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Steamboat Gulch Sledding Hill Closes for the Winter



EAST BOISE COUNTY

-- The historic and popular Steamboat Gulch sledding hill, located one mile north of Idaho City, will not have open access to the public this year. A sturdy gate across the road, fence cables at the base of the runs, and hay bales staggered on the hillside will be impeding recreation this winter. Last year, the Mores Creek Recreational Foundation (MCRF) lacked the funding and volunteer help to provide the amenities the public relied on, such as snow plowing, a dumpster, and port-a-potties. Several trees were shot with ammunition to the point that they died and needed to be removed, trash was left for Idaho Department of Lands (IDL) to pick up, and the sledding runs were dam-

aged by ATV vehicles during the summer months. The IDL expressed that they had put in extensive man hours restoring and maintaining the area.

Todd Wernex, OHV/Recreation Program Specialist for IDL, said MCRF had done a wonderful job, charging \$10 per car load. He expressed a hope that the local community would come together, volunteer, and manage the area during the winter months.

Without a winter operation, IDL decided to close the area due to safety and restoration efforts. It was explained that the gate across the road and cable fencing was intended to protect the area, which had required excessive money to fix. The land had been seeded to help with erosion, but recreationalists on ATVs went off trails and onto these snow hill runs, which caused erosion at great depths.

According to the MCRF

President CarrieAnne Kowalczyk-Gonzalez, there are requirements in order to open the sledding hill, including: funds for insurance, purchasing a land lease from IDL, arranging for dumpster services, port-a-potties, and the largest expense: plowing the roads to maintain access. The group also had a difficult time finding a reliable volunteer to oversee the operations on the weekends.

According to IDL: "The sled hill is on endowment land owned by the public school beneficiary. This means the land and its uses are not taxpayer funded, and makes it different than public lands like those operated by the U.S. Forest Service. While IDL provides recreational opportunities when possible, its constitutional mandate is to manage the land in such a way as to secure the maximum long-term financial return to the beneficiary. Money to repair damaged land comes from funds that should be supporting K-12 education."



New signs, cable fencing, and haybales prevent the use of Steamboat Gulch sledding runs. The gate will be opened during the snow-free months, for camping and use of the several ATV trails.

HAPPENINGS

Garden Valley: The Middle School proudly presents "Elf Junior" on Dec 11 at 6 pm at the GV school.

Horseshoe Bend: Bunko at the Horseshoe Bend Ladies Club at Noon on December 11th. Come join us and bring something to share for lunch and \$4.00 to play.

Idaho City Basin Elementary: Holiday Concert on December 12th at 7:00 p.m.

Idaho City: Christmas Celebration at the Seasons parking lot, 200 Main St. Dec. 13 - 14 tree lighting at 6pm, reindeer games, and Santa's workshop. Dec. 20 - 21 at 6pm a combined choir, activities. [See page 3]

Idaho City: Christian Center Kids Present "The Power of the King" on Sunday, December 15, at 11am.

Garden Valley: GVHTD meeting 12-17-19 at 5:30 at Crouch City Hall

Idaho City: Christmas Eve Service---Tuesday, December 24, 5-6 PM, at the Idaho City Christian Center, 3853 Highway 21. Come for communion and carols. Everyone welcome!

Garden Valley: Chamber of Commerce annual lantern lighting fundraiser are \$5 at the GV Market and remaining lanterns will be sold at the park on New Year's Eve.



IDL representatives met with *The Idaho World* and walked the area to gain perspective of the property on Monday, December 9th.



Steamboat Gulch on January 2, 2016, was enjoyed by families and considered a safe and fun place to sled. Photos by Eileen Capson

Cookies & Angels Exchange



The GV Senior Center hosted the Cookies and Angels exchange last Thursday night. 21 people attended, swapping Cookies then Angels. A lot of fun was had by all playing the angel exchange game-stealing, keeping, and swapping with the roll of a dice. One of the highlights of the evening was the introductions of each person attending. An incredible gathering of talented women with interesting lives.

Photo by Linda Ruppel, DDS

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WEST BOISE COUNTY

Garden Valley Senior & Social Center News

By Candis Donicht

Are you having trouble keeping up with your holiday schedule? If you aren't, please share your tips and strategies with us so the we may remain stress-free in December.

The holiday parties, lunches, brunches, and dinners with family and friends are great fun, but tremendous work for the organizers. Then there's decorating to be done. Those darn lights worked just fine when you put them away last year. There are cards to mail and gifts to purchase or to make. If you are like many of us, each year we promise ourselves we will cut back on the stressful aspects of getting everything done. Then we don't.

For all of you who continue making the holidays special by accomplishing all of the

above, others do appreciate the priceless memories made.

At the Garden Valley Senior Center, members should plan to attend our Annual Members Only Christmas Party on Saturday, December 14, from 7:00-9:00 PM at the Center. The Board will do all of the work in bringing food, crazy fun games, and prizes. We are again guilty of adding more to our plates (pun intended) to make membership matter and memories count!

Finally, don't forget to stop by Granny's on Fridays and Saturdays from 11-5 PM. We have holiday decorations galore, and we are bringing in winter boots as fast as we can. Let it snow!

See you at the Center!



Bingo fun and laughs with 62 players!

Photos by Linda Ruppel, DDS




The "Bingo Babes" joked around at the Senior Center's First Friday Bingo night on December 6th. Julie Hutchinson does a great job calling the balls, even when her cohort tries to make her do it blind.



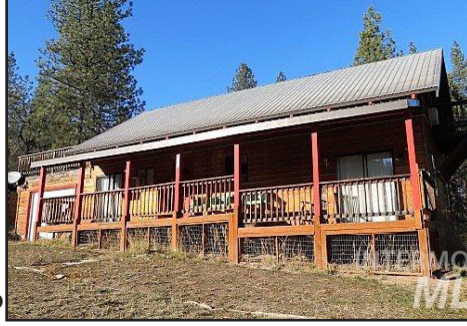
Chet and Donna Stewart were the big winners of the night!

