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THIS WEEK

DAYTON



CARE

CCHS is on track to offer one of the only hyperbaric wound care suites in the region.

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WAITSBURG



BRIDGE

Demo of the Main Street Bridge hit a glitch but the Port of Walla Walla stepped in to help.

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RECREATION



SWIMMING

Dayton swim team performs well at their last home meet.

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SUPER SUMMER READERS



Photo by Dena Martin

Waitsburg's summer reading program wrapped up with stories, prizes, and a pizza party in the Weller Public Library on Monday. Above: This year's top readers were: (l to r): Emerson and Olivia Kiefel, who shared first place with 96 books each; Stella (back) and Elise Pearson (shared 3rd place); Joy Nechodom (2nd place).

Dayton City Hall to Close on Fridays

Dayton council changes meeting dates, city pool adds hours

By Michele Smith
THE TIMES

DAYTON- City council meetings will take place at 7 p.m. on the second Wednesday of the month, beginning on Aug. 9, as approved by the city council at last week's meeting.

The city hall business

office will be closed on Fridays, returning to Mon. -Thurs. hours beginning on Aug. 4, according to Mayor Craig George.

George said there have been 20 hours of productive time lost due to the Friday business day. He also pointed out there had only been one customer on the prior Friday.

Also, swimming pool hours have been changed to reflect an additional week of use before closing on Aug. 25. In addition the pool will be open on Satur-

day from 1 - 5 p.m., and from 6 - 8 p.m. Additional swimming lessons will be offered, as well.

Planning Director Karen Scharer said a draft vision for the 2019 Comprehensive Plan Periodic Update will be available for public comment next week, and the draft Building Code Update will be reviewed by the city's attorney.

The council authorized a resolution designating Mayor George as the agent, and City Administrator Trina Cole, as

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PULP MILL SLATED TO RECEIVE FUNDING THIS MONTH

Equity and bond investors have agreed on terms to finance straw pulp plant near Starbuck

By Ken Graham | THE TIMES

DAYTON - Columbia Pulp I, LLC announced last week that it has entered into agreements for the debt and equity financing required to commence construction of its new straw pulp manufacturing facility near Starbuck.

According to Columbia Pulp CEO John Begley, \$133.6 million in tax-exempt bonds and \$36 million in equity financing are expected to close simul-

taneously on Aug. 9. Construction should begin shortly thereafter, he said.

If plans hold, the pulp mill will be completed and begin operations in the fourth quarter of 2018. Begley said the project will provide about 90 full-time jobs once it's in full operation.

The \$184 million facility is expected to produce 149,000 tons per year of market pulp, produced from wheat and alfalfa straw, and 95,000 tons per year of a carbohydrate-lignin co-product.

The Columbia Pulp mill, which was originally announced in late 2013, has been delayed repeatedly by financing issues. In December, the firm had to abandon imminent funding plans when equity investors pulled out due to bond rate increases. Begley said he feels strongly that funding will be successfully completed this time.

CCHS Feels Impact of WWGH Closure

CEO Shane McGuire spoke of concerns at Waitsburg Commercial Club last week

By Dena Martin | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG – How will the recent closure of Walla Walla General Hospital impact the Columbia County Health System, as well as Waitsburg and Dayton residents? CCHS CEO Shane McGuire was invited to a July 27 meeting of the Waitsburg Commercial Club executive board to address just those questions.

McGuire attributed the closure of WWGH in large part to a lack of cooperation between WWGH and Providence St. Mary's Medical Center, saying the two hospitals were in a constant battle over a relatively low population to support two hospitals.

"Instead of working collaboratively, General puts in a cath lab and within three months Providence announces they're going to build a cath lab as well. Instead of saying, 'you can have a cath lab, let us have this,' they invest all this capital. And there are all these cardiologists with both cath labs and there is not enough cath lab need to support both. Eventually, somebody wins," he said.

McGuire called the closure of WWGH "tragic," noting the loss of 400 jobs and 61,000 patient visits. He said that Providence is being "very optimistic" that they can handle and absorb the swell in patient need.

"I think they're going to find that very challenging. They have no capital plans to expand ER or inpatient. . . what they've done is taken their emergency surge plans and put them into effect to accommodate the load," he said.

After announcing its closure, McGuire said WWGH worked closely with St. Mary's and local clinics to help patients find new primary care providers.

"They did not invite us to the table. Dayton has been out of the loop, for the most part, through most of these conversations," he said.

McGuire said that Dayton and Waitsburg residents are already experiencing the effects of the WWGH closure. Effects which are compounded by the recent purchase of Kadlec Medical Center, by St. Mary's.

"We have already recognized an inability to transfer patients to St. Mary's. When their beds are full, they surge to Kadlec. Our next call usually was to Kadlec but now they're full. So now we're having to route to Trios, to St. Joes, to Spokane, other hospitals that are farther away," McGuire said.

McGuire said one of the main priorities for CCHS is getting the word out that people need to get Life Flight memberships.

"It was traditionally presumed that if you were stable but needed additional care at another hospital you would be transported by ambulance to the nearest hospital. Now, that nearest hospital may be two-and-a-half hours away. Even though you're stable, the best way to get you there may be by helicopter," he said.

McGuire said Waitsburg has been having problems staffing its all-volunteer ambulance crews, and Dayton has been making the majority of the Waitsburg runs. He cited a recent situation where a patient wanted to bypass Dayton and go directly to St. Mary's. While the ambulance crew was en route to St. Mary's, dispatch was notified of a 78-year-old Dayton resident, lying on the floor, awaiting an ambulance.

"So an elective ambulance haul took the only crew that was available in two communities out of the community to go to St. Mary's where there were multi-hour waits in their ER. And they had to rush back and take care of the more urgent call of someone on the floor.

"We're already seeing some things happen that may mean you're going to receive care at the closest facility for the level of care you need, versus electively taking these crews out of the area and making them unavailable and inaccessible to other people that may be in need," he said.

McGuire said that Providence is working hard to educate the community about the proper use of the

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TOUCHET VALLEY LIFE

OBITUARIES

DONNA KIME FEB. 13, 1942 — JULY 24, 2017

Donna Kime, age 75 years, died July 24, 2017, at the Booker Rest Home.

Donna was born Feb. 13, 1942, and was raised in Dayton, where she graduated from high school with the class of 1960. She was the daughter of Arden and Aleta Talbott of Dayton.

She later moved to Seattle and began her career with King Screen Productions, a division of the King Broadcasting Company. King Screen produced and distributed educational films. After a year Donna was named manager of one of the divisions of the company. One of the films they produced while Donna was there was nominated for an academy Award in Documentaries. After King Screen was sold, Donna joined the parent company, King Broadcasting Company as a news coordinator. KingTV was the NBC affiliate in Seattle. In the 70s she was named manager of Offices Service which included 7 departments at KING. Several years later she accepted a position as manager of the Regional Sales Division, with offices in both Seattle and Portland Radio Sales. A few years later she also represented King Broadcasting Company as manager of their National Radio Sales Representative Firm, representing stations all over the United States. She traveled extensively representing the company at that time.

In 1978 she married Jim Kime in Lake Tahoe, Nevada. They were then transferred to San Francisco, where Donna sold commercial real estate for Coldwell Banker and then in 1982 they were transferred back to Seattle. At that time until Jim retired in 1989, Donna worked as a consultant for various Seattle businesses.

After retirement Jim and Donna moved to Maui, Hawaii, and for a number of years they worked as a team selling real estate on Maui. In 1997 they relocated back to Seattle, then built a home in Dayton, where they assisted Donna's mother at her wheat ranch until she passed away.

During her life, she and her husband traveled extensively around the world. Donna's love for her nieces and nephews was beyond words, and a close second after her family, her love for her beloved Standard Poodles, Sophie, Nash and Zaa Zaa. Donna was very close to many of her relatives and her very good friends who will miss her.

Donna is survived by her beloved husband, Jim; his daughter, Amy Kime; four brothers, Jerry Talbott of Yakima, Mike Talbot of Dayton, Lou Talbott of Prescott and Jon Elmer Talbott of Kennewick; two sisters, Diane Kranz of Pleasant Hill, CA and Ruth Talbott of Walla Walla.

Donna loved to ski, play racquetball and enjoyed running when she was young. She was a member of PEO in Dayton, and did volunteer work until health issues made that difficult for her.

At her request, no services will be held except for



a private family gathering at her grave site in Dayton. Those who wish may contribute to the Dayton Dog Park in her memory at Hubbard-Rogg Funeral Home, 111 S. 2nd St. or City Hall 111 S. 1st St. Dayton, WA 99328.

Everyone is invited for lunch at the Dayton Golf Course on August 5, 2017, from 12 to 2 p.m.

WILLIAM HUBERT PAYNE AUGUST 21, 1921 - JULY 28, 2017

William Hubert Payne, age 95 years. Died July 28, 2017 at the Booker Rest Home.

Family graveside services and burial were held at the family plot in the Waitsburg Cemetery.

Bill was born August 21, 1921 in Portland, Ore. His parents were Floyd and Cora Groom Payne. As a young child Bill came to Waitsburg to live with his aunt and uncle, Ruth and Jack Cushin. He attended Spring Valley School where he rode a pony to school each day. Later

he attended school in Waitsburg, graduating from High School with the class of 1939. He then went to W.S.C. (W.S.U.) before joining the Army Air Corps and served as a tail gunner on a B-24. In 1944 on a mission over Europe his plane crashed but his injuries were such that

he was able to pull crewmen to safety and was decorated with the Soldiers Medal for Heroism. After the war he returned to Waitsburg to farm with his uncle.

