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## THE VOICE OF BOISE COUNTY

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### Eclipse's Shadow and Shine in Garden Valley



**GARDEN VALLEY** -- As if in a movie scene or in answer to a prayer, the clouds parted and there was a beautiful view of the solar eclipse in Garden Valley on Saturday morning, October 18th. The Garden Valley District Library hosted a special guest, the "Milky Way Photographer" Linda Ruppel with her phenomenal camera gear to help others enjoy this special event. She used a special solar filter for her camera lens and was delighted that the clouds parted to view most of the solar annular eclipse. The solar coverage was 88 percent at this location. Ruppel said, "Just as soon as it was over, the clouds returned." Another eclipse is not expected to occur in such spectacular splendor again for many years in this area.



Linda Ruppel views the eclipse with a local Garden Valley resident. Photo by Marjolein Lolkema

Marjolein Lolkema, with the district library, described the day as it unfolded, "First, it was super cloudy, but then suddenly the clouds cleared more and more, and on the best moment of the eclipse, at 10:24 am, we had a clear sky. People were so happy

with the glasses. A lot of people found the library to pick up the glasses, from the dump station to the football team, and cheerleaders. We just hope everyone enjoyed this phenomenon as much as we did!" Through a program called So-

lar Eclipse Activities for Libraries (SEAL), including the generosity of the Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation and the Space Science Institute, five million solar-viewing glasses were distributed to 10,000 libraries.

Eclipse of the sun in Garden Valley. Photos by Linda Ruppel, DDS



Viewing the eclipse at the library. Photos by Marjolein Lolkema



## HAPPENINGS IN BOISE COUNTY

**GARDEN VALLEY** -- Harvest Fest on Sunday, Oct. 22, at the Crouch Community Church from 5-8pm. Carnival for kids, prizes, and hay rides. Chili Feed at 5pm. Free!

**IDAHO CITY** -- Boise Basin Library invites you to an introduction to ghost hunting on October 27th at 6:30pm at 123 Montgomery Street. Sign up for an evening of the mysterious! 208-392-4558

**PLACERVILLE** -- Halloween Trunk-or-Treat on Saturday, Oct. 28, at 3pm. Potluck, games, crafts, and goodie bags! Costumes encouraged.

**IDAHO CITY** -- Harvest Celebration on Oct. 30, trunk-or-treat, 6pm-8pm at IC Christian Center.

**IDAHO CITY** - Trunk-or-Treat on Main Street on Halloween night, October 31st, starting at 6pm.

**HORSESHOE BEND** - Trunk-or-Treat and Spook Alley are back with the Museum of Un-natural History. Prizes, food, and drinks. October 31st from 5-8pm on Madison Ave. See you there!

**HORSESHOE BEND** -- Craft show on Nov 3 & 4, open to the public 10-4pm each day at the HSB School Annex Building just off of Hwy 55 (west of the shed sales lot).

**IDAHO CITY** -- Holiday Craft Bazaar at the community hall on Nov. 3 (4-7pm), Nov. 4 (10am-6pm), and Nov. 5 (11am-4pm). Homemade cinnamon rolls, breads, and chili on Sat. Raffles!

**HORSESHOE BEND** -- Fall Fest at the school gym on Nov. 4th from 2pm to 6pm. Includes axe throwing, bounce house, bingo, chili cook off, and vendors.



The Cottinghams enjoyed the solar eclipse. Photos by Marjolein Lolkema

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# BOISE COUNTY

# BOISE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Transcribed by Eileen Capson

**October 10, 2023**

**Present:** Commissioners Steven Twilegar, Clay Tucker, and Lindy Lindstrom

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**CONSTITUENT INPUT:** None

**MINUTES:** Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to approve the minutes from October 3<sup>rd</sup>. The motion carried.

**JOB DISCRPTION:** Job descriptions were discussed for a supervisor over the solid waste department and another superintendent over the noxious weed department. Chairman Twilegar motioned to accept the descriptions and the motions carried.

**SHERIFF:** Evidence training taking place out-of-state was discussed for an employee to become certified. Clerk Mary Prisco discussed the travel policy. Chairman Twilegar motioned to approve the travel for training, and the motion carried.

**POLAR BEAR CHALLENGE:** The Make a Wish Foundation was discussed. Chairman Twilegar motioned to wave the fees for the Polar Bear Challenge, which was approved.

**IDAHO CITY SNOWROOMING PROGRAM:** A grant was discussed for the purchase of a John Deere tractor. Twilegar made a motion to approve the purchase in the amount of \$149,600 for the Idaho City 8A grooming equipment and the motion carried.

**CENTRAL DISTRICT HEALTH:** Juvenile Justice Amanda Leader spoke about a grant that CDH would reimburse to provide training in identifying, "particularly child abuse." Twilegar asked regarding the curriculum, "It's not woke-ism?" Leader said no. Twilegar continued, "Well, I've got to ask. They start sneaking everything in on us." She said the training is focused on relationships, family, children, and adults. It also covers emotional growth, safe and stable environments, social engagement, and others. Leader explained that they were applying for the National Association of County & City Health Officials (NACCHO) Strengthening Systems-Involved Families with the HOPE Training Project grant.

Twilegar added that he was in support of this, "but I'm just really leery about anything that they're helping our children." Leader asked for a letter of support. Twilegar motioned to approve the letter of support for the training with the national association.

**POLLING PLACE:** Chairman Twilegar motioned to accept the Garden Valley School as a polling place. The motion

carried.

**MOTION:** Prosecutor Alex Sosa addressed the board regarding the playground equipment grant. Chairman Twilegar motioned to approve the memorandum of understanding between Boise County and the Garden Valley Recreation District for the playground equipment project. The motion carried.

**COMPUTER ARTS:** Twilegar motioned to accept the agreement for software support and licensing between Boise County and Computer Arts, Inc. The motion carried.

**MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION:** Twilegar recounted that the motor vehicle registrations are state mandated, "and we're getting roughly a third of what we are actually paying people to do it, and we're getting less and less, because it's now free to do it online." He then made a motion to adopt a Boise County Resolution to increase the Dept. of Motor Vehicle registration fees. All were in favor and the motion carried.

**CLAIMS APPROVAL REPORT:** Twilegar motioned to approve the report in the amount of \$177,938 for the FY2023 budget. He then made a motion to accept the claims approval report in the amount of \$166,305 for the FY2024 budget.

**LEGAL FEES:** Prosecutor Sosa explained that there was another lawyer that had helped with a recent trial. Twilegar motioned to pay this in the amount of \$981, which was approved.

**FUTURE AGENDAS:** A final list of all the auction surplus items will be brought to the board the following week.

**POLLING PLACE:** A motion was said to approve the agreement between Wilderness Ranch Fire Station and Boise County for a polling place.

**BASIN SCHOOL DISTRICT EARLY LEARNING:** Twilegar recapped that the school was awarded a grant to enhance local services to support children in the region for early learning, through the Idaho School Readiness Project. As part of this grant, they need to determine local need from east Boise County citizens of children from zero to five years of age. A needs assessment was discussed. Twilegar made a motion to allow the school to utilize the county email to send out a link for assessment to Boise County employees. All were in favor and the motion carried.

**UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO EXTENSION PROGRAM/ 4-H:** Rebecca Mills, a representative from the Univ. of Idaho Extension Programs and Supervisor for the Gem/Boise County

4-H programs, spoke with the board regarding statistics. She said their goal is, "to help people to improve their lives by implementing good practices." Mills indicated that the Boise County faction had grown in the past five years. "The numbers don't really take into account the Idaho City numbers that are involved in the Ada County program," Mills said. They have a Garden Valley Club and a Horseshoe Bend Club. Garden Valley has grown quite a bit and has expanded their club projects this year, "into some of the non-animal areas." They have been doing food preservation, photography, leather craft, etc. They also have sheep and pigs. Mills addressed the 7's Heroes spot on TV that spotlighted two of their club members, saying, "It will be interesting to see if we have a whole bunch more people that want to be involved in the 4-H program after seeing the amazing young people that they are and the impact that they had on the 4-H program."

Commissioner Tucker inquired about the FFA program. Mills said they are working with the online school students, and currently have one enrolled from Garden Valley.

Commissioners Tucker and Twilegar expressed strong support for the 4-H program. Mills responded, "It's pretty incredible what is accomplished in what we do. There's lots of research about it, but recently, there's a new model that has been released and the research called the Thrive Model. It essentially says, the environment in which we do 4-H, the caring adult, the project work that creates a spark of interest, the ability to give back in the community, all that is what combines to create these incredible young people and connects them to their world in a different way than any other youth program even does." She then admitted, "I'm a big fan, myself." She spoke about the signing of a memorandum of understanding, "going along with the history of extension, way back, Abraham Lincoln, way back in the days of how we were established and that we're a cooperative organization with state, federal, and county funding."

Chairman Twilegar motioned to adopt the cooperative agreement for the University of Idaho Extension Programs for Boise County. The motion carried unanimously.

There was discussion regarding the meeting on November 7<sup>th</sup>, and it may be moved or canceled due to the upcoming elections and hunting season.

**Adjourned at 11:13am.**

After the meeting, Mills added, "The Boise County Board of Commissioners appropriates funds each fiscal year to support University of Idaho Extension programming. This support provides opportunities for the citizens of Boise County to access resources like the 4-H Youth Development Program, master gardener training and home gardening support, small acreage

management and information on raising and managing livestock. Youth and certified volunteers from Boise County made up 9% of the total membership of the 4-H program in Gem and Boise counties in 2022-2023. Enrollment in the 2023-2024 4-H program year is now open. If you're interested in joining, please call the University of Idaho Extension office at 208-365-6363."