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~ Shirley Temple

EAST BOISE COUNTY

Idaho City Christmas Activities & Fun

Santa's Workshop and Tree Lighting

Friday, December 13

4:00pm Gather at Seasons parking lot
 5:45pm Watch for Santa!
 6:00pm Santa arrives to lead countdown to tree lighting
 6:20pm (the following activities continue throughout the evening)
 Children line up to visit Santa in his workshop
 While waiting, kids can:
 Work on letters to Santa
 Make ornaments
 Bonfire
 Hot chocolate and treats
 Bands, choirs and stories
 Reindeer games
 Vendors
 Visiting with friends and family
 Visit local businesses

Saturday, December 14

1:00pm City Tours
 Sledding at Steamboat Gulch
 First annual Santa Bowl!
 6-man flag football teams, with 2 alternates
 15-minute halves with two 1-minute time outs per half
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Nativity and Choral Concert

Friday, December 20

5:00pm Gather at Seasons parking lot
 Bonfire
 Hot chocolate and treats
 Bands, choirs and stories
 Reindeer games
 Vendors
 Visiting with friends and family
 Visit local businesses
 6:00pm Bands, children and teen choirs, stories, and karaoke
 7:00pm Live nativity with combined choirs

Saturday, December 21

1:00pm City Tours
 Sledding at Steamboat Gulch
 4:00pm Gather at Seasons parking lot
 Bonfire
 Hot chocolate and treats
 Bands, choirs and stories
 Reindeer games
 Vendors
 Visiting with friends and family
 Visit local businesses
 6:00pm Bands, children and teen choirs, stories, and karaoke
 7:00pm Live nativity with combined choirs
 7:30pm Caroling up to the Catholic Church for music and readings

If you have any questions about these events, please contact Doug Pottinger at (208) 283-0799.

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BOISE COUNTY**Idaho City Community Supports Young Artists****Written by Esther Emery**

IDAHO CITY -- At an awards assembly last month, the Basin School Parent-Teacher Association (PTA) honored Idaho City's own exceptional young artists. Nine local students won prizes in the first round of this year's Reflections Art Contest, which is an annual, national event. "It was an absolute success," said PTA Treasurer Jennifer Olvera. "Our participants doubled in number from 2018, and the judges were amazing."

Olvera explained that a new after-school program known as "Art Week" contributed to the number of submissions. For one week in October, students received direct support in multiple artistic disciplines, including visual arts, dance, photography, and literature. Experts in each of these fields gave demonstrations and helped the students develop their own ideas. Idaho City community members made the program possible by supporting PTA fundraising events, especially BINGO nights at the community center.

"Art Week was made possible by PTA fundraising," said Olvera. "Kids who didn't have parent support were able to contribute projects. We are able to take part in this national contest because of our sponsors and the success of our fundraising."

The Basin School PTA spon-

sors this contest in order to encourage creativity and learning in the arts, said contest committee head Sarah Nelson. The competition requires young artists to share their "reflection" on a given theme through their chosen artistic medium. Judges select winners based on creativity, originality, and relevance to the theme.

Twenty-two Basin students entered original art works this year, responding to the prompt, "Look within." Contest organizers at Basin School displayed the art in a conference room to create the feel of a professional art gallery. Photography, music, dance, and film entries were displayed on laptop computers. Teachers brought their classes through the gallery and allowed them to vote for a "student's choice" award. The rest of the winners were determined by a team of qualified judges.

In the primary age group, first graders Minette Olvera, Cabela Steel, and Sadie Fouch took the prizes for visual art, dance choreography, and film, respectively. In the intermediate age group, third grader Iris Olvera won in literature, fourth grader Rainy Adams won in music composition, fifth grader Stella Fouch won in film, and fifth grader Sean Rousset won in visual art. Two talented middle schoolers took prizes as well: Elizabeth Gibbons in visual art and Peyton Withey



The winners for the Reflection contest.

Photo submitted by Christy Rousset

in photography. Sixth grader Kennedy Smith earned the student's choice award.

The winners received gift bags containing art supplies and \$10 cash prizes. "It was exciting," said fourth grade winner Rainy Adams. Nelson said she hopes participation will continue to grow next year.

The nine winning art works now advance to the regional level of competition, with the opportunity to advance to state and finally to nationals. "Na-

tional PTA will notify us in January if we have any winners from our school district," said Olvera. "We are eagerly waiting to hear if any of the entries we submitted win Regionals and go on to State."

Basin Schools would like to thank the PTA, the program sponsors, and all the supporters and volunteers who made this wonderful opportunity available in our community.

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Idaho STEM Action Center Awards Basin Elementary

IDAHO CITY -- The Idaho STEM Action Center has awarded 72 grants to schools, districts, libraries, and out-of-school and youth-enrichment programs statewide to advance science, technology, engineering, and math education. The Basin School District in Idaho City was one of those recipients, earning a \$2,500 PK-12 Innovative STEM Project Grant.

The organization, part of the Executive Office of the Governor, awarded a total of \$133,324.66 via two grant programs: 45 PK-12 Innovative STEM Project Grants worth \$106,727.70 and 27 Family & Career STEM Awareness Event Grants representing \$26,596.96.

The PK-12 Innovative STEM Project Grants will fund creative science, technology, engineering, mathematics, and com-

puter-science programs that are hands-on or project-based. The grant dollars will fulfill everything from 3D-printing initiatives, robotics and drone programs, and coding instruction to acoustics, aeronautics, astronomy, aquaculture, biochemistry, biotechnology, electronics, and e-textiles projects. Applicants could request up to \$2,500.

