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THIS WEEK

DAYTON



AGRICULTURE

Dayton School District received 2017 Agricultural Program of the Year Award.

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WAITSBURG



SERVICE

Community volunteers and supporters make it possible for the Waitsburg Resource Center to serve the community.

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SPORTS



VOLLEYBALL

The Lady Bulldogs beat WWVA in five sets to stand 4-2 in league play.

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2017 HOMECOMING COURT



Photo by Dena Martin

The Dayton and Waitsburg 2017 Homecoming Courts made a chilly appearance at Friday night's homecoming game against Kittitas. (top l to r): Juniors Kesley Alleman & Brayden Miller (W), seniors Morgan Riley & Cole John (D), senior Queen Heidi Dobbs & senior King Gavin Walsh (D), senior Queen Olivia Ortiz & senior King Cade Branson (W), Chloe Pearson (in back) & Chris Philbrook (W). (bottom l to r): freshmen Chris Fulbright & Juniper Kerr (D), sophomores Teagan Larsen & Shawn Evans (W), sophomores Brandon Pulliam & Ing Phoolpipat (D), Johnny Wyatt & Kirsten Miller (W), juniors Tatum Laughery & Dyllan Swan (D).

ATVs are Banned from Fairgrounds Area

U-TURN AMENDMENT IS MODIFIED

By Dena Martin | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG – The topics of ATV/UTV use in the city and Main Street U-turns continues to make their way before Waitsburg's city council. At the Oct. 18 regular meeting, the council prohibited unauthorized ATV use in the fairgrounds area completely and revised the fine for U-Turns.

U-Turns

While Main Street U-turns between third and first have been prohibited by city code for some time, there was never a specified punishment for doing so. In September, the council approved a first offense fine of \$50, a second offense fine of \$100, and a third-and-subsequent offense fine at the discretion of the court, up to \$300.

The code will be enforced by the Walla Walla County Sheriff's Office who told the city they have no way of tracking the number of infractions an individual has incurred. Therefore, the code

was changed to say that each offense is punishable by a fine of \$100.

ATVs/UTVs/Motorcycles

The ongoing issue of ATVs/UTVs being a noise nuisance and safety issue on the city has been discussed repeatedly by the council. The overall consensus has been that while the council does not have a problem with people using ATVs for work or chore-related tasks, they have serious concerns about excessive speed, noise, and safety issues such as riding without helmets and multiple people (often minors) on one vehicle.

Until now, Waitsburg's municipal code did not specifically limit ATV use. The council considered adopting such a policy last October, but ultimately decided that state code which requires drivers to be licensed, registered, and to meet safety codes, already applies.

Recent damage to property at the fairgrounds and along the dike has resulted in the council taking a stronger stance. The new code prohibits any unauthorized motorcycle or wheeled all-terrain vehicle on the fairgrounds dike or the area between the Waitsburg

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COUNTY PUTS HOLD ON FACILITIES IMPROVEMENT PLAN

Commissioners will revisit an updated plan in January

By Michele Smith | THE TIMES

DAYTON—Speaking before the Board of County Commissioners at last week's regular board meeting on Mon., Oct. 16, County Planner Meagan Bailey said some language was changed in the county's Facilities Improvement Plan regarding potential impacts to the horse stalls 'in order to be sensitive to the wishes of a select group'.

Bailey also said language had been added stating, "The County will not and does not have any intention of competing with local enterprise regarding a possible RV Park."

The fairgrounds RV Park will only be open and available during larger events, she said.

Bailey said there is a flexibility clause in the plan and the county has no responsibility to apply any of the items in the plan.

"This is just a base to get moving, step, by step, by step," Bailey said.

Following Bailey's presentation, Julia Mead, President of the Columbia County Friends of the Fairgrounds, and J. E. McCaw, representing Dayton Golf and Country Club, presented their missions and ob-

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HALLOWEEN HAPPENINGS

Walla Walla Corn Maze: 853 Five Mile Rd. Walla Walla. 12 and over \$7, 4-11 \$5, 3 and under Free. Scary hours begin at dark and rates are \$10 per trip. See wallawallacornmaze.com for more information

Fri., Oct. 27

Pumpkin Coloring/Carving Contest: Super 1 Foods (710 S. Ninth, Walla Walla), 4:30-6 p.m. Judging at 6:15 p.m. Ages 3-6 will color pumpkins and ages 7-12 will carve. Bring your own carving utensils and an adult to supervise. Pumpkins provided by Super 1 Foods. (Sponsored by Walla Walla Parks & Recreation)

Sat., Oct. 28

Monster Mash Halloween Carnival: Waitsburg Elementary School, 4-6 p.m. Games, haunted hallway, air-bobbing for apples, caramel apples, chili, nachos, pretzels and beverages.

Dayton Eagles Halloween Parties, 222 E. Main, Dayton. Kid's party from 1-3 p.m. Games, prizes, food. Must be accompanied by an adult. Adult costume party with the FrogHollow Band, 8:30 p.m. - 12:30 a.m. \$5 cover.

Costume Karaoke: The Tuxedo Bar & Grill, Prescott, 8p.m. - midnight. Hit the stage dressed in your favorite costume.

Sun., Oct. 29

Quail Run's Pumpkin Pie Harvest Festival: Quail Run Retirement Center (1701 Plaza Way, Walla Walla), 3-5:15 p.m. Pie, ice cream and music with the Incredible Family Erikson. Free.

BooGrass at the Plaza Theater: 208 Main Street, Waitsburg, 4 p.m. Free admission. Switchgrass Delta, Grandma & the Boys and the Jasper Mountain Band will perform to thank to the community for its support of the Touchet Valley Acoustic Music Project and Rural Youth Enrichment Services.

HALLOWEEN Tues., Oct. 31

Dayton Downtown Trick-or-Treat: Dayton Main Street, 3-5 p.m. Bring the kids out for a safe and festive trick-or-treating experience at local businesses. Sponsored by the Dayton Chamber of Commerce.

Sheriff's Office/Fire Dept. Trick-or-Treat: Columbia County Courthouse, 3-5 p.m.

Stop by the Sheriff's Office in the courthouse for trick-or-treat goodie bags. Columbia County Fire District No. 3 will also be on hand.

Town Hall Spaghetti Feed: Waitsburg Town Hall, 4:30 - 7:30 p.m. Spaghetti dinner with garlic bread and salad. Suggested minimum donation of \$5 per person or \$20 per family. Funds go to replace the lower windows on Town Hall.

Downtown Trick-or-Treat: Downtown Walla Walla, 3-5 p.m. Free photo booth with batman, superheroes, and princesses. Games on Alder Street. Free Trick-or-Treat bags.

D.A.R.E. Dinner Fundraiser: Bacon & Eggs (57 E. Main, across from Macy's), 4-7 p.m. Dinners are \$5 each or a family of six for \$20

FREE 'BOOGRASS' CONCERT

WAITSBURG – Switchgrass Delta, the Jasper Mountain band and Grandma and the Boys will perform a free concert on Sun., Oct. 29 at 4 p.m. at the Plaza Theater (208 Main) in Waitsburg. The bands will perform as a thank you to the community for its support of the Touchet Valley Acoustic Music Project and Rural Youth Enrichment Services.

FARMERS INVITED TO WHEAT U

SPOKANE, Wash. – Pacific Northwest wheat growers are invited to attend Wheat U, a free, one-day, information packed educational opportunity at the Spokane Convention Center on Dec. 5.

The event is structured as a combination of keynote speakers and breakout sessions with Dr. Pete Berry as the keynote speaker. Berry is a crop physiologist in the United Kingdom and is one of the world's foremost authorities on high-yield wheat production systems.

The program will begin with a panel of high-achieving grower leaders who will share production tips and tricks. Breakout sessions include: fertility management for high protein and high yield, weed management, disease and insect management and more.

The event concludes with a panel discussion from brewery and bakery experts who will advise growers on preferred characteristics in winter wheat.

Wheat U is free and includes a complimentary luncheon courtesy of sponsors: BASE, Washington Association of Wheat Growers, Capital Press and High Plains Journal. Farmers are requested to register online at www.wheatu.com.

TOWN HALL HALLOWEEN SPAGHETTI DINNER

WAITSBURG – Waitsburg's Town Hall Association is making it easier for families to get out the door to trick-or-treat while supporting the community at the same time. The Association will host its second annual Halloween Spaghetti Dinner on Tues., Oct. 31 from 4:30-7:30 p.m.

Last year's dinner raised funds to replace the upper windows in the Town Hall building, located on Waitsburg's Main Street. It is hoped that this year's event will bring in enough funds to allow for replacement of the street level windows.

Dinner, which includes spaghetti, dinner, garlic bread and salad, is by donation, with a minimum suggested donation of \$5/person and \$20/family.

D.A.R.E. DINNER FUNDRAISER

D.A.R.E. Dinner Fundraiser: WALLA WALLA – The Walla Walla Sheriff's Foundation will host their annual D.A.R.E. Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser at Bacon & Eggs (57 E. Main, across from Macy's) from 4-7 p.m on Oct. 31. Dinners are \$5 each or a family of six for \$20 and to-go orders are available. Menu includes: Frankenstein's Spaghetti, Spooky Salad, Beastly Bread, Ghostly Soda. All proceeds will directly benefit the D.A.R.E. program.

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Touchet Valley Weather Oct. 25, 2017

Waitsburg's Seven Day Forecast

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
Partly Cloudy	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Mostly Sunny	Sunny	Sunny
High: 63 Low: 46	High: 62 Low: 42	High: 59 Low: 43	High: 60 Low: 46	High: 58 Low: 48	High: 59 Low: 49	High: 64 Low: 54

Weather Trivia

What are spiral bands?

