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#### **ONE DOLLAR**



Waitsburg Cardinal Isaac Maher, #19, steals third base against Columbia-Burbank on Thursday, March 21. The Carcinals won 10-8. Full story on page 5.



## Commissioners appoint Walling to Library Board

By Lane Gwinn | THE TIMES

DAYTON — The Columbia County Commissioners met for a special meeting on March 25, 2024. Chairman Jack Miller and commissioners Ryan Rundell and Marty Hall were present. The commissioners and **County Prosecutor Dale Slack** discussed changes to the county's coroner services required due to amendments to RCW 36.16.030. The coroner function must be separated from prosecutors starting in 2024. The commissioners decided not to turn the position into an elected office, choosing to appoint or contract services. Next, the commissioners



## School board waits for new superintendent to approve contract

By Justin Jaech | THE TIMES

DAYTON – The Dayton School Board met in the high school library at 6:30 p.m. on March 20, 2024. Board members present were Chair Jeffrey McCowen, Zac Fabian, Ryan Paulson, Aneesha Dieu, and Grant Griffin. Superintendent Rich Stewart and student representative Madison Richardson were also present. Jeremy Wheatley, the prospective superintendent, attended using Zoom.

Aeryelle Gleason



Cardinal track (see page 5)



Mari Gisele at Royal Block 3/30 (see page 6)



Spring Spaghetti (see page 7)

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began scheduled interviews for the Columbia County Rural Library District Board Trustee position held by Karin Spann, who completed her first five-year term.

Trustees can serve two five-year terms, and Spann was one of eight Columbia County residents who applied for the position.

Candidates were given a list of 19 questions from the commissioners before the meeting. After asking each candidate about their background and reason for applying, subsequent questions included censorship, book banning, the recent petition to dissolve the district, and steps to repair the chasm formed in the community over controversies stemming from library issues were covered in the questionnaire.

After hearing from all the candidates over the day's session, commissioners voted to appoint Dale Walling.

Walling is a retired firefighter and EMT who moved to Dayton with his wife after retiring. He said he had experience working in a junior taxing district and on other boards, including his union's executive board.

In his written and oral answers, he said library trustees should identify and consider the majority public opinion on issues including library materials, subject matter, and funding.

When asked what steps he would take to restore community fellowship, he said he would like to bring people together for civil discussions, saying the recent Civility Café was a perfect example.

Walling said he was not in favor of dissolving the library district. Though he had signed the first petition, he would not have voted to close the library. He felt the petition was the only way to get the trustees' attention.

Walling provided The Times with his written answers to the commissioners' interview questions, with a few clarifications he made during his interview. These will be included in the online version of this article at <u>Waitsburgtimes.com</u>.

Submitted photo Dale Walling was appointed to a five-year Library Board Trustee term. The school board approved the consent agenda, including the senior class trip, two HS band trips, and a GEAR UP spring break trip.

Richardson informed the board about the plans for the annual senior class trip, which is planned by the class. This year, the class chose Coeur d'Alene, and tentative activities include a dinner cruise.

Athletic Director Sam Korslund reported that about 75% of the students participate in one or more of the school's athletic programs, which is more than twice the national average.

Elementary School Principal Amy Cox described the reading challenge to the board. She said that if each student read for 20 minutes a night and logged their results, they would collectively read 14,000 to 15,000 minutes over three weeks. If the students meet their goal, the school will bring in a dunk tank where they will have the opportunity to dunk Cox.

Guin Joyce, the Secondary School Principal, updated the board about the March Madness Attendance Challenge, where each grade competes for the highest weekly attendance rate, and the bottom two classes will be eliminated. The classes remaining by the end of the month will receive prizes.

In Head Custodian John Delp's facility report, he said the contractor's equipment on the parameter of the school property is mostly there in preparation for installing the heat pumps.

The board is waiting for Wheatley's response to the superintendent contract sent for his review. Stewart said a special meeting may be held during spring break to approve the contract should Wheatley accept it.

Stewart then presented resolution No. 2023-06, asking the board members to approve and sign it before presenting it to Governor Insley. The resolution requests the Governor veto House Bill 2331 and Senate Bill 5462, arguing that Washington is a "local control" state and should not be subjected to state-imposed curriculum modifications.

HB 2331 was approved by the House and the Senate and is waiting for the Governor to act. It modifies requirements for public school instructional and supplemental instructional materials.

• Bars school district boards of directors (school boards) from refusing to approve or prohibiting the use of educational material on the basis that it relates to or includes the study of the role and contributions of individuals or groups that are part of a protected class as established in public school nondiscrimination provisions.

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# **NEWS BRIEFS**

## **AT THE LIBERTY:** *"Kung Fu Panda 4"* THE TIMES

DAYTON — In "Kung Fu Panda 4" comedy icon Jack Black returns to his role as Po, the world's most unlikely kung fu master. The movie is the hilarious, butt-kicking new chapter in DreamWorks Animation's beloved action-comedy franchise. After three death-defying adventures defeating world-class villains with his unmatched courage and mad martial arts skills, Po the Dragon Warrior, is called upon by destiny to ... give it a rest already. More specifically, he's tapped to become the Spiritual Leader of the Valley of Peace.

Rotten Tomatoes critics rated this movie as 72% favorable, while the audience gave it an 86%. That website's critics say "Kung Fu Panda 4" offers enough eye-catching entertainment to sustain the franchise's young fans, although it's starting to feel like this series is running out of steam. The audience summary is that the movie is fun for the whole family, but not as good as the first three versions. The movie is rated PG for martial arts action/mild violence, scary images and some mild rude humor. It has a runtime of 94 minutes. This movie will run for 2 weeks, starting on March 29.

## THE LIBERTY THEATER - DAYTON Thrifty Tuesdays

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MARCH 29-APRIL 2

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## **NEWS BRIEFS**

## **ANNUAL SCAVENGER HUNT** FINDS FOOD FOR WAITSBURG **FOOD BANK**

#### By Lane Gwinn | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG - Members of the Waitsburg Corral Wranglers and Pen Pals 4H gathered on Main Street Monday afternoon to break into four scavenger-hunting groups for their annual food drive. Each team received a list with nearly 50 items broken into 11 categories. Items were given values from 10 to 50 points each. The team with the highest point total

would win the evening's philanthropic competition.

