacca mask was viewed more than 153 million times. And now advertisers are looking for ways to co-opt these videos to reach potential customers. Snapchat offers sponsored video filters, such as Taco Bell's Cinco de Mayo Lens and Gatorade's Super Bowl Lens.

8. *There are more ways than ever to express ourselves via smartphones.*

Messaging is evolving from simple conversations to rich interactions complete with GIFs, videos, stickers and filters. While millennials communicate with text, today's teens communicate with images.

9. *Why type when you can talk to your smartphone?*

Meeker notes the massive uptick in Internet searches for apparent voice commands such as "call mom" and "navigate home." These commands have grown more than 35 times since 2008, according to Google Trends. Baidu, the Chinese Internet search giant, has seen a rapid increase in vocal queries. Its chief scientist Andrew Ng has predicted that in 2019 50 percent of Web searches will be voice or image activated.

Other voice-related offerings are growing too, such as Amazon's Echo, a wireless speaker that accounts for about 25 percent of the U.S. speaker market, according to 1010data Meeker cites. Google and Apple are reportedly building competing devices that also rely on voice activation.

Disclosure: Amazon chief executive Jeffrey P. Bezos owns The Washington Post.

Matt McFarland is the editor of Innovations.

Public Comment Needed on Regional Transportation Plan

By Michele Smith | THE TIMES

DAYTON—The Palouse Regional Transportation Planning Organization wants your input in identifying transportation priorities in Columbia County.

Do we need a passing lane on Highway 12, between Dayton and Waitsburg? Do we need a sidewalk corridor on Cameron Street and Highway 12? Do we need a bike path between Dayton and Waitsburg? Or do we need to improve Patit Road to Tucannon Road?

These are just some of the possible transportation related issues

that could be addressed by the Palouse RTPO, according to Port of Columbia Manager, Jennie Dickinson.

Last week members of the Palouse RPTO from the Port of Columbia, the City of Dayton, Columbia County, met with Palouse RPTO Planning Engineer, Shaun Darveshi, to discuss the 20-year transportation plan update, and to identify transportation related issues in the county, by taking a long-range transportation plan survey.

The Palouse RTPO is required by Federal and State regulations to develop a Regional Transportation

Improvement Program. The TIP is a financial plan to identify and prioritize federal and state-funded projects to be carried out in Columbia County, and in other counties in the Palouse region, Darveshi said.

Darveshi said the survey is available for anyone to take, and it can be found on the Palouse RTPO website.

"Let the county know," Dickinson urged.

For further information about the Palouse RTPO, or to take the on-line survey go to www.palouse-ertpo.org.

DAYTON'S 2016 ALL WHEELS WEEKEND SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

FRIDAY, JUNE 17

Car Corral and Swap Meet	East Main Street	12-7p.m.
Early Registration	Corner of 1st & Main	4-7 p.m.
Optional Cruise	Cruise around Region	Afternoon
Live Music - Cruise Control	Downtown S. 2nd	6-9:30 p.m.
Opening Ceremony - Presentation of Cars	HomeStreet Bank Parking Lot	7:30-9 p.m.

SATURDAY, JUNE 18

Registration	Corner of 1st & Main	7-10 a.m.
Show & Shine		9 a.m.-4 p.m.
Car Corral and Swap Meet	E. Main Street	9 a.m.-4 p.m.
Tribute to the Flag	by Markeeta Little Wolf	9:30 a.m.
Dingle's of Dayton Poker Walk		10 a.m.-2 p.m.
Outlaw Lawn Dragster Race	3rd & Main, by Columbia REA	10 a.m.
Men's "Drag" Races	2nd & Main, by Scott Hudson	2 p.m.
Trophy Presentation	Historic Depot, by Les Schwaab	4 p.m.
Beer Garden	Fairgrounds	3 p.m.
State Farm Demo Derby	Fairgrounds	5 p.m.

SUNDAY, JUNE 19

Father's Day Breakfast	Fairgrounds, by Skyline Juniors	8-11 a.m.
Golf Tournament	Golf Course, by Chief Springs Brew Pub	
\$10,000 Putting Contest!		9 a.m.

FORT WALLA WALLA DAYS ARE THIS WEEKEND

WALLA WALLA - The 17th annual two-day Fort Walla Walla Days event will take place June 11 and 12. The family festival celebrates Walla Walla Valley regional heritage with historic reenactors, live demonstrations, music, dancing, children's pioneer games, and more.

Historic reenactors, including fur traders, Civil War soldiers, Old West cowboys, Lewis and Clark era explorers, Texas Rangers and WWI soldiers will occupy encampments on the museum's 17-acre campus. A 19th century chuckwagon will be on display and Buffalo Soldier reenactors will be on hand celebrating the sesquicentennial of the start of the Buffalo Soldier's unit in 1866.

Other activities will include harness making

and blacksmith demonstrations, old-time music and dancing, food trucks, traditional craft demonstrations, book signings with local authors, and pioneer kid's games.

Saturday will feature a living history performance from Richard Monacelli as William McBean, an 1840's fur trader ad manager of the Hudson's Bay Company Fort. On Sunday, Dan and Barbara Clark will perform as E.B. and Maria Whitman for some old-time dancing.

Fort Walla Walla Days is included with the price of Museum admission, and visitors will have access to the Museum's regular exhibits in addition to the event. The current special exhibit, "Walla Walla and the World Wars," showcases over 400 artifacts, including uniforms, weapons, and

stories from local men and women who served during World Wars I and II. Also on display are over 200 images, many taken by Tech. Sgt. William "Bill" Mach, an army photographer stationed at the Walla Walla Army Air Base during the 1940s.

Fort Walla Walla Museum is located on Myra Road in Fort Walla Walla Park. The Museum is open daily from 10 am to 5 pm March through October and 10 am to 4 pm November through February. Admission is free to museum members and children under 6, Tamástslit Culture Institute Inwai Circle members, and CTUIR members with ID card; \$3 for children ages 6-12; \$7 for seniors (62 and older) and students; and \$8 general admission. Membership includes



Courtesy Image
A reenactor demonstrates blacksmithing at last year's festival.

free admission to more than 40 Living History performances and other benefits; prices begin at \$28. For more information, contact Fort Walla Walla Museum at (509) 525-7703 or e-mail info@fwwm.org. Visit online at fwwm.org.

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Photo by Michele Smith

Nathanial and Erin Murphy making truffles in their new suite at Blue Mountain Station.

Mary's Candies Moves Up

Local candy makers outgrow facilities yet again

By Michele Smith | THE TIMES

DAYTON—Where can you find such delectable sweets as salted caramels, strawberry truffles, and cashew brittle, as well as Rey's Roast truffles?

At Mary's Candies, at the Blue Mountain Station, of course.

On June 1 Mary's Candies moved out of Suite B and into a larger space at Suite H, where owner, and confectioners, Nathanial Murphy, and his

wife, Erin, continue to apply their candy-making skills, to sweeten the tooth of any candy-lover.

"We love the new space!" Murphy said.