He married Barbara Sweazy in 1941. They had two children, John and Ann. As a family, they spent a lot of time boating, camping and fishing. Barbara passed away in 1985 after 39 years of marriage. He later married Helen Morse who also passed away.

Bill spent much of his life involved in many Waitsburg Organizations; including Masons, Commercial Club, and the Days of Real Sport, an event in which he served for 60 years in many capacities to keep it going. He also served on the Waitsburg School Board and was a member

of the Elks Lodge, Walla Walla Country Club and especially enjoyed his Thursday night poker and bowling with longtime friends.

He is survived by his daughter and son-in-law, Ann and Steve Ahler; daughter-in-law Kathie Payne and grandchildren; Jason (Micki) Payne, Sata (Todd) Dimak and Ryan Ahler. Also, great grandchildren; Maryn, Marley and William Ahler, Megan Payne and Jay Dimak. He was

preceded in death by his son, John Payne and grandson Bret Ahler. "A good man, Life well spent."



PIONEER PORTRAITS

Ten Years Ago August 9, 2007

Wheat harvest in the Touchet Valley and surrounding is well past commodity prices are uncharacteristically on the rise. "These are the highest prices I've ever seen," said J.E. McCaw, local manager of the Waitsburg branch of Northwest Grain Growers. The last time wheat was in the \$6 range, McCaw said, was the spring following the 1973 harvest, when prices reached the \$6.20 range. "Here we are at \$6.17 and we're still in harvest," he said.

Photo caption: Ted and Lavonne Bren of Waitsburg recently ventured to Alaska on a cruise sponsored by Focus on the Family. While there, they were caught catching up on local happenings by reading our humble newspaper at the M. Roberts Tramway in Juneau. Their week-long visit in July included a visit to the Hubbard Glacier, Sitka, Ketchikan and Victoria, B.C.

Twenty-Five Years Ago August 6, 1992

A fire fueled by high winds and temperatures raged for 14 hours last weekend, scorching 4,000 acres along the Tucannon River north of Camp Wooten in Columbia County — one of three fires in the region.

The City Council has narrowed the field for the city clerk's job to four applicants, including Waitsburg Municipal Court Judge Ann McCambridge. McCambridge, of Waitsburg and a second Waitsburg resident, Mary Ann Harris, and two others emerged this week as the top choices to fill the job, which is opening because of the retirement of City Clerk Joan Hays.

Waitsburg grower John L. "Jack" DeWitt has been selected as an adviser to the College of Agriculture and Home Economics at Washington State University, where he earned a master's degree.

Fifty Years Ago August 3, 1967

Photo caption: John Anderson holds the portion of a steel frame which was weakened by a truck accident on his ranch last Saturday, causing the gas tank to collapse. Roy Leid of Waitsburg was on top of the tank filling it when the weakened strut gave way, throwing Roy to the ground and knocking him out.

The Green Giant Company in Waitsburg concluded pea canning and freezing operations for the 1967 season at approximately 4:30 p.m. last Sunday. The cannery is still continuing bean canning operations.

Photo caption: A local Waitsburg housewife and mother, Betty Maib, has started a fad by purchasing a new bicycle for herself and husband Gerry. The energetic couple has sparked literally dozens of adults into evening bike riding. Here is Mrs. Maib arriving on her "wheel."

Seventy-Five Years Ago August 7, 1942

Oldtimers enjoyed the familiar sight of a horse and buggy going down Main Street Wednesday noon. Nobody seems to know who it belonged to but he headed for Tuttle's Blacksmith Shop.

A grass fire got out of control at Mrs. John Davis' about 10:30 Thursday morning. The fire department arrived in time to put out the flames so that the fire burned only the chicken coop and fence.

Captain and Mrs. Orville Burgner of Spokane are the parents of a daughter born at St. Luke's Hospital Wednesday morning.

For the first time in its 33 year history, the Pendleton Round-up will be passed by this year as Pendleton centers its attention on the war effort.

Mr. and Mrs. George Long have received word that their son, Dick, is in Australia with a repair crew in a mechanized division.

One Hundred Years Ago August 10, 1917

Emory Bruce and Ed Nelson each purchased this season thru the Jno Smith Hardware Co., a Deering Harvester and Thresher, and these little machines are now at working the fields and doing satisfactory work it is reported.

The following Waitsburg boys who have enlisted in the company of artillery being recruited at Walla Walla, were called last Thursday to report to the Walla Walla Armory. They were Fred Ogdin, Verl Keiser, John Streepy, Mike Yakley, Geo. McAninch, Oakley Peterson and John Nauman.

Will Philips had the misfortune to lose a fine 5-year old mare Sunday. The animal was kicked by another horse and a hind leg broken, so that it had to be shot.

One Hundred Twenty-Five Years Ago August 12, 1892

Mr. James Reavis of Prescott is doing well in the butcher business. He sends out two wagons daily with meat to supply his customers in the country.

No need for people to go away for the summer. there's plenty of it right here at home.

School Superintendent Gehr has just made an apportionment of the school fund of this county. This county gets \$226.66.

Both houses of Congress adjourned on Friday night last at 11 o'clock. That's about the only thing important that Congress did during its whole session.

H. H. Hungate, a would-be county treasurer, was in the city on Tuesday with a hammer and a pocketful of nails, fixing up his fences.

J. W. Morgan's new store assumes proportions comely.

Touchet Valley Weather

Aug. 2, 2017

Waitsburg's Seven Day Forecast



Wednesday

Sunny



Thursday

Sunny



Friday

Sunny



Saturday

Mostly Sunny



Sunday

Mostly Sunny



Monday

Mostly Sunny



Tuesday

Sunny

High: 101 Low: 70 High: 103 Low: 72 High: 103 Low: 72 High: 100 Low: 70 High: 98 Low: 70 High: 98 Low: 72 High: 97 Low: 69

Weather Trivia

How much energy is in one lightning flash?
Answers: Enough to light a 100-watt light bulb for more than 3 months.

Weather History

Aug. 2, 1989 - Low pressure representing the remains of Hurricane Chantal deluged north central Texas with heavy rain. Up to 6.50 inches drenched Stephens County, and Wichita Falls reported 2.22 inches of rain in just one hour.

Local Almanac Last Week

Day	High	Low	Normals	Precip	Precipitation
Tuesday	96	62	91/63	0.00"	0.00"
Wednesday	98	66	91/63	0.00"	0.11"
Thursday	94	72	92/63	0.00"	-0.11"
Friday	94	67	92/63	0.00"	80.9°
Saturday	95	66	92/63	0.00"	77.2°
Sunday	96	64	91/63	0.00"	+3.7°
Monday	98	64	91/63	0.00"	

Data as reported from Walla Walla

Sun/Moon Chart This Week

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
Wednesday	5:36 a.m.	8:20 p.m.	4:33 p.m.	1:31 a.m.
Thursday	5:38 a.m.	8:19 p.m.	5:26 p.m.	2:10 a.m.
Friday	5:39 a.m.	8:18 p.m.	6:16 p.m.	2:53 a.m.
Saturday	5:40 a.m.	8:16 p.m.	7:01 p.m.	3:43 a.m.
Sunday	5:41 a.m.	8:15 p.m.	7:41 p.m.	4:37 a.m.
Monday	5:43 a.m.	8:13 p.m.	8:18 p.m.	5:36 a.m.
Tuesday	5:44 a.m.	8:12 p.m.	8:51 p.m.	6:39 a.m.

Full 8/7, Last 8/14, New 8/21, First 8/29

CLASSIFIEDS

HELP WANTED

Wilbur-Ellis in Walla Walla is looking for a few good people to join our team! We are currently seeking Class-A or B CDL Drivers and Field Service Technicians. Must have positive attitude & desire to work OT during peak seasons. Great company, pay, & benefits. Apply online at www.wilburellis.com; apply in-person at 599 C Street in Walla Walla; or send your resume to ddefreec@wilburellis.com.

Wilbur-Ellis in Walla Walla is looking for a Field Sales Rep to join our team! Minimum of three years' experience in Agronomy sales with the ability to build strong relationships & work independently. Ag or Business degree preferred. PCA required; CCA a strong plus! Great company, pay, & benefits. Apply online at www.wilburellis.com; apply in-person at 599 C Street in Walla Walla; or send your resume to ddefreec@wilburellis.com.

The Columbia County Rural Library District has an opening for a part time Library Assistant I. More information is available at the library at 111 S. 3rd, Dayton, WA, or on our website, <http://ccrld.lib.wa.us/> employment. INTERVIEWS WILL BE CONDUCTED AS APPLICATIONS ARE RECEIVED. Position will remain open until filled. EEOC

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FOR RENT

TOUCHET VALLEY NEWS

WEEKLY CALENDAR

WWCSO PRESS BOARD

Church Directory

St. Mark Catholic Church
405 W. Fifth, Waitsburg
Mass Sunday 5 p.m.
382-2311
Father Bob Turner

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
Worship 9:30 a.m.
Each Sunday
337-8898
Rev. Matthew Wyatt

New River Fellowship
121 Main St, (Town Hall)
Waitsburg
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship 11 a.m.
www.newriverfellowship.org
520-5676

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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 Summer Reading Program
Prescott Library
2 p.m.

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Prescott Library Story Time
Prescott Library
11 a.m.

Mythical Movable Bluegrass Jam
Open Studio, Waitsburg
6:30 p.m.