Coveted items on the list included proteins like canned tuna, chicken, and ham, each with 40 points. Spam (is it meat?) only garnered 20 points. The top scorers were spaghetti sauce, peanut butter, and applesauce for 50 points each, representing some of the items food banks regularly need.

Spreading out through Waitsburg's neighborhoods, the enthusiastic kids gathered 760 pounds of food in only an hour for the local food bank. Mr. Harvy and Mr. Parrish headed the winning team. Everyone had a great time and the Waitsburg Food Bank and the community are the grateful beneficiaries.



Submitted photo

Members from the Waitsburg Corral Wranglers and Pen Pals 4-H groups back from a successful hunt, donating over 700 lbs of food to the Waitsburg Food Bank. The winning Scavenger Hunt team was Mr. Harvey and Mr. Parrish's team.

## **PEDICURES VS. MANICURES**

#### THE TIMES

WAITSBURG—In the first week of the Waitsburg Youth and Government Jars Project, the public has expressed opinions on the crucial issues Waitsburg has been facing for years.

Customers at the Waitsburg Grocery chose salad over soup by four dollars.

- Waitsburg Grocery results:
- Soup 17
- Salad 21

At Blush Salon, pedicures were exactly 5 dollars better than manicures. (We can't help but agree.)

Blush salon results: Manicures - 2

Lunches

- Pedicures 7

In what organizers thought would be a much closer contest, Ten Ton Coffee customers said clearly that the Beatles are a whopping \$15 better than Elvis. Our apologies to the King.

- 10 Ton Coffee results:
- The Beatles 23
- Elvis 8

And in the most surprising and scariest contest, good barely topped evil by only \$2, at least at Sam's Corner.

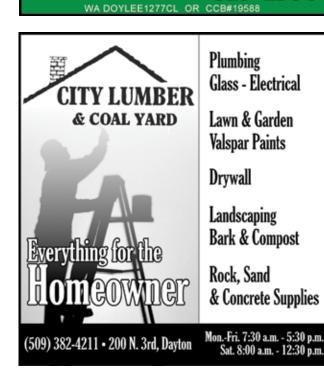
- Sam's results:
- Good 9
- Evil-7



Matt Eider and the Waitsburg Youth and Government students thanked everybody who donated this week. They will change the questions at all of the participating local businesses this week. Starting this week, Gaudy Gals, Laht Neppur Brewery, and Walla Walla Roastery have joined the fundraiser and will have jars and questions ready for the debate.

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### CENTER

504 Main Street 11 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Tuesday, April 2 Chicken Fried Beef Steak Mashed Potatoes Bread Cookie Fruit Vegetable

Lloyd's

#### DISTRICT

Thursday, Mar. 28 Breakfast Pancakes & Bacon Lunch Mashed Potato Bowl Warm Roll Fruit & Vegetable Choice

#### Friday, Mar. 29

Breakfast Scrambled eggs & Toast Lunch **BBQ Hawaiian Pork Wrap** Something crunchy Fruit & Vegetable Choice

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## No School April I - April 5



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#### SCHOOL - FROM PAGE 1

- Requires recommendations of instructional materials committees to include recommendations for culturally and experientially representative materials.
- Establishes new requirements for written complaints about instructional materials.
- Directs school boards to adopt or revise policies and procedures for reviews and removals of supplemental instructional materials and establishes related requirements.
- Directs the Superintendent of Public Instruction to develop rules and guidelines related to the instructional materials and supplemental instructional materials provisions.

SB5462 was signed into law before the school board meeting. The bill requires school districts to adopt inclusive and age-appropriate instructional materials that include the histories, contributions, and perspectives of historically marginalized and underrepresented groups, including, but not limited to;

- People from various racial, ethnic, and religious backgrounds.
- People with differing learning needs,
- People with disabilities,
- LGBTQ people, as the term is defined in RCW 43.114.010,
- People with various socioeconomic and immigration backgrounds

The Board also approved the renewal of coaching contracts for the fall & winter seasons as follows:

HS Football

## COMMUNITY **SUPPORTS NANCY'S GARDEN CENTER**

#### THE TIMES

WAITSBURG — Spring is here and it seems everyone is back outside. Since its opening, Nancy's Dream Garden has helped many in Waitsburg and surrounding areas have productive and beautiful gardens.

Owners Doug Biolo and his sister Janet Biolo Lawrence, working with Janet's son Mark Laroue, Jr, have created a full-service, year-round nursery.

Earlier this month, Mark sustained extensive injuries in an accident. Janet has been by his side at a Seattle hospital as he begins the long journey to heal.

Doug has stayed in town to care for the family business during this difficult time, preparing the nursery for its busy season. Those who know Doug, know him to be a generous community member. He clears snow from the streets in winter, deliver plants and trees to truck-challenged customers, and encourages library patrons to give seeds a chance.

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Now, is the time the community can return his and his family's kindness.

Since the accident, customers, friends, and neighbors have come to the nursery to help receive deliveries, work in the shop, build bamboo fences, water plants, and clean.

There is an account at Banner Bank for donations towards Mark's recovery. Donations can be made at any Banner Bank location in the name of Mark Leroue, Jr or Janet Biolo Lawrence.

A GoFundMe page has also been set up at http://gofund.me/39dc96f4

As the weather warms and gardens thrive, it is heartwarming to be reminded of the supportive community we live in.



Head Coach: Lucas Collier Asst Coach: Zac Fabian Volunteer Coach: Jeremy Trump Volunteer Coach: Cody Chapman HS Volleyball Head Coach: Desirae Jones	Church Directory
Asst Coach: Tamira Culley MS Football	
Head Coach: Sam Korslund (will transition to Asst Coach) Volunteer Coach: Jarrod Culley (will transition to Head	Waitsburg
Coach)	Presbyterian
MS Volleyball	
Head Coach: Ajay McNarland	🧏 Church
Asst Coach: Wendy Richards	504 Main
HS Boys Basketball	20.00
Head Coach: Clayton Strong	Worship 10:00 a.m.
Volunteer Coach: Clay Hutchens	227 6590
HS Girls Basketball	337-6589
Head Coach: Jorie Aukerman	Pastor Stan Hughes
Asst Coach: Morgan Poche	
Ten policies were also approved by the Board during the meet-	
lg.	
The meeting adjourned and unless a special board meeting	🜠 Waitsburg
called to confirm the new superintendent's contract, the next	
neeting is scheduled for April 17, 2024.	Kapel 🗠



## Church Directory Waitsburg resbyterian Church 504 Main Vorship 10:00 a.m. 337-6589 astor Stan Hughes 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. Sunday School 9:00 a.m Each Sunday 337-8898 Rev. Cameron Hedges

## STARBUCK SCHOOL DISTRICT

### OPEN HOUSE For Pre-registration of Four and Five Year Olds for

Transition to Kindergarten 2024-25 School Year

#### Come Visit – Ask Questions – Pre-Enroll

Families of K-8<sup>th</sup> graders who are interested in the Starbuck School District for the 2024-2025 school year are also welcome to attend!