"Business is really good. Community support has been wonderful," said Murphy.

The Murphys began Mary's Candies in the commercial kitchen at the Town Hall in Waitsburg in November, 2014. They moved into Suite B at the Blue Mountain Station in May, 2015.

Murphy began making candy to raise money for a food truck, an idea he has now abandoned due to the success of the confectionary, he said.

BOARD HEARS ABOUT YEAR-END ACTIVITIES, NEW PROGRAMS

BOARD WILL CONSIDER POSSIBILITIES FOR AN ALTERNATIVE LEARNING CENTER

Michele Smith
THE TIMES

DAYTON— At last week's school board meeting the board of directors heard from Superintendent Doug Johnson about the potential for an alternative learning program for Dayton High School students.

Johnson said he has been working with high school principal Paul Shaber, and with school board chairman Dan Butler, to explore some options.

"This is for students who don't like the activities of traditional education. It will be challenging to meet the needs of a kid who doesn't engage, or doesn't want to do school work online," he

said.

Johnson said problems include identifying funding, identifying the population who would be candidates for an alternative learning program, and the new expense generated by moving students into the program.

Johnson said ten to fifteen students with a full year commitment would be the goal.

Johnson also told the directors about recent State legislation requiring all school districts to participate in a Community Truancy Board Program. The goal is to give students with unexcused absences one more opportunity for intervention before they have to appear in court on truancy charges.

Johnson said it will be challenging, because it will take staff time to follow up on unexcused absences, which are few at this time.

High school principal Paul Shaber is working with court officials and is looking for volunteers from the community to create a truancy board, he said.

Johnson also said a budget for the 2016-17 school year for the spe-

cial education cooperative was approved at their last meeting. He said the co-op provides personnel, and special education expertise for the Dayton School District. Johnson sits on the advisory board for the cooperative, he told the directors.

ASB treasurer Isaac Garcia, and elementary principal Pam Lindsley told the directors about some of their end of the year activities.

Garcia gave a brief report on the academic awards ceremony, the spring sports award, the band concert, and the June 11 high school graduation.

Lindsley reported on the completion of State assessments, the election of elementary ASB officers, and the elementary talent show, which she said was a success.

"It's fun to see the different kids take part in the talent show," said Lindsley.

Lindsley also said she and her staff will be partnering with the Summer Youth program to provide a reading program with access to the school library, during that time.

Former DHS Grad Dies in Accident

Two former Dayton High School students involved in head-on collision

By Ian Smay
THE TIMES

SPRINGFIELD – Two former Dayton High School students were involved in a head-on collision on the Mackenzie River Highway near Springfield, Ore. over Memorial Day weekend. The crash left the driver, Kenndra Haney, age 21, dead and severely injured passenger Chase Holden, age 19.

The accident occurred shortly after midnight Sunday according to reports from the Oregon State Police. Both Haney and the driver of a 90s Mazda pickup were pronounced dead on the scene. The police stated that it is believed that alcohol consumption by the driver of the Mazda that struck Haney's 2004 Honda Civic is the contributing factor to the accident.

Haney graduated from Dayton High School as a member of the Class of 2014. There has been an outpouring of support and disbelief from her friends and former classmates, who are in shock over the untimely death of their former colleague. Messages of support and memories have been shared through Facebook and a gofundme donations page set



Courtesy Photo

A fundraising dinner will be held at Whiskey Canyon Sports Bar & Grill to help offset funeral costs for Kenndra Haney (l) who lost her life in a vehicle accident Memorial Day weekend. Gofundme accounts have been established for both Haney and Holden (r)

up in Kenndra's name to help the Haney family. The page can be found at <https://www.gofundme.com/26zc6fzw>.

Holden, who was the passenger in Haney's car when the crash occurred, also attended Dayton schools for different periods of time over his academic career. He sustained life-threatening injuries and underwent surgery for an aneurism in his heart. According to the last report Holden was out of ICU and due to be released from Sacred Heart Riverbend in Springfield.

A gofund me account has been set up to help with Holden's medical expenses at www.gofundme.com/Chase-T-Holden.

The Whiskey Canyon Sports Bar & Grill in Waitsburg will host a benefit dinner to help the Haney family cover

expenses during this difficult time.

Rick Haney, Kenndra's father, is the Head Chef and Kitchen Manager of Whiskey Canyon and has been with the restaurant since its opening. Reservations are \$50 per person.

The dinner will take place on Sat., June 18th from 6 – 8 p.m. The dinner will consist of Whiskey Canyon's classic Prime Rib with classic horseradish cream and au jus, Yorkshire pudding, potatoes au gratin, carrots ala vichy, and green salad with champagne vinaigrette.

The restaurant and bar will be closed to dining and drinking until the completion of the benefit dinner. Reservations are required, so it is asked that you call ahead to (509) 337-6780 as seats are limited.

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a great staff to work with and most of what I have to do is keep us on the same page together." He went on to praise the community and his co-workers for helping make the transition as smooth as possible. "Since I had never been a principal before, I really didn't know what to expect. I tried very hard to come into the job without expectation and it has been helpful."

His appreciation of the Dayton community didn't stop there, however. "I appreciate that this is a small town and the focus on the family that I feel tends to go with it. Most of the people I know are quite capable of having a meal as a family and feel that it is important," stated Shaber when asked his feelings about his new home. "It is my sincere hope that my efforts this year demonstrate to the community my dedication to students and their success."

One clear trait of Shaber's is his humble nature. He deflected taking credit for any accomplishments since he has been at the helm at DHS. "Although I will sometimes get credit for positive change, I don't accomplish anything by myself. I work with an incredible staff and a supporting community to help our students succeed."

While it is obvious that he holds his staff in high regards, the feelings are reciprocated by his cohorts. Rob Moore, who is nearing the last of his 29 years at DHS, said, "Mr. Shaber has been a very steady and calming influence since day one. He has a vision for the future and the vision to guide us there. DHS is very fortunate to have him in the fold."

Dan Nechodom, another teacher at DHS, said, "I've appreciated how he has worked to strike a balance between lis-

tening to what has been done before and bringing in fresh ideas. He is very good at making sure that a student knows that they've been heard."

These feelings were echoed by teacher Doug Yenny, who added, "Mr. Shaber has shown to be committed to supporting all students and teachers in the classroom. He's also supportive of athletics, encouraging students participate. I have appreciated the feeling of support in my capacity as teacher and Knowledge Bowl coach. I'm looking for Mr. Shaber to lead our school to great things in the very near future."

Shaber is viewed in a very positive light by his students. He is seen as a positive influence that really knows how to connect with his students, and feel that Shaber has gotten to know the kids personally. His efforts to bolster participation in extracurricular activities including sports and clubs is seen as a great step forward, as it was an issue that DHS had been struggling with in the last few years.

"A very smart man once told me that this job is all about relationships and I absolutely believe that," commented Shaber.