?

Answers: In a hurricane, clouds often form in a spiral around the eye.

Local Almanac Last Week

Day	High	Low	Normals	Precip	Precipitation
Tuesday	71	47	63/43	Trace	0.40"
Wednesday	69	50	62/42	0.01"	0.44"
Thursday	65	49	62/42	0.00"	-0.04"
Friday	58	47	61/42	0.05"	56.5°
Saturday	65	45	61/42	0.32"	51.6°
Sunday	66	50	60/41	0.02"	+4.9°
Monday	64	45	60/41	0.00"	

Data as reported from Walla Walla

Sun/Moon Chart This Week

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
Wednesday	7:24 a.m.	5:49 p.m.	12:44 p.m.	10:06 p.m.
Thursday	7:25 a.m.	5:47 p.m.	1:29 p.m.	10:59 p.m.
Friday	7:27 a.m.	5:46 p.m.	2:10 p.m.	11:55 p.m.
Saturday	7:28 a.m.	5:44 p.m.	2:46 p.m.	Next Day
Sunday	7:30 a.m.	5:42 p.m.	3:19 p.m.	12:56 a.m.
Monday	7:31 a.m.	5:41 p.m.	3:50 p.m.	1:59 a.m.
Tuesday	7:33 a.m.	5:39 p.m.	4:19 p.m.	3:06 a.m.

Weather History

Oct. 25, 1988 - Severe thunderstorms erupted over northeastern Texas during the late evening, producing softball size hail at Newcastle and Jonesboro. Low pressure over James Bay in Canada continued to produce showers and gale force winds in the Great Lakes region.

PIONEER PORTRAITS

Ten Years Ago November 1, 2007

It has come to our attention that we do not have any birthdays listed for October 28. We are hoping to find someone with a birthday on that day. For the first person that calls The Times office, 337-6631, with a name to put on our birthday list for October 28, we will provide a cake mix, frosting and birthday candles.

Towne Hall will be the beneficiary of funds raised by the Waitsburg Commercial Club at the 50th Salmon Barbeque in September. At a recent board meeting, Club leaders approved submitting up to \$5,000 from the salmon barbecue proceeds for internal improvements to the 1920s-vintage building which serves as Commercial Club's meeting location and is also a primary site for numerous local events.

Twenty-Five Years Ago October 29, 1992

The City Council last week approved spending as much as \$8,000 to begin work for the resurfacing of Main Street, from the Touchet bridge to the 8th Street intersection. Main Street has not been repaved in more than 15 years, officials said.

After three years of hard work, Weller Public librarian Jan Cronkhite has completed the Rural Library Training Project. . . Cronkhite, 58, was one of 10 Washington state library managers originally chosen to be participants in the pilot program, the first ever held in the U.S.

St. Mark's Altar Society started their fall season with a meeting at the home of Betty Jo Donnelly and Geraine Hansen as co-hostess. The new officers are Ava Jean Gagnon, president; Henrietta Hermanns, vice-president; Dorothy Hall, secretary; Opal Shively, treasurer; Betty Jo Donnelly, historian. Father Paul Wood is the spiritual leader.

A cougar that was shot and killed in an attack on a Waitsburg farmer's dogs was starving probably because its tongue had been severed in the months before its death. A Washington State veterinarian who performed an autopsy on the cougar said it was probably having trouble hunting deer and came to the farmer's yard for an easier kill. The farmer, Neil Carpenter, shot the cat early Oct. 9 as it attacked two of his dogs. He said he believed the cougar was trying to eat his cats, which live outside.

Fifty Years Ago October 26, 1967

We note with regret the passing of Frank Zuger Tuesday evening. In our memory we can think of the many times that Frank, the past master of practical joking, was in on some bit of light-hearted fun. Frank was the plotter of the bird's nest which appeared above the newly-remodelled Blue Mountain Agency front, and we always suspected that he had a hand in the magpie nest which also appeared one morning below the sign. Frank's fun in life was shared by many people – and those same people will miss him.

The Citizen's Ticket was chosen by caucus at an open meeting in the Commercial Club rooms on Tuesday, October 24. Albert Land was chosen as the ticket's candidate for Mayor; Julia Davis was chosen as candidate for Treasurer; and Councilman candidates were Roy Reed, King Witt, Don Hinchliffe, Joe Bodman, and David Roberts.

Seventy-Five Years Ago October 3, 1942

Roy Bains on his annual deer hunt was successful in getting a four-point buck on Huckleberry mountain last Thursday. The animal weighed 180 pounds dressed.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Knotgrass of Pomeroy have purchased Gus Mock's stock and wheat farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Fullerton receive word Wednesday of last week of the marriage of their son Wayne, and Miss Pauline Malloy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Malloy of Walla Walla. The wedding took place in the chapel of the Naval Training Station at San Diego.

Miss Vesta Bender, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bender, Dayton, and Joseph Groom, son of Mr. Marion Groom of Hunstville, were married in Lewiston, Oct. 13.

One Hundred Years Ago November 2, 1917

The dining room at Hotel Bradley re-opened to the general public on Thursday morning of this week.

Fire slightly damaged the high school building Monday, when presumably an overheated furnace or defective chimney set fire to the roof of the building.

Bud Pettyjohn and son Tom sold their grain ranch on Pettyjohn Mt., and half their pasture land for \$32,000. Mr. Houtchens of Waitsburg making the sale. Tom is going to move to Dayton for the winter taking his horse and feed to the ranch on the Creek (South Touchet) to winter with his father's stock.

One Hundred Twenty-Five Years Ago November 4, 1892

On Friday night of last week somebody stole from the hitch rack in front of the Methodist Church a horse and saddle, belonging to David Roberts. The horse has turned up but the saddle is still missing.

Four days more and the political liar (bless his heart), will be out of a job for awhile.

Thornton Heskett is trying to make arrangements to start a democratic paper in this city.

On Friday evening while Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harman, living on Jasper Mountain, were driving down a grade, they met with the misfortune of upsetting their wagon, with the result to break both of Mrs. Harman's legs.

CLASSIFIEDS

HELP WANTED

Columbia County Public Safety Communications is seeking entry-level or lateral E-911 Dispatchers. The work week includes rotating shifts in a 24-hour, 7-days-per-week operation that includes holidays. Requirements include: must be 18 years or older; ability to successfully pass background check; maintain telephone/cell at residence; willing and able to work varying shift schedules including holidays as needed. Salary: Hourly rate DOQ. Send resume to 341 E Main St. #100 Attn: Lisa Caldwell. Position remains open until filled. Columbia County is an equal opportunity employer.

Columbia County E911/Emergency Management is now accepting applications for an Office Manager/MSAG Coordinator. Qualified applicants must pass a criminal justice background check. This position is 25 hours a week, with benefits and the potential to work full-time. Salary range is \$13.70/hour-\$20.35/hour, DOQ. Send resumes to 341 E Main St. #100, Attn: Lisa Caldwell. Position remains open until filled. Columbia County is an equal opportunity employer.

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Sat. 8:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

TOUCHET VALLEY NEWS

WEEKLY CALENDAR

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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.

Waitsburg Resource Center

106 Preston Avenue (side of Banner Bank)
2-4 p.m.

Christmas Kickoff Meeting

Dayton Chamber of Commerce (166 E. Main)
4 p.m.
Anyone interested in helping with Christmas Kickoff or in offering ideas is welcome to attend.

Prescott School Board
District Board Room
6 p.m.

Human Migration Presentation

Dayton Memorial Library
6:30 p.m.
Scholar David Fenner will present The Long Haul: Stories of Human Migration. The event is free and open to the public.

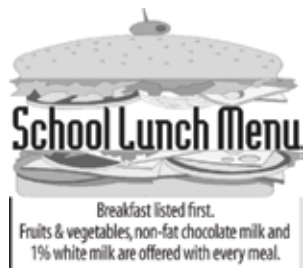
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Prescott Library Story Time
Prescott Library
11 a.m.

Soup for the Soul
Dayton First Christian Church (410 S. 3rd, Dayton)
5:30 p.m.
Last Friday of the month.

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Waitsburg Resource Center
106 Preston Avenue (side of Banner Bank)



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

27: Breakfast Sandwich; Corndog, Chips (12:10 Early Release)
30: Scrambled Eggs; Chicken Cordon Bleu, Roll
31: Cook's Choice; Cook's Choice
1: Long John;
BAKED Potato Bar, Graham Cracker, Broccoli
2: Pop Tart & Yogurt, Chicken Quesadilla, Roasted Veggies

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9-11 a.m.

Nature Kids: Birds, Bats, and Bugs, Oh My!
Walla Walla Public Library
10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Learn what owls eat by dissecting their pellets, make an origami bat, help create a bat mural and more. Free and open to the public.

Eagles Kid's Halloween Party
222 E. Main, Dayton
1-3 p.m.
Games, prizes, hotdogs, chips, pop. Must be accompanied by an adult.

Monster Mash Halloween Carnival
Waitsburg Elementary School
4-6 p.m.
Home and School Association fundraiser.

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

Eagles Adult Halloween Party
Dayton Eagles (222 E. Main)
8:30 p.m. - 12:30 a.m.
Costume contest; the FrogHollow Band. \$5 cover. Eagles members and guests welcome.

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Bluegrass at the Plaza Theater
208 Main Street, Waitsburg
4 p.m.
Free admission.

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

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

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Waitsburg Presbyterian Church
11:30 a.m.

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Downtown Trick-or-Treat
Dayton Main Street
3-5 p.m.

Town Hall Spaghetti Feed
Waitsburg Town Hall
4:30-7:30 p.m.
Fundraiser for window replacements.

