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Special Olympics Idaho Winter Events Come to Garden Valley

Terrace Lakes Resort has been hosting the Special Olympics Idaho Winter Games since about 2008. Julie Walz, a committee member of the Snow Golf Tournaments, also known as Snolf, explained that when the Special Olympics were first started, there were very few spectators. However, over the years that number has grown and in order to fund the event, the donation fee of \$15 for each Snolf player went directly to the Special Olympics

Idaho Winter Nordic Games. Walz said, “We provide hot chocolate, snacks, beverages, and lunch for the athletes. This year we had 65 athletes, mostly from eastern Idaho. After the event, we presented the athletes with goodies bags that included a logo bucket, hat, Chums wallets with Cold Stone Creamery gift cards, and other goodies all from our Snolf funds.” She wanted to recognize Mountainland Supply for their generous dona-

tion of Dutch Bros Coffee gift cards. “Also, a huge shout out to Terrace Lakes Resort for providing their facilities for the event!”

“The Backdraft Boise Fire Truck was also onsite to provide the cooking facilities and power for our popcorn booth, s'mores station, and pretzel booth. We had hot dogs and chicken sandwiches provided by Terrace Lakes Resort. The Garden Valley Fire Protection District provided four volunteers to help hand out the medals to the athletes, which was awesome! We also had some little helpers pulling the snack sled on skis-- Dash & Lola Jones and McKenzie Richards were a great help in this venture! Lisa Huey volunteered as our DJ with great music, and the athletes have some great dance moves!” Julie Walz explained, “We rely on volunteers to make this event a success and appreciate all the help we had this year! It was a great event and we look forward to hosting the Special Olympics Idaho athletes again in 2025!”



There were 65 athletes participating this year.



High five for a great effort!

Photos by Devyn Morris



Garden Valley Fire Protection District had several folks out helping with the event, and even passed out the metals!



Racing to the finish line in the snowshoeing event.

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Idaho City's Special Olympics Team





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An Idaho City team participated in bowling during December. Each of the participants won ribbons, including Jake (far left) who volunteered to help with the team. Pictured L-R: Jake, Darrius, Aspen, and Erin. They will get to compete again in basketball next week at Mountain View High School, all thanks to their supportive teacher, Ms. Nicole Risley.

Photo courtesy of N. Risley

HAPPENINGS IN BOISE COUNTY

GARDEN VALLEY - Meet & Greet District 8 Candidates for the May Primary Election on Feb. 17th from 2pm-4pm at the Terrace Lakes Resort Pavillion. [Candidates: Zito, Beiswenger & Thompson]

IDAHO CITY - Chili Cook-Off on March 2nd from 11am to 2pm. Chili served at noon and until it's gone. Sample contestants' chili and vote for \$5. Entertainment, auction, raffle, vendors, and more!

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Grimes Creek on January 31st from the bridge in Centerville.

Photo by Tim Benedict



Fog moving through the pines.

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The pruners were out getting an early start.

Photo by Linda Ruppel, DDS

Editor's note: There was no County Commissioners meeting last Tuesday, January 30, 2024, to report on. In addition, the recording from February 6, 2024 was inaudible due to an extensive audio issue and echo.

LEGAL NOTICES



BOISE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS CONDENSED MINUTES TUESDAY, January 16th, 2024-Miners Exchange Building, Idaho City, Idaho, 83631

Commissioner Lindstrom called the meeting to order and the pledge of allegiance was recited. Present: Commissioner Tucker, Commissioner Lindstrom, Clerk Prisco, Prosecuting Attorney Sosa, Deputy Clerk Laurence, Assessor Juszcak, Sheriff Turner, Road & Bridge Superintendent Dill, Planning & Zoning Administrator Gross, EBCAD Director Adams, and IT Administrator McCracken. Chairman Twilegar was absent. Minutes for January 4th, 2024 Special Meeting were approved. Minutes for January 9th, 2024 were approved. A Transportation Plan update was approved for the Road & Bridge Dept. An IT Committee was approved. Request from the Sheriff's office to purchase 3 vehicles were approved. A change in the amount for grant letter

for IC89A snowmobile program was approved. Two (2) demand warrants were approved. A letter of EMT service agreement was approved for EBCAD. Future agendas were discussed. Adjourned. Approval, Commissioner Lindstrom. Attest, Clerk Prisco, Clerk to the Board.