Looking forward, Shaber knows that it is not always easy to plan for the future. However, he has high hopes for the coming years at Dayton. When asked about his plans for the forthcoming terms at DHS, Shaber replied, "This is a difficult question to address. Do I have plans? Yes! I want Dayton High School to be one of the best places to get an education in the United States! Unfortunately, I have difficulty seeing what major changes might get us there so I will instead make small changes that continue to lead us in the right direction."

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The Times

Waitsburg Elementary Students Enjoy Art Experience

BUSHES 'N BRIX OWNER BARB NEWBY INSPIRES CREATIVITY IN STUDENTS

By Dena Wood | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG – Several Waitsburg teachers had so much fun attending painting classes at Brushes 'n Brix that they decided to bring share the experience with their students. The elementary school teachers used ASB funds to bring art instructor Barb Newby to Waitsburg to spend two days creating works of art with Kindergarten through fifth grade students.

Newby said several of the Waitsburg teachers had painted at her studio, located at the Walla Walla Regional Airport, and had even brought in their own children to paint with them.

“They asked if I would be interested in coming to Waitsburg and, of course, I jumped at the chance. I had so much fun painting with these kids. They are awesome!” she said.

Newby says she especially loves painting with children because they are free to express themselves and when you offer a suggestion they are thrilled to try it. “Most kids paint faster than adults and I have to work at keeping ahead of them,” she said.

Newby said it was “a wonderful challenge” to come up with a themed series of paintings for all the grades. She settled on fun, colorful sunsets, with silhouetted objects, except for

the kindergarten class, which painted a ladybug in the grass.

The students learned how to blend colors, how to use a paint brush, different strokes, and about acrylic paints. Newby said the students were excited about the challenge and the fact that each grade painted something different.

Fourth grade teacher Deanna Coulston agreed. “We as a staff are always looking for ways to bring new experiences to the students at our elementary school. Bringing Barb proved to e a wonderful opportunity to present our students with a fun art experience that left them feeling proud of their accomplishment. It was fun to see their creativity and uniqueness displayed on canvas.

“The kids loved painting with me and wished they could have done more than one painting. I received a lot of high fives, hugs, and one thank you painting,” Newby said.

Brushes 'n Brix offers a variety of painting classes and hosts many types of parties. Children are welcome at any times except Friday and Saturday nights. Newby also offers an Open Paint Day the third Sunday of each month at 2 p.m. where everyone can choose what they would like to paint and everyone does something different.

“The classes are relaxing and fun. And you don't have to know how to pain!” Newby said. Learn more at www.brushesnrix.com or visit Newby on Facebook at Brushes 'n Brix, where you can see recent paintings, including those of Waitsburg students.



Photos by Dena Wood

Clockwise from top: The Waitsburg Elementary School fourth grade class proudly displays their sunset silhouette paintings. A group of girls concentrate as they unleash their creativity to find their own unique interpretation of the project. Art instructor Barb Newby demonstrates how to layer paint colors to achieve richness and depth in a painting.

SETTING THE BAR



Photos by Dena Wood

Waitsburg Elementary students, many dressed in red and black, lined the school halls Thursday afternoon eagerly anticipating the arrival of WHS soon-to-be grads in Waitsburg's first Senior Walk Through. Grade schoolers offered handshakes and high-fives to the Class of 2016 graduating seniors. It was an opportunity for seniors to be honored and younger students to be inspired.

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such as how many sessions there will be, what the hours will be, and how many days a week the program will run.

WWCC Early Childhood & Parent Education Director Samantha Bowen said they are hopeful there will be enough interest in the program to add an additional session, expanding from one part-day session, to two part-day sessions. She said WWCC is currently negotiating new contracts with preschool staff.

Bowen said the program includes early childhood education in a part-day preschool classroom; social and emotional development; nutritious meals and snacks; health and dental screenings; family support and parent involvement.

Johnson says she has been an ardent supporter for early education because of all the research stressing the importance of early learning – even as early as in utero – on brain development.

“In the time from age 0-5, before they usually come into kindergarten, most of a child's brain has already been developed. If you have a child that misses out on the necessary exposure to vocabulary especially, during that time, it's been shown that they will never catch up,” Johnson said.

“It has nothing to do with intelligence. It has to do with opportunities. If you take that same impoverished group of children – children who have not had a rich culture of education – they struggle in school, struggle with speech, they are not ready for kindergarten.

“If we intervene at age three or four, we have a much better chance of exposing all children to the same learning opportunities to help with brain development and learning,” Johnson added.

Another advantage to the WWCC partnership is the fact that ECEAP is aligned with Common Core standards and the assessments used to measure student growth is the same used in kindergarten in the state of Washington, said Clarke.

Our kindergarten teacher should be able to pull up records and see where a child started in preschool and where they are when starting kindergarten. It could potentially save a lot of time since she would no longer need to spend the first month assessing students, Clarke added.

Clarke said the district kitchen will provide one family-style meal and one snack for each preschool session, the costs of which will be reimbursed. She said ECEAP meals are served family-style to encourage engagement and social interaction.

Clarke said district-provided transportation is also reimbursable, but the problem now is finding enough staff to cover the runs. She said they are working on that now.

“Walla Walla Community College and Waitsburg School District have a long standing relationship, providing parent cooperative preschool in Waitsburg for more than 30 years. I am grateful for the support of the school district board and their recent decision to expand this opportunity to all families beginning in the fall of 2016,” said Bowen.

“I'm excited this is happening. I think it's going to make the job for the elementary teachers better. They are going to have children more prepared or at least we'll see those kids that need additional resources early on,” Johnson said.

Clarke said letters have gone out letting parents know about the preschool and registration forms are available in the elementary school office. Interested parties may learn more by contacting Samantha Bowen, WWCC Director of Early Childhood & Parenting Education, by calling (509) 524-5144 or emailing samantha.bowen@wwcc.edu.

Area Pools To Open Soon

Local swimming pools provide fun place to cool off, offer various programs

Ian Smay | THE TIMES

With the school year coming to a close for local schools, the recreational pools of Dayton, Prescott, and Waitsburg are all nearing their opening days. This will provide a much needed way for local residents to have fun and cool off over the grueling summer months.

Dayton

Dayton's City Pool will open on June 15, which coincides with the final day of school for the Dayton School District. The first day will include free admission for all patrons, and will include open swim sessions from 1-5 p.m. and another session from 6-8 p.m. The pool will continue to operate until Dayton schools start the new year in late August.

Dayton's daily admission is \$3 for anyone above the age of five for open swim, lap swim, and aquasize sessions. Children ages five and under are free with a paying adult/patron.

They will also offer season passes for people that plan on using the pool regularly over the summer. The rates for season passes are \$60 for an individual pass and \$120 for a family pass that covers up to four people, with a \$25 charge for each additional member. This pass covers the three sessions mentioned above.

Dayton's operating hours for Monday through Friday start with an early bird Lap Swim from 7-8 a.m., followed by swim team practice from 8-10 a.m.. Swim lessons will take place in 30 minute blocks from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

The first session of daily Aquasize is from 12-1 p.m., which is then followed by day open swim from 1-5 p.m. Afternoon Aquasize occupies the 5-6 p.m. hour, and the day concludes with night open swim from 6-8 p.m.