Rebecca Mills with the Univ. of Idaho/ 4-H addressed the board on October 10th. She reminded the board of their goals include helping people to improve their lives by implementing good practices. The number of 4-H members have increased significantly in the Garden Valley area. "It's pretty incredible what is accomplished in what we do... The environment in which we do 4-H, the caring adult, the project work that creates a spark of interest, [and] the ability to give back in the community." Photo by Eileen Capson

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## IDAHO CITY'S HOMECOMING COURT



**Freshman Court:**  
Ryan Price and Cearra Franklin



**Sophomore Court:**  
Levi Ferguson and Kendall Exon



**Junior Court:**  
Trey Martiny and Naomi Sheribon



**King & Queen**  
Dax Olvera & Kaya Brown



Trey Martiny's family



Naomi Sheribon's family



Cearra Franklin's family

**King:** Dax Olvera **Runner UP:** Mason Taylor and Jonah Young  
**Queen:** Kaya Brown **Runner Up:** Millie Blough and Selena Exon  
*Photos submitted by Eileen Capson*

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Solution: 1. Writing appears on paper. 2. Small hill in background is hidden. 3. Flower pattern appears on rug. 4. Tab on boot is missing. 5. Vent in helmet is different. 6. Part of bow on gift is missing. 7. Flap on envelope is different. 8. Plume on helmet is different. 9. Neckline on dress is different. 10. Ribbon is longer. 11. Stone under window is wider. 12. Label on bottle is larger.



Dax Olvera's family



Selena and Kendall Exon's family

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**TERMS:** The property will be sold at a live auction on November 11, 2023, at 11 am. Sold with owner's confirmation. Sold "As-Is." Close in 30 days. 5% earnest money is due on the day of the auction. 5% buyer's premium.



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## GARDEN VALLEY FINISHES THE SEASON



GV JV (purple) fought hard but lost to Council (red) on 10-13-23. The teams had some excellent rallies for each point. Photos by Linda Ruppel, DDS



GARDEN VALLEY VARSITY VOLLEYBALL PLAYERS 2023



GV played their last home game of the season against Council on 10-13-23. The teams battled it out in 4 sets, but Council triumphed. Overall, the GV teams have seen great improvements in their teamwork and determination this year, even when the games haven't gone their way.

A highlight of the evening was when senior # 3 Gertie Fuhriman presented Council seniors with a gift after the game in honor of senior night.



10-10-23, GV Varsity bested Salmon River Varsity. There was no JV game as Salmon River did not field a team this year.

Photos by Linda Ruppel, DDS



Senior Gertie Fuhriman #3 volleys back against Salmon River.



GV senior Gertie Fuhriman

Photos by Linda Ruppel, DDS

## Boise Ridge Riders Condemn Acts of Vandalism on DF Development Private Property

**Kent Funkhouser**  
**President**  
**Boise Ridge Riders**  
**BOISE COUNTY** -- Boise Ridge Riders denounce recent DF Development Property Vandalism. Our dialogue with DF Development about public land access echoes past conversations with entities like Potlatch and Boise Cascade. DF Development has been

both understanding and accommodating, already granting access via key routes (fr389 AND 349) and remaining open to further discussion.

These vandalistic acts undermine our negotiation efforts and risk future public access, as trust and respect are vital. Such actions only intensify the challenge of gaining access in Boise County.



Photo courtesy of Idaho City Snowmobile Grooming 8A



# BOISE COUNTY

## HORSESHOE BEND'S SCHOOL SPORTS



By Tracy Koslosky

Picture courtesy of Horseshoe Bend School District.

**HORSESHOE BEND** – The Horseshoe Bend Mustang Varsity Volleyball team celebrated seniors and Homecoming on Friday, October 13. The Mustangs defeated the Tri-Valley Titans 25-12, 25-8, 25-12 in the 1A DII Long Pin Conference matchup. Statistical leaders included senior Annelie Wilson, who had 19 kills (an attack on the ball which is not returnable by the opposing team), 1 ace (a serve which is unable to be played or returned by the opposing team), 7 digs (passing a spiked or hard-hit ball) and 1 assist (pass, set or dig ball to another player who gets the kill). Senior Olivia Bauer had 7 kills, 1 ace and 1 dig. Senior Abby Howerton had 6 kills, 8 aces, 6 digs and 1 assist while teammate, junior Aliyah Meyer put 3 kills, 2 aces, 10 digs and 29 assists in the scorebook. The team travels to McCall on Wednesday, 10/18 and Saturday, 10/21 for the Long Pin Conference District tournament. The Mustangs are 10-0 in conference play, 12-0 overall. Pictured: The senior Mustangs, from left to right—Coach Sharsti Moore, Kaylin Penney, Alaina Rane, Olivia Bauer, Abby Howerton, Annelie Wilson, Torey Tschida, coach Kristin Goff.

After losing to Tri-Valley twice during regular season play, the Horseshoe Bend Junior Varsity Volleyball team took the win when it counted and came home with the Long Pin Conference championship at Tri-Valley in Midvale on Saturday, October 14. Pictured: Back, left to right—Coach Sharsti Moore, Emily Hampton, Nevaeh Church, London Parker, KayLee Bowery, Addy Asher, Max Larsen, Rylee Johnson, Coach Kristin Goff. Front, left to right—Celeste Wilson, #1 Fan Shayli Moore, Kimber Jones.

Photo courtesy of Horseshoe Bend School District



Horseshoe Bend Royalty. 2023 Homecoming King Porter Larson (left) and Homecoming Queen Torey Tschida (right).

Photo courtesy of Aliyah Meyer

It was a tough loss at home on Friday, October 13 as the Horseshoe Bend Mustangs fell 50-68 to the Tri-Valley Titans during a combination Homecoming and Senior Night. The loss puts the Mustangs in 6th place in the 1A DII Long Pin Conference with a 1-3 record and 4-4 overall. The team travels to Cascade (1-3) to take on the Ramblers in their last game of the season. Kickoff is at 3:00. During halftime the Mustangs celebrated their Homecoming. Pictured from left to right: freshman Homecoming Princess Kimber Jones, Homecoming Prince Cole Gorski; sophomore princess Mattia Christmas, sophomore prince Lukken March; junior princess Aliyah Meyer, junior prince Trey Bauer; senior prince Nic Cooper, Homecoming King senior Porter Larson, Homecoming Queen senior Torey Tschida, senior princesses Alaina Rane and Abby Howerton, senior prince Kaelun Jones.

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## Horseshoe Bend Talent Show



The Horseshoe Bend Valley Chamber of Commerce held their 1st annual Talent Showcase at the Woods Veterans Memorial Park on Saturday, October 14. The show will be incorporated into the chamber's Veterans Memorial event next year on Monday, May 7. Pictured: Nashville Universe Shooting Star nominee, Jessann (left) adjusts the microphone for mother and son duo Decker Larson (center) and Cora Larson (right).  
Picture courtesy of Horseshoe Bend Valley Chamber of Commerce

## ~ Opinions ~ Letters to the Editor

Dear Idaho World and Boise County Commissioners,

We read the story "Commissioners Take Aerial View of Boise County," page 1 of The Idaho World (Vol 161, No 2, Wed. October 11, 2023). Thank you, Idaho World, for publishing this story. We also read the blog titled "An open pit mine planned upstream of Boise?" by John Robison, March 8, 2023: <https://www.idahoconservation.org/blog/an-open-pit-mine-planned-upstream-of-boise/>

The social and environmental impacts of this project (cited in the blog article) could be disastrous for Boise County and the Treasure Valley. Once the damage is done, undoing it will be difficult to impossible. Moreover, the reasons for implementing this project — especially given that the existing open-pit Thompson Creek Mine near Challis is already permitted — could be invalidated if the economy or political climate should change.

For example, demand for molybdenum as a metal hardener and replacement for cobalt in electric vehicle (EV) batteries could drop if demand for EVs falls. This reduced demand is happening already as we realize that EVs are not the panacea we once thought they were. What happens to the CuMo Project open-pit mine in this case? Do we just abandon

the mine because it no longer "pencils out" for the operators and say, "oh well"?

### Questions:

Is anyone with mining expertise AND a true love for Idaho -- such as Darr Moon -- weighing in on the proposed CuMo Project open-pit mine?

What about our US Representatives Crapo, Risch, Fulcher, and Simpson? Are they pushing this?

If this project is a foregone conclusion, what good are public meetings and testimony?

Hosting meetings in the winter — unless via Zoom — will guarantee low attendance as poor roads, lengthy travel distances, and weather often preclude citizen participation. Unfortunately, the technical difficulties of using Zoom make this option less than effective.

Again, our state is at the mercy of the Federal government's whimsy. When will Idahoans take control of their own destiny?

Keith & Elizabeth Olson  
Garden Valley, ID

the beauty of our County. To allow the "largest pit mine in the world" in our county is a travesty bordering on crazy decision making and devastation to the Boise River watershed! Other states have not allowed this type of mining. This largest open pit mine in the world would destroy deer, elk, moose, and other animal habitat as well as DESTROY the land for miles around Grimes Creek. FOREVER! What is your reasoning to allow this type of destructive mining in Boise County? I cannot, for the life of me understand the derelict thinking on your part to want to willingly DESTROY Boise County. You are elected to IMPROVE Boise County. I am appealing to the residents of Boise County to stand up and write letters of concern to all our commissioners NOW. Stop this devastation of our Boise River watershed. Be informed about how this open pit mine will DESTROY our county more than you realize. We can not let this happen.

Marion M. Summers,  
M.Ed.  
Garden Valley

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### LETTER TO THE EDITOR

The Boise County Republican Party is happy to announce our new website. The web address is [boise.idgop.org](http://boise.idgop.org). The website will have current information on local GOP events as well as links to the main Idaho GOP website. There is a contact page and many other interesting and informative links. We welcome you to take a look.