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Sheriff Turner, Planning & Zoning Administrator Gross, EBCAD Director Adams, Solid Waste/Noxious Weeds Superintendent Rekow, Treasurer Turner and IT Administrator McCracken. Chairman Twilegar was absent. Minutes for January 16th, 2024 were approved. Mrs. Mollenkopf-Moore and Ms. Millie Miles spoke to the board. A quote from Lumen for IT for internet was approved. A Tax deed hearing date was approved in July for the Treasurer's office. Additional training funds were approved for Planning & Zoning. All the bills were paid. Title III Certificate for fiscal year. Six (6) demand warrants were approved. The State of Idaho Sub Grant was approved for EBCAD. One (1) demand Warrant for EBCAD was approved. Agreement between Lowman Fire District and EBCAD was approved. Future agendas were discussed. Adjourned. Approval, Commissioner Lindstrom. Attest, Clerk Prisco, Clerk to the Board.

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STATE OF IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

DEQ awards nearly \$270,000 to four drinking water and wastewater systems across Idaho

Contact: MaryAnna Peavey, Grants and Loans Bureau Chief, MaryAnna.Peavey@deq.idaho.gov

BOISE COUNTY --

The Idaho Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) today announced the award of \$267,500 to four drinking water and wastewater systems to help the facilities evaluate system deficiencies and determine necessary upgrades. The funding was made available through Governor Brad Little's Leading Idaho initiative.

"Families, farmers, ranchers, and all Idaho residents rely on clean, efficient water and wastewater systems. These systems are not only a crucial part of our way of life, but our economy as well. Funding for these projects from my Leading Idaho plan aims to ensure that Idaho residents—especially those in our rural communi-

ties—can depend on our water and wastewater infrastructure for generations to come," said Idaho Governor Brad Little.

City of Horseshoe Bend – The city of Horseshoe Bend in Boise County was awarded \$25,000 to prepare a drinking water planning study and environmental review to evaluate the current drinking water system and identify needed improvements. The total project cost is \$50,000, and the remaining \$25,000 will be funded by the city.

DEQ's Planning Grant Program provides assistance to eligible wastewater and drinking water systems. These grants are used to develop engineering reports identifying the most cost-effective, environmentally sound method of upgrading a system to achieve and maintain compliance with state and federal standards. Grants cover up to 50% of eligible planning costs, with the remaining cost as the grant recipient's responsibility.

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IDGOP Presidential Caucus on March 2, 2024

The Idaho Republican Presidential Nominating Caucus will be held on Saturday, March 2, 2024. Caucuses will be held at locations in every county across the state of Idaho. Caucus doors open at 12:00 noon. Caucus begins promptly at 1:00 p.m. Average time for caucus is expected to be two hours. Every registered Republican will also receive a card in the mail before the caucus date indicating caucus location by precinct.

Six candidates filed their declaration of candidacy with the Idaho Republican Party for our Presidential caucus. Three candidates remain as three have withdrawn. Those remaining are Donald J. Trump, Nikki Haley, and Ryan L. Binkley.

Please visit www.IdahoRepublicanCaucus.com for more information about your local caucus. Please save your forthcoming postcard and bring it with you to caucus. Please attend the caucus to cast your ballot and determine which candidate will take Idaho's 32 delegates to the Republican National Convention this summer.