On Saturdays, Dayton only opens for the open

swim sessions, with the rest of the time being available for those who are interested in privately renting the pool. Sundays have no scheduled hours and are only open for rentals.

Swim lessons are offered for all ages, and more information can be obtained through the City of Dayton or from the City Pool. Lessons cost \$35 and last two weeks per session.

There is a summer swim team that also operates through the Dayton City Pool, where practices are held Monday-Friday. More information can be obtained at the City Pool.

Prescott

Prescott's municipal pool is also opening soon. Their first day is June 11th, and it also operates until the end of August. Their regular operating hours are from noon to 7 p.m. on weekends and 1-7 p.m. on the weekdays.

Swimming lessons begin on June 21, and will start at 10 a.m. Tuesday-Friday for two weeks, each session. They will be offered continuously throughout the summer.

They offer all levels of instruction, from Mom & Tots to advanced levels. Lap swim and water aerobics will be offered from 7-8 p.m. on weekdays so long as there is sufficient interest and participation.

Family passes are \$110 and cover two adults and all minors of the same household, while individual passes are \$55. Daily charges are \$4 for adults 18-65, while children ages 9-17 and seniors 65+ are \$3. Children five and under are free with a paying adult.

There are a couple of special events happening at the Prescott pool over the summer as well. The Tri-Cities Steel Drum group is hosting a concert in the park on July 6th at 7 p.m. The concert is by donation, and you are recommended to bring a chair or blanket.

The country/gospel group Hand Picked will perform a by-donation concert on July 13th. There will be more events and concerts added as the summer moves along.

Waitsburg

Waitsburg City Pool will open on June 13 and is planning on holding its last day on August 20. Public Swim will be held Monday-Friday from 1-5 p.m. and from 6-8 p.m. with only the earlier session being of-



Times File Photo

A youngster makes a literal "dunk shot" as he cools down at the Waitsburg City Pool last summer. Dayton, Waitsburg, and Prescott pools will be opening soon.

ferred on Saturdays. Lap Swim is Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5-6 p.m. in between the public swim hours.

Daily admission is \$2 a person, while children five and under are free with a paying adult. Season passes are available, with a family pass costing \$80 for five people, with additional members costing \$10 each. Individual passes are \$40.

Swimming lessons are free, and the first session runs from July 12-22, Tuesday-Friday. There are four levels being offered, and each session lasts 30 minutes. If necessary, a second run of swim lessons will be offered from July 26 - August 5, and will be comprised of the same levels and times.

The pool is also available to rent through City Hall and costs \$60 an hour.

KEEPING KIDS BUSY

Pairing high school kids with businesses, Summer Youth Program, Teen Scene Program

By Michele Smith
THE TIMES

DAYTON - Andrew Holt of the Dayton Chamber of Commerce and Dayton High School Principal Paul Shaber have been working on creating an internship program, pairing high school students with businesses.

The idea is to offer students experience in the work world, and provide a little extra help for businesses, Holt said.

The internships can be paid or unpaid, and they can be ongoing, into the school year, Shaber said.

Students will have to go through the application and interview process with the business owner, he said.

The Summer Youth Program and Teen Scene is being offered to local youth again this summer, according to Laura Tolman at the Blue Mountain Counseling Center.

Adult volunteers are needed for both programs, Tolman said.

The Summer Youth Program is for first through fifth graders, and will begin on June 20 and run until July 29, Tolman said.

Summer Youth Pro-

gram activities will include swimming, trips to the park, a Liberty Theater movie day, puppets, origami, slip and slide days, crafts, and a variety of workshops, and much more. Kids taking swimming lessons, will be chaperoned to and from the City Pool, she said.

Breakfast, lunch and two snacks are included.

The cost for the Summer Youth Program is \$75 per child.

Teen Scene, for sixth graders and students up to age eighteen, will run from June 21 through July 28, and will take place on Tuesdays through Thursdays, Tolman said.

Some of the activities are; black light bowling, black light laser tag, miniature golf, and out of town trips, one of which will be to the waterpark in Clarkston.

There will be a one-time fee of \$50 for all out of town activities, she said.

There is also a Hells Canyon jet boat tour planned with a one-time fee of \$25 for that, she said.

Registration forms for the Summer Youth Program or Teen Scene can be obtained from the Blue Mountain Counseling Center at 221 East Washington Avenue. For further information, or to volunteer, call Laura Tolman at 382-1164.

To inquire about offering internships to high school students in your business contact Paul Shaber at: 382-4775 or by email at: pauls@daytonsd.org

FOOTBALL FUN



Photos by Dena Wood

More than 50 boys, in grades three through eight, spent last Saturday practicing football fundamentals at a day camp in Waitsburg. The kids were drilled by the Waitsburg-Dayton coaches and a half-dozen or more high school football players.



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RAFFLE TICKETS \$10

Tickets available at NAPA, State Farm, Snapdragon, Wenaha Gallery, Best Western, Dayton Chamber of Commerce office and The Times office in Waitsburg. Drawing will be held June 18. For more information, call (509) 382-4825.



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GRADUATION



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Far Left: Carol Clarke presents Caitlin Mohney with the P.E.O. Citizenship Award. Center: Board chair Ross Hamann smiles as Coe Richards responds enthusiastically to a supportive crowd. Left: Caitlyn Jones and Trey Potts are recognized for enlisting in the military.

GRADUATION - FROM PAGE 1

Not one time did one of us have doubts about whether or not we could achieve an education beyond high school and achieve any job we could possibly want thanks to our encouraging and kind teachers," Branson said.

Valedictorian Stuart Walsh, son of Jim and Ann Walsh, graduates with a 3.64 GPA. Walsh participated in Knowledge Bowl and Leos Club all four years of high school and was inducted into the National Honor Society as a sophomore. During his junior year he attended Evergreen Boys State where he served as State Attorney General. He

serves as ASB and National Honor Society presidents his senior year and was a Waitsburg City Council student representative. Walsh plans to study engineering at Washington State University.

In his commencement address, Walsh reflected on favorite memories and thanked the school staff and family members for their support. "As I look at the Class of 2016 I see eager-eyed students who are about to dive into their college life, some starting their technical school life, some starting their military life, or even some plunging feet-first into the workforce. No matter what life we choose or where it takes us we'll never forget where we came from and we'll never forget the adversities we

overcame and the good times we had as a class at Waitsburg High School," Walsh said.

Special presentations were made to Caitlyn Jones and Trey Potts, who received a standing ovation, for their plans to join the Air Force and Army, respectively, after graduation.

Caitlin Mohney was presented with the P.E.O. Citizenship Award given for outstanding citizenship, character, and service. Mohney's name will be added to a plaque that hangs in the WHS office. She also received a cash award of \$1,000.

Eric Rohde presented the \$1,000 Ernest Rohde Scholarship to alumnus Luke Alexenko who is attending East-

ern Washington University with plans to become a teacher.