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Waitsburg Resource Center
106 Preston Avenue (side of Banner Bank)
9-11 a.m.

Pee Wee Football Parent/Player Meeting
Waitsburg athletic field bleachers
4 p.m.

Evening at the Depot



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

Summer Meals Program

Breakfast 8-8:30

Lunch 11:30 - 12

All children 18 & under receive meals free of charge.

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Historic Depot Courtyard
6-9 p.m.

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

YWCA Fun Factory
Preston Park
2:30-4 p.m.
Free arts, crafts and games for kids 5-12. This is the last Fun Factory visit to Waitsburg this summer.

Celebrate Recovery, Dayton
Catalyst Church (311 S. 4th)
Dinner 6 p.m.; Meeting 7 p.m.

Sports Info Night
Waitsburg High School Auditorium
7 p.m.
Waitsburg athletes wanting to play fall high school sports should attend, along with their parents.

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

Dayton Senior Round Table
Senior Center (403 E.

Patit St.)
12 p.m.
Tuesdays and Thursdays. Call 382-2836 to RSVP by the day prior.
The Martian Book Trivia Night
The Tux
6:30 p.m.

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Dayton Story Time
Dayton Memorial Library
10 a.m.

Dayton Summer Reading Program
Dayton Memorial Library
2 p.m.

Celebrate Recovery, Waitsburg
Waitsburg Christian Church
7 p.m.
Help for recovering from any hurt, habit, or hang-up

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

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Prescott Library Story Time
Prescott Library
11 a.m.

Pacific Science Center
Prescott Library
2:15 p.m. and 3:25 p.m.
Registration Required

July 31

Simple assault on Lyons Ferry and Pickard roads. Reporting party was heading to Columbia County and was contacted by CCSO for statement and pictures.

July 29

Vehicle prowl on E. Seventh St. Two victim's vehicles were entered. One victim reported various items were stolen from their vehicle.

July 21

Received a call reporting a lost wallet on Coppei Ave.

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Columbia County Superior Court July 26, 2017

Arraignments

-Edward William Terry, 31, Dayton; charged with three counts of first degree assault with a deadly weapon, third degree assault of a law officer, harassment of a criminal justice participant, and resisting arrest. Charges stem from an event on July 20 when Terry allegedly yelled threats at a woman who was talking on her cell phone in her parked car. When officers arrived Terry left the scene. When he was approached by a deputy his allegedly raised a machete, yelled, and came aggressively toward the officer. The officer, drew his pistol and ordered Terry to drop the weapon. After several repeated commands Terry threw the machete to the ground but pulled a large Bowie-style hunting knife from under his shirt, which he raised over his head and assumed a fighting posture. The officer raised his firearm and repeated commands to drop the weapon. Eventually, Terry allegedly threw the knife on the sidewalk in front of the officer. He continued to resist arrest, kicking one officer, and being carried by two others. He was also arraigned in a second case where the threatened a victim and kicked at her door. He is charged with harassment - domestic violence and third degree malicious mischief - domestic violence in that case. Terry entered pleas of not guilty to both cases. Trial dates are scheduled to be set on Aug. 9.

-George William Waltermire, 63, Dayton; charged with second degree assault - domestic violence. He is charged with physically attacking a female. Bond was set at an unsecured appearance bond. Waltermire failed to appear for the arraignment. Case is continued to August 23.

-Joseph K. Wilson, 43, Dayton; charged with harassment, attempted residential burglary, and third degree malicious mischief. Police records state that Wilson's ex-girlfriend asked him to leave and he grabbed a toy and smashed it into the hood of her SUV. She later reportedly received a text from someone saying she should call the police because he was on his way to kill her. While police were interviewing the victim, she reportedly received a threatening text from Wilson. He entered a plea of not guilty and was released on a \$100,000 unsecured appearance bond. Trial setting is scheduled for August 23.

-Christopher Scott Robb, 50, Yakima; charged with theft of a motor vehicle. Robb is accused of taking a pickup without the owner's permission or knowledge. He did not appear and the case is continued to August 9.

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BIRTHDAYS

August 4: Rebecca Vaughn, Alex King, Benjamin Bloor.

August 5: Dale "Skip" Buroker, Jonathan Schuler, Jo Ann Hansler, Bill Clayton, Dianna Riggs, Debra Davison, Michael Collie, David Murphy, Melanie Hevel.

August 6: Seth Reese, Adelle Smith, Rita Pierson, Elizabeth Cole, Doris Hulce, Kelly Zuger, Abigail McKinley, Jackie Helm, Kathy Baker, C.J. Horlacher, Les Hyder, Bill Ramsey, Billie Jean Towers.

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

August 8: Ginny Butler, Jeremiah Bennett.

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

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

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LETTER

Howard P Smith Farms would like to thank the six fire departments that responded to help put out the fire that consumed 200 acres of wheat on our property on July 25. We greatly appreciate your help and are grateful that the loss was not more.

Sincerely,
Howard P. Smith

AUGUST AT THE DAYTON LIBRARY

On Wednesday, Aug. 9, at 2 p.m., youth will learn some basic programming with Scribble Bots.

On Wed, Aug. 16, at 2 p.m., youth will learn about the importance of recycling, and how to be good stewards of the planet.

Wed., Aug. 18, at 4:30 p.m. is the deadline to complete and turn in Summer Reading Bingo Cards and be entered into the grand prize drawings. Winners will be notified on that day.

The library will provide safe solar eclipse glasses for viewing the eclipse at the Blue Mountain Station on Aug. 21, at 9 a.m. The eclipse begins at 9:11 a.m. with the maximum eclipse at 10:25 a.m., and will finish at 11:46 a.m. Refreshments will be served.

An end of the Summer Reading Program Ice Cream Sundae party will be held, on Aug. 25, from 1-4 p.m. at the Delany Building.

Also on Aug. 25, learn about electricity, and perform hands-on experiments, when the Pacific Science Center's Science on Wheels bus visits the library.

The Pacific Science Center's program will run in conjunction with the end of the Summer Reading Program Ice Cream Sundae Party at the Delany Building, from 1-4 p.m.

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the alternate to obtain Federal and/or State Emergency or Disaster Assistance Funds associated with winter road damage from Jan. 30 to Feb. 22, 2017.

Mayor George said FEMA has approved \$750,000, which represents 75% of the amount needed for street repairs. The state's portion is 12.5% and the city's portion is 12.5%, he added.

The city must spend its portion, first, and then seek reimbursement from FEMA. Reimbursement could take eighteen months, or more, George said. Because of that, repairs will be done in increments beginning in the Spring of 2018, he said.

The bulk of the repairs are on Washington Avenue, between 5th St. and the viaduct, George said. He said he, and Public Works Director Jim Costello, are looking into whether there are additional areas needing repair from winter damage.

The council also approved a change order to the S. 1st St. Reconstruction, and Oak Street/S. 2nd St. Main Line replacement to include work associated with the TIB Emergency Repair Program Grant, and a change order to the S. 1st St. Reconstruction, and Oak Street/S. 2nd Street Main Line Replacement Project, to include replacing four sewer main lines, located within abutting alleyways.

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"Don't argue with your grandmother. I've been grounded since 1997!"



"I'm proud of my son. ... He's in one of those country-club prisons!"

KEN GRAHAM: FROM THE PUBLISHER

A Brief History of Ice Cream

Somewhere in China, many centuries ago, people discovered that frozen cream was pretty tasty. Over time, the treat known as cream ice, or "ice cream," made its way to Europe – most likely to Italy first. Americans were eating ice cream in the Colonies in the early 1700s.



With triple-digit temperatures prevailing in the Touchet Valley this week, I figured this would be a great time to learn more about the perfect hot-weather treat. So to Google I went.

I found a website called icecream.com (how could there not be one), which provided some interesting facts:

The ice cream churn was invented in Philadelphia around 1840. The ice cream cone became popular at the turn of the 20th century.

Per capita, the United States is the second-highest ice cream consuming nation in the world. On average, each American eats about six gallons

of the cold stuff per year. Who's number one? New Zealand, whose citizens down 7.5 gallons per year.

According to a survey, 87% of Americans have ice cream in their home at any given time.

It takes three gallons of milk to make one gallon of ice cream. About nine percent of the milk produced in the U.S. goes to making ice cream.

The basic ingredients of ice cream are cream, milk, sugar and egg yolks. But of course, ice cream wouldn't be ice cream without flavors. So a multitude of different ingredients can be added.

Here are the 10 most popular ice cream flavors, according the National Ice Cream Retailers Association (how could there not be one):

- Vanilla
- Chocolate
- Cookies 'n' Cream
- Mint Chocolate Chip
- Chocolate Chip Cookie Dough
- Buttered Pecan
- Cookie Dough
- Strawberry
- Moose Tracks
- Neapolitan

want to walk on the wild side – at least ice cream-wise. Here are some much less popular flavors – yes, they're all for real:

- Horseradish
 - Bacon and Maple Syrup (sometimes called "Breakfast in Bed")
 - Lobster
 - Bleu Cheese
 - Sweet Potato
 - Avocado and Sour Cream
 - Sweet Corn
 - Caramel Corn
 - Goat Cheese and Beet
 - Purple Yam
 - Cardamom Black Pepper
 - Olive Oil
 - Guinness Irish Stout
 - Coconut Curry
 - Sriracha
 - Balsamic Fig
 - Black Sesame Ginger
 - Kimchi and Rice
 - Basil
 - Jack Daniel's and Coke
- (Probably want to save that last one until you're done driving for the day.)
- So go out and enjoy the heat this weekend. Grab a pint of vanilla and go crazy with it.