Boise County Republican Central Committee  
Steve Moore  
East Boise County

**CORRECTION:** Motorcycle fatalities article (10/11/23) quoted a Mike "Smith" -- Chief Deputy Coroner Mike Johnson did the follow-up investigation. He has been lending his expertise to Boise County for 50 years.

**TRUNK OR TREAT**  
SPOOK ALLEY IS BACK  
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(OPEN 6:30-10PM)  
PRIZES (AWARDED AT 6:30PM AT LOCKING HORNS RIVERSIDE)  
FOR BEST TRUNK AND BEST COSTUME!  
(VARIOUS AGE GROUPS)  
FOOD & DRINKS AVAILABLE BY LOCKING HORNS RIVERSIDE RESTAURANT

October 31st  
5-8 p.m.  
Madison Ave  
Horseshoe Bend, ID  
**SEE YOU THERE!**

**BOISE BASIN LIBRARY**  
INVITES YOU TO  
AN INTRODUCTION TO  
GHOST HUNTING

**Who?** Joyce Obland  
**What?** This is a ghost hunting workshop at the library for adults  
**Where?** Boise Basin Library  
123 Montgomery Street  
Idaho City, Idaho 83631  
**When?** Friday, October 27th @ 6:30 pm

This event will explore the unknown, questionable, thought provoking and intriguing question of "did I just see a ghost?". There is limited seating for this program. Please stop at the library or call to sign up for an evening of the mysterious!

**Boise Basin Library 208-392-4558**



**BOISE COUNTY**

**OBITUARIES**



**Vernon Vance Griffin  
1935 - 2023**

Vernon Vance Griffin was born on November 04, 1935 in Buncombe County, North Carolina. He laid his troubles down on October 10, 2023 at St. Luke's Hospital, Meridian, Idaho.

He came into this world with nothing and left with nothing. In between he was blessed with a father who shared his wandering spirit, a mother who loved him all the days of her life, a wife who adored him, a brother who was his comrade in adventure and conversation (along with uncles and cousins) and a daughter-in-law who understood his mischievous ways. All preceded him in death.

Vern had a son, Ted Griffin and a daughter, Jennifer (David) Stephenson who honored him the best they could. He had two granddaughters; Stacy Stephenson and Ann (Sam) Clark and six great-grandchildren; Katie, Lily, and Elsie Bakker, Pearl, Cove and Aurora Clark. His family also included five step-daughters: Rachel, Renee, Trina, Tracy (deceased) and Lisa, their children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. He had many buddies over his long years.

The family wishes to thank Chance and Scott Herron and Lindsey and Ken Andren who sat by Vern's side at hospital as well as Steve Olson, Frank Fenton and Bob and Linda Drake for their friendship and care to Vern.

Vern was a treasure hunter. True treasure is in family and friends, of which his life was full. May he be at peace as he meets again those who passed before and greets those who follow after.

Graveside services will be held at the Pioneer Cemetery in Horseshoe Bend, Idaho on Saturday, October 21, 2023 at 2 p.m. Family and friends will gather at Ted Griffin's home after the service for refreshments.



Audrey Lynn Davis, 72, of Horseshoe Bend, ID (formerly from Jerome, Gooding, and Fairfield, ID) passed away (surrounded by family) the morning of October 9, 2023, at Boise's St. Alphonsus Regional Medical Center. She had many illnesses and fought a courageous battle with cancer over the past few months.

Audrey was born on May 21, 1951 in Gooding, ID to John and Dorothy Boulware. Audrey's friends and family will always remember her strength, tenacity, sensitivity, compassion, and wit. Her entire life was dedicated to her family and helping others – she was a caregiver to young and old. She and her sister lost their father at a very young age. During this difficult time, their mother held multiple jobs to support the family; they all helped each other. Audrey's passion for humanity contributed to a lifelong desire to help others in her community, especially those who faced hardships and challenges. She worked with the Jerome Youth Venture and Excitement Club (JYVE) and the community to establish the first recreational center for Jerome youth. She also managed a winterization program for the community. With her passion for helping disadvantaged and disabled children, she served as the Jerome Head Start Director. Her role included providing various social services to children. Through the years, she opened her heart and home to those in need, including foster children. In addition to raising her and her husband's children, various grandchildren were blessed with her help and guidance. There was no stranger to Audrey, she welcomed any and all. When she made a friend, it was for life.

Audrey's heart was truly big -- both literally and figuratively. She had a heart muscle that was abnormally thick. Audrey's son was diagnosed with a very rare heart disease in 1979. It was so rare that they called it "Donavun's Disease." Doctors gave him less than 6 months to live and sent him home in Audrey and Don's care. Audrey was not one to give up on anyone, certainly not her son. When he lived, he was called the miracle child. She researched and contributed to research that led to a better understanding of this rare disease which has since been



**Audrey Lynn Davis  
1951 - 2023**

identified as Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy (HCM). In 2015, nation-wide genetic research was conducted. Due, in part, to her efforts and research, our world now has a better understanding of the MYBPC3 gene and its connection to HCM. People, including her family, can now be tested for this gene and solutions identified for cardiac monitoring and life-saving treatments. Her love for her family and determination to find answers on HCM now helps save many lives.

Audrey had many fond childhood memories with her sister, brothers, nieces, nephews, and cousins, riding horses and living the country life. She and her sister loved their childhood on Camas Prairie, working on the ranch with their parents and going on roundups. Both of her parents handed down a love for horses – it was in her blood. Her favorite horses were Babe, the black thoroughbred mare, and Baby Legs. If she wasn't nursing back a 3-legged horse or trying to keep a hairless calf alive in the dead of winter, she was opening her front door to anyone in need. She had a special talent and skill to bring back life to her plants and animals (like Witchy the horse that the vet gave up on).

Audrey was a very talented and skilled woman that mastered the do-it-yourself, fix-it school of hard knocks. If she wasn't up on the roof patching repairs, she was envisioning the next grand project to add to her self-made castle we called "home." She was a "pioneer at heart" and was in her element when dressed in her grandmother's wedding dress, riding with her daughter-in-law (Deanna) in parades in her horse-drawn buggy. She loved researching her heritage and discovering where her hardy resilient strength originated. Audrey traveled with family various times to Grandby, CO where her ancestor, Henry

Lehman, his wife, and three children arrived in an oxen-pulled, covered wagon. Her ancestors established the first working guest ranch/lodge in the mid-1880s near the Rocky Mountain National Park.

Audrey was united in marriage October 8, 1977, to Reed Sumner Davis (Don) which brought together a family with children from both sides. They had two sons. Later, Audrey and her husband would joke that they were raising "yours, mine, ours, and theirs." They lived most of their married years in Jerome, ID. In 2007 they moved to Horseshoe Bend, ID above the Payette River. She loved the river, magnificent sunsets and rainbows.

Audrey is survived by her spouse, Don Davis, Horseshoe Bend, ID and their children: Tamera (Steve) Geldmacher, Farmington, AR, Joey L. (Joy) Davis, Jerome, ID, Heather (Timothy) Davis Gonzalez, Hagerman, ID, Megan Davis, Bellevue, ID, Tina Cohutt, Kelso, WA, Donavun Davis, Horseshoe Bend, ID, and Nathaniel (Deanna) Davis, Riggs, ID. She was blessed with many grandchildren: Derrick Light, Devin Light, Caelan Young, Eli Young, Karlie Davis, Rory Davis, Zakkery Martin, Jody Martin, Iain Gonzalez, Annie Gonzalez, Tyler Davis, Hannah Ferrario, Gracelynn Brooks, Faith Head, Eva May Ginn, Krystin Dawn Madison, Amy Peterson, Colton Bell, Connor Bell, Kayla Raley, Dakota Maury, and Riley Davis. Her legacy will also live on through her 16 great-grandchildren.

Audrey is also survived by her sister Joyce (Frank) Krahn, Boise, ID. She always considered her brother-in-law her brother. She also has nieces, nephews, and cousins who were very special to her. One of their best memories was rolling down the highway with her, listening and singing to her favorite country songs "sometimes over and over and over."

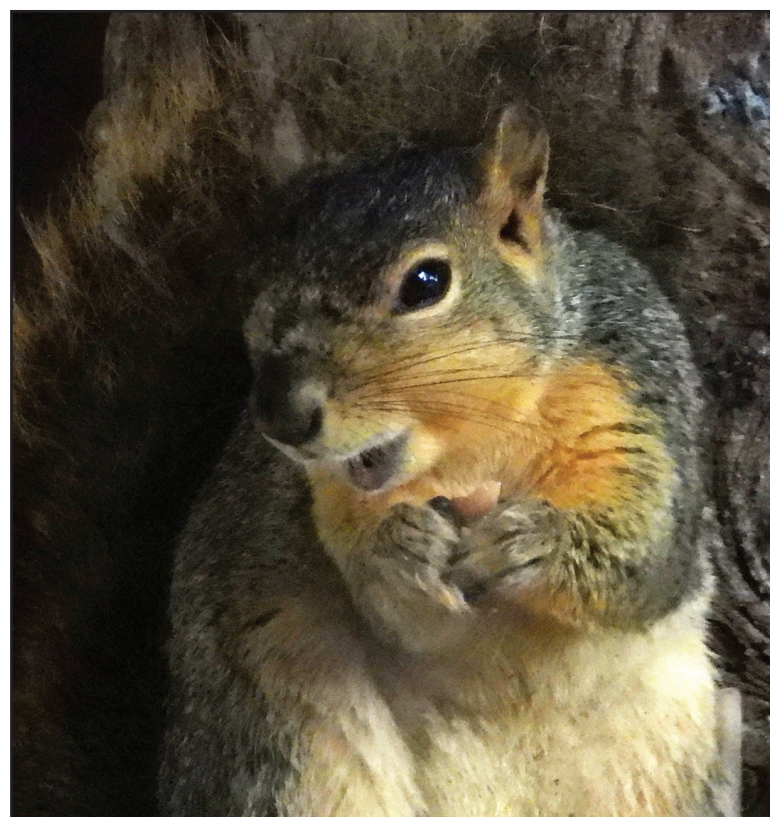
She is preceded in death by her parents, as well as half-brothers and sisters-in-law: Dan (Shirley) Gorrell, Alvin (Vena) Gorrell, Calvin (Janet) Gorrell, Larry (Ruthie) Gorrell, Carroll Gorrell, and David Prince.