Retired Waitsburg teacher Margie Douglas awarded the first \$1,000 Fanciullo-Douglas Scholarship to Stuart Walsh.

Scholarships were awarded (see list below) followed by the presentations of the valedictorians and salutatorians. The class was presented by Class President Caitlyn Jones and received their diplomas from school board chairman Ross Hamann.

The newly graduated class exited the gymnasium to the fitting strains of Simple Mind's "Don't You (Forget About Me)," the theme song of The Breakfast Club.

HONOR SPEECH - CAITLYN JONES

When I think of Waitsburg High School's Class of 2016, I think of a truly rare group of classmates. Nothing can ever compare to this group of unique individuals. There have been many ups and downs, but we never gave up on each other. We know one another's weaknesses and build up each other's strengths.



Our class has always done things differently and I can assure you this was frustrating at times for the teachers. How they were willing to put up with us, I could honestly not tell you. Their faith in us truly helped build us into the young men and women you see sitting here today. The things we felt were important as a class we accomplished beautifully. The Class of 2016 has always taken the path less traveled on. From how we did class work, to picking our caps and gowns. Our class has always been accepting of new students and expressed our love for one another in interesting ways. Graduation will open many doors and opportunities for all of us. We have been granted with a wave of grace. The Waitsburg High School Class of 2016 will be one that cannot be forgotten. "You see us as you want to see us. In the simplest terms, in the most convenient definitions. But what we found out is that each one of us is a brain, and an athlete, and a basket case, a princess, and a misfit." The Breakfast Club gives the best way to explain the Class of 2016. You guys have truly made high school an unforgettable experience. Congratulations to the Waitsburg High School's Class of 2016. We have completed the best part of our lives. You all will accomplish wonderful things in life.

utes before we are given our diplomas. Not one time did one of us have doubts about whether or not we could achieve an education beyond high school and achieve any job we could possibly want thanks to our encouraging and kind teachers. We as a class thank you, the teachers of Waitsburg, for all you have done for us.

"Memories are not the key to the past but the future." The memories we have from our parents and teachers should not be forgotten but instead used by us as reminders of how we can ensure our futures follow what we have planned for them. Each of us graduating today have the ability to do amazing things with our lives all we have to do is follow the examples set by our family members and teachers and use the integrity we all have to go out and make our lives what we want them to be.

how we all will live many different lives within our lifetime, such as our elementary school life, our middle school life, our high school life and so on. This got me thinking. We aren't just casually wandering off to find the next thing to do. We're embarking completely new lives, far different lives from those of our past. When I look at the class of 2016 I see eager-eyed students who are about to dive into their college life, some starting their technical school life, some starting their military life, or even some plunging feet-first into the workforce. No matter what life we choose or where it takes us we'll never forget where we came from and we'll never forget the adversities we overcame and the good times we had as a class at Waitsburg High School.

SALUTATORIAN ADDRESS - STUART WALSH

Well, this sure came quick. It seems like just weeks ago we were all walking into Waitsburg High School without the slightest clue of how to navigate hallways and seemingly endless stairs to our classes. I'm sure I can speak for most of the class saying: I can vividly remember racing up, down, and through the halls in a frantic search for the correct classroom and even barging into the wrong one. But Hey, look at us now, we lived through it. We know this school like the back of our hands as well as some of the memories created here.



As we move on through our life friendships and contact may fade between us, but hopefully these memories will not. Unforgettable memories like Austin falling several feet out of a tree on the night of eight-grade promotion, landing with a ground-shaking thump. Or even the time when Penner & I organized a flash mob in middle school, where the whole class agreed to participate, but Penner & I were the only ones to actually carry it out, resulting in lots of laughs and a detention for the both of us. These memories have shaped my high school years, as well as other countless antics.

Despite all this we're here together....still kickin' and ready for the next big adventure. However, we couldn't have done it alone. Not without the support of our school's staff, and our loved ones. The custodians for being able to clean up any mess we could throw at them, like Mark's Mountain Dew in the bathroom ceiling incident, or having to take apart the school ventilation system to retrieve my sweater, after it was eaten by the shop vents, resulting in a fire-hazard.

Not only must we thank the custodians, but the school administration and the teachers as well. No matter how difficult, or albeit lazy, we could all be, the teachers were with us every step of the way, repeatedly giving us every chance of success possible. Through Mr. Leid's "unconventional" ways of managing us, or Mrs. Groom's ability to answer virtually any question we could throw at her, or even the incessant nagging of our parents. During our time at Waitsburg High School we have become who we are today. A motley group of young adults, shaped and molded by experiences and memories we've had here at Waitsburg High School.

Well, class of 2016, we finally made it. We stand here together on the cusp not just a new future, but a new life. Reminiscing back to earlier this year, I was sitting across the class with my attention wavering in and out. Mrs. Groom was giving the class a lecture that commanded back my attention. This lecture spoke of

VALEDICTORIAN ADDRESS - ZION BRANSON

As we sit before you today, soon to be graduates, I can assure you each of us are thinking one thing, this is the start of our futures, the next chapter in our lives, but what will I make of myself? Everything we have done up to this point in our lives, with the help of our teachers and families, has been preparing us for our futures



"Education is the passport to the future, for tomorrow belongs to those who prepare for it today." I believe nothing to be truer than how our education we were given at Waitsburg will help each of us graduates be properly prepared for our futures wherever that may take us or have us doing from college to jobs to having families of our own. But how is it that our graduating class can be so prepared for our futures? Each of the members of our graduating class has families that influence them greatly to be as successful as they can be in every aspect of their lives with parents and grandparents showing us how we can be good parents and husbands and wives in the future, as well as preparing us for the great futures we can lead in other aspects of our lives. Our families have always been there for us and we are very thankful for all they have done for us. We also owe a significant amount of what we will accomplish in our lives thanks to the great teachers we have at Waitsburg. Our teachers have been guiding our education from the first time we walked through the elementary doors up until now, just min-

2016 WAITSBURG HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

STUART WALSH

Washington State University Scholarship \$2,000 for four years
Fanciullo-Douglas Scholarship \$1,000
Patricia K. Hubbard Memorial \$1,000
Waitsburg Lions Scholarship \$1,000
Hevel Waitsburg Scholarship \$1,000
Joe McCown Wait-Hi Scholarship \$1,000
Waitsburg Fireman's Association \$500
DeNova Club Scholarship \$500
Stuart will attend Washington State University.

CAITLIN ANN MOHNEY

Falconer Scholarship \$1,250
PEO Citizenship Award \$1,000
Joe McCown Wait-Hi Scholarship \$1,000
Waitsburg Fireman's Association \$500
Waitsburg Amer. Legion Scholarship \$500
Caitlin will attend Washington State University-Tri-Cities.

ZION BRANSON

Waitsburg Lions Scholarship \$1,000
Waitsburg Teacher's \$500
Zion will attend Lewis-Clark State College.

ALEXUS SNYDER

T.B. Elliott Student Scholarship \$1,000
Alexus will attend Walla Walla Community College.