Times Archive/Beka Compton

Mark, Janet, and Doug in 2020, after moving their business to the larger location at 124 Warren Street.



14TH ANNUAL, SATURDAY, MAY 4, 2024

Pork Baby Back Ribs, French Bread, Baked Beans, Mac Salad - Beer & Wine Tickets Available - Waitsburg Grocery, Banner Bank in Waitsburg Walla Walla Electric, Pearson Dental in Walla Walla Northwest Grain Growers, Pioneer West in Dayton or Online at EVENTBRITE.COM

Adults 21 & Over - Tickets \$35 Starting at 6:00 pm at the Fairgrounds in Waitsburg

### BIRTHDAYS

March 28: Natalie Faye Teal, Bill Hopwood, Gary Thomas, Terri Conover-Stroud, Collette Waltermire, and Bret McKinney.

March 29: Robin Hogan, Austin Beasley, Edna Pearson, Jan DeCoria, Bob Stokes, Vanessa Lafer, and Karen Peters.

March 30: Hubert Kinder Jr., Rosemary Brinkman, and Elizabeth Mercer.

March 31: Bob Baim, Eileen Huffman, Steve Ruley, Christopher Hansen, Brandon Watson, John Hansen, Ed Lambert, Jack McCaw, Olena Newbury, and Robert Hinchliffe.

April 1: Nicole Baker, Mark Clifton, Lawrence Fullerton, Joe Cyr, John DuPree, Lynn Mantz-Powers, Caleb Leisure, Dan Henze, Corinne Kenney Hartley, Angela Rohde, and Eric Rohlfing.

April 2: Dan Butler, Bill Butler, Kay Hawks, Sandra Nogle, Dawn Hinchliffe, Cassandra Leid, Jacob Smith, and Bonnie Jones.

April 3: Donna Knotts, Deanna Huffman Tipton, and Mary Beth Reese.

### April 11, 2024 – 6 p.m. 509-399-2381 717 Tucannon St., Starbuck, WA

## Preschool & Kindergarten Registration

It's time to register your child to start school in the Fall of 2024!

**Registration packets will be available** for pick up from 8:00 AM – 7:00 PM **Thursday March 27th and** Friday, March 28th.

#### **Register your child for PRESCHOOL** if they...



Bring your

child's official birth certificate

and immunization

records.

Live within Waitsburg School District boundaries

#### **Register your child for KINDERGARTEN** if they...

- Turn 5 on or before August 31, 2024
- Live within Waitsburg School District boundaries



**Return your registration forms** by May 31, 2024!

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# **LEGALS**

#### IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

IN AND FOR WALLA WALLA COUNTY PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS RCW 11.40.030 In re the Estate of: MAITA A. HAGEDORN, Deceased. CAUSE NO. 24 4 00061 36 The Co-Personal Representatives named below have been appointed as Co-Personal Representatives 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 Co-Personal Representatives, or the Co-Personal Representatives' 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 Co-Personal Representatives 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 Co-Personal Representatives: GEORGIANNA R. TODD and GEORGE R. HAGEDORN, JR. Attorney for the Personal Representative: Mona J Geidl of Minnick-Hayner, PS Address for Mailing or Service:

Minnick-Hayner PO Box 1757 Walla Walla, WA 99362 Court of Probate Proceedings and Cause Number: Walla Walla County Superior Court 24 4 00061 36 Date of First Publication: March 21, 2024 /s/ Georgianna R. Todd

GEORGIANNA R. TODD Co-Personal Representative /s/ George R. Hagedorn, Jr.

GEORGE R. HAGEDORN, JR. Co-Personal Representative Dates of Publication: March 21, 2024 March 28, 2024 April 4, 2024

#### 2024 OTTA SEAL City of Dayton 111 S. First Street Dayton, Washington 99328 General Notice City of Dayton, Washington (Owner) invites bids for the construction of the 2024 Otta Seal project. The Work provides for the improvements of multiple streets within the City of Dayton, Washington. Work generally includes pavement repair, BST Seal Coat, BST for new construction, utility adjustments, pavement markings, and other work all in accordance with the Contract Plans, Contract Documents, and Standard Specifications.

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Sealed bids for the described project will be received by the office of the City Clerk at City Hall, 111 S. 1st Street, Dayton, Washington, 99328 until 2:00 p.m., local time, April 10, 2024, and then publicly opened and read aloud.

All work performed on this project will be subject to State Prevailing Wage Rates, EEO, and Washington State Contracting Laws, etc. All contractors performing work on this project must be licensed in the State of Washington to conduct business. The contract time for all work shall be 80 working days.