This beloved, compassionate soul will be missed and remembered by the many lives she touched. Audrey loved flowers, plants, and her garden. In her memory, please plant your favorite flower.

The family would like to thank the many St. Al's doctors and nurses that took care of her. She was most grateful to her oncologist (Dr. Leila Khaddour) and Palliative Care NP (Sam) for fighting the cancer every step of the way with her. To make life a little easier with the multitude of medical appointments, tests, and treatments, she spent the majority of her last few months in Boise with her primary caregivers (Joyce, Frank-the rock, Donavun, and Joey).

Cremation arrangements are with Bowman Funeral Home, Garden City, ID.

A Celebration of Life is being planned for early next summer in her favorite place (Fairfield, ID).



**This fox squirrel was having a good chuckle in my garden, I laughed with him, Garden Valley. Photo by Marjolein Lolkema**



# BOISE COUNTY

# OBITUARIES

# Chimney Fires



**By Linda Ruppel, DDS**  
**GARDEN VALLEY** -- A group of observers were at the local library to watch the eclipse when we saw a chimney fire in a nearby house. Having the presence of mind, someone called the homeowners, who quickly dealt with the situation. Fortunately, the fire department was not needed. However, this incident illustrates why cleaning your chimney is important, and consider what should not be burned in your fireplace.



**Rickey Lynn Overfield**  
**1955 - 2023**

Rickey Lynn Overfield Sr., of Garden Valley, Idaho, passed away on October 9th, 2023 after struggling many years with severe respiratory issues. "Rick" was the 14th of 15 children born to his parents Bill and Ruby Overfield, and their youngest son. He was a very talented craftsman, horseman, builder, hunting guide, and so much more. His ability to drive on the other hand, was questionable, at best. He loved to dance, whistle, sing and being right.

Rick was very proud of all 6 of his children and loved them very much. He is survived by

his children. Lisa Huey of Garden Valley, ID from his first marriage to Debbie Williams. Rickey Overfield Jr. "Bubba" of Emmett, ID and Wendy Overfield of Garden Valley, ID from his second marriage to Connie Taylor. Rick also gained three more children with his union to Connie, Katy Allen of Emmett ID, Marcy Dudder of Benson, AZ, and Kristy Ahumada of Tucson, AZ.

Rick was very proud to be a grandpa and had the blessing of having several grandchildren. In the order of their parents, they include, Olivia and Alexis, children of Lisa. Taylor, Savannah, Emma, Avery, and Ivy, children of Bubba. Dakota, Montana, and Baylee, children of Katy. Eric, Michael, and Chris, children of Marcy. Samantha and Anthony, children of Kristy. He also had 5 great grandchildren, Scarlett (Samantha), Leonidas (Eric), Aiden and Barry (Dakota), Remington (Baylee).

Of his siblings, he is preceded in death by: Bobby Eugene (Marcella) Overfield of Powell, Wyoming; Ethel Jane (Oles) Higgs of Holland, MI.; Norma Sue (Jimmy) Greer of Jack-

son, TN.; Donna Ruth (Jimmy) London of Grubbs, AR.

Survivors include: Charles Edward (Nancy) Overfield of Davidson, MI.; Gracie Leigh Brown of Osceola, AR.; JoAnn (James) Priest of Cash, AR.; Patsy Morgan of Jonesboro, AR.; Donald Lloyd (Sharon) of Afton, WY; William David (Rita) Overfield of Cody, WY; Glenda Gay (William) Browder of Manassas, VA.; Gloria June Lloyd of Grubbs, AR.; Roger Neil (Carolyn) Overfield of Balch, AR. and Sherry Paulette (Joe) Trotter of Weiner, AR. Left behind are many, many nieces and nephews, great nieces and nephews and many more extended relatives and friends.

There will be a celebration of life potluck for Rick held at Terrace Lakes Resort, 101 Holiday Drive, Garden Valley, ID on Saturday, October 21st at 2:00 p.m. in the pavilion.

Arrangements cared for by the Potter Funeral Chapel of Emmett.



Follow this link to view additional details about Rickey's Services: <https://my.gather.app/remember/rickey-overfield>

**Something NEW is coming to Boise County!!!**

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*And all I know, Is You're my only hope  
 When my feet hit the ground, I just need You*

✝ *"I Just Need U."* **Toby Mac**

**See ya Sunday at the Merc**  
**Mountain Life Ministries Idaho City 10:00**

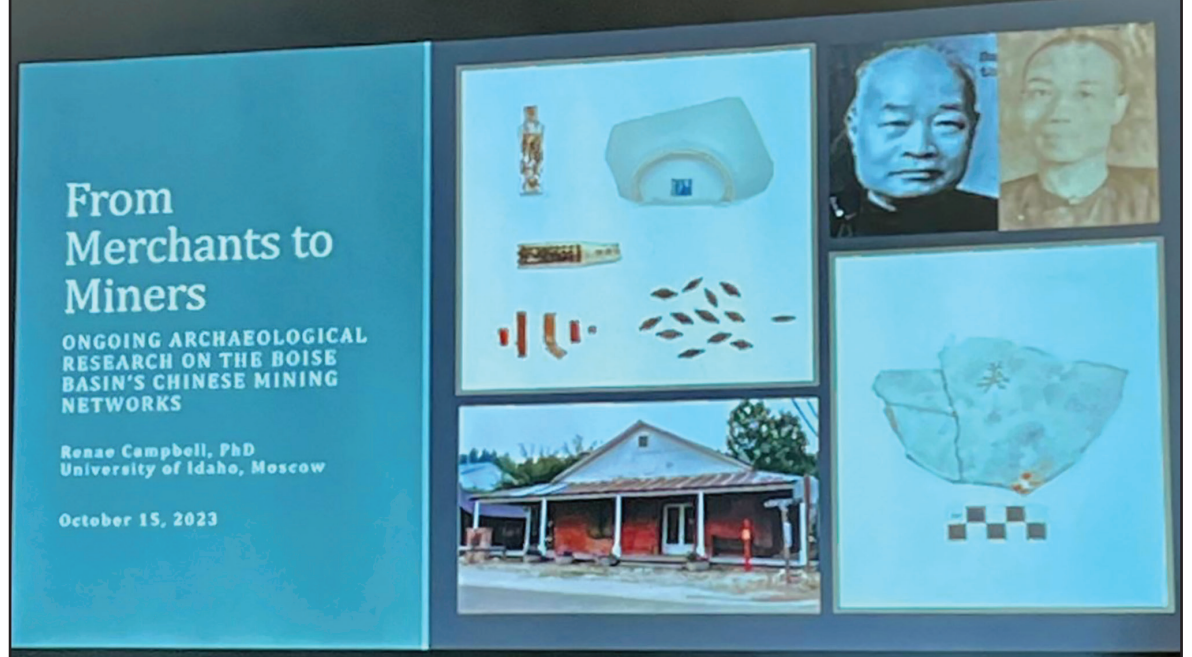


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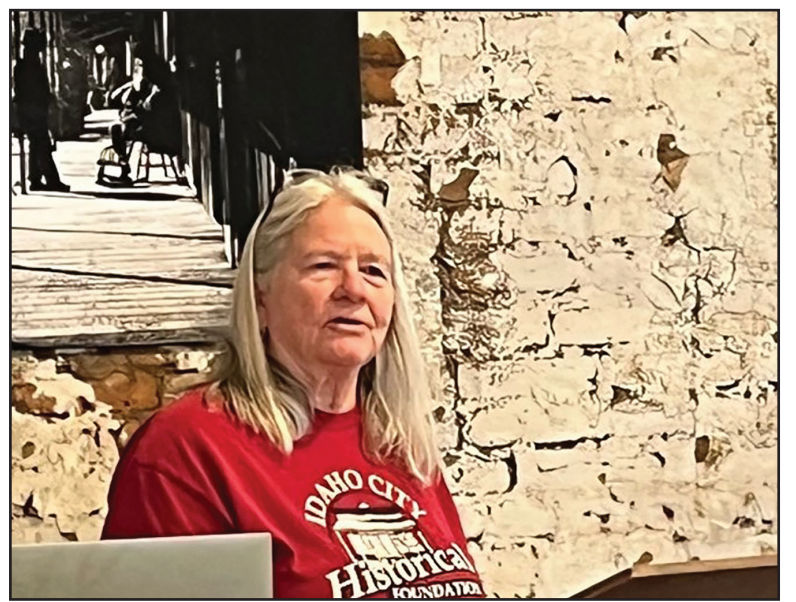
## Idaho City Historical Foundation Presentation



Rena Campbell, PhD, University of Idaho



Community and ICHF Board Members gathered on Sunday to hear about the ongoing archaeological research being conducted in the Boise Basin. Photos by Georgene Thomas



ICHF President Beth Wilson welcomed the community.

By Georgene Thomas and Eileen Capson

### IDAHO CITY --

The Idaho City Historical Foundation Annual meeting was held on Sunday, October 15, 2023, at the Pon Yam Museum and Resource Center.

This ICHF Annual meeting was called to order by President Beth Wilson, and she presented nominees for election to the Board. Those elected were Ashley Elliott, Linda Strohmeyer, Chris Juszczak, Trudy Jackson, and Wayne Bushnell.

A special presentation was given by Rena Campbell, PhD, University of Idaho, Moscow: From Merchants to Miners.