STEM Action Center executive director Dr. Angela Hemingway said. "It's a competitive process and we had to decline 36 requests -- one out of three applicants. Her agency created the nonprofit Idaho STEM Action Center Foundation two years ago to offer organizations and individuals a way to make tax-deductible donations to the STEM Action Center and enhance the investment the state has made in Idaho's STEM community.

The foundation is accepting donations, and to date it has received nearly \$1 million through grants, gifts, and sponsorships. In total, the STEM Action Center has raised more than \$3.25 million from third parties to enhance its efforts to support STEM opportunities statewide.

Hemingway said there were more than 8,800 unfilled STEM jobs in Idaho in October and that all of Idaho's top-10 hot jobs require STEM skills: Registered nurses, physicians, software developers, information security analysts, computer support specialists, network systems managers, industrial engineers, computer systems analysts, and Web developers.

The Idaho Department of Labor predicts upwards of 100,000 STEM jobs will exist in Idaho by 2024. Dr. Hemingway said these jobs represent



The Great Cardboard Challenge at Basin Elementary, 2018.

Photo by Eileen Capson

\$6.5 billion in personal income and nearly \$350 million in tax revenue if Idaho's workforce is poised to fill them.

Visit <https://stem.idaho.gov/support-us/foundation> to make a donation to the Idaho STEM Action Center Foundation.

BOISE COUNTY

Magical Miniature Winter Wonderland



Imagination comes to life, Gary Pelley with his miniature Christmas Village.



Photos by Linda Ruppel, DDS

Written by Linda Ruppel, DDS

GARDEN VALLEY -- Gary Pelley hosted his annual viewing of his Christmas Village this past Saturday and Sunday. The array of villages takes several weeks to assemble and fills up his basement area. New additions to his collection this year included a German village, which he acquired on his trip to Germany this past year. There was also a new sign for the theatre and a dentist office. In the spirit of Christmas giving, Pelley collected donations for the Food Bank at the door.

HORSESHOE BEND ELEMENTARY VISIT WITH SANTA



Honor Holifield sits with Santa. Photo by Tracy Koslosky

Written by Tracy Koslosky
HORSESHOE BEND --

Horseshoe Bend Elementary School kindergartener, Honor Holifield, sits on Santa's lap during the Horseshoe Bend Christmas Festival on Saturday, December 7. Eight Full-size trees, three table top trees, and three wreaths decorated by community members were on display for judging and up for bid during the festivities that included food, desserts, and a cookie baking contest (best tasting went to Kristi Miller, best decorated to Norma Eddins). The annual event is held the first Saturday in December and is sponsored by Valley Christian Church and Idaho Power. This year's auctioneer, Pastor Marty Broom of Valley Christian Church, took bids (with the help of his elf, Vickey Davis) for all the decorated trees & wreaths with the profits benefiting the Horseshoe Bend Community Food Bank.

ICHS Boys Basketball



Drew Pawek - senior #12



Trayton Nelson, junior #12, gets some height on his opponents from Cascade, final score 36 - 69.



Idaho City Wildcats on Dec. 7 against Cascade. They won on Dec. 6 against Compass with a nail biter finish, 47-46. Photos by E. Capson

Having a Christmas event or service? Share it with the World!
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BOISE COUNTY

Seasonal Events & a Dickens' Snowball

By John Cottingham

GARDEN VALLEY -- The Christmas season was kicked off in Crouch this year on November 30th with the Garden Valley Chamber of Commerce tree lighting in the middle of town, decorated by Keith Hughes, Adam Nokes, and Donavun Davis. Tom Wentz of Tom's Tree Creations assisted with his manlift. There was Christmas Caroling at the Pergola next to the newly lit tree and bonfires contributed by Scott Leslie, a member of the Chamber Board. *Idaho Power* donated lighting equipment; our thanks to Bryan Wewers, public relations, and Darrel Anderson, CEO. Keith Hughes dressed in a Dickens' era costume and enthusiastically led the festivities.

Hot cider and cookies were graciously provided by the Garden Valley Center for the Arts, managed by Billie DeVolt, Linda Tuley, Chris Clark, Desiree Eshelman, Edie and Del Nelson, Del White, Bruce Budge, Tiffany Thuleen, Jan Solecki, Terry Day, Nancy Lute, and

Theresa Bruffy-Kaufman.

There was a concert and dancing that went into the wee hours of the night, sponsored by Marcia Heffner and the Middlefork Trading Post, showcasing the local talent of the Middlefork Revival band. Featuring the best toe-tapping music around by Swain and Shelley Granieri, Kelly Hughes, Dan Baumgardner, and Brad Schulz. Everyone danced, including babes just learning to walk. The Garden Valley Library District Challenge Day kids provided a concessions stand.

Kelly Hughes managed "An Evening with Dickens" dinner, presented by the Garden Valley School Humanities Program in which a Victorian meal, a "Dickens' Christmas Carol" adaptation, Christmas Carols, and a Victorian era dance were engaged by all. The participants included the Garden Valley School Drama group, Humanities and Stagecraft/Design Classes, the Garden Valley Middle School Challenge Day.

Special thanks to all in the



L-R Jacob Beckwith, Perry Grosvenor, Isabella Gilmore-Benedict, Celeste Hollist, Josh Waltman
Photo by John Cottingham

Garden Valley community who supported this year's events.

Participating staff included: Debbie Updike, Sandra Clark, and Marge Bohandy. **Parent volunteers:** Karen Benedict, Keith Hughes and Jody Waltman. **Teachers included:** Kelly Hughes, Michelle Robinson and Gene Smith.