MOMENTS IN TIME

The History Channel

* On Aug. 12, 30 B.C., Cleopatra, queen of Egypt and lover of Julius Caesar and Mark Antony, takes her life following the defeat of her forces against Octavian, the future first emperor of Rome.

* On Aug. 13, 1878, a restaurant owner dies of yellow fever in Memphis, Tennessee, after a man who had escaped a quarantined steamboat visited her restaurant. In the 19th century, it was not known that mosquitoes carried yellow fever, and victims were quarantined in an attempt to prevent its spread.

* On Aug. 7, 1912, former president Theodore Roosevelt is nominated for the presidency by the Progressive Party. Also known as the Bull Moose Party, its platform called for the direct election of U.S. senators, women's suffrage and reduction of tariffs.

* On Aug. 8, 1963, the 15 men involved in the Britain's Great Train Robbery use an ex-British Army truck and two stolen Land Rover all-terrain vehicles to escape with some \$7 million in stolen loot.

* On Aug. 10, 1977, postal employee David Berkowitz is arrested and charged with being the "Son of Sam," the serial killer who terrorized New York City for more than a year. Berkowitz claimed that demons and a black Labrador retriever owned by a neighbor named Sam had ordered him to commit the killings.

* On Aug. 11, 1984, President Ronald Reagan, while testing a microphone before a radio address, jokingly announces, "My fellow Americans, I am pleased to tell you today that I've signed legislation that will outlaw Russia forever. We begin bombing in five minutes."

* On Aug. 9, 2000, tire manufacturer Bridgestone/Firestone Inc. announces the recall of 6.5 million of its tires after the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration linked at least 46 deaths to problems with tread peeling off the tires.

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TOUCHET VALLEY NEWS

RACE FOR GRACE



Courtesy Photos

Top left: Forty-four people participated in Sunday's Race For Grace 5K sponsored by the Waitsburg Christian Church to raise funds for a May 2018 service trip to help Embracing Orphans in Jamaica. Two participants were "virtual racers;" Carol Clarke and Diane Fortune participated from Ciudad de Saber in Panama. Participants ranged in age from 7 to 78 and raised approximately \$500 toward the trip. The event was coordinated by Sandra Farley, and many volunteers manned the route and helped set up road blocks.

Top right: April Brown brought her two children, Kenroy and Oneisha, who are adopted from Jamaica. Their grandmother is Lori Dyer. The family has previously served on Embracing Orphans mission trips.

READING ROSIE



Courtesy Photo

left: Weller Public Library librarian Rosie Warehime read to a full house on Monday as story time and summer reading program kids joined together to enjoy a pizza party. The party marked the end of this year's summer reading program.

NEWS BRIEFS

SWIM THE SNAKE, AUG. 12

LYONS FERRY – The fifth annual Swim the Snake fundraiser will take place at Lyons Ferry Marina on Aug. 12. Registration is at 9 a.m. and closes at 10:30 a.m. Paddlers will assemble at the marina launch at 11 a.m. with the open water swim following.

The non-competitive, open-water swim across the Snake River is 0.7 miles. New this year is a paddle/swim relay. The event is a fundraiser for the Blue Mountain RC&D Council and the Dayton and Pomeroy Youth Summer Swim Team programs. Learn more at swimthesnake.org

TOURISM GRANTS INFO. MEETING

WALLA WALLA COUNTY – An informal meeting about the availability of grant funds to support tourism in the county will be held at 4 p.m. on Mon., Aug. 14 at the Commissioners' Chambers (314 W. Main, Walla Walla).

The Walla Walla County Lodging Tax Advisory Committee (LTAC) makes grants available to support tourism-related events and promotions that will increase the number of tourists visiting the county in 2018. Proceeds from the county lodging tax fund the approximately \$50,000 that will be available for grants in 2018.

Applications for 2018 events and projects will be accepted until 5 p.m. on Oct. 2, 2017. Forms may be obtained at www.co.walla-walla.wa.us or by calling (509) 524-2505, or by emailing www.cocommissioners@co.walla-walla.wa.us.

MISSOULA CHILDREN'S THEATRE, AUG. 14-19

DAYTON - In just over a week, the Missoula Children's Theatre (MCT) will arrive at Dayton's Liberty Theater for a one-week residency. The summer theater program runs Aug. 14-19, giving approximately 50-60 local students roles in an original MCT production.

First graders through seniors are encouraged to register. Actors have fun while learning how to present themselves in front of an audience, memorize lines and improvise, and draw on their creativity.

The week ends with two public performances on the Liberty stage. This year's production, *Bette Lou and the Country Beast*, is a delightfully comedic take on the Beauty and the Beast fairy tale.

No advance preparation is necessary and there is no cost to participate, however parents or guardians must pre-register students by Aug. 11. Pre-registration hours at the Liberty Theater are from 2:30-5:30 p.m. on Tues., Aug. 8 and Fri., Aug. 11. If those time are not convenient, contact the theater at (509) 382-1380 or by email at info@libertytheater.org.

Performances are at 7 p.m. on Fri., Aug. 18 and Sat., Aug. 19. Tickets will be available online at libertytheater.org and at the box office, starting at noon on Mon., Aug. 14.

Bette Lou and the Country Beast is part of the Missoula Children's Theatre's unique international touring project and is presented at the Liberty Theater in Dayton by the Touchet Valley Arts Council, with support from the Inland Northwest Community Foundation Columbia County Children's Fund, Blue Mountain Community Foundation, Columbia County Fund and the Warren Fund.

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Aug. 19 - Gear pickup - at Martin Field
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Celebration of Life

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Photos by Michele Smith

Top row: With the new emergency room under construction, and for safety reasons, hospital officials are asking that visitors park in the new lot on the north side of the building, and to use the new main entrance, shown in the first photo. Some of the newly remodeled spaces include: (clockwise from above) New therapy pool, new CT scanner in the radiology suite, the newly renovated dining room which is open to the public, and the updated physical therapy department.

CCHS Will Offer First Hyperbaric Wound Suite in the Area

REMAINING RECONSTRUCTION FUNDS WILL HELP FUND THE PROJECT

By Michele Smith | THE TIMES

DAYTON—At last week's hospital board meeting the commissioners approved a request from CEO Shane McGuire to proceed with the development of a hyperbaric wound suite at the hospital, which will be the first of its kind in the local community, he said.

"I feel confident we can make a run at this. This is a new service line. It is not offered in the region. It would be exclusive to us, for whatever time we could maintain it exclusively," McGuire said.

Hyperbaric oxygen therapy is used to treat a variety of medical conditions ranging from non healing wounds to burns to carbon monoxide poisoning. When body tissue is injured it requires even more oxygen to survive. An increase in blood oxygen temporarily restores normal levels of blood gases and tissue function to promote healing and fight infection, ac-

ording to the Mayo Clinic website.

Patients are placed in a total body chamber where they breathe 100% oxygen while atmospheric pressure is increased and controlled.

McGuire plans to approach other health care facilities in the region for referrals to DGH, and he said referrals could come from several specialties including: oral surgeons, nephrologists, cardiologists, oncologists, as well as vascular surgeons, he said.

The Veteran's Administration also allows veterans to receive this type of service, and will reimburse DGH for hyperbaric wound care, since it will be the only health care facility locally to provide the service, he said.

McGuire told the commissioners it will take 150 new patients a year to break even.

"Every patient will have multiple dives," said McGuire.

Most patients need more than one hyperbaric treatment, or dive, in the course of their treatment, he said.

Dr. Kurt Frauenpreis who is on the staff at DGH, and is wound care certified, will be the program medical director, and other DGH staff will work in the pro-

gram until such time as additional staff are necessary, said McGuire.

"We have finished due diligence, and have had the vendor's contract reviewed by our council," he told the commissioners.

Wording is in the contract specifying that if the program is not viable there is no penalty to DGH, said McGuire.

"If the service line fails and you pull out, the oxygen plant will still service all of the swing bed and in-patients and respiratory therapy needs for the facility, without the hyperbarics, McGuire explained.

Specifically, \$211,000 will pay for a bulk oxygen plant, with a 4500 gallon oxygen tank, plumbing and manifolds at the tank into the building, and piping to the wound care suite, plus retrofitting of the suite to accommodate the tubes, McGuire said.

The commissioners approved McGuire's request to use around \$130,000 of the money left over from the hospital reconstruction and enhancement project to pay for a portion of the project. McGuire will also seek a low interest loan for the remaining amount, he told the commissioners.

Dayton Hosts Final Home Meet of Season

The team will now have a week of practice without competitions as they prepare for the County Championships

By Ian Smay | THE TIMES

DAYTON - Dayton hosted league opponents St. John-Endicott-LaCrosse-Washtucna (one combined team) and Colfax on July 25.

The meet started with the first heats taking place at 4 p.m., and ended shortly before 8 p.m. Dayton finished third in the overall and women's standings, while taking second in the men's rankings on the day.

This meet saw more competitors overall present than the first

meet, and the day started off with freestyle events. Dayton scored points in the first race, the girls 12 and under freestyle, with Mallory Dowdy and Grace Trump finishing in points-winning positions. Nathan Ramsey took home the team's first win of the day, topping the timesheets in the 13-14-year-old 100-meter freestyle. Lucy Trump was the first woman's race winner for Dayton, winning the girl's eight and under 25-meter freestyle.