Dr. Campbell shared slides with images of many artifacts which were part of the collection at the Pon Yam House. She explained that this is part of ongoing archaeological research into the Boise Basin's Chinese history. She also presented copies of land deeds and records of the Chinese population in the Boise Basin area.

Refreshments followed the presentation.

The Idaho City Historical Foundation's informational pamphlet reads: "Friends, our historic buildings in Idaho City are constantly in need of care and maintenance. Some of these buildings are nearly 150 years old! We need a vibrant membership to help care for these historic gems. Please become a member and give what you can, so these buildings and artifacts will continue to tell our story for generations to come."

"The ICHF is responsible for the maintenance and care of more historic properties than any other nonprofit organization in the state of Idaho. The task before us is great - we have roofs to repair, foundations to rebuild, artifacts to preserve, visitors to welcome, and more."

The properties ICHF maintains, along with their contents include: Historic Pioneer Cemetery, Boise Basin Museum, John Brogan/Naylor Parks, Idaho Territorial Prison, Pon Yam House and Museum, Kenn Smith's Smoke Jumper's Museum at the Strauss House,

Veterans' Park, Smoke Jumper Park, Halley House, Galbreath House, Blacksmith Shop, and Pest House.

On the back of the trifold flyer, it reads: "The Boise Basin is the story of Idaho. It wasn't until gold deposits larger than the Klondike were discovered here in 1862, that Abraham Lincoln carved out the Idaho Territory."

"What started out as a rip-roaring mining camp steeped in vigilantism, crime, and political intrigue, became Idaho City. Some say it's a ghost town, we say it's living history."

"Imagine 150 years ago, the bustling streets, Saturday night shoot-outs, legal gambling, raucous saloons - and from every corner of the world they came!"

To become a member of the foundation, it's just \$15 for seniors and students, \$20 for a family, and businesses/organizations are \$50. Sponsors: \$75, Gold Brick: \$250, and Life: \$750. Make checks payable to the Idaho City Historical Foundation, Inc; PO Box 358; Idaho City, ID 83631.



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<p><b>Restaurant</b> Sun. &amp; Thurs. 8am - 8pm Fri. &amp; Sat. 8am - 9pm</p>	<p>The leaves are changing and soon we will have the white stuff on the ground. Halloween is right around the corner and we will be celebrating it on October 28th in the Lounge. We'll have music to dance by and a lot of fun drink specials and a costume contest. Music will be from 8:00pm to close and the costume contest at 10:00pm. Plan on staying with us—we have motel rooms, cabins and condos to rent. Call the office at 208-462-3250 or book online at terracelakes.com.</p>	<p>Open Daily &amp; to Public Mon. - Thurs. 10am-8pm Fri. &amp; Sat. 9am-10pm Sun. 9am-8pm</p>
<p><b>Gift Shop</b> Every Day through October 31st 8:30am - 6:00pm</p>	<p>Come have some fun and enjoy our geothermal pool. We have our new menu now with nightly dinner specials. We still have BBQ ribs on Friday nights and Prime Rib on Saturday nights. We are also open every day for Breakfast, which is served until 11:00 a.m. We are located 3 miles north of Crouch up the Middle Fork Road off Warm Springs Road.</p>	<p><b>Lounge</b> Mon. - Fri. 12pm-Close Sat. &amp; Sun. 10am-Close</p>



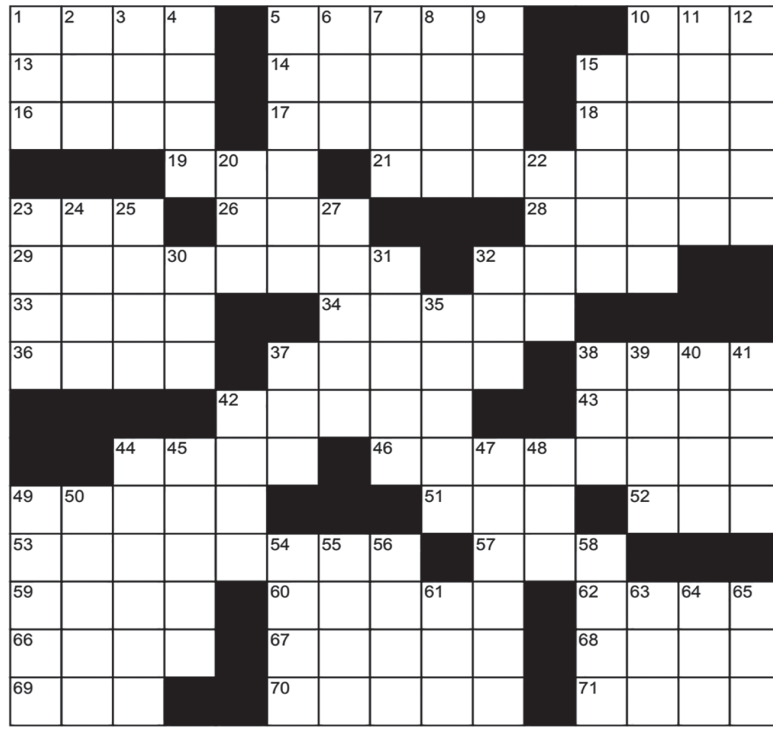
# BOISE COUNTY

## Chim Chum & the Portly Samurai by Adrian Ropp



"THIS HAS BEEN LOVELY, BUT MY FOX IS SORT OF UPSET YOU'RE SITTING IN HIS CHAIR."

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- 3 Unrefined metal
- 4 Gangster's girlfriend
- 5 Drooped
- 6 Wrath
- 7 Hum
- 8 Continent
- 9 Stare
- 10 Handsome man
- 11 Net
- 12 Inaccuracy
- 15 Quickly
- 20 Compass point
- 22 Vigor
- 23 Women's magazine
- 24 Bed or bath ending
- 25 Reference point
- 27 Cactuses
- 30 Map legend
- 31 Rank
- 32 Rowing tool
- 35 Access (2 wds.)
- 37 North American Indian
- 38 Serving of corn
- 39 Kill
- 40 Sit
- 41 Bird's home
- 42 Prayer ending
- 44 Tended
- 45 Islands
- 47 Move unsteadily
- 48 Young woman
- 49 Talk
- 50 African nation
- 54 Cheese
- 55 Southeast by east
- 56 Dirty area
- 58 Cologne (Gr.)
- 61 Poem of praise
- 63 Killed in action
- 64 Representative
- 65 Spots

### ACROSS

- 1 Cotillion
- 5 Strong rope fiber
- 10 Stage of life
- 13 European monetary unit
- 14 Mutiny
- 15 Jewish calendar month
- 16 Cain killed him
- 17 Magic lamp dweller
- 18 Spurt
- 19 Lower limb
- 21 \_\_\_ Beans
- 23 White-tailed sea eagle
- 26 Part of a min.
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- 33 Traditional knowledge
- 34 Cuban
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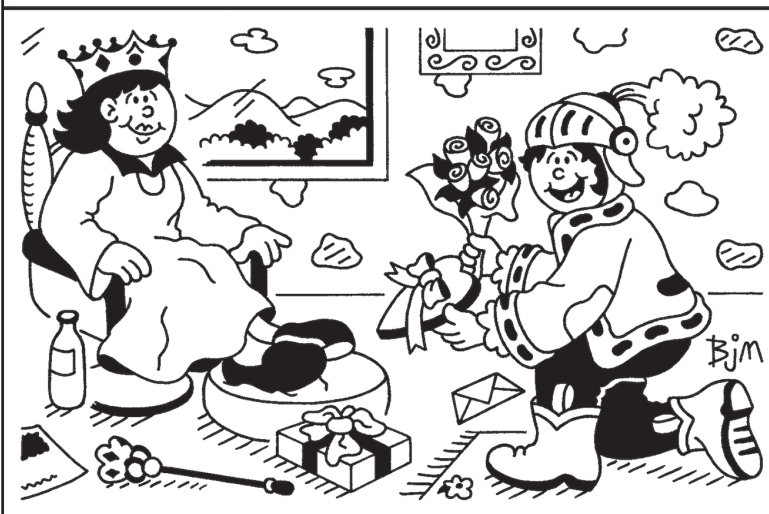
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- 44 Green citrus fruit
- 46 Graze (2 wds.)
- 49 Fat
- 51 Oolong
- 52 Still
- 53 Genuine in nature
- 57 Deer relative
- 59 Green Gables dweller
- 60 Terminal
- 62 Gumbo
- 66 Binds
- 67 Home
- 68 Told a tall tale
- 69 Ending
- 70 Metric linear unit
- 71 Dozes

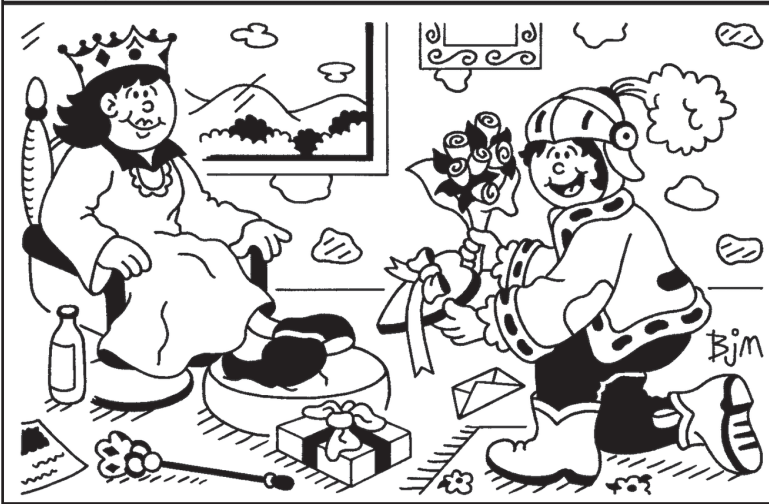
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## ComParrot by Bonnie J. Malcolm

Can you spot 12 differences between these pictures?