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Horseshoe Bend Boys Basketball

Written by Tracy Koslosky
HORSESHOE BEND --

Horseshoe Bend varsity basketball player, senior Austin Fry (right), takes a shot from the free throw line while teammates junior Logyn Bromgard (left) and senior Calvin Drake (center) get set for the return. Fry was the high scorer of Friday night's game on December 6 against the Victory Vipers at home. Fry had 12 total points (1 three pt, 2 two pt., and five from the free throw line). Junior Caedmon Graham had 9 total points (1 three pt.,

3 two pt.), sophomore Decker Larson had 8 total points (1 three pt., 1 two pt., 3 free throws), Bromgard had 5 total points (1 two pt., 3 free throws), and Drake had 2 points from free throws. Behind by two points at the half, 20-22, Horseshoe Bend never got close to Victory again, falling by 10 points at the bottom of the 3rd quarter, 28-38. In the fourth quarter Victory starts with possession but turns it over to the Mustangs after a bad pass. Larson goes for a 3 pointer and fails but junior Hunter



Horseshoe Bend takes on Victory

Photo by Tracy Koslosky

Howerton gets the rebound, and after several passes Larson has possession and gets the basket (score 30-38). Victory gets the ball and takes it down the court for a basket, Larson answers with a 3 pointer (score 33-40). Victory gets the upper hand and scores 5 unanswered baskets (score 33-50). Bromgard draws a foul on a drive to the basket and scores 1 pt. off a free throw (score

34-50) before Victory takes off with 3 more unanswered baskets (score 34-58). Fry draws a foul with 1:14 remaining but doesn't connect, the Mustangs retain possession with the rebound and Fry draws another foul this time getting both in for 2 points. Victory make the final basket of the night and goes home with the 36-58 win.

Horseshoe Bend Girls' Middle School Basketball



8th grader Alaina Rane (right) attempts a free throw after being fouled during the Horseshoe Bend Middle School girls basketball playoff game against the Adrian Antelopes on Wednesday, December 4. Also pictured: 8th grader Abby Howerton (left), 8th grader Annelie Wilson (center)

Photo by Tracy Koslosky

Written by Tracy Koslosky
HORSESHOE BEND --

The number 2 seed (East) Horseshoe Bend Middle School girls were at home on Wednesday, December 4 for a first round Western Idaho Conference District playoff game against the number 3 seed (West) Adrian Antelopes. The game was halted seconds into the first quarter when it was determined that the Antelopes had a player on the court that wasn't on the roster which resulted in a technical foul against Adrian. 7th grader Aliyah Meyer went to the line for the Mustangs and was successful with both shots putting 2 on the board for Horseshoe

Bend. Adrian remained scoreless until 30 seconds remained in the first quarter, 8th grader Annelie Wilson put one in at the buzzer ending the 1st quarter 6-4 in Horseshoe Bend's favor. With 11 second remaining in the half Adrian gets tagged with a key violation turning the ball over to the Mustangs and Wilson scores just before the buzzer ends the second quarter with the Mustangs ahead 16-9. A traveling call against the Antelopes with 32.5 seconds on the clock gives Horseshoe Bend possession and jump ball with 16.9 on the clock goes in Adrian's favor but they fail to capitalize on it and the 3rd quarter ends with Horseshoe

Bend ahead 20-19. Horseshoe Bend keeps the lead through the 4th with Adrian going to the line when Wilson commits her first foul with 6.6 seconds remaining in the game. Making only 1 of the 2 shots the Mustangs prevail 26-22. Meyer was the high scorer with 10 points, Wilson had 9 points, 8th grader ToreyTschida delivered 5 points and 8th grader Abby Howerton came away with 2 points. The win put the team in the semi-finals at Liberty Middle School on Saturday, December 7 where the team lost to the number 1 seed (East) Liberty Charter Patriots.

Horseshoe Bend Boys Basketball



Photo by Tracy Koslosky

Written by Tracy Koslosky
HORSESHOE BEND --

Horseshoe Bend hosted the Camas Musers on Tuesday, December 3, the team's first game at home. The Mustangs JV team came away with the 13-8 victory. Junior Po-Lin Tsai and freshman Joseph Wellan were the high scorers with 4 points each, Sophomore Karson Krosch (pictured; center #15) and freshman Jedi Graham each had 2 points and sophomore Bennet Thurman put up 1 point in the 2 quarter warm up game. The Varsity team was less successful as they suffered a 37-63 defeat against the Musers. Junior Logyn Bromgard (pictured: right, in air) was the team's top scorer with 6 two point baskets for 12 points delivered in the second half of the game. Senior Calvin Drake contributed 9 points before his fifth personal foul took him out of the game. Junior Caedmon Graham (pictured: far left #22) had 7 points, sophomore Decker Larson had 6 points and senior Austin Fry had 3 points from a basket and a foul shot.

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Crouch Community Christmas Bazaar



Photos by Linda Ruppel, DDS

The annual Christmas Bazaar was held at the Crouch Community Hall. To the delight of many, there were a lot of new vendors with great items for sale.

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vs.

AMELA PROLAZ and NARCIS PROLAZ, wife and husband; JANET S. ELG now known as JANET S. BOOR (Deceased) and the Unknown Heirs, Assigns and Devises of Janet S. Elg now known as Janet S. Boor, and ANTHONY R. BOOR, wife and husband; MICHAEL N. KAUFMAN; Unknown Parties in Possession, Current Occupants and Does 1-10, as individuals with an interest in the real property commonly known as 7437 Highway 55, Banks, Idaho 83602 aka 7437 Highway 55, Horseshoe Bend, Idaho 83629, and 7439 Highway 55, Banks, Idaho 83602 aka 7439 Highway 55, Horseshoe Bend, Idaho 83629, Defendants.