Dayton went on a point-scoring streak, with swimmers finishing in the top six (the points scoring positions) in every event that a Dayton swimmer raced in until the 14th event, when a Dayton relay team was disqualified.

Dayton kept up its strong performances in regards to avoiding disqualifications. Between both individual and relay events, there were only five instances of a Dayton swimmer or relay being disqualified, the lowest of all three teams. This is an important stat for

the team, as they have less members than most of their league opponents.

There were many victories for the Dayton team. Seven different swimmers won events in their final showing on home soil, with three different swimmers taking home the top spot in multiple events. Nathan Ramsey and Lucy Trump both won four different events, the most of any Dayton participants. Alex Jenkins won three events, with Israel and Enrique Ramsey, Benny Bryan, and Taylor Hays all also winning events during the meet.

This week sees the team practicing, as there are no meets being held. This is due to the season finale County Championship Meet being held on Saturday, Aug. 5 in Colfax. The meet features qualifying swimmers (those who have participated in three meets, including at least one road meet) racing for medals in an all-day meet.

TWO TAX MEASURES TO GO BEFORE VOTERS IN NOVEMBER

DAYTON—The Board of County Commissioners has adopted two taxation propositions which will go before voters in the November 2017 election.

Resolution 2017-16 is a proposition to fix and impose a sales and use tax at the rate of one-tenth of one percent, to be used solely for the purpose of providing funds for costs associated with financing, design, acquisition, construction, equipping, operating, maintaining, remodeling repairing, re-equipping, and improvements of the Columbia County E911 public safety emergency communications systems and facilities.

The imposition of the one-tenth of one percent county wide sales and use tax shall begin in January, 2018, and terminate in December 31, 2028.

Resolution 2017-17 is a proposition to fix and impose a sales and use tax, of three-tenths of one percent, to be used solely for the purpose of providing criminal justice funds for public safety.

The reason for the proposition is to raise funds to replace lost state revenue, and to retain and employ law enforcement officers and law and justice employees, and for the purpose of replacing, repairing and maintaining law and justice vehicles and equipment, in Columbia County, and in the cities of Dayton and Starbuck, according to the BOCC.



Photos by Dena Martin

The demolition of the Waitsburg Main Street Bridge is complete and construction of the new bridge is underway. Top left: On Sunday afternoon, an excavator made a nice frame for the hole that was once the Main Street Bridge. On Tuesday morning, the site was reminiscent of a mini-Stonehenge as steel girders are placed for the new structure.

BRIDGE DEMO HITS A GLITCH

PORT STEPS IN TO KEEP THINGS ROLLING

By Dena Martin | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG – The replacement of Waitsburg’s Main Street Bridge hit another glitch this month, but the Port of Walla Walla stepped in to meet the resulting financial shortfall, for the second time.

At the July 19 city council meeting, City Manager Randy Hinchliffe gave a bridge update and informed council members that the contractors had run into an issue the day prior. Hinchliffe said there have been at least four bridges that existed prior to the recently demolished bridge. While digging to remove the foundation, the contractors ran into “huge sections of concrete” from one or more prior bridges that no one knew were there.

Hinchliffe said that when the city started the pro-

cess for the bridge, the engineer came in and made test bore holes at sporadic spots around the bridge to determine what was underneath. They failed to find the foundations.

“It actually hit right in between this foundation block and essentially a giant piece of steel that was part of the truss bridge. There was about 6 inches on either side and the bore managed to miss both of them,” he said.

Hinchliffe told council members that the design would need to be tweaked slightly to accommodate the new bridge’s pier system, and while he didn’t have clear numbers yet, the engineer estimated the cost at approximately \$15,000.

Hinchliffe said he would have more specifics on the design changes at the August council meeting and that he would probably bring in Anderson Perry & Associates engineer Eric Zitterkopf to help explain the details.

After speaking further with the contractor, following the council meeting, it was determined that the cost to alter the bridge design would be closer to

\$40,000.

Hinchliffe approached the Port of Walla Walla Commissioners to see if they could once again help with funding. The Port had previously approved \$100,000 in Economic Development Sales Tax Funds to offset a discrepancy of that amount between the original engineer’s cost estimate and lowest actual contractor bid.

The Port Commissioners were agreeable to modifying the original grant amount to \$150,000, since no funds have been withdrawn yet, and approved the increase.

“This should be enough to cover this and anything else that should come up,” Hinchliffe said.

“The rest of the demolition is going fine. If we were going to face a change order it was most likely to happen during demolition since we weren’t positive what existed underground. Once it gets to the piers and the girders, it starts to become pre-fab at that point,” Hinchliffe told the Waitsburg council at their July meeting.

Council Approves 6-Year Transpo. Plan

MILLRACE AND TAGGART ROADS ARE CURRENT PRIORITIES FOR CITY CONSIDERATION

By Dena Martin | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG – At their July 19 regular meeting, the Waitsburg city council unanimously approved the city’s updated 6-year transportation plan. The plan must be updated annually, and includes a list of transportation projects that could reasonably be accomplished over a six year period, though most sit on the list longer than that, according to City Manager Randy Hinchliffe.

The only change between this year and last is the addition of an item to consider widening the south end of east 7th Street, just before it reaches Highway 12, Hinchliffe said.

Hinchliffe said a current focus is on improving the grade crossing at the Millrace Road railroad crossing near the old mill site. The railroad owns the track, but the city is responsible for the approaches on either side, making the road meet the track.

“Anyone who goes down that hill knows you’d better take it slow or you’ll end up over the edge,” he said.

Hinchliffe said they have discussed tak-

ing out some of the dogleg to the south, cutting into the road a bit to smooth it out so there’s not such a blind spot going over the hill; basically straightening the road a bit so the angles in and out are flatter. He also suggested adding new concrete railroad pads, a guardrail, and warning signs.

The second focus is determining the best way to extend Taggart Road to Highway 12.

Council member KC Kuykendall mentioned that there is no item to rework the Preston Ave. to Coppei Ave. interchange, especially the right hand turn coming from Walla Walla to Dayton.

Hinchliffe said that because it is a state highway, it will be on a state list rather than a highway list. He said he had heard the Dept. of Transportation will be looking at the area in 5-6 years.

Council member Terry Jacoy asked about the Park & Ride lot which would be located on the corner of E. 1st Street and Main Street. Hinchliffe said that would simply be a cover for people to get out of the weather while waiting for the bus. At this point, Columbia County Transportation pretty much picks people up wherever they are, he said.

Hinchliffe said some projects, such as replacement of the 7th Street Coppei Creek Bridge are “Pie-in-the-Sky” but something to be kept on the radar.

The current 6 Year Plan includes the following projects, listed by priority, as well as the cost and status of each.

PROJECT	ESTIMATE	STATUS
City wide street maintenance	\$10,000	ongoing, annual
City wide sidewalk repair/replace	\$10,000	ongoing, annual
Millrace railroad crossing imp.	\$350,000	no funding obligated
Taggart Road Extension	\$1,000,000	No funding obligated
E. 7th Street Widening	\$50,000	No funding obligated
Bolles Road Overlay	\$250,000	No funding obligated
City Wide Storm Water	\$500,000	No funding obligated
Park and Ride Lot Development	\$5,000	No funding obligated
West 7th Coppei Creek Bridge	\$1,000,000	No funding obligated

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ER department.

“It’s not going to be unrealistic to see three to four hour waits for non-urgent needs in St. Mary’s emergency department. That’s really big city waits. Currently, we (DGH) do not, and have never used our ER waiting room for anyone waiting for the ER. They show up, they get roomed. We have a provider there during the day or within 20 minutes,” he said.

“We have plenty of capacity and staff to absorb additional emergency department needs. In the last couple of years, from what I’ve heard, the quality of care is perceptibly better since most of them are board certified ER physicians, rather than someone who is trying to juggle between primary care and the emergency department,” he added.

McGuire said he hears stories of people who bypass Dayton because they don’t realize they have a CT scanner on site and aren’t aware of the services and technology DGH has available.

“They don’t pay attention because they’re healthy. Then they have an accident and don’t know if Dayton can take care of it,” he said.

“Not only is there the stigma of the technology and the availability of the technology, but healthcare is not definitive. No health facilities have a perfect outcome every time. But when you live in a small town and you don’t have a good outcome, they tell ten friends, and then they tell ten friends, and it saturates the community in a very robust fashion. At St. Mary’s, if they don’t have a good outcome, there are 80,000 people to pull from.

“I can’t say that in the past that there weren’t concerns about the quality of care coming out of Dayton. I would say that most of the people who have had care recently would say those aren’t current realizations of the quality of care. But it’s incredibly hard to change perceptions in a small community,” he added.

McGuire said if CCHS can get

a portion of the patients seeking primary care physicians to look at Dayton and Waitsburg, they will probably expand the Waitsburg Clinic.

“Currently it has four exam rooms, a couple of procedure rooms, and a couple offices. The way the layout is, we know we can add at least a couple more exam rooms fairly easily,” he said. The nice thing about Waitsburg is that it’s not too far away from Walla Walla.”

McGuire said this is an opportunistic time, but also a very rough time. Not only are people losing jobs, but the patients that have established care with doctors they trust are left stranded.

“We’re careful not to be like a vulture circling in the air, but we’re working to get the word out in a way that lets people know we’re here and available without seeming like we’re celebrating the demise of a very well-valued facility that we have partnered with extensively over the years. They were a fantastic partner for the hospital. General was authentic in their offers of support every time,” McGuire said. “It is sad to see General go.”