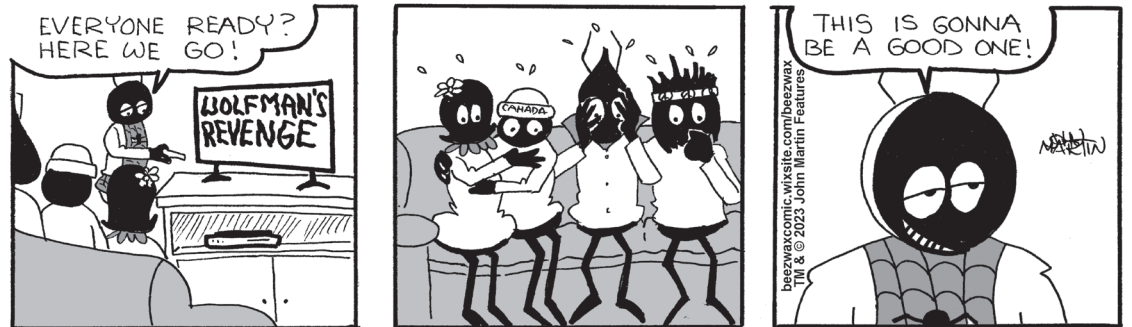


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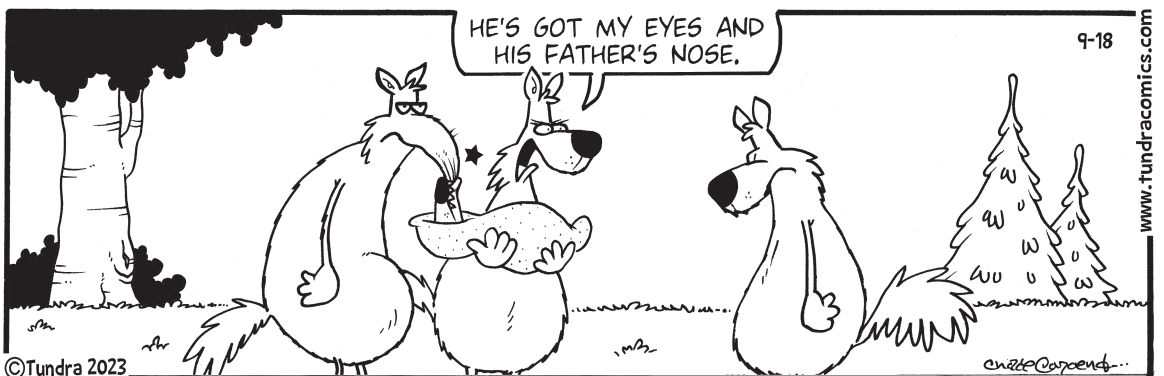
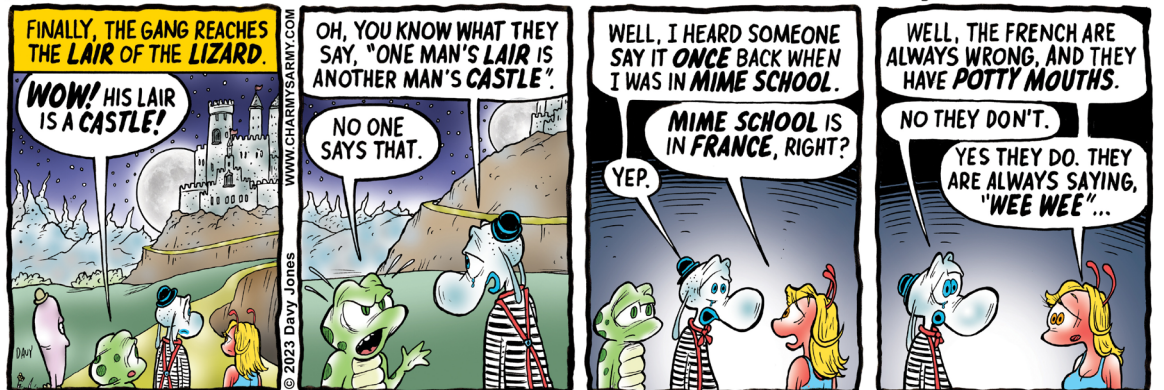


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## BEEZWAX By John Martin



## CHARMY'S ARMY Created by DAVY JONES



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# LEGAL NOTICES

## Legal Notice STATE OF IDAHO LAND LEASE OPPORTUNITY ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR AUCTION OF LEASE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Article IX, § 8 of the Idaho Constitution and Idaho Code §§ 58-307, -310 and -313, the State of Idaho, Department of Lands (hereinafter "IDL"), will accept lease applications for public auction of the lease set forth below. **Lease application deadline is Friday, October 27, 2023 at 5:00 PM (MT).**

If more than one application is received for the lease, IDL will schedule a date, time and location for a live auction and the lease will then be awarded to the bidder paying the highest premium bid therefore. Annual rental rates are established by IDL.

**General information regarding the lease is set forth below. Detailed information regarding the lease, including a specific legal description of the property to be leased, rental rate, and instructions to complete an application, and the application fee may be obtained by visiting IDL's website at [www.idl.idaho.gov](http://www.idl.idaho.gov).**

Lease No., Term, Use, Legal Description, County

**R600006**, 15yr, Residential – Other, .69 acres of Pts Gove Lot 2, T09N, R04E, S36, Boise County.

**Contact Connor MacMahon/Ruth Luke at 208-334-3488** for more information.

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE** TS No: **ID-23-957273-BF** NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on **2/22/2024**, at the hour of **9:00 AM**, **At the Front Steps to the Boise County Courthouse Annex, located at 383 Highway 55, Horseshoe Bend, ID 83629**, the trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in lawful money of the United States of America, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property situated in the County of **BOISE**, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit: A TRACT OF LAND SITUATE IN THE WEST HALF OF SECTION 15, TOWNSHIP 9 NORTH, RANGE 4 EAST, BOISE MERIDIAN, BOISE COUNTY, IDAHO, MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE WEST ONE QUARTER CORNER OF SAID SECTION 15; THENCE NORTH 89°55'58" EAST A DISTANCE OF 1318.64 FEET TO A FOUND 5/8 INCH IRON PIN AND ALUMINUM CAP MARKING THE SIXTEENTH CORNER AND THE MOST EASTERLY CORNER OF MOUNTAIN VIEW SUBDIVISION, INSTRUMENT NO. 97464; THENCE NORTH 00°36'03" WEST ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID SUBDIVISION A DISTANCE OF 665.25 FEET TO A 5/8 INCH IRON PIN AND THE REAL POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE CONTINUING NORTH 00°36'03" WEST A DISTANCE OF 165.25 FEET TO A 5/8 INCH IRON PIN, THE NORTH-EAST CORNER OF SAID MOUNTAIN VIEW SUBDIVISION; THENCE NORTH 02°05'56" EAST A DISTANCE OF 56.82 FEET TO A 1.5 INCH IRON PIN; THENCE SOUTH 83°15'38" EAST A DISTANCE OF 102.12 FEET TO A HALF INCH IRON PIN; THENCE SOUTH 00°36'03" EAST A DISTANCE OF 211.97 FEET TO A HALF INCH IRON PIN; THENCE NORTH 88°56'01" WEST A DISTANCE OF

104.00 FEET TO THE REAL POINT OF BEGINNING. EXCEPT THAT PORTION, IF ANY, LYING WITHIN THE RIGHT OF WAY OF MIDDLE FORK ROAD. The Current Trustee is **Robert W. McDonald, Esq.**, whose address is **108 1st Ave. South, Suite 450, Seattle, Washington 98104** and who can be reached by telephone at **(866) 925-0241**. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-described real property, but for purposes of compliance with Idaho Code Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of **389 S MIDDLEFORK RD, GARDEN VALLEY, ID 83622** may be associated with said real property. The sale will be made, without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust made and entered into on **7/9/2020**, by and among **KYLE MCGINNIS, AN UNMARRIED MAN**, as Grantor, and **TITLEONE CORPORATION**, as Trustee, and **MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS BENEFICIARY AS NOMINEE FOR WILLAMETTE VALLEY BANK, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS**, as Beneficiary; said Deed of Trust having been filed of record on **7/9/2020**, as **Instrument No. 268505** Official Records of **BOISE** County, Idaho. The naming of the above Grantor(s) is done to comply with Idaho Code Sections 45-1506(4)(a); no representation is made as to the responsibility of Grantor(s) for this obligation. The default for which foreclosure is made is grantor's failure to pay when due the following sum: **TOTAL REQUIRED TO REINSTATE: TOTAL REQUIRED TO PAYOFF: \$170,895.23** Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day-to-day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. It will be necessary for you to contact the Trustee before the time you tender reinstatement or the payoff amount so that you may be advised of the exact amount you will be required to pay. Dated this 27th day of September, 2023. By: **Robert W. McDonald, Esq.**, Trustee TS No: **ID-23-957273-BF** IDSPub #0188595  
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**Public Comment Period Open Now for Broadband Initial Proposal**  
The Idaho Broadband Advisory Board and Idaho Office of Broadband have opened a public comment period on the State's Broadband Equity, Access and Deployment (BEAD) program, Initial Proposal (Volumes I and II) for the National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA).

The State has been working to identify Idaho's internet needs, challenges, and opportunities to develop internet expansion plans. The work is reflected in the State's draft BEAD Initial Proposal. Volume I establishes the groundwork for the State's strategy to bring internet to all and identify project areas and locations of interest. Volume II details the plans for distributing deployment funding, workforce and economic development initiatives, tribal coordination and more.