TO: AMELA PROLAZ, JANET S. ELG now known as Janet S. Boor (Deceased) and the Unknown Heirs, Assigns and Devises of Janet S. Elg now known as Janet S. Boor, and the Unknown Parties in Possession, current occupants and Does 1-10 as individuals with an interest in the real property located at 7437 Highway 55, Banks, Idaho 83602 aka 7437 Highway 55, Horseshoe Bend, Idaho 83629:

NOTICE: YOU HAVE BEEN SUED BY THE ABOVE-NAMED INTERPLEADER. The nature of the claim against you is for, among other things, the reformation of the deeds of trust on the property located at 7437 Highway 55, Banks, Idaho 83602 aka 7437 Highway 55, Horseshoe Bend, Idaho 83629, and 7439 Highway 55, Banks, Idaho 83602 aka 7439 Highway 55, Horseshoe Bend, Idaho 83629. The Court may enter judgment against you without further notice unless you respond. **READ THE INFORMATION BELOW.**

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that in order to defend this lawsuit, an appropriate written response must be filed with the above-designated Court, 419 Main Street, PO Box BC, Idaho City, Idaho 83631, (208)

392-4431, within twenty-one (21) days after service of this Summons on you. If you fail to respond, the Court may enter judgment against you as demanded by the Plaintiff in the Complaint.

A copy of the Summons and Complaint may be obtained by contacting either the Clerk of the Boise County Courthouse at 419 Main Street, PO Box BC, Idaho City, Idaho 83631, (208) 392-4431; or the attorney for Plaintiff, David M. Swartley, McCarthy & Holthus, LLP, 702 W. Idaho Street, Suite 1100, Boise, Idaho 83702, (208) 947-7264. If you wish to seek the advice or representation by an attorney in this matter, you should do so promptly so that your written response, if any, may be filed in time and other legal rights protected.

An appropriate written response requires compliance with Rule 10(a)(1) and other Idaho Rules of Civil Procedure and shall also include:

1. The title and number of the case.
2. If your response is an Answer to the Complaint, it must contain admissions or denials of the separate allegations of the Complaint and other defenses you may claim.
3. Your signature, mailing address, and telephone number, or the signature, mailing address, and telephone number of your attorney.
4. Proof of mailing or delivery of a copy of your response to Plaintiff's attorney, as designated above.

To determine whether you must pay a filing fee with your response, contact the Clerk of the above-named Court.

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Dated: 11/18/2019

Clerk of the District Court
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SUMMONS FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

CASE NO. CV081800260

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF BOISE COLLECTION BUREAU, INC., an Idaho corporation, Plaintiff,
-vs-
MATTHEW BLOUT and LINDSAY BLOUT, Individually, and as Husband and Wife, Defendants.

TO: THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT(S): You have been sued by the above named Plaintiff. The nature of the claim against you is monies due and owing. Any time after 21 days following the last publication of this summons, the court may enter a judgment against you without further notice, unless prior to that time you have filed a written response in the proper form, including the case number, and paid any required filing fee to the Clerk of the Court and served a copy of your response on the Plaintiff Attorneys, Mark L. Clark, PLLC, PO Box 846, Nampa, Idaho, 83653; (208) 463-2311. A copy of the Summons and Complaint can be obtained by contacting either the Clerk of the Court or the attorney for Plaintiff. If you wish legal assistance, you should immediately retain an attorney to advise you in this matter.

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DATED: Signed: 11/13/2019
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CLERK OF THE COURT
By: Staci Baumhoff
Deputy Clerk

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The following application has been filed to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho:

65-23857
KATHERINE DACE
JOSHUA DACE
PO BOX 430
HORSESHOE BND, ID 83629-0430
Point of Diversion NWSE S9 T06N R02E BOISE County Source GROUND WATER
Use: DOMESTIC 01/01 to 12/31 0.08 CFS
Use: IRRIGATION 03/15 to 10/31 0.57 CFS
Total Diversion:0.65 CFS

Date Filed: 11/15/2019

Place Of Use: IRRIGATION,

DOMESTIC
T06N R02E S9 NESW NWSE
Total Acres: 28.5

Permits will be subject to all prior water rights. For additional information concerning the property location, contact Western Region office at (208) 334-2190; or for a full description of the right(s), please see www.idwr.idaho.gov. Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Idaho Code § 42-203A. Any protest against the approval of the application(s) must be filed with the Director, Dept. of Water Resources, Western Region, 2735 Airport Way, Boise ID 83705 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before 12/23/2019. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.
GARY SPACKMAN, Director

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Elect Lee Wilkinson Boise County Sheriff

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4. Using a community-policing model I want to engage more with the public and have the deputies engage more with the public. The deputies and I would do more to help citizens resolve issues rather than just directing them to the court system.
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BOISE COUNTY:

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Boise County Road & Bridge Department is currently accepting applications for temporary Snow Plow Operators for the Garden Valley and Idaho City area. Minimum Class B CDL required. Applications may be obtained from the Boise County website (www.boisecounty.us) or contact the Road Department Office at 793-2380 or the Boise County Clerk's Office at 420 Main Street, Idaho City, ID 83631. Pre-employment Drug testing is required. Boise County is an Equal Opportunity Employer and gives Veteran's Preference in its hiring practices.

Boise County Community Justice is hiring an ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT/COMMUNITY SERVICE COORDINATOR.

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community service caseload of juvenile and adult offenders and to maintain the community service program. This position is full-time (40 hours per week) with benefits. For a detailed job description, visit <http://www.boisecounty.us/Employment.aspx>. You may pick-up or submit applications in person to Boise County Community Justice, located at 404 Montgomery Street, Idaho City, ID 83631. In addition, applications can be emailed to aleader@co.boise.id.us or sent by mail to P.O. Box 486, Idaho City, ID 83631. Interviews will begin on 12/2/19 and the position is open until filled. Boise County is an Equal Opportunity Employer and gives Veteran's Preference in its hiring practices. Questions? Call us at (208)392-6767!