LEVI HATFIELD

Rotary Club Scholarship \$1,000
Dave Nicholas Memorial Scholarship \$500
Levi will attend Walla Walla Community College.

ANISSA HOLMBERG

Western Undergraduate Exchange \$8,000
Charlotte Mikkelson Scholarship \$500
Anissa will attend Lewis-Clark State College.

BAILEY ADAMS

Earl and Lucille Blake Scholarship \$1,000
Dave Nicholas Memorial Scholarship \$500
Waitsburg Amer. Legion Scholarship \$500
Bailey will attend Lewis-Clark State College.

JAIDYN BROWN

Waitsburg Amer. Legion Scholarship \$500
Jaidyn will attend Walla Walla Community College.

LEGAL NOTICES

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Act, these local governments hereby notify all businesses that they will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises as defined at 49 CFR Part 26 will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids or proposals in response to any invitations and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, national origin, or sex in consideration for an award.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The City of Prescott will be reviewing the final draft of Prescott's 6yr Street Plan at the next Council Meeting, which will be held at the Prescott City Hall, on Monday June 13, 2016 @ 7:30pm. The Citizens of Prescott are welcome to attend and hear what has been proposed in our draft 6yr Street Plan.

Linda Vannoster,
Clerk-Treasurer
City of Prescott

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NOTICE OF ADOPTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on May 31, 2016, the Board of County Commissioners of Walla Walla County, Washington adopted the following:

Ordinance No. 443, as follows: ADOPTING AN INTERIM ORDINANCE TEMPORARILY AMENDING THE COUNTY ZONING MAP TO ASSIGN ZONING TO TWO PARCELS RECENTLY DE-ANNEXED FROM THE CITY OF COLLEGE PLACE, IN UNINCORPORATED WALLA WALLA COUNTY.

The in its entirety is available from the Walla Walla County Commissioners' Office, County Public Health and Legislative Building, 314 West Main (Room 203)/P. O. Box 1506, Walla Walla, WA 99362, or call 509/524-2505 to make a public records request.

Dated this 31st day of May, 2016

Board of County Commissioners
Walla Walla County, Washington

By: Connie R. Vinti, Clerk of the Board

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Pursuant to the Revised Code of Washington 61.24, et seq. TS No.: WA-15-677549-SW APN No.: 35-07-25-51-0601 Title Order No.: 1507-WA-2657825 Deed of Trust Grantor(s): DON APPLEBEE JR Deed of Trust Grantee(s): MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. (MERS) AS NOMINEE FOR NETMORE AMERICA INC., DBA HOME LOAN CENTER OF WASHINGTON Deed of Trust Instrument/ Reference No.: 2008-03919 I. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington, the undersigned Trustee, will on 7/8/2016, at 10:00 AM at the main entrance of the Walla Walla County Courthouse, 315 W. Main, Walla Walla, WA sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder, payable in the form of credit bid or cash bid in the form of cashier's check or certified checks from federally or State chartered banks, at the time of sale the following described real property, situated in the County of WALLA WALLA, State of Washington, to-wit: THE NORTH 62' OF LOTS 1 AND 2, BLOCK 6 OF BLALOCK ADDITION TO WALLA WALLA, AS PER PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN VOLUME B OF PLATS AT PAGE 40, RECORDS OF WALLA WALLA COUNTY. SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF WALLA WALLA, STATE OF WASHINGTON. More commonly known as: 235 Offner Road, Walla Walla, WA 99362 which is subject to that

certain Deed of Trust dated 4/17/2008, recorded 4/21/2008, under 2008-03919 records of WALLA WALLA County, Washington, from DON APPLEBEE JR, AN UNMARRIED PERSON, as Grantor(s), to LAND TITLE OF WALLA WALLA COUNTY INC. (WA), as Trustee, to secure an obligation in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. (MERS) AS NOMINEE FOR NETMORE AMERICA INC., DBA HOME LOAN CENTER OF WASHINGTON, as Beneficiary, the beneficial interest in which was assigned by MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. (MERS) AS NOMINEE FOR NETMORE AMERICA INC., DBA HOME LOAN CENTER OF WASHINGTON (or by its successors-in-interest and/or assigns, if any), to Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC. II. No action commenced by the Beneficiary of the Deed of Trust is now pending to seek satisfaction of the obligation in any Court by reason of the Borrower's or Grantor's default on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust/Mortgage. III. The default(s) for which this foreclosure is made is/are as follows: Failure to pay when due the following amounts which are now in arrears: \$9,906.28 IV. The sum owing on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust is: The principal sum of \$73,750.86, together with interest as provided in the Note from 1/1/2015 on, and such other costs and fees as are provided by statute. V. The above-described real property will be sold to satisfy the expense of sale and the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust as provided by statute. Said sale will be made without warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances on 7/8/2016. The defaults referred to in Paragraph III must be cured by 6/27/2016 (11 days before the sale date) to cause a discontinuance of the sale. The sale will be discontinued and terminated if at any time before 6/27/2016 (11 days before the sale) the default as set forth in Paragraph III is cured and the Trustee's fees and costs are paid. Payment must be in cash or with cashiers or certified checks from a State or federally chartered bank. The sale may be terminated any time after the 6/27/2016 (11 days before the sale date) and before the sale, by the Borrower or Grantor or the holder of any recorded junior lien or encumbrance by paying the principal and interest, plus costs, fees and advances, if any, made pursuant to the terms of the obligation and/or Deed of Trust, and curing all other defaults. VI. A written Notice of Default was transmitted by the Beneficiary or Trustee to the Borrower and Grantor at the following address(es): NAME DON APPLEBEE JR, AN UNMARRIED PERSON ADDRESS 235 Offner Road, Walla Walla, WA 99362 by both first class and certified mail, proof of which is in the possession of the Trustee; and the Borrower and Grantor were personally served, if applicable, with said written Notice of Default or the written Notice of Default was posted in a conspicuous place on the real property described in Paragraph I above, and the Trustee has possession of proof of such service or posting. These requirements were completed as of 1/13/2016. VII. The Trustee whose name and address are set forth below will provide in writing to anyone requesting it, a statement of all costs and fees due at any time prior to the sale. VIII. The effect of the sale will be to deprive the Grantor and all those who hold by, through or under the Grantor of all their interest in the above-described property. IX. Anyone having any objections to this sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to be heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the sale pursuant to RCW 61.24.130. Failure to bring such a lawsuit may result in a waiver of any proper grounds for invalidating the Trustee's sale. NOTICE TO OCCUPANTS OR TENANTS - The purchaser at the Trustee's Sale is entitled to possession of the property on the 20 th day following the sale,