The entire BEAD Initial Proposal is now posted online for review and comment at [LinkUp.Idaho.gov](http://LinkUp.Idaho.gov). The Idaho Office of Broadband will accept comments

submitted to [BroadbandComments@Commerce.Idaho.gov](mailto:BroadbandComments@Commerce.Idaho.gov) from September 29 through October 31. For those who don't have internet but are interested in submitting comments, copies of the BEAD Initial Proposal, and computers to provide comments, may be available at a public library near you.

For consideration, all comments must be submitted by 11:59 p.m. MT, Tuesday, October 31, 2023.

The Idaho Office of Broadband will also be hosting a Virtual Public Comment Period Meeting on October 11, 2023, from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. MT.

Learn more at [LinkUp.Idaho.gov](http://LinkUp.Idaho.gov).

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE** TS No: **ID-23-963510-SW** NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on **2/22/2024**, at the hour of **9:00 AM**, **At the Front Steps to the Boise County Courthouse Annex, located at 383 Highway 55, Horseshoe Bend, ID 83629**, the trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in lawful money of the United States of America, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property situated in the County of **BOISE**, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit: **LOT 14, OF MORES CREEK CROSSING, ACORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED UNDER INSTRUMENT NUMBER 108540, RECORDS OF BOISE COUNTY, IDAHO.** The Current Trustee is **Robert W. McDonald, Esq.**, whose address is **108 1st Ave. South, Suite 450, Seattle, Washington 98104** and who can be reached by telephone at **(866) 925-0241**. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-described real property, but for purposes of compliance with Idaho Code Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of **132 PROSPECTOR LANE, IDAHO CITY, ID 83631** may be associated with said real property. The sale will be made, without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust made and entered into on **3/9/2009**, by and among **George J. Schwarz, III and Marilyn L. Schwarz, husband and wife**, as Grantor, and **Chicago Title Insurance Company**, as Trustee, and **Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., solely as nominee for Quicken Loans Inc., Its Successors and Assigns**, as Beneficiary; said Deed of Trust having been filed of record on **4/7/2009**, as **Instrument No. 222986** Official Records of **BOISE** County, Idaho. The naming of the above Grantor(s) is done to comply with Idaho Code Sections 45-1506(4)(a); no representation is made as to the responsibility of Grantor(s) for this obligation. The default for which foreclosure is made is grantor's failure to pay when due the following sum: **TOTAL REQUIRED TO REINSTATE: \$9,526.75 TOTAL REQUIRED TO PAYOFF: \$140,579.50** Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day-to-day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. It will be necessary for you to contact the Trustee before the time you tender reinstatement or the payoff amount so that you may be advised of the exact amount

you will be required to pay. Dated this 2nd day of October, 2023. By: **Robert W. McDonald, Esq.**, Trustee TS No: **ID-23-963510-SW** IDSPub #0188675

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**SUMMARY OF THE CITY OF IDAHO CITY ORDINANCE NO. 385 RELATING TO THE LICENSING AND REGULATION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES.** The City of Idaho City, Idaho, hereby gives notice of the adoption of the City of Idaho City Ordinance No. 385, pertaining to the licensing and regulating of the sale and disposition of liquor by the drink, wine, and beer, collectively referred to as alcoholic beverages, in Chapter 2, Title 3, of the Idaho City Code to update and clarify current requirements for qualifications to hold a license and for the licensed premises, (2) clarify the time period for which a license is valid and deadlines for the renewal of licenses, (3) require that all alcoholic beverage licenses or permits be posted in a conspicuous place, (4) stating the grounds on which a license may be denied, revoked, suspended, or restricted or conditions,

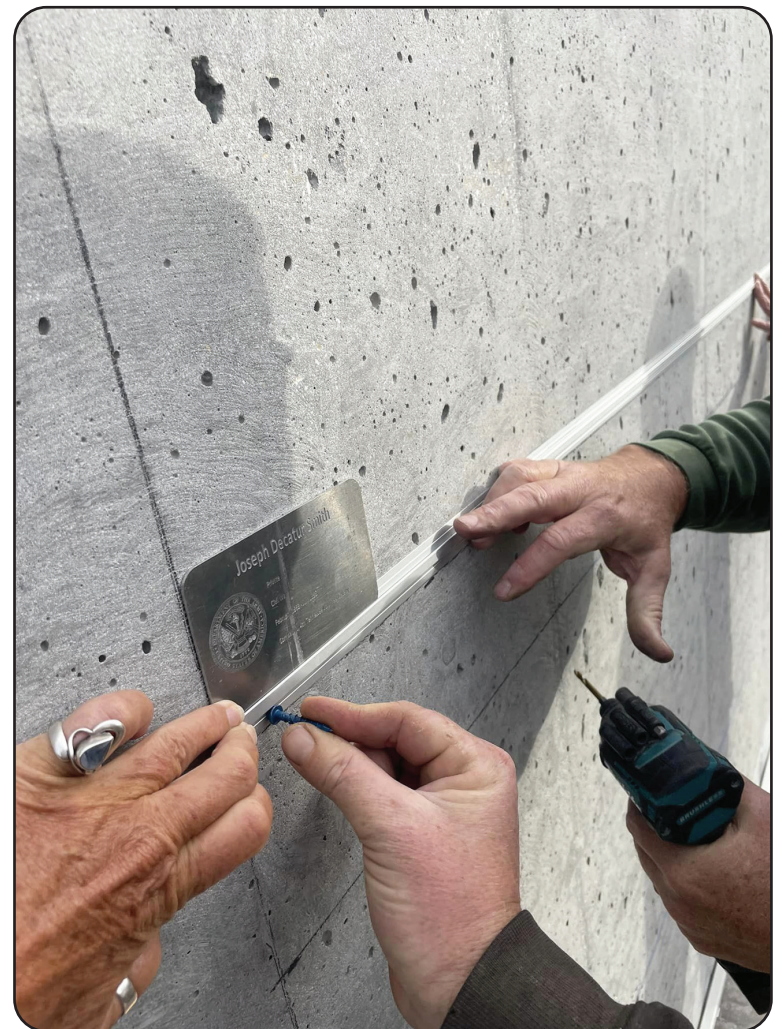
(5) stating the responsibility of licensees for the acts of their employees and agents, (6) clarifying the procedures for denial, revocation, suspension, restriction, or conditioning of a license, (7) restating current restrictions on the hours of sale and requiring access to the premises by law enforcement and other officials responsible for the health, safety, and welfare of the public, (8) restating the penalties for violations of the chapter; and (9) providing that the ordinance will be effective upon publication of this summary. The full text of the summarized Ordinance No. 385 is available at the City of Idaho City Hall, 511 Main Street, Idaho City, Idaho 83631 in the office of the City Clerk.

**ORDINANCE NO. 385 SUMMARY CERTIFICATION.** The undersigned City of Idaho City legal advisor, having reviewed Ordinance No. 385 and the summary for Ordinance No. 385, believes the summary of Ordinance No. 385 is true and complete and that it provides adequate notice to the public of the identity and principal provisions of the ordinance.

Joan Callahan  
Idaho City Prosecutor

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## WALL OF HEROES



Picture courtesy of HSB Chamber of Commerce

By Tracy Koslosky

**HORSESHOE BEND** -- The Horseshoe Bend Valley Chamber of Commerce sends heartfelt thanks to HSB Veterans Memorial Wall of Heroes Team, particularly Marty Broom, for all their hard work and effort in erecting the Wall. The nameplates are in the final stages of completion and the railing system that will affix them to the wall is currently being installed.

The chamber invites the community to attend their annual Veterans Day event at the Woods Veterans Memorial Park on Saturday, November 11 from 2-6. Enjoy live music, food from Sonora Mexican restaurant, beverages from the Longbranch Saloon while honoring the country's veterans.

**Pictured:** The HSB Veterans Memorial Wall of Heroes team places a nameplate on the Wall.



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**FOR SALE:**


**2009 Dooley pick up box \$100 white.** Call 208-342-0626 or 208-866-0986.


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**I have two trailers for sale. One is just the 24' frame, dual axle. The other is a tilt hauling trailer, 6' by 8', enclosed by metal, needs tail light, single axle.** Both are sold as is. They both need to be moved. Asking for a reasonable offer, to take both for \$650.

Call to come see in Garden Valley at 208-271-2223.

**COMMUNITY SERVICES:**

 **Horseshoe Bend Ladies Club will host a Christmas Bazaar on December 2nd (first Saturday).** If you would like to reserve a table call Gloria at 208-861-5322.

 **Idaho City Community Club needs several vendors for their Holiday Bazaar.** This will be held on November 3rd, 4th and 5th at the Roy Robison Community Hall. Please contact Kathy Quarles at 208-392-4979

**Garden Valley Food Bank/ Pantry:** Distribution will be the 1st and 3rd Thursday of every month at the GV Senior Center from 9:30-11:30am.

**Garden Valley Food Pantry** distributes food the 2nd and 4th Friday of every month at the Calvary Chapel from 3:30 to 5:00 pm. (The GV Senior Center hold their's on different dates.)

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

**Alcoholics Anonymous** - Meet in Idaho City at 7pm on Fridays at the Library, 123 Montgomery St.

**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 from 10-2.

Food boxes are prepacked and delivered to cars. No choices until further notice.

**Horseshoe Bend - Tuesday's & Friday's-Hot meals at the**

**Horseshoe Bend Senior Center.**

Lunch is served at 12:15. 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.

**Idaho City Food Pantry:** At the Senior Center every 2nd and 4th Wednesdays from 11:30-1:00.

**Horseshoe Bend Bingo:** Each Wednesday at the Longbranch Saloon. 349 Hwy Horseshoe Bend. 6 p.m. 25 cents per card. Proceeds benefit the American Legion, scholarships & other community needs.

**Horseshoe Bend - Ladies Club BUNCO** every second Wednesday, starting with potluck at noon at 121 Boise Street, entry is \$5.