IDAHO CITY:

Boise County Solid Waste is now accepting applications for a full time, 32 to 40 hours per week, Collection Site Attendant II at the Idaho City Transfer Station. Employment Applications are available at the Clerk's Office at 420 Main Street, Idaho City, the Horseshoe Bend Courthouse Annex at 383 Highway 55, on line at www.boisecounty.us or by contacting the Horseshoe Bend Solid Waste Office at 208-793-2447. Site attendant II performs functions in the operation of Boise County Solid Waste including manual labor, maintaining a sanitary collection site, security of site, buildings and gates, maintain waste logs and receipt books, operate and maintain heavy equipment. Position at times requires travel to the Horseshoe Bend Solid Waste Shop. Applicants must be 18 years of age, possess a valid Idaho driver's license, pass a pre-employment drug screen and background check. Applications can be submitted by mail to the Solid Waste Department, PO Box 309, Horseshoe Bend, Idaho, 83629. Boise County is an Equal Opportunity Employer and gives Veteran's Preference in its hiring practices.

CITY OF IDAHO CITY IS HIRING A MAINTENANCE WORKER - Performs a variety of maintenance work and operates a variety of equipment in the construction, operation, repair, maintenance, and replacement of City water, sewer, street, and storm drainage facilities and systems.

Full job description and applications are available at City Hall, 511 Main St., Idaho City, Id. Mon.-Thu. 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Applications will be accepted until October 17, 2019, 5:00 pm.

East Boise County Ambulance District is actively seeking volunteers in the Idaho City area. Contact Melissa Potts at 208-392-6644 or email her at ebcaddirector@co.boise.id.us if you are interested.

GARDEN VALLEY:

Garden Valley Family Medicine is seeking a receptionist for the clinic in Horseshoe Bend 4 days a week. MA or phlebotomy

experience is helpful, but not required. Resumes can be faxed to 208-462-3736 Attn: Betty or dropped off at the Horseshoe Bend or Garden Valley clinic.

Garden Valley School District 71 - Paraprofessional Special Education / Title I

Special Education Paraprofessionals assist students with special needs under the direction of the Special Services Director. Paraprofessionals generally work in an inclusionary setting (i.e. least restrictive environment). Special Education Paraprofessionals help special needs students, and care for their physical, emotional health and safety, affirming their abilities, and striving to promote dignity in all relationships. Qualifications: High school diploma (or GED) AND 1) Two years of college (32 credit hours) OR 2) Associate's degree OR 3) Rigorous standard of quality on formal state or local assessment. Classified Application and Job Description available at www.gvsd.net. Submit application to scorn@gvsd.net or at Garden Valley School Administration Office, 1053 Banks Lowman Rd., Garden Valley Idaho.

We are announcing an open board position(s) for the Garden Valley Hospital Taxing District.

The qualifications outlined by statute require board members be a registered voter and a resident within the GV Hospital Taxing District. We encourage interested parties to respond with a brief introduction. Please respond to gvhtdchair@gmail.com.

COMMUNITY SERVICES:

Garden Valley Recreational Board Announces Board Position Vacancy, Sub-District I

The Board of the Garden Valley Recreational District is seeking interested people to fill the Board vacancy for Sub-District I (roughly the area encompassing City of Crouch, Mountain View Subdivision, Anderson Creek, and Kenneth Baker Subdivision).

Garden Valley Recreational District is seeking qualified candidates for two positions that include a yearly stipend: Treasurer and Secretary. If you have Secretarial and/or Bookkeeping skills please contact us. For questions about the Garden Valley Recreational District, the application process, or boundaries of the vacant Zone, please email: info@gvrecdistrict.org.

GV School Board Trustee openings- Zone 2 and 4

The Garden Valley School Board is accepting letters of interest for Zone 2 and Zone 4 Trustee openings. Applicants must be reside in their running Zone.

Please have the letters include: why you are interested in becoming a School Board Trustee, your qualifications, and your registered resident address. Letters must be turned in via email (jshannahan@gvsd.net) or to Janelle Shannahan (in the school's main office, 8am-

4pm), by December 10th, no later than 5pm.

Garden Valley Senior Center: Aerobics is at 4 on Wednesdays and Fit and Fall Proof is at 3 on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Guided programs each and every week. It's Free!!

Garden Valley Food Pantry:

The GV Food Pantry will now be distributing only on the 2nd Friday of every month from 4-5 pm. Located at the Calvary Chapel Church on the Middlefork Road in Crouch. Non-perishable foods or cash donations accepted. Contact Toni at 462-6929 or 462-4620.

Alcoholics Anonymous - Meet at the Crouch Community Church on Mondays & Thursdays at 5:30pm.

Crouch: Al-Anon support group for friends and family of alcoholics meets weekly at Crouch Community Church on Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m. in the library.

Horseshoe Bend Pantry is open on the 2nd & 4th Friday of the month, located at the WICAP building.

Horseshoe Bend - Tuesday's & Fridays-Hot meals at The Horseshoe Bend Senior Center. Lunch is served at 12:15 (Bingo immediately following). The center is located at 109 S. Riverside Drive. Recommended donation is \$5.00 for seniors at least 65 years of age, \$6.00 for everyone else. For transportation or meal delivery information call (208) 793-2344.

Horseshoe Bend - Wednesdays- American Legion Bingo. Corner Cafe, 446 ID-55 Horseshoe Bend. Games start at 6:00pm, twenty-five cents per card, 10 games 50/50 winnings split.

Idaho City Food Pantry: At the Senior Center every 2nd and 4th Wednesdays from 11:30am to

2:00pm.

Idaho City: Fit & Fallproof Class on Tuesday & Thursday from 10am to 11am at the Boise Basin Senior Center.

The Idaho City Community Club has tables and chairs for rent. If you are doing a reunion, party or just hosting a dinner, tables are \$3.00 each and chairs are .50 cents each. Contact Cheryl Teeter at 208-392-4389 to reserve.

Snow cones are available for private functions. The Idaho City Community Club has a snow cone machine that they will bring to your events with two people to operate the machine.