as against the Grantor under the deed of trust (the owner) and anyone having an interest junior to the deed of trust, including occupants who are not tenants. After the 20 th day following the sale the purchaser has the right to evict occupants who are not tenants by summary proceedings under Chapter 59.12 RCW. For tenant-occupied property, the purchaser shall provide a tenant with written notice in accordance with RCW 61.24.060. THIS NOTICE IS THE FINAL STEP BEFORE THE FORECLOSURE SALE OF YOUR HOME. You have only 20 DAYS from the recording date of this notice to pursue mediation. DO NOT DELAY. CONTACT A HOUSING COUNSELOR OR AN ATTORNEY LICENSED IN WASHINGTON NOW to assess your situation and refer you to mediation if you are eligible and it may help you save your home. See below for safe sources of help. SEEKING ASSISTANCE Housing counselors and legal assistance may be available at little or no cost to you. If you would like assistance in determining your rights and opportunities to keep your house, you may contact the following: The statewide foreclosure hotline for assistance and referral to housing counselors recommended by the Housing Finance Commission: Toll-free: 1-877-894-HOME (1-877-894-4663) or Web site: http://www.dfi.wa.gov/consumers/homeownership/post_purchase_counselors_foreclosure.htm. The United States Department of Housing and Urban Development: Toll-free: 1-800-569-4287 or National Web Site: <http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD> or for Local counseling agencies in Washington: <http://www.hud.gov/offices/hsg/sfh/hcc/fc/index.cfm?webListAction=search&searchstate=WA&filterSvc=dfc> The statewide civil legal aid hotline for assistance and referrals to other housing counselors and attorneys: Telephone: 1-800-606-4819 or Web site: <http://nwjustice.org/what-clear>. If the sale is set aside for any reason, including if the Trustee is unable to convey title, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the monies paid to the Trustee. This shall be the Purchaser's sole and exclusive remedy. The purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Trustor, the Trustee, the Beneficiary, the Beneficiary's Agent, or the Beneficiary's Attorney. If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holders right's against the real property only. QUALITY MAY BE CONSIDERED A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBTAND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE AS required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. Dated: 2/24/2016 Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington, as Trustee By: Philip Martin, President Trustee's Mailing Address: Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington C/O Quality Loan Service Corp. 411 Ivy Street, San Diego, CA 92101 (866) 645-7711 Trustee's Physical Address: Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington 108 1 st Ave South, Suite 202 Seattle, WA 98104 (866) 925-0241 Sale Line: 916.939.0772 Or Login to: <http://wa.qualityloan.com> TS No.: WA-15-677549-SW State of:) County of:) On before me, a notary public, personally appeared iec), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument. I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct. WITNESS my hand and official seal. (Seal) Signature IDSPub #0102465 6/9/2016 6/30/2016

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Pursuant to the Revised Code of Washington 61.24, et seq. TS No.: WA-15-690194-SW APN No.: 35-07-25-64-0014 Title Order No.: TSG1404-WA-1616357 Deed of Trust Grantor(s): Juan Palomo Deed of Trust Grantee(s): MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. (MERS) AS NOMINEE FOR INDYMAC BANK, F.S.B., A FEDERALLY CHARTERED SAVINGS BANK Deed of Trust Instrument/ Reference No.: 2008-03134 I. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington, the undersigned Trustee, will on 7/8/2016, at 10:00 AM at the main entrance of the Walla Walla County Courthouse, 315 W. Main, Walla Walla, WA sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder, payable in the form of credit bid or cash bid in the form of cashier's check or certified checks from federally or State chartered banks, at the time of sale the following described real property, situated in the County of WALLA WALLA, State of Washington, to-wit: LOT 14 OF MAJERUS' ADDITION TO THE CITY OF COLLEGE PLACE, PHASE 1, AS RECORDED IN ROLL FILE NO. 6 AT PAGE B-2, RECORDS OF WALLA WALLA COUNTY, WASHINGTON. A.P.N.: 35-07-25-64-0014 More commonly known as: 308 Ne Fernwood Place, College Place, WA 99324 which is subject to that certain Deed of Trust dated 3/27/2008, recorded 4/1/2008, under 2008-03134 records of WALLA WALLA County, Washington, from JUAN PALOMO, A SINGLE PERSON, as Grantor(s), to LAND TITLE OF WALLA WALLA, as Trustee, to secure an obligation in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. (MERS) AS NOMINEE FOR INDYMAC BANK, F.S.B., A FEDERALLY CHARTERED SAVINGS BANK, as Beneficiary, the beneficial interest in which was assigned by MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. (MERS) AS NOMINEE FOR INDYMAC BANK, F.S.B., A FEDERALLY CHARTERED SAVINGS BANK (or by its successors-in-interest and/or assigns, if any), to Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC. II. No action commenced by the Beneficiary of the Deed of Trust is now pending to seek satisfaction of the obligation in any Court by reason of the Borrower's or Grantor's default on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust/Mortgage. III. The default(s) for which this foreclosure is made is/are as follows: Failure to pay when due the following amounts which are now in arrears: \$43,573.40 IV. The sum owing on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust is: The principal sum of \$187,486.82, together with interest as provided in the Note from 2/1/2014 on, and such other costs and fees as are provided by statute. V. The above-described real property will be sold to satisfy the expense of sale and the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust as provided by statute. Said sale will be made without warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances on 7/8/2016. The defaults referred to in Paragraph III must be cured by 6/27/2016 (11 days before the sale date) to cause a discontinuance of the sale. The sale will be discontinued and terminated if at any time before 6/27/2016 (11 days before the sale) the default as set forth in Paragraph III is cured and the Trustee's fees and costs are paid. Payment must be in cash or with cashiers or certified checks from a State or federally chartered bank. The sale may be terminated any time after the 6/27/2016 (11 days before the sale date) and before the sale, by the Borrower or Grantor or the holder of any recorded junior lien or encumbrance by paying the principal and interest, plus costs, fees and advances, if any, made pursuant to the terms of the obligation and/or Deed of Trust, and curing all other defaults. VI. A written Notice of Default was transmitted by the Beneficiary or Trustee to the Borrower and Grantor at the following address(es): NAME JUAN