McGuire said CCHS currently has a great medical staff and clinical team and is constantly adding and updating technology.

“It’s a constant battle to change that legacy mindset,” he said.

For those emergency situations that the Dayton hospital isn’t equipped to handle, he again stressed the importance of a Life Flight membership.

“They’re not that expensive and, on the off chance that you do need to use it and don’t have insurance, it’s incredibly expensive. We’ve had some people receive bills up to \$24,000 . . .” McGuire said.

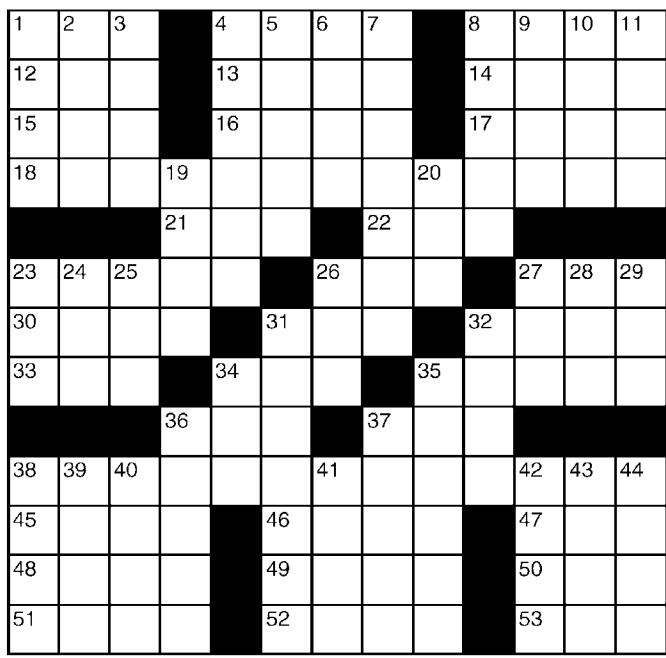
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by Linda Thistle

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By Order of the Columbia County Board of Commissioners.

Leanne J. Peters
Clerk of the Board

The Times
Aug. 3, 10, 2017
8-3-b

No. 17 4 00130 7 Probate Notice to Creditors (RCW 11.40.030)

Superior Court of Washington, Walla Walla County
In re the Estate of LORELEI J. HOLM, Deceased.

The personal representative named below has been appointed as personal representative of this estate. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.40.070 by serving on or mailing to the personal representative, or the personal representative's attorney at the address stated below, a copy of the claim and filing the original of the claim with the court in which the probate proceedings were commenced. The claim must be presented within the later of: (1) thirty (30) days after the personal representative served or mailed the notice to the creditors as provided under RCW 11.40.020(1)(c); or (2) four (4) months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.40.051 and 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and non-probate assets.

Date of First Publication: August 3, 2017
Robert Holm, Personal Representative

Attorney for the Personal Representative:
Jamie L. Harper, WSBA #39815

14 E. Main, Suite 214
Walla Walla, WA 99362
Court of Probate Proceedings:
Walla Walla Superior Court
315 W. Main
Walla Walla, WA 99362

The Times
Aug. 3, 10, 17, 2017
8-3-a

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

Stacey Lynn Griffin,
Petitioner,

No. (17-3-00145-1)
Daniels Giles Griffin, Respondent.

The State of Washington to the Daniels Giles Griffin:

You are hereby summoned to appear within 90 days after the date of the first publication of this dissolution of marriage summons, after the June 29, 2017, and defend the above entitled action in the above entitled court, and answer the complaint of the petitioner, Stacey Lynn Griffin, and serve a copy of your answer upon the petitioner at the address below stated; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the dissolution petition, which has been filed with the clerk of said court. If you do not serve your written response within 90 days after the date this summons was served on you, exclusive of the day of service, the court may enter an order of default against you, and the court may, without further notice to you, enter a final order and approve or provide for the relief requested in the petition. The court will not enter the final order until at least 90 days after filing and service. Serve a copy of your response on Stacey Lynn Griffin at 1520 Kelly Place Ste #140 Walla Walla, WA 99362

The Times
June 29, July 6, 13, 20, 27, Aug. 3
6-29-h

NO: 17-4-00132-3

PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS (RCW 11.40.030)

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

In re the Estate of:
GORDON A. PHILPOT,
Deceased.

The personal representative named below has been appointed as personal representative of this estate. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.40.070 by serving on or mailing to the personal representative or the personal representative's attorney at the address stated below a copy of the claim and filing the original of the claim with the Court in which the probate proceedings were commenced. The claim must be presented within the later of: (1) thirty days after the personal representative served or mailed the notice to the creditor as provided under RCW 11.40.020(1)(c); or (2) four months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.40.051 and RCW 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and nonprobate assets.

DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION: July 20, 2017.

Jennifer Suter
Personal Representative

Attorney for Personal Representative:
Jeff Burkhart, WSBA #39454
Burkhart & Burkhart, PLLC
6½ N. Second Avenue, Suite 200
Walla Walla, WA 99362
509-529-0630

The Times
July 20, 17, Aug. 3, 2017
7-20-b

BEFORE THE WALLA WALLA COUNTY WATER CONSERVANCY BOARD WALLA WALLA, WASHINGTON

Notice of Application for Change/Transfer to Surface Water Claim No. 300054CL

TAKE NOTICE: That on June 7, 2017, Crown Columbia Water Resources, LLC of Spokane Valley, Washington filed application number WALL-17-05 with the Walla Walla County Water Conservancy Board to temporarily add a point of diversion and place of use, and transfer a portion of Surface Water Claim No. 300054CL into the State Trust Water Program.

That Claim No. 300054CL, with a priority date of the year 1895, authorizes diversion of water from the Tucannon River in the amount of 2.67 cubic feet per second, 380 acre-feet per year, for the seasonal irrigation of 95 acres. That the points of withdrawal (4) are located within 1) NE¼SW¼ of Sec. 12, 2) SW¼NE¼ of Sec. 24, 3) N¼N¼SE¼ of Sec. 24, ALL WITHIN T. 12 N., R. 38 E.W.M., and 4) NW¼SW¼ of Sec. 19, T. 12 N., R. 39 E.W.M. The place of use is within Sec. 24, T. 12 N., R. 39 E.W.M. and Sec. 19, T. 12 N., R. 39 E.W.M.

The applicant proposes to temporarily (2 years) add a point of diversion and place of use for 0.0022 cubic feet per second and 0.011 acre-feet per year for irrigation of 0.0025 acre, all within the NW¼NE¼ of Sec. 9, T. 9 N., R. 32 E.W.M., and temporarily (20 years) transfer 2.0214 cubic feet per second and 287.99 acre-feet into the State Trust Water Program for the purpose instream flow enhancement from the NW¼SE¼ of Sec. 19, T. 12., R. 39 E.W.M. on the Tucannon River to the mouth of the Columbia River.

Any protests or objections to the approval of this application may be filed with the Department of Ecology and must include a detailed statement of the basis for objections; protests must be accompanied by a fifty dollar (\$50) recording fee and filed with the Cashiering Section, State of Washington, Department of Ecology, PO Box 47611, Olympia, WA 98504-7611 within thirty (30)

days from August 10, 2017.

Any interested party may submit comments, objections, and other information to the Water Board regarding this application. The comments and information may be submitted in writing or verbally at any public meeting of the board held to discuss or decide on the application. This application will be on the board agenda during its regular meetings to be held on the first Wednesday of each month until completion of application. Additionally, the Water Board may receive written comments or information provided within thirty (30) days from the last date of publication of this notice, said written comments or information to be provided to: Walla Walla County Water Conservancy Board, attention Alan Kottwitz, P.O. Box 1506, Walla Walla, WA 99362. Note: This notice does not constitute notice of a meeting for the purposes of the Open Public Meetings Act, RCW 42.30.

The Times
Aug. 3, 10, 2017
8-3-c

SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON COUNTY OF COLUMBIA

NO. 17-3-00036-7
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
DERUWE L & F, INC.;

RAYMOND DERUWE AND RICHARD DERUWE d/b/a DERUWE RD FARMS JOINT VENTURE

Plaintiffs,
vs

The unknown heirs at law of BENJAMIN M. TURNER; The unknown heirs at law of J. EDGAR FREEMAN, GEORGE EARL FREEMAN, WALTER E. PRICE, HARVEY L. PRICE, SUSIE POOL, WILFORD ANDERSON, JESSE F. ANDERSON, JENNIE MILLER, JUNE SPALINGER, LAURA DASHIELL, LEE ANDERSON, MARY MEYERS, LUCY COOPER, JOHN ANDERSON BOWMAN, ARTHUR M. WEATHERFORD, CLARABELLE BRUCE, SUE DUNLAP, MARTHA A. GIRTON, CELESTE EDWARDS, SUSIE BOWMAN, HOMER E. PRICE, J. WILBUR PRICE and also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien, or interest in the real estate described in the complaint herein,

Defendants.
THE STATE OF WASHINGTON TO: The unknown heirs at law of Benjamin M. Turner; the unknown heirs at law of J. Edgar Freeman, George Earl Freeman, Walter E. Price, Harvey L. Price, Susie Pool, Wilford Anderson, Jesse F. Anderson, Jennie Miller, June Spalinger, Laura Dashiell, Lee Anderson, Mary Meyers, Lucy Cooper, John Anderson Bowman, Arthur M. Weatherford, Clarabelle Bruce, Sue Dunlap, Martha A. Girton, Celeste Edwards, Susie Bowman, Homer E. Price, J. Wilbur Price and all known and unknown parties who claim any interest in the real property.

YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to appear within 60 days after the date of first publication of this Summons, to-wit, within 60 days after August 3rd, 2017, and defend the above-entitled action in the above entitled court, and answer the Complaint of the Plaintiffs and serve copy of your Answer upon the undersigned attorney for the Plaintiffs at her office below stated; and in case of your failure to do so, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the Complaint which has been filed with the clerk of this court. The object of said action is to quiet title to real property claimed by adverse possession by the Plaintiffs; the real property situated in Columbia County, Washington and described as follows:

The Southeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section 24, Township 11 North, Range 39 East, Willamette Meridian.

Dated this 26th day of July, 2017.
/s/Scott D. Gallina
Judge
Presented by:
Marinella & Boggs
/s/Kimberly R. Boggs
WSBA#24387
Attorney for Plaintiffs
The Times
Aug. 3, 2017
8-3-d

File No. HO17-003

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

File name/Docket #: Water Buffalo Brewery/HO17-003
Application type: Home Occupation - Type 2
Applicant/Owner: Michael Rossi

136 Russet Road; Walla Walla, WA, 99362

Project description:
Application to operate a brewery in 576 square feet in a residential pole building. Operations will include milling, mashing, fermenting and packaging beer. Customers would be allowed on site by appointment to sample beer or get growlers filled. Brewing would occur once a week. Off-street parking would be provided in the existing driveway. The site is located generally at 136 Russet Road (APN 350726523127), in the Rural Residential 5 (RR-5) zoning district.

Required Permits/Approvals:
Walla Walla County Health Department, Washington State Liquor and Cannabis

Control Board
Development Regulations:
WWCC 17.08.261 - Home occupation, type II.

WWCC Chapter 17.20 - Development Standards - Off-Street Parking and Loading Areas

Date submitted: 5/30/2017
Complete Application date: 6/27/2017
Notice of Application date: 8/1/2017

REVIEW PROCESS AND PUBLIC COMMENT: The decision on this application will be made by the CDD Director. The comment period for this project is fourteen (14) days from issuance of this notice; this period ends **8/17/2017**. 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 Director's decision may be appealed by the applicant(s) or parties of record to the Walla Walla County Hearing Examiner pursuant to WWCC 14.11.010 and 14.11.030.

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

The Times
Aug. 3, 2017
8-3-e

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing has been established for Monday, August 21, 2017 at 11:00 a.m. in the Columbia County Commissioners office to hear comments on proposed amendments to the 2017 Parks and Recreation Fee Schedule - Facilities Rental Fees. Copies of the proposed amendments are available for inspection at the Columbia County Commissioners office during regular business hours.

Approval is pending this hearing.

LEGAL NOTICES

COURT NEWS - FROM PAGE 3

- Stephen Eugene Stubblefield, 52, Dayton; Charged with harassment and fourth degree assault. Entered a plea of not guilty.

Trials Set

- Marshall Hernandez, 56, Dayton; Charged with burglary and assault in the 2nd degree, strangulation in Nov of 2016 and charged with 1st degree arson and 1st degree reckless burning in Jan. 2015. Trials are set for Aug. 24-25.

- Brandon Wayne John, 33, Dayton; charged with two counts of escape in the first degree in one case and unlawful possession of a firearm in a second case. Trials are set for Sept. 14-15.

- Joshua Brownell Wilson, 22, Dayton; Charged with assault in the fourth degree and assault in the fourth degree and harassment – threats to kill in one case and with assault in the second degree – intention to cause bodily harm and assault in the fourth degree – domestic violence in a second case. Trial is set for Oct. 5-6.

-Christopher A. Smith, 47, Dayton; Charged with third degree rape. He is accused of unwanted sexual contact with an adult female. He previously entered a plea of not guilty and was released on a \$10,000 unsecured appearance bond. Trial is set for Oct. 5-6.

Other:

-Benjamin Glen Smith, 34, Dayton; charged with multiple counts of child molestation and child rape. Case was continued to Aug. 9 for resolution or to set trial dates.

- Michael J. Clark, 31, Cheney; Charged with possession of methamphetamine and driving with license suspended, third degree. Clark failed to appear to two court dates and conditions of release have been revoked.

-Raymond Joe Cate, 55, charged with one count of delivery, manufacture, or possession of methamphetamine with intent to deliver and one count of use of drug paraphernalia not used for marijuana. Cate changed his plea to guilty in exchange for a 24 month stay of prosecution. If he complies to requirements which include engaging in no criminal acts and entering a drug and alcohol treatment program, the charges will be dropped.

LEGALS (Cont.)

File No. SUB17-003
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

File name/number: Day-break Estates - 10-lot cluster / SUB17-003

Application type: Preliminary Plat

Applicant: Brent and Victoria Knowles, LLC
1044 Valley Chapel Road; Walla Walla, WA, 99362

Project description: Preliminary plat application for a 10-lot cluster subdivision on the north side of Stateline Road. The subdivision would contain one resource parcel and nine new cluster lots off a new private road, the cluster lots would range in size from 1.13-acres to 2.0-acres. The site is located generally on the north side of Stateline Road about 1/3-mile west of Valley Chapel Road (APN 350609430004).

Development Regulations: Chapter 17.18 – Density and Dimensions
Chapter 17.31 – Cluster Developments
Title 16 – Subdivisions
Chapter 18.08 – Critical Area Protection

Review process and public comment: The Hearing Examiner will make a decision within ten working days of the public hearing. Written testimony may be submitted prior to or at the public hearing on August 14, 2017. Please indicate your name and address and refer to the file indicated above.

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

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

PUBLIC HEARING INFORMATION
Monday, August 14, 2017 at 9:30 AM (or as soon thereafter as possible)
Basement Conference Room
310 W. Poplar Street
Walla Walla, WA 99362

THE PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD ON THIS APPLICATION ENDS AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE AUGUST 14 PUBLIC HEARING.

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

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

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

The Times
August 3, 2017
8-3-f

TEENY MCMUNN: MY RECIPE BOX

ZUCCHINI FRIES

I saw this recipe on one of those videos on Facebook that makes you think you can do it all in 30 seconds. It's the season for zucchini and I had one that must have been on steroids so I decided to make them. I had Panko and the parmesan cheese, had bought the garlic powder for another recipe (expensive), so was good to go.

The Facebook recipe showed a dip to use. Most dips I don't care for because they have sour cream or cream cheese in them. I figured I didn't need a dip anyway, they looked so good, but changed my mind. I googled this recipe for the dip and found one that sounded good. I also found a different version.* The dry mixture can vary according to taste. I didn't make the dip, to be honest, and cheated with ready to make Caesar dressing.

INGREDIENTS:

2 eggs, well beaten, and add to a flat pan
1 c. Panko
½ c. Parmesan cheese (in a jar)

1 tsp basil
1 tsp salt
1 Tbsp garlic powder

Add all of the dry ingredients to another flat pan.

Cut zucchini at about 3 inch increments, then cut each in half, then again in about 5 pieces. You should end up with sticks

Dip each in the egg mixture, then in the Panko mixture, place on a cookie sheet lined with parchment paper.

Bake at 425 degrees for 20 minutes.

SWEET ONION DIP

1 Tbsp butter
1 medium sweet onion, peeled and sliced
2 Tbsp cider vinegar
2 Tbsp honey
1 Tbsp prepared mustard
1 c. mayonnaise
Salt and pepper to taste

Melt the butter in a medium frying pan, and add sliced onions. Cook, stirring occasionally, until the onions soften, then caramelize, about 10 to 15 minutes. Lower heat will take longer, but less likely to burn the onions.

Remove from heat, and add vinegar. Place the onions and vinegar into a small food processor. Add the honey and mustard, and process or blend until smooth.

Add mayonnaise, salt and pepper to taste, stirring to combine. Refrigerate, covered, until ready to serve

MY NOTES: Joe thought I was dipping the sticks in butter instead of eggs! I found I left them in the oven longer as to get good and brown. They are a bit messy to make, but when I used up all the panko mix, it made two cookie sheets full. I think kids could help with this and have fun doing so, and if you call them 'fries' they'll be more apt to eat them.

I used only one teaspoon of garlic powder because I wasn't paying attention. A tablespoon, like recipe calls for, would have given them more flavor. *Another recipe called for pizza flavoring to be added. Oh, and by the way, on the last few I sliced the zucchini into rounds and it worked just fine, if you don't want to mess with the "fry" idea.

This is a good recipe for kids, for get-togethers, and for a side dish.