Obtaining the Bidding Documents

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is: Anderson Perry & Associates, Inc., 214 East Birch Street, Walla Walla, Washington 99362, (509) 529-9260, Adam Schmidtgall, P.E., aschmidtgall@andersonperry. com. Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office on Mondays through Fridays between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., or at the City of Dayton, 111 S. 1st Street, Dayton, Washington. Bidding Documents are available at http://www.andersonperry.com under the Bid Docs link. The digital Bidding Documents may be downloaded for a non-refundable payment of \$30.00 by inputting QuestCDN eBidDoc Number 9034185 on the website. Assistance with free Quest-CDN membership registration, document downloading, and working with the digital Project information may be obtained at www.QuestCDN.com, at (952) 233-1632, or via e-mail at info@questcdn.com. No paper sets will be provided for bidding purposes. Each bid on the project must be submitted on the prescribed form and accompanied by a certified check or bid bond payable to the Owner in an amount not less than 5 percent of the amount bid. The suc-

#### NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Pursuant to the Revised Code of Washington 61.24, et seq.108 1st Ave South, Suite 450 Seattle, WA 98104 Trustee Sale No.: WA-23-966954-SW Title Order No.: TX232948 Reference Number of Deed of Trust: Instrument No. 2019-02260 Parcel Number(s): 360727320020 Grantor(s) for Recording Purposes under RCW 65.04.015: James F Yeager and Katherine R Yeager, Husband and Wife Current Beneficiary of the Deed of Trust and Grantee (for Recording Purposes under RCW 65.04.015): Nationstar Mortgage LLC Current Trustee of the Deed of Trust: QUALITY LOAN SERVICE CORPORA-**TION Current Loan Mortgage** Servicer of the Deed of Trust: Nationstar Mortgage LLC I.NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that QUALITY LOAN SER-VICE CORPORATION, the undersigned Trustee, will on 4/26/2024, at 9:00 AM At the Main Entrance to the Walla Walla County Courthouse, located at 315 West Main, Walla Walla, WA 99362 sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder, payable in the form of credit bid or cash bid in the form of cashier's check or certified checks from federally or State chartered banks, at the time of sale the following described real property, situated in the County of WALLA WALLA, State of Washington, to-wit: Beginning at a point in the North line of the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 27, Township 7 North, Range 36, East of the Willamette Meridian, which point is 195 feet East, measured along said North line from the Northwest corner of said subdivision; Thence South, parallel to the West line of said subdivision, 150 feet to the true point of beginning; Thence continue South on said parallel line 120 feet; Thence East, parallel to said North line 85 feet; Thence North, parallel to said West line 120 feet; Thence West, parallel to said North line 85 feet to the true point of beginning; Situate in the County of Walla Walla, State of Washington. More commonly known as: 1417 AVALON ST, WALLA WALLA, WA 99362-8805 Subject to that certain Deed of Trust dated 4/3/2019, recorded 4/10/2019, under Instrument No. 2019-02260 records of WALLA WALLA County, Washington, from James F Yeager and Katherine R Yeager, Husband and Wife, as grantor(s), to June Gorman on behalf of Flagstar Bank, FSB, as original trustee, to secure an obligation in favor of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., solely as nominee for Flagstar Bank. FSB, Its Successors and Assigns, as original beneficiary, the beneficial interest in which was subsequently assigned to Nationstar Mortgage LLC, the Beneficiary, under an assignment recorded under Auditors File Number 2023-06020 II. No action commenced by the Beneficiary of the Deed of Trust as referenced in RCW 61.21.030(4) is now pending to seek satisfaction of the obligation in any Court by reason of the Borrower's or Grantor's default on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust/Mortgage. III. The default(s) for which this foreclosure is made is/are as follows: Failure to pay when due the following amounts which are now in arrears: \$22,351.29. IV. The sum owing on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust is: The principal sum of \$111,739.22, together with interest as provided in the Note from 9/1/2022 on, and such other costs, fees, and charges as are due under the Note, Deed of Trust, or other instrument secured, and as are provided by statute. V. The above-described real property will be sold to satisfy the expense of sale and the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust as provided by statute. Said sale will be made without warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances on 4/26/2024. The defaults referred to in Paragraph III must be cured by 4/15/2024 (11 days before the sale date), or by other date as permitted in the Note or Deed of Trust, to cause a discontinuance of the sale. The sale will be

discontinued and terminated if at any time before 4/15/2024 (11 days before the sale), or by other date as permitted in the Note or Deed of Trust, the default as set forth in Paragraph III is cured and the Trustee's fees and costs are paid. Payment must be in cash or with cashiers or certified checks from a State or federally chartered bank. The sale may be terminated any time after the 4/15/2024 (11 days before the sale date) and before the sale, by the Borrower or Grantor or the holder of any recorded junior lien or encumbrance by paying the principal and interest, plus costs, fees and advances, if any, made pursuant to the terms of the obligation and/or Deed of Trust, and curing all other defaults. VI. A written Notice of Default was transmitted by the Beneficiary or Trustee to the Borrower(s) and Grantor(s) by both first class and certified mail, proof of which is in the possession of the Trustee; and the Borrower and Grantor were personally served, if applicable, with said written Notice of Default or the written Notice of Default was posted in a conspicuous place on the real property described in Paragraph I above, and the Trustee has possession of proof of such service or posting. The list of recipients of the Notice of Default is listed within the Notice of Foreclosure provided to the Borrower(s) and Grantor(s). These requirements were completed as of 11/6/2023. VII. The Trustee whose name and address are set forth below will provide in writing to anyone requesting it, a statement of all costs and fees due at any time prior to the sale. VIII. The effect of the sale will be to deprive the Grantor and all those who hold by through or under the Grantor of all their interest in the above-described property. IX. Anyone having any objections to this sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to be heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the sale pursuant to RCW 61.24.130. Failure to bring such a lawsuit may result in a waiver of any proper grounds for invalidating the Trustee's sale. X. NOTICE TO OCCUPANTS OR TENANTS - The purchaser at the Trustee's Sale is entitled to possession of the property on the 20th day following the sale, as against the Grantor under the deed of trust (the owner) and anyone having an interest junior to the deed of trust, including occupants who are not tenants. After the 20th day following the sale the purchaser has the right to evict occupants who are not tenants by summary proceedings under Chapter 59.12 RCW. For tenant-occupied property, the purchaser shall provide a tenant with written notice in accordance with RCW 61.24.060. THIS NOTICE IS THE FINAL STEP BEFORE THE FORECLOSURE SALE OF YOUR HOME. You may be eligible for mediation. You have only until 90 calendar days BEFORE the date of sale listed in this Notice of Trustee Sale to be referred to mediation. If this is an amended Notice of Trustee Sale providing a 45-day notice of the sale, mediation must be requested no later than 25 calendar days BEFORE the date of sale listed in this amended Notice of Trustee Sale. DO NOT DELAY. CONTACT A HOUSING COUNSELOR OR AN ATTORNEY LICENSED IN WASHINGTON NOW to assess your situation and refer you to mediation if you are eligible and it may help you save your home. See below for safe sources of help. SEEKING ASSISTANCE Housing counselors and legal assistance may be available at little or no cost to you. If you would like assistance in determining your rights and opportunities to keep your house, you may contact the following: The statewide foreclosure hotline for assistance and referral to housing counselors recommended by the Housing Finance Commission: Toll-free: 1-877-894-HOME (1-877-894-4663) or Web site: http://www. dfi.wa.gov/consumers/ homeownership/post\_purchase counselors foreclosure.htm The United States Department of Housing and Urban Development: Toll-free:

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#### Superior Court of Washington, Walla Walla County

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Probate Notice to Creditors No. 24-4-00064-36 (RCW 11.40.030) In re the Estate of Earl William Richardson, 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 timeframe, 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: March 28, 2024 Terry L. Richardson, Personal Representative Attorney for the Personal Representative: Lenard L. Wittlake, PLLC, WSBA #15451 P.O. Box 1233 Walla Walla, WA 99362 (509) 529-1529 Court of Probate Proceedings: Walla Walla Superior Court 315 W. Main Walla Walla, WA 99362 The Times March 28, April 4, 11, 2024 3-28-f

#### SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON, WALLA WALLA COUNTY

No. 24-4-00058-36 Probate Notice to Creditors (RCW 11.40.030) In re the Estates of Paul W. Joice, Sr. and Eva Ruth Joice, 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 timeframe, 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: March 14, 2024 Paul W. Joice, Jr., Personal Representative Attorney for the Personal Representative: Lenard L. Wittlake, PLLC, WSBA #15451 P.O. Box 1233 Walla Walla, WA 99362 (509) 529-1529 Court of Probate Proceedings: Walla Walla Superior Court 315 W. Main Walla Walla, WA 99362 The Times March 14, 21, 28, 2024 3-14-a

#### Prescott Joint Park and Recreation District Board of Commissioners

Position # 2 VACANCY: Term Expires 12/31/2025 Position # 4 VACANCY: Term Expires 12/31/2027 Serving on the Board of Commissioners is an active year-round responsibility, overseeing the operation of the various aspects of the District. Commissioners will work on several sub-committees (Budget, Maintenance, Grants) Attend 12 monthly meetings, and between 5-8 specialty meetings Spend 3-5 hours/month during off season; 15-30 hours/month when things ramp up in Spring Please submit a letter of interest to: Prescott Joint Park & Recreation District (PJPRD) PO Box 30 Prescott WA 99348 If you would like more information, please call the office at 509-849-2314, daily 9 to 1 pm. The Times February 15, 22, 29 March 7,14, 21, 28 2024

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

No.24-3-00040-36 Guadalupe Serrano Martinez Petitioner,

Marco Antonio Gonzalez Trujillo, Respondent.

The State of Washington to the Respondent Marco Antonio Gonzalez Trujillo You are hereby summoned to appear within 60 days after the date of the first publication of this Petition for a Parenting Plan, after the DATE, and defend the above-entitled action in the above-entitled court, and answer the complaint of the petitioner, Guadalupe Serrano Martinez, and serve a copy of your answer upon the petitioner at the address below stated; and in case of your failure, to do so, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the parenting plan petition, which has been filed with the clerk of said court. If you do not serve your written response within 60 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 60 days after filing and service. Serve a copy of your response on Guadalupe Serrano Martinez 213 S 1st Ave, Walla Walla, WA. 99362 The Times March 21, 28 April 4, 11, 18, 25, 2024

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cessful bidder will be required to furnish the necessary additional bonds for the faithful performance of the contract as prescribed in the contract documents.

The Owner may reject any bid not in compliance with all prescribed requirements and may reject for good cause any and all bids upon finding that it is in the public interest to do so. The Owner is an equal opportunity and affirmative action employer. Minority and women-owned businesses are encouraged to bid. Each minority and womenowned business requesting plans should indicate that they are a minority firm at the time they request plans so they may be listed on the Planholders List as a minority.

This project is partially funded through the Washington State Transportation Improvement Board with State funds. This Advertisement is issued bv: Owner: City of Dayton, Washington By: Roger Trump Title: Mayor Published in the Waitsburg Times, Thursdays, March 21 and March 28, 2024 + + END OF ADVERTISE-MENT FOR BIDS + + The Times March 21, 28, 2024 3-21-c

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**NOTICE OF STATE'S INTENT TO NEGOTIATE LEASE** Department of Natural Resources will begin negotiation of expiring leases with existing lessees on the following parcels. All leases are subject to third party bids by interested parties. Lease terms and bidding information is available by calling the Southeast Region at 1-800-527-3305 or by appointment at the Region Office at 713 Bowers Road, Ellensburg, Washington 98926. The leases expire August 31, 2024.

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Dryland lease	All/ Part	Sec	Тwp	Rge
12-B76203	Part	16	11	35.0E
12-C56303	Part	16	8	35.0E
12-C56431	Part	3	9	36.0E
12-C56943	Part	3	9	36.0E

Written request to lease must be received by April 29, 2024, at the Department of Natural Resources, 713 Bowers Road, Ellensburg, Washington 98926.

Each request to lease must contain a certified check or money order payable to the Department of Natural Resources for the amount of any bonus bid, plus a \$100 deposit. The envelope must be marked "Sealed Bid" and give the lease number, expiration date of lease applied for, and give the applicant's name. The applicant must be prepared to purchase any improvements that belong to the current lessee. For details and qualifications to submit a request, contact the Ellensburg office or call 509-925-8510. HILARY FRANZ, Commissioner of Public Lands The Times March 28, 2024

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## The Times

## **CARDINALS BEAT BURBANK**

By Karen Huwe | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG — Starting pitcher Jayce Gleason controlled the first five innings of the game against Columbia-Burbank on Thursday, March 21. His teammates added impressive baserunning, and the Cardinals won 10-8.

The Cardinals scored two runs off three hits in the first inning and three runs off three in the fourth inning. The team continued to score in the fifth with four runs on four hits. Quinn Benavides was the catcher for Gleason. Klint Kuykendall led the team with three hits.

"I would say it was our most competitive game vet!" said Coach Greer.

The Cardinals will play Sunnyside Christian in Waitsburg on March 30.