PALOMO, A SINGLE PERSON ADDRESS 308 Ne Fernwood Place, College Place, WA 99324 by both first class and certified mail, proof of which is in the possession of the Trustee; and the Borrower and Grantor were personally served, if applicable, with said written Notice of Default or the written Notice of Default was posted in a conspicuous place on the real property described in Paragraph I above, and the Trustee has possession of proof of such service or posting. These requirements were completed as of 12/30/2015. VII. The Trustee whose name and address are set forth below will provide in writing to anyone requesting it, a statement of all costs and fees due at any time prior to the sale. VIII. The effect of the sale will be to deprive the Grantor and all those who hold by, through or under the Grantor of all their interest in the above-described property. IX. Anyone having any objections to this sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to be heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the sale pursuant to RCW 61.24.130. Failure to bring such a lawsuit may result in a waiver of any proper grounds for invalidating the Trustee's sale. NOTICE TO OCCUPANTS OR TENANTS - The purchaser at the Trustee's Sale is entitled to possession of the property on the 20 th day following the sale, as against the Grantor under the deed of trust (the owner) and anyone having an interest junior to the deed of trust, including occupants who are not tenants. After the 20 th day following the sale the purchaser has the right to evict occupants who are not tenants by summary proceedings under Chapter 59.12 RCW. For tenant-occupied property, the purchaser shall provide a tenant with written notice in accordance with RCW 61.24.060. THIS NOTICE IS THE FINAL STEP BEFORE THE FORECLOSURE SALE OF YOUR HOME. You have only 20 DAYS from the recording date of this notice to pursue mediation. DO NOT DELAY. CONTACT A HOUSING COUNSELOR OR AN ATTORNEY LICENSED IN WASHINGTON NOW to assess your situation and refer you to mediation if you are eligible and it may help you save your home. See below for safe sources of help. SEEKING ASSISTANCE Housing counselors and legal assistance may be available at little or no cost to you. If you would like assistance in determining your rights and opportunities to keep your house, you may contact the following: The statewide foreclosure hotline for assistance and referral to housing counselors recommended by the Housing Finance Commission: Toll-free: 1-877-894-HOME (1-877-894-4663) or Web site: http://www.dfi.wa.gov/consumers/homeownership/post_purchase_counselors_foreclosure.htm. The United States Department of Housing and Urban Development: Toll-free: 1-800-569-4287 or National Web Site: <http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD> or for Local counseling agencies in Washington: <http://www.hud.gov/offices/hsg/sfh/hcc/fc/index.cfm?webListAction=search&searchstate=WA&filterSvc=dfc> The statewide civil legal aid hotline for assistance and referrals to other housing counselors and attorneys: Telephone: 1-800-606-4819 or Web site: <http://nwjustice.org/what-clear>. If the sale is set aside for any reason, including if the Trustee is unable to convey title, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the monies paid to the Trustee. This shall be the Purchaser's sole and exclusive remedy. The purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Trustor, the Trustee, the Beneficiary, the Beneficiary's Agent, or the Beneficiary's Attorney. If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holders right's against the real property only. QUALITY MAY BE CONSIDERED A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBTAND ANY INFORMATION OB-

LEGALS (Cont.)

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Directors (the "Board") of Prescott School District No. 402-37, Walla Walla and Columbia Counties, Washington (the "District") will hold a Special Meeting/Work Session on June 23, 2016 at 1:00 p.m. at Prescott School District – Board Room located at 207 South A Street, Prescott, WA 99348. The meeting is being called to Review Annual Board Goals and to Set Board Goals for 2016-17. The meeting will follow the guidelines of a Board Work Session. To ensure compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act (Chapter 42.30 RCW), the Board will treat the meeting on June 23, 2016 as a special meeting, and provide notice of this meeting as required by law.

The June 23, 2016 meeting is called for the purpose of considering and acting upon the following agenda items:

1:00 p.m. Board Work Session Agenda

1. Call to Order
2. Flag Salute
3. Roll Call
4. Delegates, Visitors and Guests

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS

Review of Current Board Goals 2015-16
Set Board Goals 2016-17
*Academic
*Financial

5. Adjournment

Individuals with disabilities who may need a modification to participate in a meeting should contact the Superintendent's office no later than three days before a regular meeting and as soon as possible in advance of a special meeting so that arrangements can be made.

Superintendent

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File No. CUP16-006

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

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

File name/Docket #: Twin Rivers Mobile Home Park/ CUP16-006

Application type: Conditional Use Permit

Applicant: FLAKE, DAVID
Owner: FLAKE, ROBERT, LISA, TOM & DAVID
10704 64TH PL W
MUKILTEO WA, 98275
10704 64TH PL W
MUKILTEO, WA 98275

Date application submitted: 4/18/2016

Project description: Conditional use permit application

to reconstruct and operate a mobile home park with approximately 50 spaces available for long-term lease. The property is approximately 10-acres and was developed in 1997 for an RV park but the site is currently vacant. The site is located generally at 59 RAY BLVD (APN 300812510086, 300812510086), in the Burbank Residential (BR) zoning district.

Required Permits/Approvals: SEPA Checklist
Required Studies: **None identified
Complete Application date: 5/16/2016
Notice of Application date: 6/7/2016

REVIEW PROCESS AND PUBLIC COMMENT: The decision on this application will be made by the Walla Walla County Hearing Examiner. The comment period for this project is fourteen (14) days from issuance of this notice; this period ends 6/24/2016. The notice of application is required by RCW 36.70B.110 and Walla Walla County Code (WWCC) 14.07.080.

To be considered as a party of record send written comments to:

Walla Walla County Community Development Department
c/o Lauren Prentice, Principal Planner
310 W. Poplar Street, Suite 200
Walla Walla, WA 99362
commdev@co.walla-walla.wa.us

APPEALS: The Hearing Examiner's decision may be appealed by the applicant(s) or parties of record to the Walla Walla County Superior Court as provided for in Section 14.11.040; provided

that no final decision of the Hearing Examiner may be appealed to Superior Court unless such party has first brought a timely motion for reconsideration of the Hearing Examiner's decision pursuant to Section 14.11.060.

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

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File No. SUB16-006
CAP16-007

NOTICE OF APPLICATION / ODNS

Notice is hereby given on this date, 6/7/2016, that the application/proposal described in this notice has been filed with the Walla Walla County Community Development Department (CDD). The application/proposal may be 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 (SEPA16-018) dated 3/23/16
- Short Plat application (SUB16-006) submitted 4/18/16
- Critical Areas Permit (CAP16-007) application submitted 4/18/16
- Proposed short plat map dated 3/23/16

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.

1. Applicant/Owner: Brent Knowles; 1044 Valley Chapel Road; Walla Walla, WA, 99362
2. Surveyor: Paul Tomkins, HDJ Design Group; 5 N. Colville Street; Walla Walla, WA 99362
3. Application filing date: 4/18/2016
4. Date that application was determined to be substantially complete: 5/16/2016
5. Application Type(s): Short Plat and Critical Areas Permit
6. Location and description of proposed action: Knowles Valley Chapel Short Plat No. 1. 4-lot cluster short plat application of 370-acres. The smallest proposed lot area would be 1- acre. Lot 1 contains an existing single-family residence and small barn. Lot 2 contains a shop building and Lot 3 is currently vacant. The following critical areas are located onsite: critical aquifer recharge areas, fish and wildlife habitat areas (West Little Walla Walla River), and geologically hazardous

YARD SALE YOUNGSTERS



Photo by Dena Wood

The streets of Waitsburg were busy with traffic on Saturday for the city's annual Community Yard Sale. These youngsters from the Kuykendall and Pitcher families took advantage of the situation and set up an old-school "food truck," hawking refreshing treats to tired and thirsty shoppers.

areas. Burlingame Ditch also borders Lot 4 (resource parcel) on the north side. All three residential cluster lots are located east of the West Little Walla Walla River and west of Valley Chapel Road. The lots will be served by Victoria Lane (a private road) and Valley Chapel Road. The site is located generally at 1044 Valley Chapel Road (APN 350608130001).

7. Comprehensive plan map designation for the location: Agriculture Residential

8. Zoning map designation for the location: AR-10

9. Shoreline Environment: **NA

10. 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: 6/23/2016.

11. A public hearing will not be held on the proposal.

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

13. 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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