**HELP WANTED:**  
**Garden Valley School District (including Lowman) is in need of substitute teachers.** Contact: Miranda Hennessy, District Coordinator @ 208-462-3756

**Horseshoe Bend School Job Opening for Substitute Teachers.** If interested, please contact Superintendent Chesnut at chesnutd@hsbschools.org

**Horseshoe Bend School District has the following coaching openings.** If you are interested, please contact Athletic Director Jeff Longacre at longacrej@hsb-schools.org.

- High school girls basketball
- Middle/high school boys/girls track

**Boise County Property Appraiser Position opening,** located in Idaho City, which is approximately a 45 minute drive from East Boise area. This is a full time position (40 hours/week) will perform a wide range of duties. Primary duties include performing on site property inspections and data entry. Qualifications are: computer skills, attention to detail, ability to work in extreme weather conditions (includes walking and or hiking steep terrain), ability to handle difficult situations, ability to communicate clearly (written and oral), Valid Idaho Driver's License, and High School Diploma or equivalent a must. Position will be paid \$16.60 per hour. Benefits included are: Health Insurance, paid vacation, paid sick time, paid holidays and PERSI retirement. To apply, submit to cjsuzczak@co.boise.id.us the following: (1) a filled-out Boise County application form; (2) a cover letter; and (3) a resume.

**Boise County Road & Bridge Department has an opening for a full time Equipment Operator in the Horseshoe Bend area. Starting salary \$18.00 per hour.** Benefits include health insurance, paid vacation, paid sick time, paid holidays and PERSI retirement. Application and Job Description can be printed from the Boise

County website [www.boisecounty.us](http://www.boisecounty.us), or call (208)793-2380.

To apply, submit a filled-out Boise County employment application to [mnewman@co.boise.id.us](mailto:mnewman@co.boise.id.us) or mail to Boise County Road & Bridge Department, 39 Brownlee Road, Horseshoe Bend, ID 83629. Pre-employment drug testing is required. Boise County is an Equal Opportunity Employer and gives Veteran's preference in its hiring practices.

**Boise County Board of Commissioners is accepting applications for the positions of Solid Waste and Noxious Weed Superintendent.** This Department Head level position must demonstrate strong supervisory skills and significant experience and knowledge in the field (s) of solid waste management and/or control of noxious weeds. The Superintendent reports directly to Board of County Commissioners and is responsible for all aspects of the programs; including personnel, training, planning and evaluation, budget, contracts, risk management, equipment maintenance and operation and facilities. Boise County has a population of about 8,000 people and covers 1,908 square miles. The four solid waste transfer stations have an annual out of county MSW disposal of 6000 tons. Boise County has 23 of the 67 Idaho State listed noxious weeds. The Noxious Weed Superintendent is responsible for administering the Idaho Noxious Weed law and county weed program under the direction of the County Commissioners. If you are interested in these challenging and rewarding positions please visit our website: [boisecounty.us](http://boisecounty.us) and see the job descriptions under the Resident Services, Employment page.

Boise County provides employee medical, dental and vision insurance, vacation, paid holidays and sick leave as well as PERSI retirement benefits. These positions are salaried and classified as "Exempt."

Please submit a job application and provide a resume and cover letter. Application packages must be marked "Solid Waste/ Noxious Weed Superintendent Application" and may be delivered in person to the Boise County Clerk's Office, 420 Main Street, Idaho City or mailed to the Boise County Clerk, PO Box 1300, Idaho City, Idaho 83631. A pre-employment drug screen and background check will be conducted before employment. Boise County is an Equal Opportunity Employer and gives Veterans Preference in hiring practices.




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**Valley CHRISTIAN CENTER**

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# BOISE COUNTY

## Convicted of Attempted Murder

**BOISE COUNTY** -- A jury of twelve assembled in the courthouse earlier this month to determine the fate of Danny Edwin Thompson. The charges consisted of attempted first degree murder and the unlawful possession of a firearm by a felon, dated April 11, 2023. The charging document indicated that the defendant did willfully, deliberately, and premeditatedly, attempt to murder a person by confronting him outside his residence and firing a 9mm pistol at him as he fled to his neighbor's house on August 28th, 2022. This incident was reported in the *Idaho World* as happening just south of Idaho City. The suspect remained a fugitive for nearly a week and there was an increased law enforcement presence by several agencies in Idaho City.

The defendant was asked to stand while the jury's verdict was read by the court's clerk. Thompson was found by the jury, unanimously, to be guilty of attempted first-degree murder. On the next account, unlawful possession of a firearm, he was also unanimously found to be guilty.

Judge Theodore Fleming thanked the jury for their two full days of service as jurors, provided them some final instructions regarding the case, and dismissed them from their duties. He then set the matter over for sentencing in this case to December 15th, 2023. The defendant will remain in custody of the Ada County Jail, and be held without bond, pending sentencing, given the jury's verdict in this case. A new no-contact order was extended



**Danny Thompson was convicted of attempted first degree murder and unlawful possession of a firearm. He is also being held for a probation violation at the Ada County Jail.**

by Judge Fleming for one additional year. He thanked the attorneys for their "professionalism in trying this difficult case."

## CuMo Mineral Exploration



The CuMo mineral exploration project has been ongoing since 2007 and has recently undergone a change in ownership. The new proponent, Idaho Copper Corp., submitted a plan of operations (Plan) for mineral exploration in 2023. Therefore, the Forest Service is initiating a new environmental analysis in accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act.

The 2023 Plan is similar to the Forest Service's Selected Alternative (Alternative B) from the 2015 CuMo Decision Notice (DN) for the 2007 Plan. The 2023 Plan proposes the following activities:

- Use of National Forest System lands for up to 4 years for mineral exploration (no mining) and an additional 2 years for reclamation.
- Use of existing National Forest System Roads open to the public, in addition to 5.5 miles of existing temporary roads that are closed for public use.
- Construction of up to 8.9 miles of new temporary roads. Note that the 2015 DN considered 10.2 miles of new temporary roads, which included 1.8 miles that were constructed in 2011. The 1.8 miles are now accounted for in the 5.5 miles of existing temporary roads referenced above.

• Construction of up to 122 new exploration drill sites (~60 feet x ~25 feet) along roads with up to 250 holes drilled. Note that the 2015 DN considered 137 new drill sites and 259 holes. The number of drill holes were reduced as some were drilled during the 2011-2012 operating season.

For additional information on the proposed 2023 Plan, please refer to the project webpage: <https://www.fs.usda.gov/project/boise/?project=64920>.

This information is being provided to facilitate early and open engagement to assist in identifying potential issues for the analysis in accordance with 36 CFR 220.4(e). If you have any issues or comments on the proposed activities outlined in the 2023 Plan, we ask that you **please submit your scoping comments by November 2, 2023**. Comments must be within the scope of the 2023 proposed action, have a direct relationship to the proposed action, and include supporting reasons for the Responsible Official to consider. Please do not submit comments on prior CuMo proposals or prior analyses.

Responses received to this solicitation, including names and addresses of those who comment, will be considered part of the public record for this project. They will be available for public inspection and will be released in their entirety if requested pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act.

Individuals or entities who

submit timely and specific comments about this proposed project (as defined in 36 CFR 218.2) during this period or during another public comment period for this project (e.g., comment on the draft analysis) will be eligible to file an objection in accordance with 36 CFR 218.

If you elect to submit comments on the proposed action, they may be submitted in the following two ways:

1. Through the Project webpage (link above). Select "Comment on Project" under "Get Connected" on the right panel. When uploading a file with comments, comments must be in the form of plain text (.txt), Word (.doc, .docx), or PDF (.pdf).

2. Mail or hand deliver to the Boise National Forest, 1249 South Vinnell Way, Suite 200, Boise, ID, 83709, attention: Joshua Newman.

For additional information, please contact Joshua Newman, Idaho City District Ranger, at [joshua.newman@usda.gov](mailto:joshua.newman@usda.gov). Thank you for your interest in developing this project.



**Joshua Newman, USFS Idaho City Ranger**  
Photo by E. Capson

\*\*\* HSB VALLEY CHAMBER PRESENTS \*\*\*

# Annual VETERANS DAY Event

**11<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER**

SPECIAL PERFORMANCE BY: **JESSANN**  
START AT 2PM - 6PM

**DRINKS LIVE MUSIC FOOD TRUCK**

**WOODS VETERNS MEMORIAL PARK**

Join us for our annual Veterans Day event at the Woods Veterans Memorial Park in Horseshoe Bend, ID. Experience an unforgettable day filled with live music by the exceptionally talented JessAnn, sip on cocktails from our cherished local watering hole, the Longbranch Saloon, and delicious dinner from the Sonora food truck, including their famous street tacos available only a few times a year! As an added bonus, there's a chance for another spectacular fly-in. Let's unite in support of all our veterans, including the 450 heroes right here in Horseshoe Bend and Jerusalem Valley!

## Large Scale Mining Response

**John Robison**  
Public Lands Director  
Idaho Conservation League

**BOISE COUNTY** -- We believe that the issues regarding water quality, recreation, traffic, public safety, and wildlife are even more important today than they were in 2011 and 2018. Anticipated concerns with the newest exploration proposal include transportation of diesel fuel on narrow river-side and mountain roads, such as from Garden Valley up the Grimes Pass road, and impacts of road construction and 24/7 drilling operations on wildlife and recreationists.

The Forest Service will open another comment period when the draft Environmental Assessment

is released this winter and host public meetings. The Forest Service had previously hosted public meetings in Garden Valley, Idaho City, and Boise. For the winter meetings, they are only planning on hosting meetings in Idaho City and Boise. If members of the public are interested in having a public meeting in Garden Valley as well, they should mention that in their comments.

It's vitally important that local communities are involved in decisions that affect our public lands and waters. While we all use metals that are mined, we also need healthy rivers and clean drinking water. Some places are simply not appropriate for large-scale mineral exploration and development.

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