ENJOY



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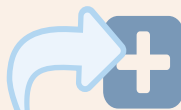
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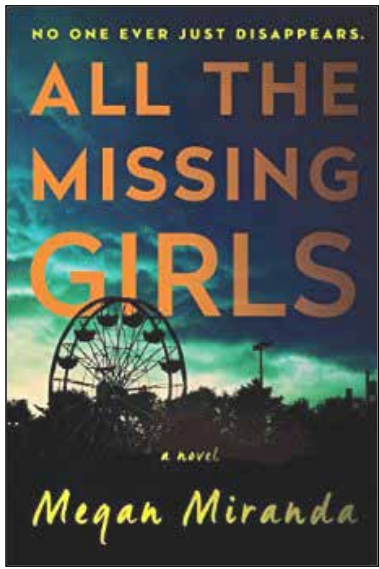
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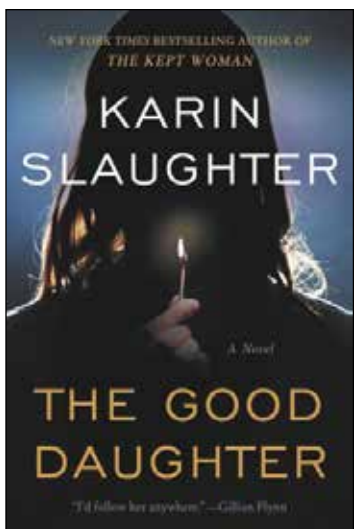
All the Missing Girls by Megan Miranda - It's been ten years since Nicolette Farrell left her rural hometown after her best friend, Corinne, disappeared from Cooley Ridge without a trace. Back again to tie up loose ends and care for her ailing father, Nic is soon plunged into a shocking drama that reawakens Corinne's case and breaks open old wound. The decade-old investigation focused on Nic, her brother Daniel, boyfriend Tyler, and Corinne's boyfriend Jackson. Since then, only Nic has left Cooley Ridge. Daniel and his wife, Laura, are expecting a baby; Jackson works at the town bar; and Tyler is dating Annalise Carter, Nic's younger neighbor and the group's alibi the night Corinne disappeared. Then, within days of Nic's return, Annalise goes missing. Told backwards—Day 15 to Day 1—from the time Annalise goes missing, Nic works to unravel the truth about her younger neighbor's disappearance, revealing

shocking truths about her friends, her family, and what *really* happened to Corinne that night ten years ago.

What She Knew by Gilly Macmillan - Rachel Jenner is walking in a Bristol park with her eight-year-old son, Ben, when he asks if he can run ahead. It's an ordinary request on an ordinary Sunday afternoon, and Rachel has no reason to worry—until Ben vanishes. Police are called, search parties go out, and Rachel, already insecure after her recent divorce, feels herself coming undone. As hours and then days pass without a sign of Ben, everyone who knew him is called into question, from Rachel's newly married ex-husband to her mother-of-the-year sister. Inevitably, media attention focuses on Rachel too, and the public's attitude toward her begins to shift from sympathy to suspicion. As she desperately pieces together the threadbare clues, Rachel realizes that nothing is quite as she imagined it to be, not even her own judgment. And the greatest dangers may lie not in the anonymous strangers of every parent's nightmares, but behind the familiar smiles of those she trusts the most.

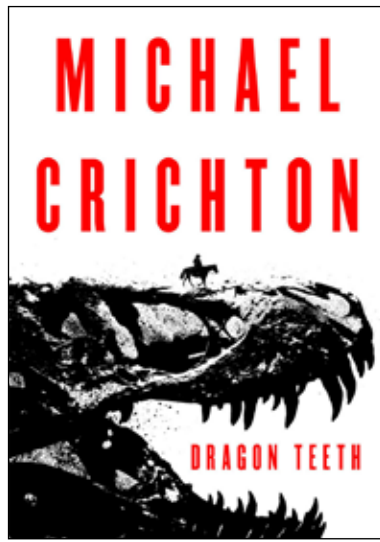


The Good Daughter by Karen Slaughter - Two girls are forced into the woods at gunpoint. One runs for her life. One is left behind... Twenty-eight years ago, Charlotte and Samantha Quinn's happy small-town family life was torn apart by a terrifying attack on their family home. It left their mother dead. It left their father — Pikeville's notorious defense attorney — devastated. And it left the family fractured beyond repair, consumed by secrets from that terrible night. Twenty-eight years later, and Charlie has followed in her father's footsteps to become a lawyer herself — the ideal good daughter. But when violence comes to Pikeville again — and a shocking tragedy leaves the whole town traumatized — Charlie is plunged into a nightmare. Not only is she the first witness on the scene, but it's a case that unleashes the terrible memories she's spent so long trying to suppress. Because the shocking truth about the crime that



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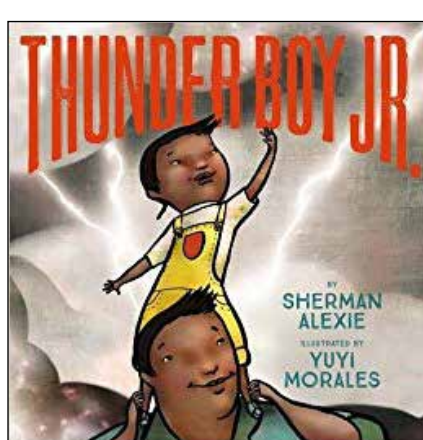
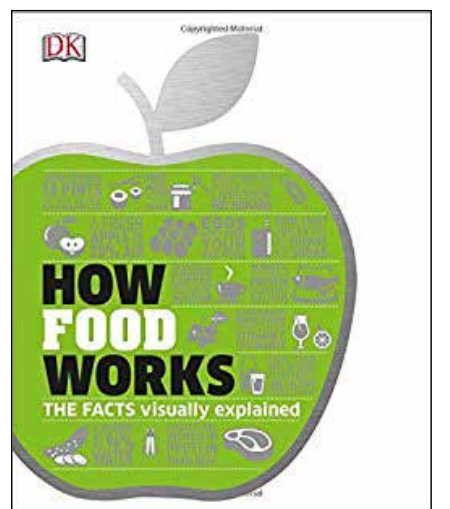
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Dragon Teeth by Michael Crichton - The year is 1876. Warring Indian tribes still populate America's western territories even as lawless gold-rush towns begin to mark the landscape. In much of the country it is still illegal to espouse evolution. Against this backdrop two monomaniacal paleontologists pillage the Wild West, hunting for dinosaur fossils, while surveilling, deceiving and sabotaging each other in a rivalry that will come to be known as the Bone Wars. A page-turner that draws on both meticulously researched history and an exuberant imagination, *Dragon Teeth* is based on the rivalry between real-life paleontologists Cope and Marsh; in William Johnson readers will find an inspiring hero only Michael Crichton could have imagined. Perfectly paced and brilliantly plotted, this enormously winning adventure is destined to

become another Crichton classic.

How Food Works: The Facts Visually Explained, Dorling Kindersley - An easy-to-understand visual guide to the facts of food and nutrition. A nutritionist in a book that explains key concepts about food and what makes it good or bad for you, *How Food Works* brings the science of food to life. Through a highly visual approach that uses bold infographics, explore the good, the bad, the confusing, and the trending world of food. Discover what an antioxidant is, find out what a superfood does to your body, and learn why it is dangerous to reheat rice. Covering a wide variety of topics, from dieting to gluten intolerance, *How Food Works* debunks common food myths, explains nutrition, covers the food groups, and looks into organic vs. processed foods. Follow the history of food production and free-range farming, how food is transported, and what «sell by» dates really mean. *How Food Works* is a completely comprehensive guide that will help readers understand the underlying biological effects of everyday foods through scientific evaluation, revealing the powers of different types of food and drinks.



Thunder Boy Jr., by Sherman Alexie - Thunder Boy Jr. is named after his dad, but he wants a name that's all his own. Just because people call his dad Big Thunder doesn't mean he wants to be Little Thunder. He wants a name that celebrates something cool he's done, like Touch the Clouds, Not Afraid of Ten Thousand Teeth, or Full of Wonder. But just when Thunder Boy Jr. thinks all hope is lost, he and his dad pick the perfect name...a name that is sure to light up the sky. National Book Award-winner Sherman Alexie's lyrical text and Caldecott Honor-winner Yuyi Morales's striking and beautiful illustrations celebrate the special relationship between

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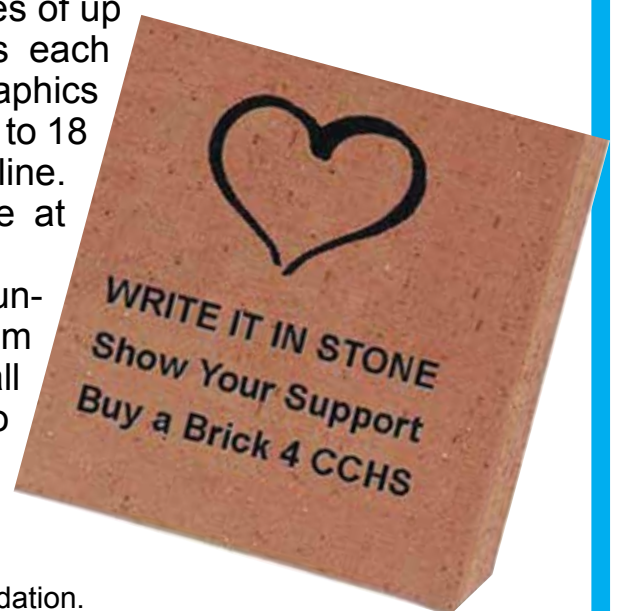
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STRANGE BUT TRUE

by Samantha Weaver

* It was aviation pioneer Amelia Earhart who made the following sage observation: "Never interrupt someone doing what you said couldn't be done."

* Those who study such things say that as we get older, we breathe more slowly.

* Sure, a group of swans can be referred to as a flock or a flight, but why not show some creativity? You can refer to a grounded group as a bank or a drift (presumably due its resemblance to a drift of snow); in the air, they can, collectively, be called a wedge. The best choice, however, might be the fanciful term "a lamentation of swans."

Thought for the Day: "It has been said that a pretty face is a passport, but it's not. It's a visa, and it runs out fast." -- Julie Burchill

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