NOVEMBER

1

Dayton Story Time
Dayton Memorial Library
10 a.m.

Celebrate Recovery
Waitsburg Christian Church
6:30 - 8 p.m.

2

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COURT NEWS

Columbia County Superior Court October 18, 2017

Plea Agreements/Sentencing:

-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. Accepted a plea agreement. First degree burglary was dropped to residential burglary and 2nd degree assault was dropped to 3rd degree assault in the 2016 case. He was sentenced to 17 months on count one and 12 months on count two and was ordered to pay \$1944.35 in fines, fees and restitution. In the 2015 case, first degree arson was dropped to 2nd degree arson. He was sentenced to 9 months on count one and 45 days on count two. He will receive credit for time served and time served for both cases will run consecutively.

-Derrick McCuaig, 32, Dayton; charged with theft of a firearm. Prosecution recommended a reduced sentence in exchange for a guilty plea. Sentenced to 22 months with credit for time served. Ordered to pay \$1680 in fines, fees and restitution.

-Steven Ray Long, 30, Dayton. Charged with second degree burglary, third degree theft, and third degree malicious mischief - personal property for an April incident and with 17 counts including theft, drug charges, malicious mischief and burglary stemming from incidents that took place in Feb. and May, 2013. Accepted a plea agreement. Sentenced to 25 months DOC, 25 months community custody, and ordered to pay \$1680 in fines and fees and \$200 in restitution in the April incident. In the other case, counts 2,3,5,7,8,9,11,12,13,15,16 and 17 were dismissed in exchange for guilty pleas to 2nd degree burglary, residential burglary, two counts of theft of a motor vehicle and theft of a firearm. Sentenced to a total of 61.25 months in DOC and 61.25 months community custody. He is required to pay more than \$20,000 in fines, fees and restitution.

Trials Set:

-Juan C. Casteneda, 19, Pasco. Charged with one count of first degree burglary - armed with a deadly weapon, four counts of first degree assault and four counts of unlawful imprisonment - armed with a deadly weapon. Trial set for Nov. 21-22.

-Blake Charles Wallace, 17, Richland. Charged with one count of first degree burglary - armed with a deadly weapon, four counts of first degree assault and four counts of unlawful imprisonment - armed with a deadly weapon. Trial set for Nov. 20-21.

-Deloris Lorraine Elder, 53, Dayton; charged with forgery and theft in the third degree. Bench trial set for Jan. 12, 2018.

- Lonnie Lee Montoya, 35, Dixie. Charged with theft of a motor vehicle in one case, and attempting to elude a police vehicle, possession of a stolen vehicle, resisting arrest, driving with a suspended license - third degree in another case. Trial set for Dec. 21-22 for both cases.

Other:

-Darrel Jean Salgado, 22, Dayton. Charged with possession of methamphetamine and possession of drug paraphernalia not used for marijuana and with intent to deliver methamphetamine, third degree assault, resisting arrest, use of drug paraphernalia, and three counts of possession of legend (prescription) drugs in a second incident. Continued to Nov. 8 for resolution.

-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 in one case and with harassment - domestic violence and third degree malicious mischief - domestic violence in a second case. Trial re-set for Dec. 21.

-Joshua Brownell Wilson, 22, Dayton; Charged with assault in the second degree - intention to cause bodily harm, domestic violence and assault in the fourth degree, domestic violence. Continued to Nov. 8 at defendant's request.

-Charles W. Hartwell, 41, Dayton. Charged with three charges of second degree assault with a deadly weapon. Continued to Nov. 8 at defendant's request.

-Hector Vela, Jr., 55, charged with distribution of a controlled substance to a person under 18, delivery/manufacture with intent to deliver marijuana, and possession of over one ounce of usable marijuana. Continued to Nov. 8 to set trial at defendant's request.

-Joseph K. Wilson, 43, Dayton; charged with harassment, attempted residential burglary, and third degree malicious mischief. Failed to appear and bench warrant was issued.

BIRTHDAYS

October 27: Warren Talbott, Nichole Zuger, Rod Bailey III, Quincy Larsen.

October 28: Mary Senter

October 29: Daniel Reese, Kaia and Ania Larsen, Paul Presler, Nicholas Lodato, Seamus House.

October 30: Judy Bradley, Barbie Thompson, Ken Colby, Cindy Hofer, Robert Peddinani, Meghan Conrath, Aryn Davis.

October 31: Virginia Nichol, Ben Lincoln, Pami Wallis, Sarah Henze, B.A. Keve.

November 1: Connor Talbott, Phyllis Eaton, Courtney Mock, Curtis Johnson, Jack Osburn.

November 2: Jean Hermanns, Richard Webber, Shane DuPree, Sondra Keith.

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
Worship 10:00 a.m.
Each Sunday
337-8898
Rev. Matthew Wyatt

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Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship 11 a.m.
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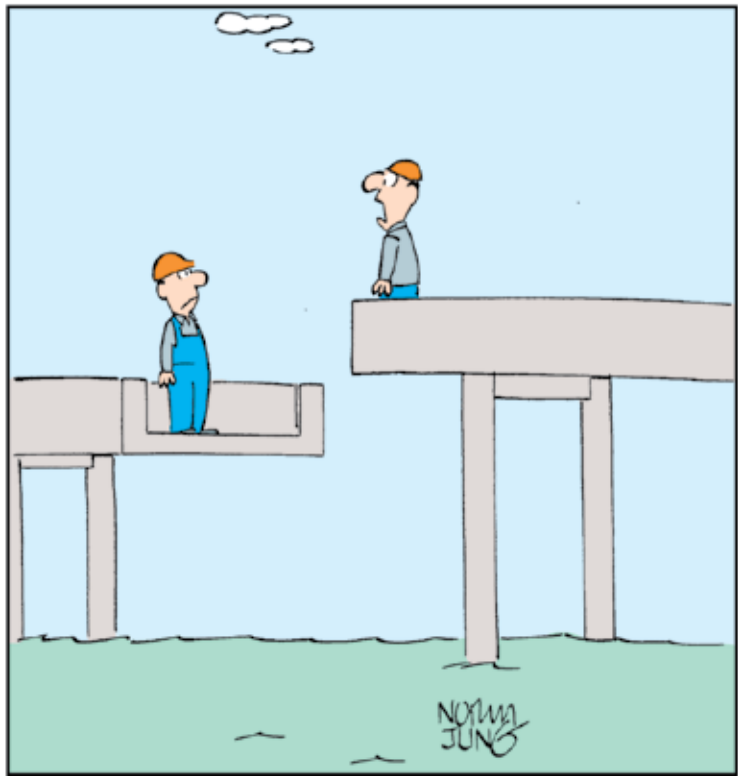
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GUEST COLUMN

AMAZON'S PLAN REMINISCENT OF BOEING'S CHICAGO MOVE

By Don C. Brunell

Last month, Seattle Times aerospace reporter Dominic Gates wrote about the similarities and differences between Boeing's corporate office move to Chicago and Amazon's plan for a second headquarters.

Boeing wanted to leave Seattle in an effort to separate its corporate leadership from manufacturing sites while Amazon, with an unusual strategy, plans to keep its headquarters here but set up a parallel operation elsewhere.

Boeing hoped to find a more conservative business climate while Amazon wants a city which is a "cultural fit."

Gates reported that in March 2001, Boeing shocked Gov. Gary Locke and Seattle Mayor Paul Schell announcing its headquarters since 1916 would leave Seattle and named Chicago, Dallas and Denver as the leading destinations. CEO Phil Condit invited each city to submit proposals.

Chicago won after Illinois agreed to provide Boeing with up to \$41 million in tax breaks and various state grants over 20 years. The city offered an additional \$19 million in property-tax relief over a similar period and a \$2 million grant.

Chicago also promised to establish a downtown heliport that could shuttle executives to and from the central city

and contributed \$1 million to retire the lease of the existing tenant in the space that Boeing now occupies. Chicago's proposal was that detailed.

Amazon publicly announced its desire for a second headquarters. The world's leading online retailer estimates what is called "Amazon HQ2" is worth \$5 billion and will bring with it 50,000 jobs.

The company accepted bids from metropolitan areas with good roads, high quality education, mass transit, and, a business-friendly environment. However, the decision may hinge on which city, state or, in the case of Canada, federal government has the richest package of incentives.

New Jersey Gov. Chris Christie proposed \$7 billion in potential credits against state and city taxes if Amazon located in Newark and sticks to its hiring commitment. Georgia is offering \$1 billion and California, Florida and Colorado have \$100 million plus packages. Many cities submitted multi-million-dollar bids as well.

Who would pass on a "\$5 billion, 50,000 jobs" deal? Not many, but San Antonio officials sent an open letter to Amazon CEO Jeff Bezos saying it is not entering the bidding war. "Blindly giving away the farm isn't our style."

While tax breaks are part of most corporations' DNA these days, Amazon has taken them to a new level. It assembled a group of highly talented and experienced people who actively work for taxpayer incentives in areas it plans to locate.

"Since its beginnings as an online bookseller in 1994, Amazon has had a savvy approach to taxes, collecting no sales tax for many purchases until recent years, and now pitting governments against each other to win tax breaks," Reuters recently reported.

Unfortunately, as distasteful as these public incentives are, they entice companies to cities, states and other countries. The best remedy to counter them is to focus on improving the business climate so corporate leaders won't look elsewhere.

In 1991, Boeing CEO Frank Shrontz warned that unless our state's business climate improved, the Puget Sound region could become "an aerospace rust belt in the 21st century complete with padlocked factories, unemployment lines and urban blight."