Make the snow cones with several different flavorings. Call Georgene Thomas at 208-392-4230 for more information. All profits from our snow cones goes to support local student scholarships.

Volunteers Wanted - No Experience Necessary

The Idaho City Volunteer Fire Protection District is looking for volunteers. Do you feel a desire to give back to your community? If so, then the Fire Department needs YOU!

We are an all-volunteer department made up of men and women of all ages. We meet once a month and also train once a month plus an occasional training with other departments. We meet on the second Thursday of every month at 7pm at the Idaho City Fire Station, 3861 Highway 21, Idaho City.

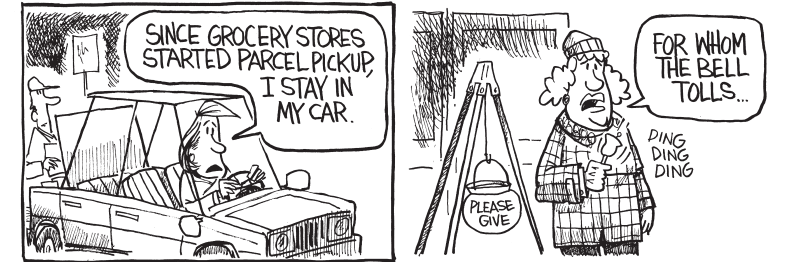
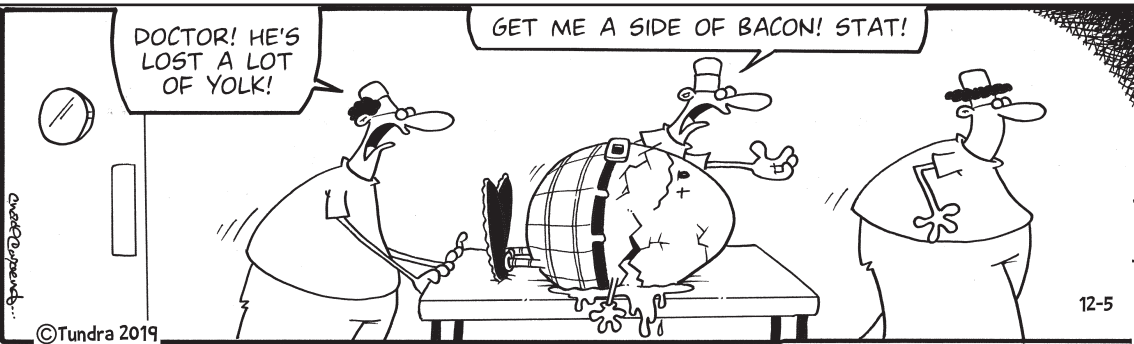
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- Frank Walker - Law Firm.....(208) 462-6388

BOISE COUNTY



Remembering Regina

By Marlene Partridge
GARDEN VALLEY -- Regina M. Zurin returned home from earth on November 7, 2019. A celebration of her life was held at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints on Banks-Lowman Road. She was 63. Reggie's Family and friends gathered to celebrate her life on Wednesday, December 4, 2019. There was a quiet, peaceful, somehow joyful feeling, that permeated the gathering. Many family members and friends of the Garden Valley community were present, including her two sons, Harold and Jason, and her daughter, Tracy. Almost 100 people attended.

Around the room, several displays showcasing some of Regi's many achievements throughout her life. After growing up in the home of her parents, William and Rosemarie Zurin, Regi went on to serve in the U.S. Army for five years, receive an associates degree in Medical Billing and Coding, a Bachelor of Science in Medical Administration, and a Masters' degree in Business Administration with focus on Medical Management.

The celebration brought together people from completely different backgrounds. There were, in attendance, former military officers, seven grand-



There were several displays around the room showcasing some of Regi's many accomplishments. Photo by M. Partridge

children, friends from a Bible Study class, and old friends she had known since childhood. Everyone had a chance to present his/her memories. A picture of Regi was displayed and many stories were told. Musical numbers included *Crazy*, by

Patsy Cline, the song and video of *Angel* originally recorded by Sarah McLachlan, and culminated with *I Can Only Imagine* by MercyMe. For this little space of time, none of us was a stranger to another. We were all united in love for Regi.

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BOISE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Transcribed by Eileen Capson

December 3, 2019

Present: Commissioners Alan Ward, Roger Jackson, and Ryan Stirm

AMENDED AGENDA: Snow removal bids reviewed for the Idaho City buildings.

Pledge of Allegiance

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Per personnel and risk management. [9:05 am to 9:15 am] Coming back into session, Commissioner Ward said no action required.

MINUTES: None, technical difficulties.

TIRES: Emergency Manager Bob Showalter discussed snow tires and what falls within the parameters of the budget. Commissioner Jackson stated that the wider the tires, the worse the traction.

EMT CLASS: Showalter will take the class to back up the other two fulltime EMTs. He said the class is only \$150 for those committing to East Boise County Ambulance for two years, but it's \$600 otherwise. Commissioner Jackson said they could use all the help they could get.

FREQUENCIES FOR SCHOOLS:

There are two repeaters being made available by Homeland Security at no cost for the Garden Valley and Idaho City schools. Sheriff Jim Kaczmarek said they are purchasing the frequencies for them, "What that does is it allows for any major incident at those schools, now we are now no longer relying on spotty radio connections to have everybody responding to that incident. That's fire, ambulance, or law enforcement." There was not a third repeater available for Horseshoe Bend, "which is less of an issue there because of the cell coverage we have there." The Sheriff's Office has been partnering with the schools to purchase antennas.

Commissioner Jackson motioned to do the licensing for Garden Valley and Idaho City in the amount of \$1,090, which will be reimbursed through a grant.