Hits in the game: Kuykendall-3, Benavides-2, Jayton Gleason-2, Isaias Reyes-1, Cyson Morris-1, Jarod Hankins-1, and Rollin Carpenter-1

Box score:

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## **MIDDLE SCHOOL GIRLS BASKETBALL AWARDS**

#### By Karen Huwe | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG — Coach Karen Huwe acknowledged her ten middle school basketball players and manager at the awards assembly on Friday, March 8 in the Waitsburg High School auditorium.

Manager Shylo Hedges and players Lucy Lacross, Maeci Strickland, Lillian Carpenter, Madyson Potter, Tanna Ray, Kaitlyn Paul, Audrey Kiefel, Sophia Castillo, Kayla Kuykendall and Olivia Kiefel received participation certificates.

Potter was named Most Improved on Offense, and Ray was the Most Improved on Defense. Paul was awarded Most Inspirational and Kuykendall and Audrey Kiefel were awarded the Coaches Award.

Olivia Kiefel, who excelled in all the stat categories, was recognized as Cardinal of the Year.



Karen Huwe

(back row) Audrey Kiefel, Olivia Kiefel, Maeci Strickland, Madyson Potter, Lillian Carpenter (front row I-r) Sophia Castillo, Tanna Ray, Kaitlyn Paul, Lucy Lacross



Klint Kuykendall #7 on a dead run for first base.

## WAITSBURG TRACK AT HAWK **INVITE TRACK MEET**

By Karen Huwe | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG - Waitsburg High School track team competed against thirteen other schools at College Place High School's Hawk Invite Track Meet on Saturday, March 23.

The 4 x 100-meter boys' relay team Teegan Kenney, Blake French, Brenton Segraves, and Reuben Yutzy competed for the first time this season, earning a third-place finish. (47.41)

Yutzy earned second-place medals in shot put (41' 8.75") and in the high jump (5'6"). Kenney placed sixth in the 200-meter (25.25) and the long jump (19'1") events.

In the girls' events, Alyssa Hollingsworth placed fifth in the 800-meter race. (2:59.19)



Yutzy runs the last leg of the 4 x 100 relay and the Cardinals win their heat



Kenney places 6th in the 200-meters.

## **CLASSIFIEDS HELP WANTED**

Position open in the Dayton School District for a MS Paraprofessional for the Learning Assistance Program. To apply, submit classified application, letter of interest & resume. Salary range for this position is \$18.60 to \$24.93 per hour depending upon education and experience. Applications can be found on the employment page of the District website at https://www. daytonsd.org/page/employment or the District office at 609 S. 2nd Street. For more information contact District office at 382-2543. Closing date April 5, 2024 or until filled. EOE

Waitsburg Presbyterian Church is looking for a pianist. 3 hrs/week (this includes choir practice and Worship service), \$21/hr. Call or email Heidi at 509-337-6589 or heidi@waitsburgpres.org

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### **LEGAL NOTICES (Cont.)**

Walla Walla County Fire **Protection District No. 6** Notice of Solicitation for Pro-

fessional Services Walla Walla County Fire Protection District No. 6 "District", a municipal corporation, is soliciting Statements of Qualifications for Professional Services for the remodel of an existing building into a fire station. Interested parties should obtain the Request for Statements of Qualification from the District by contacting Rusty Waite, at rm.waite@hotmail. com or 509-386-8423 and by submitting a statement of qualifications in accordance with the RFQ and chapter 39.80 RCW by 5:00 p.m. on April 9, 2022. The Times March 21, 28, April 4, 2024 3-21-e

NOTICE OF SUMMONS In the Superior Court of the State of Washington for the **County of Walla Walla** No. 24-3-00012-36 Adrianna D. Torres. Respondent Jose Angel Perez, Petitioner, The State of Washington to the respondent Adrianna D. Torres You are hereby summoned to appear within 60 days after the date of the first publication

of this dissolution of marriage summons, after the DATE, and defend the above-entitled action in the above-entitled court, and answer the complaint of the petitioner. Jose A. Perez. and serve a copy of your answer upon the petitioner at the address below stated; and

in case of your failure, to do so, 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 60 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 90 days after filing and service. Serve a copy of your response to Jose A. Perez at 1311 W Yakima Street, Pasco, WA. 99301. The Times March 7, 14, 21, 28 April 4, 11 2024 3-7-g

#### PRESCOTT CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA March 28, 2024

PRESCOTT CITY HALL, 6:30 P.M. ROLL CALL ADOPTION OF AGENDA OLD BUSINESS Mayor Bids Three Bids received to clean and disinfect the city's water well; up for review One Bid, with one pending, to repair/lay gravel for roads and alleys Three tree trimming bids received; up for review

Council Position #4 Vacancy Clerk Council Training – Council

has ten days left to complete mandatory Training

#### NEW BUSINESS Mayor - Request to increase Council's compensation for additional work load Clerk requested Council to think about what an ideal water bill looks like to them ADJOURN The Times March 28, 2024 3-28-g

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WALLA WALLA NO: 24-4-00050-36 NOTICE TO CREDITORS REGARDING VACANCY AND SUCCESSION OF PERSON-AL REPRESENTATIVE RCW 11.40.150 In re the Estate of: DAVID K. CADMAN, Deceased.

The original personal representative of this estate resigned as personal representative, creating a vacancy. The successor personal representative, Jack Black Cadman, 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 by the original personal representative as provided under RCW 11.40.020(1)(b), together with the time between the creation of the vacancy and the first publication of the vacancy and succession, as provided under RCW 11.40.150(2). If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.40.051 and RCW 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and nonprobate assets. DATE OF FIRST PUBLICA-TION: February 29, 2024 DATE OF VACANCY CREAT-ED BY ORIGINAL PERSONAL

**REPRESENTATIVE:** March 19, 2024 DATE OF FIRST PUBLICA-TION OF NOTICE OF VACAN-CY: March 28, 2024 Jack Black Cadman

Personal Representative Attorney for Personal Representative: Courtney Lawless, WSBA #57415 Basalt Legal PLLC 6 1/2 North Second Ave., Suite 200 Walla Walla, WA 99362 509-529-0630 The Times March 28, April 4, 2024 3-28-d