While Amazon has not been as open in its criticism of Washington and Seattle's taxes and regulations, it wants a city which has lower operating costs.

Boeing, Amazon and other Washington companies are coveted by other states and countries. The key to keeping them here is to have reasonable regulations and taxes, good education and transportation, safe streets and a high-quality environment; and, a place where people can afford to live.

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FACILITIES - FROM PAGE 1

jectives for the fairgrounds and golf course to the BOCC.

Mead told the commissioners the goals of the CCFE are to assure the fairgrounds are for public purposes and to keep the grounds rural, historic and viable.

Of primary importance to McCaw is getting a limited scope underground sprinkler system installed at the golf course and to continue to create a decent revenue stream.

"We don't want to have one interest group against another. We want to work cooperatively," McCaw emphasized.

Commissioners Mike Talbott and Merle Jackson reiterated the importance of having a plan, in the first place, which is to apply for grants.

Commissioner Jackson said, "It is a living document. It is to make this a nice facility, a community facility. We needed some place to start."

"I don't look at this as a major change in philosophy," he added.

Commissioner Mike Talbott agreed and said, "The more people working together, the more we can solve this."

In her report, Bailey noted recent efforts on her part and on the part of CCFE member Marcene Hendricksen, to obtain a \$2,000 grant, to repair the fascia on the roof of the White Barn.

Mead said the CCFE is looking into forming a non-profit 501c3, and she hopes to bring the Dayton Chamber of Commerce on board to help with marketing for quilt shows, poker runs and horse shows.

She said some of the immediate goals for the CCFE are to see whether the east grandstand can be salvaged and address the problem of inadequate restroom facilities at the Pavilion, which is an item identified in the County Facilities Improvement Plan as a top priority.

Commissioner Talbott agreed that the BOCC would be willing to attend some future CCFE committee meetings.

On Wed., Oct. 18 a large group of people came before the BOCC and asked that the Facilities Improvement Plan not be adopted that day, without further changes to some of the language in the plan, including replacing the word "plan" with the word "vision," and striking the words "remove" and "demolish" from the document.

The BOCC agreed to postpone any action until the first of the year, so that interested parties could have more time to provide their thoughts and ideas for the improvement of the fairgrounds facilities.

AMENDMENTS - FROM PAGE 1

City Cemetery, school athletic fields, and the city fairgrounds facility along what is known as College Ave. (the road leading to the pig barns.)

Permission to drive in those areas may be granted only by the mayor, the city administrator, or the Waitsburg School District superintendent. Sheriff John Turner, who was in attendance, said that if a minor is caught violating the ordinance, a report will be submitted to the prosecuting attorney and the parents will be notified.

Expectoration

On a lighter note, the council struck a section from Miscellaneous Violations that prohibited "Spitting or expectorating on any walk, crosswalk, or upon the floor of any church, school house, City Hall, theater, opera house, hall, store, office, motel, or boardinghouse within the city of Waitsburg."

The council had a chuckle over the code and surmised that it stemmed from an era when chewing tobacco was prevalent and the city wanted to prevent damage to public spaces.

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Out on a Limb



by Gary Kopervas



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Unscramble the letters within each rectangle to form four ordinary words. Then rearrange the boxed letters to form the mystery word, which will complete the gag!

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TODAY'S WORD

See answer on Page 10.

Americanisms



"Anyone who goes to a psychiatrist ought to have their head examined."
—Sam Goldwyn

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Two Candidates Vie for Council Seat

KYLE ANDERSON IS RUNNING AGAINST INCUMBENT KATHY BERG

By Michele Smith | THE TIMES

DAYTON—Since being elected to the Dayton City Council in 2000, nobody has run against her, until now, said Kathy Berg. Dayton business owner Kyle Anderson is in the running for that position.

Kathy Berg

Berg said the most important skill she brings to the city is her years of experience.

Even before she was elected to the city council

eighteen years ago, Berg said she attended council meetings to try and understand the issues.

Berg said she has been on most of the committees and she has always been on the Public Works Committee.

She said among her best personal qualities is her ability to be level-headed and objective.

Berg said to understand the issues, it is important to get out and about in the city.

"I just took a tour of the transfer station and the wastewater treatment plant with Jim Costello," she said.

Addressing problems with aging infrastructure, repairing and maintaining streets, and looking out for public safety are primary concerns for her.

"We don't have millions of dollars, we have to look and prioritize and obtain funding to repair and maintain streets," Berg said.

Berg said establishing good relationship with the public is very important.

The city is getting a new wastewater treatment plant in 2021 and there will be rate hikes. Berg said she knows what rate hikes mean for the public, especially for senior citizens.

She noted that the tenor of the city council changed around 2007 when the city council committees became better and stronger.

Berg said she is especially proud of the "conscientious" way the Finance Committee performs.

"We've been lucky to have such dynamic people on the council since I've been here," Berg said.

"I have an addition to the things I am proud of – the many volunteers who do so much. Without them our town wouldn't be what it is."

Berg has also worked closely with the Dayton Chamber of Commerce during the past 18 years. She said the Chamber of Commerce is "a vital force" for the community, as is the Dayton Developmental Task Force.

Berg has enjoyed working with Mayor Craig George and past mayors, Bill Graham, Merle Jackson, and Ted Patterson.

Berg is looking forward to future development in the city, since Columbia Pulp has become a reality.

"It's wonderful we have people investing in our community. We can

make this more of a destination place than it is," she said.

"If you want to be on city council, you have to love this little town and make it succeed, because it's such a neat little place," Berg said.

Berg is the proud mother of Alicia, who is a Communications Specialist, living in Ione, Ore.; Meg, who is a bilingual specialist at Davis Elementary School, in College Place; and Luci, who is a mental health counselor, in Walla Walla.

Kyle Anderson

Dayton native Kyle Anderson has tossed his hat into the ring for a seat on the city council.

Anderson, who owns Kyle's Custom Toys & Towing, with offices in Dayton and in Walla Walla, said he wants to be a voice of the people.

"I have people coming to talk to me about problems all the time," said Anderson, who sees himself as a responsive problem solver.

If elected, Anderson wants to work on addressing unemployment, particularly for local youth. He said in his lifetime he has seen farm jobs for the younger set disappear.

Anderson employs 10-15 kids, working at odd jobs, every summer in his shop, he said.

"I have a hard time turning them away," he admitted.

Anderson's biggest passion is to help local business remain viable and thrive. He said he wants to keep local dollars local.

Anderson likes the idea of growth and development in Dayton.

"We don't want it to go overboard, he said.

Like Berg, Anderson places making street improvements at the top of his list of priorities for the city, particularly Washington Street, which sustained winter damage last winter.

Anderson said he is a very busy person. He works 80-90 hours a week and manages 10 full time employees and 10 part-time employees.

His work includes building demolition for the city and county, light excavation, plowing roads and streets, removing abandoned vehicles, hauling gray water for Ski Bluewood and towing stranded vehicles. Lately he has been clearing roads and towing stranded hunters out of the woods, he said.

Anderson said he also volunteers his time, vehicles, and staff for the Every 15 Minute DUI Program in Dayton schools, and he donates his time and vehicles for training purposes to several local fire departments and ambulance services.

"I want to be more involved with the public," he said.

"I'm willing to put in the homework," he added.

Anderson credits his wife Anndria with running pretty much everything else in his life, as well as doing extensive volunteer work in the community. The Andersons have three children Jemma, 8, Michael "Cougar", 11, and Jaxson, 13.



Kathy Berg



Kyle Anderson



Courtesy Photo

Three Pears by Barb Thrall

Talk About Art

Special to The Times by Carolyn Henderson

Fine art photography consists of much more than point and click, and a finished art piece involves as much time and effort in the printing, as it does in the field.

"Digital cameras have opened the field of photography to so many more people," Kennewick artist Barb Thrall observes. "I think some of the consequences of this are a devaluing of the medium – I think there has been a misunderstanding" (on the part of the public) "when photographers use Photoshop in the processing of their images."

Photo enhancement, Thrall goes on, has been around almost as long as the technology of photography itself, with even household names like Ansel Adams intimately involved with the editing process.

"Ansel Adams was a great photographer, but he was a master in the darkroom," Thrall says.

"For the most part, I do all my own printing," she adds. "I don't think that printing photographs can be emphasized enough – it's part of the medium."

Thrall creates landscapes, floral works, and still lifes that hearken the viewer's mind to paintings by the Old Masters – her images are soft, ethereal, with a sense of supernal airiness that transcends reality. One feels the heart beat slowing and the breathing gentling upon viewing three pears in a simple setting, or a landscape that is as much sky and clouds as it is ground.

"I want people to just slow down a bit," Thrall says. "To breathe in and out."

Thrall's work is on display at Wenaha Gallery through Saturday, November 18. Gallery hours are 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Saturday.

Waitsburg City Council Update October 18, 2017

-City Administrator Randy Hinchliffe presented the 2018 Budget Preliminary Revenues and Expenses. The budget will be presented again, in further detail, at the November council meeting.

-Sheriff John Turner gave a Sheriff's Office update. Turner suggested that individuals check the Walla Walla County Sheriff's Office Facebook page to keep updated on heavy activity, roadblocks, etc.

-Approved Ordinance 2017-1046 code updates pertaining to motorcycle/ATV use and U-Turn fines. See Page 1 for full story.

-Approved fifth payment on Main Street Bridge project.

-Approved second payment for sidewalk projects.

-Council Reports: KC Kuykendall requested that the council consider taking a formal position on potential legislation he is advocating that would authorize municipalities to enter into regional buying pools that would allow them to leverage collective buying power.