EMERGENCY MANAGER:

Showalter said that it was brought to his attention by a fire commissioner in Horseshoe Bend that it was difficult to find addresses. "They are having a problem in some cases, not being able to find homes because there's no address labels. By county ordinance, everybody is required to have an address. Some of the problems, they have long driveways, if

the address doesn't work on the house, they are supposed to post it on a post at the road. I'm not sure how many residents know that." He said what he would like to do is use FEMA money to purchase numbers, free to the public. "I think it's a worthy cause." These would be green reflective numbers for existing structures. Commissioner Jackson thought it was a good idea, and motioned to purchase reflective numbers for addressing in the amount of \$5,200.

IDAHO CITY SNOW GROOMER: Commissioner Ward made a motion to approve a snow groomer.

ACCIDENT HWY 55: Sheriff Kaczmarek stated: "One of our deputies was struck while parked on Highway 55 on the weekend. He was there in regards to a motor vehicle accident and was parked in his patrol vehicle off of the highway, and an intoxicated driver came around, lost control and struck the parked patrol vehicle. He was subsequently arrested for DUI. No one was injured, so we submitted the claim. That is the second time that particular deputy has been hit, to none of his fault." Chairman Ward joked about putting guardrail around his patrol car. The Sheriff responded, "We're thinking about a bumper car or a dump truck."

HEATING: The heating and control board is not working in the Sheriff's Office.

PILOT: There are two licensed pilots in the Sheriff's Office. They discussed the use of drones for Search and Rescue efforts. Sheriff Kaczmarek stated that they could also use it for law enforcement and tactical things, "but I have a pretty serious problem with them being an invasion of privacy." He said they were waiting for some case law on this, but it is mostly to be used for Search and Rescue and disaster declarations. This will be tabled until next week.

SNOW GROOMER SHED: The Garden Valley Snow Groomer Shed will be built and a contractor selected. Chairman Ward made a motion to approve the contract to proceed.

SNOW REMOVAL IDAHO CITY: The two bids were reviewed for snow removal around county buildings. Commissioner Jackson said they should put in the contract not to plow unless the snow is

6-inches deep. Sheriff Kaczmarek said that wouldn't work for the Sheriff's Office parking lot, "It's a hole, so you drive in, get stuck, and can't get out." He recommended 4-inches. Commissioner Jackson stated that they moved a lot of snow last year, "hundreds and hundreds of yards of it." A contract was formed to have the snow removed by 7am at 4-inches. Commissioner Jackson abstained from voting on the motion.

TAX CANCELATION: Idaho Fish and Game tax cancelation in the amount of \$1,983.

AVIMORE CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT: Clerk Mary Prisco said she received correspondence from the attorney for Avimore [potential subdivision in Horseshoe Bend] that they are withdrawing their application, per their request, for their creation of a construction /infrastructure district. The clerk added, "We anticipate that they will refile at some point in the future, but we are not sure when that's going to be."

EXECUTIVE SESSION: [10:10 am to 10:31 am] Exempt records were reviewed in closed session. Chairman Ward motioned to sign the liens and to approve the non-medical request.

VOTING: Clerk Prisco asked that she and two of her employees go to training for the new voting software, so they will be ready for the Presidential election. She asked that the commissioners have their meeting on January 6th, Monday, rather on Tuesday, so that they can attend the meeting.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Per pending litigation and legal updates from Prosecutor Adam Strong. [10:42 am to 10:50 am] After coming back into session, there were no actions required.

COMPREHENSION PLAN UPDATE: The updated statistical information was updated. The Planning & Zoning Administrator, Bret Caulder said they had done their due process and no one came for public comment. The public hearing was closed. Mr. Caulder said they were going to keep it on a three year update cycle. The new amended Comprehension Plan was motioned to be approved, with two opportunities for public input, and all commissioners were in favor.

GARDENA BRIDGE: Commissioner Ward stated that

he did not see how the county could afford two new approaches and the match for the Gardena Bridge. Clerk Prisco recalled that the commissioners, years ago, had an application in for the repair, but then pulled the application. She stated: "The Road and Bridge funding, their operations funding, still is at risk. Really, nothing has changed. We have no long-term security... The funding for the Road and Bridge, I would think that most of it, if not all of it, has been towards capital, but it has come from the General Fund. *Not from the Road and Bridge Fund itself.*" She addressed social media and property taxes. Since she was elected in 2011, "I think there have been three different years, maybe four, that we did take a small amount of our total property tax dollars and under a very specific statute allocated that to Capital Projects for Road and Bridge. The only reason why we did that was we were in a situation where we had maxed out on what we could levy within other funds. We don't on a regular basis, or standard procedure, levy property tax dollars for the Road and Bridge fund."

SRS FUNDING: Commissioner Jackson asked if there was any word on the Secure Rural Schools Funding, and Chairman Ward answered in the negative. Jackson went on to say, "Well, I had a gentleman tell me that he didn't think we were going to get it this coming year, which would really put us

in a bind." Chairman Ward said he didn't know and that it may have to go through the House.

PLANNING & ZONING: The Garden Valley Summer Homes subdivision may be consolidating lots in accordance with septic issues. Their next Commission meeting is in Idaho City on January 16th.

EAST BOISE COUNTY AMBULANCE: [6 pm] Documents handed around with the original Operation Plans from 2015. They would like to update policies and went through each section. Melissa Potts, EBCAD Director, stated: "The only thing we found in the Mission Statement that really doesn't apply is rescue and extrication, but Lowman does."

Commissioner Stirm suggested that Lowman Fire get in contact with Horseshoe Bend Fire, because they will be updating their extraction equipment and will be donating or selling for cheap their old equipment.

Mutual aid agreements with other counties were discussed, but none of them were recent. Commissioner Jackson suggested checking on those and whether they are expired. Clerk Prisco said some of them are old, but they seem to be continuous, unless replaced.

Additional word changes were discussed per the updating of the Operation Plans.

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