#### IN THE SUPERIOR COURT **OF WASHINGTON** IN AND FOR THE COUNTY

OF WALLA WALLA PROBATE NOTICE OF CREDITORS No. 24 4 00071 36 In Re the Estate of M. NADINE HANSES, Deceased The Personal Representative named below has been appointed as Personal Representative of this estate. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.40.070 by serving on or mailing to the Personal Representative or the Personal Representative's attorney stated below a copy of the claim and filing of the original of the claim with the court in which the probate proceedings were commenced. The claim must be presented within the later of: (1) Thirty days after the Personal Representative served or mailed the notice to the creditor as provided under RCW 11.40.020(1)(c); or (2) four months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.40.051 and 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and nonprobate assets. Personal Representative: WILLIAM PIPER

Date of First Publication: March 28, 2024 /s/: WILLIAM PIPER Personal Representative of the Estate of M. NADINE HANSES Attorney for the Personal Representative and address for mailing and service: Steven C. Frol Minnick-Hayner, P.S. P.O. Box 1757 249 West Alder Walla Walla, WA 99362 Publish: March 28, April 4, 11, 2024 Court of Probate Proceedings and Cause Number Walla Walla County Superior Court Cause No.: No. 24 4 00071 36 The Times March 28, April 4, 11, 2024 3-28-е

#### NOTICE OF PETITION TO CHANGE NAME OF MINOR CHILD

State of Georgia, Coweta County Notice is hereby given that Serena Laws has filed a petition in the Superior Court of Coweta County on 2/27/24 for the change of name of her minor child from Lawrence Jon Lamont Smith to Lawrence Jodai Laws Any interested party has the right to appear in the case and file objections within the time prescribed on O.C.G.A § 19-12-1(f)(s) and (3) Serena Laws 96 Portico PI Newnan, GA 30265 Phone: 404-507-2765 The Times March 7, 14, 21, 28 2024 3-7-b

# **FUN & LEGALS**





Just Like Cats & Dogs by Dave T. Phipps





"I'll tell you the same thing my father told me. ... Go ask your mother."

 Events, Film, Performace, Music

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### **PIONEER PORTRAITS**

#### 10 Years ago

#### April 3, 2014

The Waitsburg High School Band performed at a Band Festival in Clarkston on March 25 and scored a superior rating. "This is especially difficult at the high school level, and the band played very well," said Band Director Brad Green. The band played "Fanfare for a Celebration" and "Prairie Dance." Green said both are complicated songs with many solos. Seniors Meara Baker (flute) and Kimmie Hamann (trumpet) played important parts. "I was very proud and happy," said Green.

Weller Library will be offering a Getting Started class on April 3 from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. at the Weller Library. The class will allow patrons to see what is available through the Microsoft IT Academy and will provide assistance in setting up an IT account. Students may then work through lessons from home or they may access their ITA account through a library computer if they don't have access at home.

> 25 Years ago April 1, 1999



[Photo Caption] Finders of the special eggs at the Easter Egg Hunt last Saturday were, front row: Christine Bowles, Tye Lommasson, Nathan Moon, Casey Kates, Luke Alexenko, Owen Lanning. Back row: Colby Weston, T.J. White, Maya Garcia, Taelor Carter and Roger Wetter. Unseasonably cold weather didn't deter youngsters from giving it their best in the annual egg scramble.

#### 50 Years ago

#### April 4, 1974

Percy Hulce of Big Bear Lake, Cal., and Mrs. Millie Rabern of Ontario, Or. have been visiting their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Hulce, and with other relatives in town. The two brothers took their sister to her Oregon home and went on to Vivian, S.D. on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fenton and son Norman of Sumner, Wa. were guests this past weekend at the Jim Davison and Marvin Huffman homes. Mr. Fenton formerly taught music in the local schools and Mrs. Fenton taught in Dayton.

Weekend visitors at the Joe Abbeys were Dr. and Mrs. Warren Sherk former minister of the Waitsburg Methodist Church. He is now chairman of Executives, International, headquartered in Tempe, Az.

> 75 Years ago April 8,1949



Wednesday, March 27 @ 6:30 -8:30 p.m.

## Annual Waitsburg Easter Egg Hunt



### Preston Park Saturday, March 30 Siren sounds at 10 a.m. and the hunt begins!



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#### MAR 30 Women in Wine and Music Wine tasting with DAMA wines 3-6PM Live Music: Mari Gisele 6-8PM

## DAYTON DAYTON COMMUNITY EASTER EGG HUNT



Saturday, March 30 10 - 11 a.m. at Dayton City Park

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Kindergarten children and their teacher, Mrs. Moore, enjoyed a marshmallow toast at the outdoor fireplace of Miss Fanny Weller. Children attending were Norma Anderson, Elinora Graham, Arlene Abbey, Margaret Daniels, Donald Glover, Jimmie Hays, Danny Clodius, Ronnie Kessler, Gary Harkins and Gary Peters.

Work on the tennis court will resume within a week or so and it is hoped to have the project completed in the near future.

Roy Allen, Sr. has purchased a home and orchard four miles from Elgin, Ore. in the Wallowa country. Mr. and Mrs. Allen plan to spend their summers there but will keep their apartment in Waitsburg.

#### 100 Years ago

#### April 11,1924

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stevens of Spokane came down and surprised their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Wilson. They came to attend the family reunion and were accompanied by Mrs. Chauncey Smith and daughter, Geraldine, old friends of the Wilsons.

Mrs. A. S. Dickinson arrived home Wednesday from Olympia. She was accompanied by Miss Freda Iffeond who expects to visit at the Dickinson home for several days.

J. W. L. McCrosky and wife, old neighbors in the Palouse country, spent Sunday in this city the guests of the Grubbes.

#### 125 Years ago

#### April 14,1899

Samuel Smith surprised his family with a new buggy Wednesday of last week. His mission when leaving for town was to buy a cart.

Cecil Keiser was out in Spring Valley from Waitsburg Saturday, Making a scorching run on his bike.

Alvie Sanders purchased a riding horse of Emma Henderson Saturday, consideration, five dollars.

Able White put a new roof on his Main Street residence this week.

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**MY RECIPES** 

Luke Chavez

## **Spring Spaghetti** with Shrimp

After six years of living in the Inland Northwest, there are still a few things about the other side of the state that I miss terribly. At the top of this list is access to fresh, local seafood, something I might have taken for granted at the time. Thankfully, there are many wonderful options for local and sustainable seafood that can be found flash-frozen in area grocery stores. Domestic, wildcaught shrimp, frozen raw, have become a staple in our freezer, perfect for quick weeknight dinners. Here, plump, sweet shrimp



are seared before being tossed in a bright lemon and butter sauce with spaghetti. The addition of green peas and peppery arugula make for a vibrant springtime pasta dish.