-City Clerk's Report: Work on the sewer siphon under the Preston Bridge should begin in two weeks. The grandstands task force is on track and working to get a list of actual costs of replacement and financing options. Hinchliffe presented the third quarter budget update saying it was pretty close to a typical year's average. He said the budget is "slightly behind (4%) between revenues meeting expenditures" and he is restricting departmental spending to prevent negative fund balances at year end.

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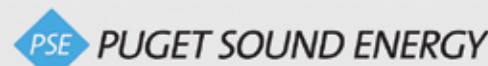
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SPORTS

DW Falls to Kittitas, 24-7

Early fumbles upend an otherwise improved Dayton-Waitsburg offense

By Ken Graham
THE TIMES



Photos by Dena Martin

WAITSBURG – The Dayton-Waitsburg football team was unable to claim their first win of the season on homecoming night Friday, as Kittitas-Thorp prevailed in their game here, 24-7.

DW dug itself a hole on the first drive of the game, as Kittitas recovered a fumble on the fifth play and returned it 25

yards for a score. DW lost its second fumble on its next drive as well.

Kittitas scored once each in the next three quarters and built a 24-0 lead late in the game.

DW got on the board with 22 seconds left, as freshman quarterback Shawn Evens ran the ball in from the 10.

Considering the offensive missteps, DW's

defense had a strong game, stopping several Kittitas drives deep in their territory.

For the game, Evans completed 11 of 23 passes, for 133 yards. He was intercepted once. Junior Helm carried the ball 14 times for 34 yards. Evens had four rushes for 23 yards and a touchdown.

Chris Andrews caught three passes for 45 yards,

and Brayden Miller had three catches for 21 yards.

On defense, Cade Branson had 13 tackles, and Jared Williams had 12 tackles.

On Monday, DW played a make-up game at Mabton, and they will play Liberty Christian in the final game of the season in Dayton Friday night.

KY: 6-6-6-6 - 24
DW: 0-0-0-7 - 7

KT - Landdeck 25 fumble return (run failed)
KT - Landdeck 11 yard pass from Anderson (run failed)
KT - Driver 27 yard run (pass failed)
KT - Landdeck 39 yard pass from Anderson (run failed)
DW - Evens 10 yard run (Helm kick)

KT - DW
First Downs 16 - 11

Rushes/yards 34-125, 26-64
Passing yards 182 - 133
Passes (att-comp-int) 23-12-0, 23-11-1
Punts - 3-28.2, 4-34.5
Fumbles/lost 2-1, 4-2
Penalties/yards 7-62, 5-65

Individual Statistics:

Rushing: KT: Clyde 6-23, Driver 9-36-1, Anderson 4-16, Perez 13-63, Landeck 2-7, Team 4-(-20); DW: Miller 6-16, Helm 14-34,

Top left: Freshman quarterback Shawn Evens throws a swing pass to receiver Junior Helm during Friday night's homecoming game against Kittitas.

Above: A Coyote player lunges in an attempt to take down DW running back Brayden Miller.

Evans 4-23-1, Team 2-(-9).
Passing: KT: Anderson 12-22-0 182 yards, 2 TD's, Perez 0-1-1;
DW: Evens 11-23-1, 133 yards, 0 TD's.
Receiving: KT: Landdeck 6-94-2, Harris 6-88; DW: Miller 3-21, Andrews 3-45, Wooldridge 2-29, Helm 1-18, Boudrieau 2-20.
Tackles: DW: Branson 13, Williams, 12, Willis 9, Wooldridge 5, Johnson 5, Miller 4, Andrews 4, Lamere 3, Allessio 2, Evens 2, Helm 1.
Sacks: DW: Miller, Willis.

LADY BULLDOGS HAND WWVA THEIR FIRST LEAGUE LOSS

By Dena Martin
THE TIMES

WALLA WALLA – The Lady Bulldogs handed Walla Walla Valley Academy their first league loss of the season on the Lady Knights court on Oct. 18, but it was far from easy. The Bulldogs brought all they had to the court winning in five hard-

fought sets 25-20, 21-25, 22-25, 25-23, 15-12.

"It was a battle every set! We passed the ball pretty consistently so we were able to run our offense all night. Our defense stepped up and played the best we have all season. We finally competed in every game and didn't have any major breakdowns," said Bulldog coach Shannon

Turner. "WWVA had not lost a league match yet. We are peaking at the right time, preparing for Regionals," she added.

The win leaves the Bulldogs with a 4-2 league standing. They face off against Liberty Christian at home on Oct. 24 in their last league match of the season.

Stats:
Hanna Becker - 17 Kills, 11 Assists, 8 Blocks, 8 Digs, 11/13 Serving
Megan Robins - 5 Kills, 9 Digs, 27/27 Serving, 4 Aces
Scully Castorena - 19 Assists, 8 Kills, 4 Blocks, 12 Digs, 12/16 serving
Kaleigh White - 15 Kills, 5 Blocks, 4 Digs, 1/3 Serving
Tatum Laughery - 31 Digs, 8/10 Serving
Shaelyn Fortier - 15/15 Serving, 8 Digs
Neylan Bryan - 13/16 Serving, 2 Assists, 3 Blocks, 4 Digs
Sadie Seney - 1 Kill, 1 Assist, 1 Dig
Cassidy Laughery - 2/3 Serving, 1 Assist

Lady Cards Score Touchet and Alumni Wins

By Dena Martin | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG – The Lady Cardinals had a good week with a four-set league win against the Touchet Indians on Oct. 18, followed by a homecoming-week alumni game win on Friday.

The Touchet Indians won the first set 25-21 but the Cardinals quickly recovered to win the next three 25-22, 26-24 and 25-18.

"During the Touchet match, we struggled a little with consistency and had to play four sets, but overall the girls really played well and came together like they had early in the season. They've been running more offensive options with confidence and it's fun to see things that we've worked on in practice that they have fun with finally getting put into the matches without hesitation," said Coach Angie Potts.

Devon Harshman led the stats in the Touchet game with 11 kills, Tayler Jones made nine kills and six digs, Kailyn Lewis added six kills, four aces and five digs, and Ariel Sandau pitched in another six kills, 23 assists and nine digs.

"The alumni match is always a fun way to end our homecoming week. We were able to win the match in three sets and get everyone some pretty good playing time. The third set was really close, ending in our favor at 25-23, but it was awesome to finish the match with our young underclassmen on the floor playing tough.," Potts said.

The Lady Cards will play their last league match against Prescott on the Tiger court on Tuesday, Oct. 24. They will wrap up their season play with a home court non-league match against LWK on Oct. 30, which will also be senior night.

Mabton Defeats DW in Makeup Game

MONDAY GAME WAS POSTPONED FROM OCT. 6, WHEN OFFICIALS FAILED TO SHOW UP

By Ken Graham | THE TIMES

MABTON – On Monday night, the DW football team traveled to Mabton for the second time this month, and this time a football game took place, with Mabton prevailing, 40-6.

The two teams were scheduled to play here Oct. 6, and DW made the trip, but the game couldn't be played, because no officials had been assigned to the game by the league.

Mabton jumped out to an early lead, scoring two touchdowns each in the first and second quarters, and taking 26-0 lead into the half. Mabton was up 40-0 in the fourth quarter, when DW finally got on the board to cut the lead to 40-6.

No game statistics were available at press time Tuesday. DW plays their final game of the year in Dayton Friday night against Liberty Christian.




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A Little History and a Big 'Thank You'

WAITSBURG RESOURCE CENTER TOUCHES LIVES THANKS TO A SUPPORTIVE COMMUNITY

Special to The Times by WRC Board Chair Pam Conover

It was Dicie Hagerman, the Waitsburg School District Secretary for many years, who saw a need for winter coats and started collecting much-needed warm wear for kids and adults in the community.

But three women, Anita Baker, Dona Jean Smith, and Betty Lou Branson, from the Presbyterian Church and the Christian Church also saw a need for providing food to people in the Waitsburg community. As a result they organized, in 1991, a food bank in the basement of the Presbyterian Christian Education Building. For a while, clothing was also provided, but later, as Anita would say, "We decided to discontinue clothing but had jackets/coats." However, food was the mainstay, all donated privately.

But in 2010 a set of circumstances, instigated by BA Keve, with God's mighty hand, afforded the food bank the opportunity to relocate to its current site in the side portion of what is now the Banner Bank on Main and Preston Avenue. Under the direction of board members, The Waitsburg Catholic, Christian, and Presbyterian churches, the now-registered non-profit food bank became the Waitsburg Resource Center, a faith-based ministry serving the Waitsburg-Prescott school district area.

A new mission was declared:
"The Waitsburg Resource Center exists to serve persons and families in the local community by responding to physical, relational and spir-



Photo by Dena Martin

Waitsburg Resource Center volunteers and board members Pam Conover (l) and Margie Benson kept busy stocking shelves on Monday morning while waiting to check people in for the free Mobile Dental Van visit, sponsored by the WRC.

itual needs as an expression of the Gospel of Jesus Christ; through the providing of tangible resources, or information and referral to resources that will best serve our neighbors. Our spiritual mission shall be: That all who are lost, hurting, or in need may find the love of Christ here."

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in Him. Romans 15:13

Instead of just food, the center would become a place where neighbors could find additional information to meet their needs and where they could go when they needed additional help. As a center, we continue to look for ways to help others in the community.

The Resource Center now receives food items donated by community members (which we call in-kind donations) at about 12,000 pounds a year.

The center also receives items from food drives and monetary support from:

- Leo's and Lions Clubs
- Banner Bank

- US Postal Service
- Private monetary donations from individuals and local churches (Catholic, Presbyterian and Christian)
- Local clubs including: Waitsburg Classic Car Club, Walla Walla-Columbia County School Retirees, Waitsburg High School Honor Society and FCCLA, 4-H Clubs, Waitsburg Preston Hall Middle School, and more
- Not to mention the dozens of eggs donated monthly, in-season vegetables, and personal hygiene and cleaning products. The generosity of community members is amazing!

Once a month we order food through the Blue Mountain Action Council (BMAC) in Walla Walla. BMAC gets its food from contracted grocery stores that BMAC purchases from with state and federal monies as well as through Second Harvest and Feeding America.

The WRC can only function because of our many volunteers. Some of those volunteers include:

Over 19 volunteers who serve monthly during our open hours which

are Thursdays from 2-4 p.m. and Saturdays from 9-1 a.m., and also by need.

Six men who unload the BMAC deliveries

Our board members who provide reports, scheduling, and ordering food.

The Waitsburg High School Honor Society whose has two to four students who work every third Saturday

Here are some interesting facts:
 The WRC serves an average of 50 families each month

We give out about 15,000 pounds of groceries a year, which equals about eight tons of food

As a resource center we:

- Provide free lunches and an activity for children during the winter school break
- Support the local pool with a free swim and hot dog feed
- Provide snacks for the library summer reading program
- Offer summer activities
- Sponsor the Weekend Bite2Go Program for school children who need meals over the weekends
- Sponsor the High School Back Pack Program which provides food for needy high school students
- Sponsor free dental clinics
- Provided a bike safety clinic and free bike helmets
- Purchased emergency preparedness blankets and flashlights to be available to the community in case of emergency
- Sponsored a community emergency preparedness class

We invite community members to come visit us, take a look around and share some conversation. We continue to look for ways that we can meet our neighbors' needs.

Remember, the Waitsburg Resource Center is only possible because of the generous support of community members, local businesses and people like you. We thank you.

Waitsburg is truly One of a Kind.

Dayton School Board to Reprioritize Capital Projects

Fred White and Amy Rosenberg are in the running to fill board position vacated by Dan Andrews

By Michele Smith | THE TIMES

DAYTON—At the outset of last week's school board meeting, two candidates for the position vacated by Dan Andrews were interviewed by the Board of Directors.

The candidates, Fred White and Amy Rosenberg, were asked a series of five questions regarding the role of the school board, the role of an individual on the school board, and how best to build relationship between the board and the community. They were also asked to identify the issues and challenges facing the board, and explain why they are interested in being on the board.

The Board's selection will be announced at the next board meeting on Nov. 15.

Head Coach Troy Larson and Assistant Coach Tracy Pearson provided information about the current football season, and assured the board the coaching staff has player safety at the top of their list of priorities.

Superintendent Doug Johnson said the Yakima Valley Officials' Association inadvertently failed to assign officials for a scheduled game against Mabton. The game was rescheduled for October 23, and there were to be two full games in a five day period of time, and three games in an eight day period of time.

"I'm concerned about the safety of the kids," Johnson said. "If we have to make it up, there is not a lot of calendar space."

In his report Supt. Johnson said the cost of the summer asphalt project, exceeded budget, and the District is reprioritizing the remaining capital projects.

He said while replacing the high school roof, the phone and intercom system are still at the top of the capital projects list, the board needs to take a look into costs for replacing some mechanical systems, which have been problematic. There are issues with the heating system and controls, he said.

Johnson said a low ball estimate for the heating system and controls is around \$275,000.

"The District was hopeful to stretch the life span a few more years," said Johnson.

"We can't update the control system until the boilers are updated. If we can't run the boilers, we can't run the control system," said Johnson.

The board will discuss how to address all the facility needs at their November meeting.

The District is exploring changes in emergency plans, Johnson said.

Johnson said a building safety audit will be performed by a company specializing in emergency preparedness for schools. Following that, the District will provide the staff with training, and make improvements to emergency preparedness, over time, Johnson said. Parent input is desired, he said.

Many questions remain about the new state education funding plan, Johnson said. Information is confusing, especially in regard to whether there will be enough money to run programs and keep personnel. The state Supreme Court will decide whether the legislature has done enough to address fully funding basic education, he said.

Johnson said Dayton voters passed a four-year levy in 2016, and will not be asked to vote for another levy until 2020, but the original amount and rate are subject to the new legislation – both will be reduced, he said.

The District will continue to attend meetings and gather information from the state experts, he said.

Elementary Secretary Jeannie Lyonnais, the Blue Mountain Action Council, and the Dayton food bank are participating in the Weekend Food Program, which provides enough food to meet basic needs, to families in need, Johnson said. The program might be expanded to include the middle and high schools, he said.

The Norgaard Trust Funds provide scholarships to graduating seniors who attend two and four-year colleges, Johnson said. Board members are Dan Butler and Justin Jaech, teacher Brenda Henderson, Clay Hutchens, and himself, he said.

High school Principal Paul Shaber said while students are currently involved in homecoming activities, the number of activities has been curtailed to keep students' attention on academics.

Parent-teacher conferences are also underway, Shaber said.

Elementary Principal Denise Smith said a Family Cultural Night took place during the Scholastic Book Fair, and was well attended.

She said K-5 teachers are continuing their search for a Math curriculum that will best meet the needs of students.

"We're going to push ELA back a little to get better at math, and give the kids a better foundation," Smith said.

Johnson expressed his gratitude for all who planned and participated in the Walk-A-Thon, which was a success.

KUDOS!



Courtesy Photo

The Dayton School District was awarded the 2017 Outstanding Agriculture Program of the Year award for District VI at the Washington Association for Ag Education Summer Conference in Moses Lake, June 26-27. Ag teacher Kristina Peterchick received the award from her peers. "It is definitely an honor to be recognized by other ag teachers," she said. Left: Peterchick poses with her award at the Washington Association for Agriculture Educators summer conference.

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NO. 17-4-00018-7**

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

In the Matter of the Estate
of
DONALD D. BARRON,
Deceased.

The named below has been appointed and has qualified as of this estate. Persons having claims against the decedent must, prior to the time such claims would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, serve their claims on the or the attorneys of record at the address stated below and file an executed copy of the claim with the Clerk of this Court within four months after the date of first publication of this notice or within four months after the date of the filing of the copy of this Notice with the Clerk of the Court, whichever is later, or except under those provisions included in R.C.W. 11.40.011 or 11.40.013 of this act, the claim will be forever barred. This bar is effective as to claims against both the probate assets and non-probate assets of the decedent.

DATE OF FILING OF NOTICE TO CREDITORS: July 12, 2017
DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION: July 20, 2017.

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NO. 17-4-00017-7**

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

In the Matter of the Estate
of
WILLIAM C. DAWES,
Deceased.

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**No. 17 4 00193 5
PROBATE NOTICE TO
CREDITORS
RCW 11.40.030**

**SUPERIOR COURT, WALLA
WALLA COUNTY, WASHING-
TON**

In re the Estate of:
THERON JONATHAN
TAYLOR KING,
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 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the probate and non-probate assets of the decedent.

Date of Filing: Oct. 4, 2017
Date of First Publication:
Oct. 12, 2017

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Walla Walla, WA 99362
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Cause No.: 17 4 00193 5

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**NO. 17-4-00024-7
NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

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

In the Matter of the Estate
of
DONNAA. KIME, De-
ceased.

The Personal Representative named below has been appointed and has qualified as Personal Representative of this estate. Persons having claims against the decedent must, prior to the time such claims would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, serve their claims on the Personal Representative or the attorneys of record at the address stated below and file an executed copy of the claim with the Clerk of this Court within four months after the date of first publication of this notice or within four months after the date of the filing of the copy of this Notice with the Clerk of the Court, whichever is later, or except under those provisions included in R.C.W. 11.40.011 or 11.40.013 of this act, the claim will be forever barred. This bar is effective as to claims against both the probate assets and non-probate assets of the decedent.

DATE OF FILING OF NOTICE TO CREDITORS: October 4, 2017.

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The Times
Oct. 12, 19, 26, 2017
10-12-f

**No. 17-4-00195-1
Probate Notice to Creditors
(RCW 11.40.030)**

Superior Court of Washing-
ton, Walla Walla County

In re the Estates of PAUL

**COOK and NEVA N. COOK,
Deceased.**

The personal representative named below has been appointed as personal representative of these estates. Any person having a claim against the decedents 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 decedents' probate and non-probate assets.

Date of First Publication:
October 12, 2017

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**NOTICE OF FINAL BUDGET
HEARING**

Notice is hereby given that the Walla Walla County Fire District #1 will be holding a Final Budget Hearing for the year of 2018 on November 13th, 2017 @ 7:00 PM. The location for the hearing will be at:
Western Farm Service
Office/Clyde
9108 Lyons Ferry Road
Prescott, WA 99348
The public is invited to attend.

The Times
Oct. 26, Nov. 2, 2017
10-26-a

No.: 17-4-00197-8

**PROBATE NOTICE TO
CREDITORS
(RCW 11.40.030)**

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

IN THE MATTER OF
THE ESTATE OF:
GARY JOSEPH BUTTICE,
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 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and non-probate DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION: October 26, 2017.

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**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
OF THE STATE OF WASH-
INGTON
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY
OF WALLA WALLA
In the Matter of the Estate of
Michael L. Zaro
Deceased
NO. 17-4-00199-4
PROBATE NOTICE TO
CREDITORS
RCW 11.40.030**

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. 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(3); or (2) four months after the date of first publication of this 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 decedent's probate and non-probate assets.

DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION: October 26, 2017.