#### **Ingredients:**

1 pound spaghetti

- 3 tablespoons olive oil
- 4 tablespoons butter, divided
- Salt and freshly ground black pepper
- 1 medium shallot, finely chopped (about 1/2 cup)
- 3 garlic cloves, minced

Pinch crushed red pepper flakes

1 pound medium shrimp, cleaned, peeled, and chopped into <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-inch pieces

- 1 cup frozen peas, thawed
- 2 tablespoons capers, plus 2 tablespoons caper brine
- 2 to 3 cups packed fresh arugula or mizuna
- 3 tablespoons fresh lemon juice
- 2 tablespoons fresh parsley, chopped, plus more

#### **Directions:**

Bring a large pot of salted water to a boil. Cook the spaghetti until al dente per package instructions, about 6 to 8 minutes. Reserve 1 cup of the pasta cooking water before draining the spaghetti.

While the pasta is cooking, heat the olive oil in a large skillet over medium heat. Melt 1 tablespoon of the butter into the oil and then add the shallots, cooking until soft and translucent, about 3 minutes. Add the garlic and a pinch of crushed pepper flakes, continuing to cook until fragrant, about another minute.

Reduce the heat to medium-low then add the shrimp to the pan and season with salt and black pepper. Cook until shrimp just begins to turn pink and opaque, about 4 to 5 minutes. If the shrimp is done before the pasta, remove the skillet from the heat.

After draining, return the pasta and the reserved pasta water to the large pot and set over medium heat. Stir in the shrimp mixture, peas, capers, caper brine, and the remaining 3 tablespoons of butter. Continue to stir vigorously until the sauce thickens and clings to the noodles, about 2 minutes. Next, stir in the arugula until it wilts and heats through. Remove the pan from the heat and then stir in the lemon juice and parsley. Taste and adjust seasoning, adding more salt or pepper as needed. Serve immediately in warm pasta bowls and garnish the tops with more fresh parsley.

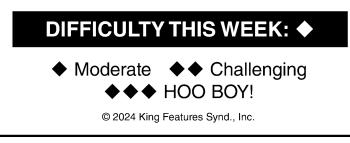
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#### Notes:

This is a pasta dish that comes together very quickly, so it is imperative to have all your ingredients prepped, washed, measured, and ready before you start. Make sure to properly clean, peel, and devein your shrimp. The shrimp should be kept very cold until just before cooking.

Be sure to time your pasta so as not to overcook. Because it will cook for another few minutes in the sauce, the spaghetti should be cooked even a minute or two less than the package directions for "al dente." My spaghetti was ready to drain at 8 minutes. However, different brands will have different cooking times.

Other vegetables, such as blanched asparagus or fresh cherry tomatoes, can be added to this flavorful pasta dish. Other tender fresh herbs, such as basil, chives, or dill, can be added along with the parsley. Also, if you have nice organic lemons, some finely grated zest would be lovely added at the end with the lemon juice.

I served this delicate pasta with a crisp and fruity Pinot Grigio. Enjoy.

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## **Community Calendar**

#### WAITSBURG MONTHLY MEETINGS



#### Waitsburg City Council

Third Wednesday of each month @ 7 p.m. at City Hall. Next meeting

#### **Planning Commission** Second Friday of the month @ 10 a.m. @ City Hall and on Zoom.

Waitsburg School Board

Third Thursday of every month @ 6 p.m. Zoom info is available by emailing waitsburgcc@icloud.com

Waitsburg Home and School Association - First Wednesday of each month, 6:30 p.m. at the Waitsburg Elementary School Library. All parents, school district staff, or community members are welcome.

#### Waitsburg Historical Society

Third Tuesday of the month @ 6:00 p.m. @ Weller Public Library

Waitsburg Booster Club

First Tuesday of the month, 6:30 p.m. @ High School Home Ec. room

#### Waitsburg Parks and Recreation Public Meeting First Thursday of the month, 6 p.m. @ Ten Ton Coffee

Info email: info@waitsburgparks.org

#### Weller Public Library

**Board of Trustees** Second Tuesday of the month, 6 p.m. at the Weller Public Library, 212 Main St.

Friends of the Weller Public Library New Meeting Time - Second Tuesday of the month @ 7 p.m.

Weller Public Library, 212 Main Street, Waitsburg

#### Waitsburg Commercial Club

Last Thursdays of the month @ Ten Ton Coffee @noon. Zoom info is available by emailing waitsburgcc@icloud.com

#### Waitsburg Resource Center **Community Food Bank** 106 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Preston Ave Thursdays, 2 – 4 p.m.



#### **DAYTON & COLUMBIA COUNTY MEETINGS**

#### **Board of Columbia County Commissioners**

Regular meetings - First and third Monday of the month @ 9 a.m. Work sessions - Second and fourth Monday of each month @ 9 a.m. Call-in information available at https://www.columbiaco.com/114/County-Commissioners

#### **Dayton City Council**

Second Tuesday of the month @ 6 p.m. Call-in information available at https://www.daytonwa. com/54-inside-city-hall/city-council



#### **Dayton School Board**

First and third Wednesday of the month @ 6 p.m. @ Dayton High School auditorium

### Columbia County Public Hospital District Board of Commissioners

Fourth Wednesday of the month @ 1:30 p.m. Call (509) 382-2531 for information.

#### **Dayton Memorial Library Board of Trustees Meeting**

Third Monday of the month @ 7 p.m. Delany room and Zoom Meeting ID: 852 3836 3787

#### https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85238363787

#### **Dayton Kiwanis Club Meeting**

Second and fourth Thursday @ Noon Hybrid in-person meetings at the Delany Library with online Zoom available.





#### PRESCOTT MEETINGS

Prescott Joint Park & Rec District (PJPRD) Monthly meetings for 2024 are 2nd Thursday of each month, @ 6pm

#### **STARBUCK MEETINGS**

Starbuck City Council Second Tuesday of each month at 6 p.m. at Starbuck City Hall

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