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The Times
Oct. 26, Nov. 2, 9, 2017
10-26-c

**File No. VAR17-008
NOTICE OF APPLICATION**

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

File name/Docket #: Vari-
ance in side & rear setbacks/
VAR17-008
Application type: VARIANCE
Applicant: OLSON, ROBIN
736 RHEA LN
WALLA WALLA WA, 99362
Owner: OLSON, CHRISTINA L
736 RHEA LN
WALLA WALLA, WA

Project description: The applicant is proposing to reduce the side and rear yard setbacks for the placement of an accessory storage building per WWCC 17.18.020(7). The minimum standard side yard setback is 10 feet with the requested setback being reduced to 5 feet. The address is 736 Rhea Lane (APN 350726670002). It is located in the Rural Residential (RR-5) zoning district.

Required Permits: Building Permit
Development Regulations: WWCC 17.18.020 (footnote 7), WWCC Chapter 17.44 – Variances
Date of application: 10/9/2017
Date determined complete: 10/23/2017
Date of notice: 11/09/2017

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 November 9, 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 Communi-

COLUMBIA COUNTY SEEKS SALES TAX INCREASE TO IMPROVE EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS

By Michele Smith | THE TIMES

DAYTON--If passed by voters in Columbia County, Proposition 1 will provide for ongoing, stable funding for improvements, and maintenance of the county's emergency response radio system and 911 emergency services operation through a county-wide sales and use tax of one-tenth of one percent.

For every ten-dollar retail purchase, Columbia County would receive 1 cent in sales tax. The impact to the average household is approximately \$1 each month, or \$12 a year," according to Emergency Management Services Director Lisa Caldwell.

Public safety is being compromised by emergency communications equipment that has reached the end of its useful life, Caldwell said.

The radio system suffers from inadequate coverage throughout the county and there is no back up system in place should the equipment fail. Mobile and portable radios are outdated and there are an inadequate number of repeaters/towers, she said.

Caldwell said funds from the sales and use tax would be used to upgrade the aging analog dispatch radio console, to a new, stable, internet protocol base application, which will help first responders who share frequencies.

Without ongoing maintenance the equipment at six radio tower sites will become obsolete and non-function, as well, Caldwell said.

Columbia County is also committed to maintaining staff for the 911 Public Safety Communications Department and associated emergency radio communications equipment. Caldwell said the dispatch center is currently understaffed.

She said the county is asking for voter approval because of declining revenue from the state, and because a Homeland Security grant, which had been used for communications equipment improvements, is no longer available. That grant never did provide for equipment maintenance, she added.

Proposition 1 has a "sunset clause" which says the sales and use tax will begin on January 1, 2018, and will end on December 31, 2028.

SCRAMBLERS

solution

1. Harvest; 2. Booster;
3. Dabble; 4. Verify

Today's Word
HOBBY

*Solution to
puzzle on Page 4.*

LEGALS (Cont.)

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commdev@co.walla-walla.
wa.us

County Hearing Examiner
pursuant to WWCC 14.11.010
and 14.11.030.

FOR MORE INFORMA-
TION: Please contact Don
Sims, Associate Planner, Don
Sims, at 509-524-2618 or
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

The Times
Oct. 26, 2017
10-26-d



**Saturday
October
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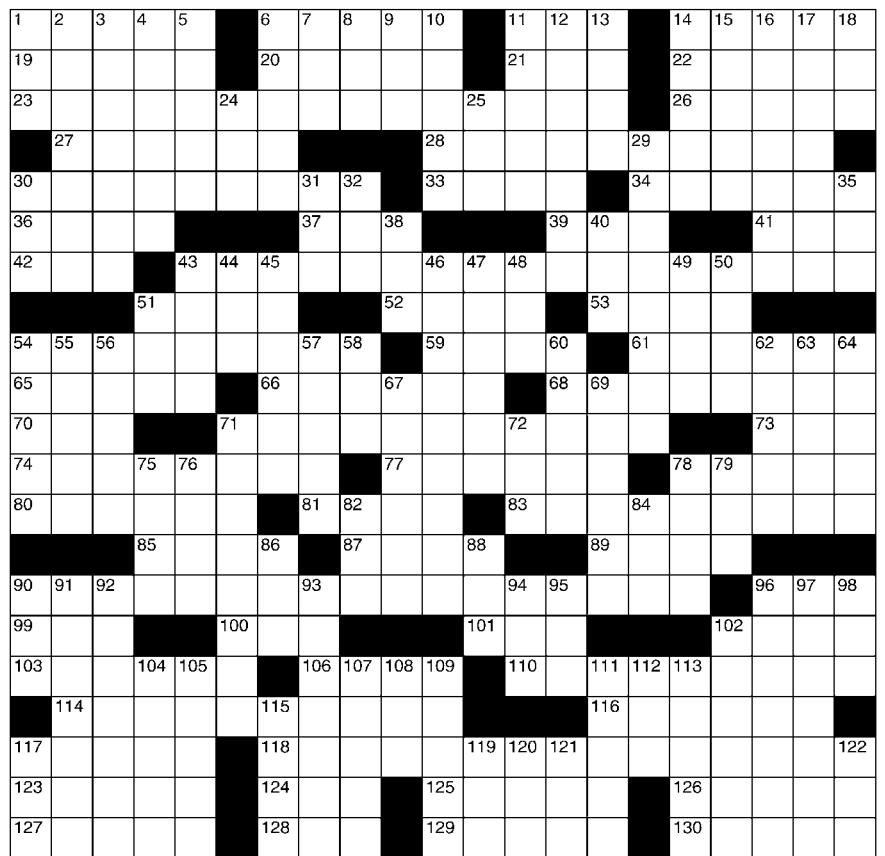


PUZZLES/NEWS

Super Crossword

ROYAL NAMESAKES

- ACROSS**
- 1 Stole, e.g.
 - 6 Stoles, e.g.
 - 11 Many a yellow ride
 - 14 Kickoff
 - 19 Pertaining to pitch
 - 20 Hits upon the answer
 - 21 Uplifting verse
 - 22 Pointer
 - 23 "Cleopatra" star
 - 26 "E pluribus unum," e.g.
 - 27 Horse-race bet taker
 - 28 Defeater of Al Gore in 2000
 - 30 Orator called "The Great Pacificator"
 - 33 Knitting supply
 - 34 Crooner Johnny
 - 36 Camera part
 - 37 Stew holder
 - 39 H lookalike
 - 41 Genoa gold
 - 42 Abbr. that saves space
 - 43 "Dallas" actress
 - 51 Triscuit alternative
 - 52 Liking a lot
 - 53 Bert who had a lion's lines
 - 54 "East of Eden" actor
 - 59 Walked over
 - 61 Mexican dish
 - 65 Vocalist
 - 66 Menzel
 - 66 Close-fitting, bell-shaped hat
 - 68 Keeps repeating
 - 70 Wee, briefly
 - 71 "Concord Sonata" composer
 - 73 Bit of ink art
 - 74 Put on the air
 - 77 "3 Women" director
 - 78 Ginger, e.g.
 - 80 One wooing
 - 81 J.D. Salinger
 - 83 "Wag the Dog" actress
 - 85 Mater
 - 87 Advance
 - 89 Go out
 - 90 "Lucy Gray" poet
 - 96 Booster for a rock band
 - 99 Punk rock variant
 - 100 China's Chiang — -shek
 - 101 Patriots' Day mo.
 - 102 Ending for buck
 - 103 Dirty mark
 - 106 Keep going
 - 110 "The Great Lie" Oscar winner
 - 114 "A Book of Nonsense" author
 - 116 Of a big artery
 - 117 Arbor array
 - 118 Namesakes of the 10 people featured in this puzzle
 - 123 Some equines
 - 124 Me, to Luc
 - 125 Vowel run
 - 126 Hay-bundling machine
 - 127 Just manage
 - 128 FWIW part
 - 129 Stickpin site
 - 130 Yukon vehicles
 - DOWN**
 - 1 Revered Fr. woman
 - 2 Stephen who replaced Letterman
 - 3 Like negatively charged atoms
 - 4 Shaving tools
 - 5 Like many piecrusts
 - 6 See
 - 11-Down
 - 7 Act the fink
 - 8 Guitar wood
 - 9 Mine shaft
 - 10 Like a ham
 - 11 With
 - 6-Down, circular diagram of the spectrum
 - 12 Decorator
 - 13 Arctic mass
 - 14 Latin dance
 - 15 Game fish
 - 16 Place to buy paintbrushes
 - 17 Tax shelter named for a U.S. senator
 - 18 Binary base
 - 24 Brand of 4-Down
 - 25 "For" vote
 - 29 Gives out
 - 30 Hurry, old-style
 - 31 Well-chosen
 - 32 "- hoo!"
 - 35 Note below la
 - 38 Prefix with angle
 - 40 Up to, in brief
 - 43 MasterCard rival
 - 44 "— help a lot if ..."
 - 45 Prague natives
 - 46 Winning
 - 47 Stationary
 - 48 Cutesy- —
 - 49 Burn a bit
 - 50 Food writer
 - 51 Pal of Stimp
 - 54 Drops callously
 - 55 "Later, Luc!"
 - 56 Prefix with second
 - 57 Off to — start
 - 58 Here-there connection
 - 60 Armless sofa
 - 62 Cobwebby storage site
 - 63 Extract by percolation
 - 64 Perfumer
 - 67 Uproar
 - 69 Bill equal to two fins
 - 71 Toyota or Kia
 - 72 "— bad boy!"
 - 75 Abbr. ending many a list
 - 76 E. — (bacteria)
 - 78 — Tzu
 - 79 Pig, to some
 - 82 — -mo
 - 84 Interoffice phone no.
 - 86 Doc's org.
 - 88 Secret org.
 - 90 Director
 - 91 Dunk
 - 92 Most noisy
 - 93 Refuses to meas.
 - 94 Typing
 - 95 "... man — mouse?"
 - 96 "A" or "an"
 - 97 Sponged
 - 98 "— favor"
 - 102 Star-related
 - 104 Uncool type
 - 105 Long-winded
 - 107 Auspices
 - 108 "My Gal —"
 - 109 Juror's event
 - 111 Artist Dufy
 - 112 Over there, in poetry
 - 113 Most Iraqis
 - 115 Pop's Lovato
 - 117 Dog's ID site
 - 119 Briny body
 - 120 With it
 - 121 Singer
 - 122 Bandy
 - 122 Most coll. applicants



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TEENY MCMUNN: MY RECIPE BOX SPICED ROASTED VEGETABLES WITH MIXED GRAINS

First, before I start, I need to correct last week's pumpkin cookie recipe. I hope anyone who made it realized it had an error. I received a call from a lady who questioned whether 2/3 cup of flour was correct. Most of us who bake knows that didn't make sense so rather than ruining a batch of cookies, she checked. Since I was not at home, I asked her to Google it on Allrecipes.com. Sure enough, she found it and it should have been 2 1/2 cups flour. I apologize and my only excuse it my head was not where it should have been.



I wanted to try this recipe before I shared it. It is a keeper. Do not be turned off by the length. I did it in three parts. I mixed all the spices together and put in a small container for when I was ready. I got all the vegetables cut up and ready, then added the spices to the vegetables, put in the oven, then cooked the rice and bulgur wheat. They were ready at about the same time.

When I was growing up in Montana, the only spices my folks knew were salt, pepper, and cinnamon.

I found this recipe in the Walla Walla Union Bulletin, which gives credit to the Culinary Institute of America.

INGREDIENTS:

- 1/2 tsp ground turmeric
- 1 tsp paprika
- 1 tsp ground nutmeg
- 1 1/2 tsp cardamom
- 1 1/2 tsp ground cumin
- 1/2 tsp black pepper
- 1 tsp kosher salt
- 3 carrots, peeled and quartered
- 2 sweet potatoes, peeled and cut into wedges
- 5 cloves garlic, thinly sliced
- 1 head cauliflower, cut into florets
- 1 red pepper, cut into thick slices
- 1 Onion, quartered (optional)

- 2 Tbsp plus 1 tsp veg. oil, divided
- 1 c. brown basmati rice
- 1/2 c. bulgur wheat
- 1/4 c. golden raisins
- 1 qt. (4 cups) vegetable broth or water
- 1/2 c. fresh parsley leaves

DIRECTIONS:

Preheat oven to 325 degrees. In a small bowl, combine turmeric, paprika, nutmeg, cardamom, cumin, pepper, and salt. Transfer 1 tsp. of the spice mix to a medium sauce pan and set aside. Mix the remaining spice mix with 2 Tbsp. of the vegetable oil and stir to make a paste.

In a large bowl (very large), combine all the cut up vegetables and add spice mix. Toss until well coated. Spread on a foil lined baking sheet (I used parchment paper) and roast until the vegetables are tender and lightly browned around the edges, about an hour.

Meanwhile, place the rice, wheat, and raisins in the pot with the reserved spice mixture. Stir to coat. Add broth and bring to a simmer over medium heat. Reduce the heat to low, cover, and simmer until the liquid is absorbed and the rice is tender, about 50 minutes. Remove from heat, and let stand, covered, for about five minutes.

Serve with the vegetables and garnish with parsley leaves.

MY NOTES: I found the ground cumin in our cabinet under the name, Comino Molido, then it said ground cumin. I wish I was one of those that have all the spices in alphabetical order, but it's always remove and replace to get the right one.

I used two cans of chicken broth, plus enough water to make the four cups. For the vegetable oil, I used about a teaspoon of our wok oil that has garlic in it, and the balance needed in regular oil.

I got the bulgur wheat from a store that has the bulk bins. If you don't have all of the spices, you might check there also, especially if you don't use one of them often

The recipe doesn't refer to the 1 teaspoon of oil again, so I am guessing it goes on top of the foil (or parchment paper) to bake the vegetables

This makes the house smell wonderful and I was pleased with the results. Those spices are a good combination. Of course, vary according to your taste. Add your favorite meat if you like.

ENJOY

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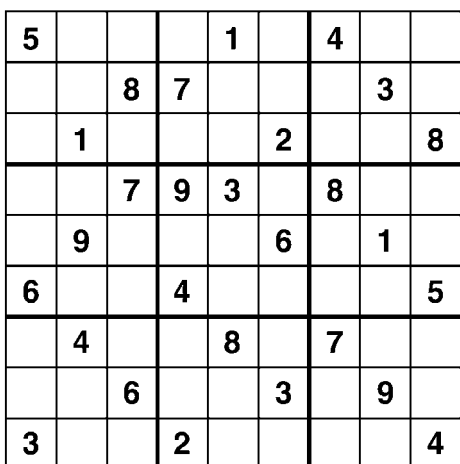
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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle



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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆◆

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

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LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS:

Super Crossword



Weekly SUDOKU

Answer

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STRANGE BUT TRUE

by Samantha Weaver

* It was 20th-century American author and college professor David Foster Wallace who made the following sage observation: "There is no such thing as not voting: you either vote by voting, or you vote by staying home and tacitly doubling the value of some diehard's vote."

* Those who study such things say that many ancient Greeks carried coins in their mouths -- clothing of the time lacked pockets, you see.

* In late 19-century America, parts of New England had a rather unusual Halloween tradition. Evidently, in many rural communities, boys would celebrate by throwing cabbage, corn and other rotten vegetables.

* If you're like many wage slaves, as the end of the workweek approaches you might find yourself doing busywork -- trying to look as if you're working when, in fact, you're just shuffling papers or otherwise avoiding productivity. Well, there's a word for that: fudgel. Fudgeling may not be an approved workplace activity, but it's undeniably a part of the American workplace.

* If you look closely at the Mona Lisa, Leonardo da Vinci's famed masterwork, you might notice that the famously enigmatic subject is entirely lacking in eyebrows.

* It may not come as a surprise that when scorpions mate, it's a rather violent affair. When the act is completed, the female stings her partner to death, then eats him.

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WHS HOMECOMING 2017



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Waitsburg students enjoyed a week filled with dress-up days and competitions during last week's homecoming celebration. Classes competed in relays, a hula hoop competition and Buff Puff volleyball and dressed up for Pajama Day, Hawaiian Day, and Sports Day. Seniors and sophomores tied for the top spot with 24.5 points each. Juniors followed with 17.5 points and the freshman came in with 13.5 points. Saturday night's dance was hosted by Dayton at The Barn at Blue Meadows. Clockwise from top left: Riley Witt and AJ Knowles face off at Field Night. Students buddy-up for a Hawaiian Day Friend-a-Thon. Cason Nichols made winning the hula hoop competition look like a piece of cake. The crowd reacts during the Field Night competitions. DW cheerleaders get into formation during halftime of the homecoming football game against Kittitas.

Prescott Park and Pool Seek Support

DISTRICT HAS FELT THE IMPACT OF MINIMUM WAGE INCREASES

By Dena Martin | THE TIMES

PRESCOTT – Unlike the city parks and pools of Waitsburg and Dayton which are operated and maintained through city budgets, the Prescott Joint Parks and Recreation District (PJPRD) must go to the people each November to secure funding for the coming year's operations of the Prescott Pool and Field View Park. The PJPRD is asking voters to approve a \$115,000 maintenance and operations levy request, Proposition No. 1 on the current General Election ballot.

Pool co-manager Yvonne Gibbons said the district has felt the impact of the minimum wage increase, which went from \$9.47/hr. in 2016 to \$11/hr. in 2017, and which will increase to \$11.50/hr. in 2018. Gibbons said that expenses have remained on budget, but the

\$5,000 levy request increase reflects the impact of the minimum wage increase.

"We do everything we can to hold expenses as close as we can and look for savings wherever we can find them. The minimum wage increased our payroll, but also the cost of goods and services because everyone else has to pay their staff more, too," Gibbons said.

A 60 percent super majority approval vote is required to pass the levy which Walla Walla County officials estimate will amount to 33 cents per \$1,000 of assessed value. In both 2015 and 2016 voters approved levy amounts of \$110,050 to fund pool and park operations.

Last year, voters supported the levy with a 62.95% yes vote, allowing the pool to complete a 71-day season with an average attendance of 69 swimmers this year. Through a generous donation from Northwest Grain Growers, 42 children living in the 99348 zip code area were able to participate in free swim lessons.

The pool hosted groups from Prescott and College Place public schools for end-of-year parties and Vista

Hermosa Day Camp and Jubilee Leadership Academy brought groups to swim throughout the summer.

Donations from Northwest Grain Growers (\$5000), Northwest Farm Credit Services (\$5,000), and Prescott Community Church (\$500) as well as donations from the Wildhorse Foundation, Blue Mountain Community Foundation, Pacific Power Foundation, and Yancey P. Winans Testamentary Trust allowed the PJPRD to complete Phase 2 of their playground equipment upgrade.

"We don't use any tax funds for capital improvement or replacement projects. The levy is strictly for operating and maintenance costs," Gibbons said.

The M&O levy has failed to pass just once, and then only by 1.41%. In 2009, voters returned a 58.59% support vote, just enough short of the 60% to cause the pool to close for the 2010 season.

"We hope everyone will get out and exercise their right to vote. We want people to know that we are always open to input and suggestions and there are several areas where we could use volunteers, also," Gibbons said.

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