- Boise County Caucus Locations by Precinct:**
- Precinct 30 Garden Valley – Caucus Captain Bill Baker; Location: Garden Valley High School**
 - Precinct 40 Horseshoe Bend – Caucus Captain Dave Jakovac; Location: Horseshoe Bend Mutual Improvement Club**
 - Precinct 50 Idaho City – Caucus Captain Steve Moore; Location: Ray Robison Community Center**
 - Precinct 60 Lowman – Caucus Captain Bill Baker; Location: Garden Valley High School**
 - Precinct 70 Mores Creek – Caucus Captain Jean Mollenkopf; Location: Mountain Meadows Christian Center, Robie Creek**
 - Precinct 80 Placerville – Caucus Captain Brian Davies; Location: Centerville Fire House.**

Website for the Boise County Republicans: Boise.idgop.org
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The Garden Valley Senior Center facility provided plenty of room to prep these hearty meals, and made with mushrooms, onions, pasta, and sliced elk and beef. A label, which includes reheating instructions and an expiration date, was added to each container. This ongoing quarterly cooking event performed by the auxiliary could only be made possible with dedicated care and teamwork to lovingly make each meal possible.

If the community would like to further help out our local volunteer fire department, donations of Gatorade or cash donations are helpful. Leslie Lazo with the GV Fire Department Auxiliary says, "It allows us to purchase food, healthy snacks to store in the emergency vehicles, and for packaging supplies." *Photo by GVFDA*

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1st Semester District Incentive Scholarships



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12th Grade – Cassidy Noe, Torey Tschida, Annelie Wilson

High Honors: 3.50 – 3.99

6th Grade – Rylie Pankau
7th Grade – Austin Fisher, Jason Jones, Harper Kennedy
8th Grade – Jacob Jones, Joshua Williams
10th Grade – Mattia Christmas
11th Grade – Aliyah Meyer
12th Grade – Nicholas Cooper, Carson Drake, Abigail Howerton, Porter Larson, Alexander Parker

Honors: 3.00 – 3.49

6th Grade – Axton Miller
7th Grade – Miley Becerra, Richard Carlock, Ean Croft,

Tucker Hamley, Brooklyn Hess, Madalyn Larsen, Kiara Tucker, Cassadie Zimmerlee

8th Grade – Hailey Ingram, Damien Olsen, Leighton Parker, James Rogers
9th Grade – Kaylee Bowery, Cole Gorski, Rylee Johnson, Gage Kennedy, Celeste Wilson
11th Grade – Brayden Bouge, Zachary Matter, Ashlyn Wolseben
12th Grade – James James

Honor Roll students cannot have a "D" or "F" grade in any class, regardless of GPA. Bolded high school students also qualified for the Mustang Club. To qualify for the Mustang Club, students must have for the quarter 95% or better attendance, 3.5 or higher GPA, and no discipline reports. Mustang

Club qualifiers are also eligible for a scholarship drawing at the end of the school year.

District Incentive Scholarships

6th Grade – Rylie Pankau
7th Grade – Ean Croft, Vilate Wilson
8th Grade – Cale Fischer, Damien Olsen, Leighton Parker
9th Grade – Gage Kennedy
10th Grade – Tristan Martinez
12th Grade – Nicholas Cooper, Cassidy Noe, Charlie Taube

Students earn \$50 District Incentive Scholarships each semester by having no more than three tardies per semester, no more than three absences in any one class per semester, and a 3.0 or higher GPA.

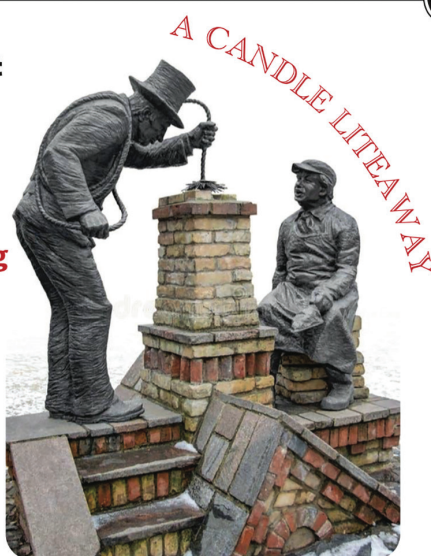
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Solution: 1. Strap appears on backpack. 2. Zipper on jacket is missing. 3. Tuft of lady's hair is hidden. 4. Crest on skate is different. 5. Ring on banner is missing. 6. Pocket on coat is colored in. 7. Tape on pylon is colored in. 8. Mark on ice has moved. 9. Stripe on backpack is different. 10. Design on pants is reversed. 11. Sleeve on hanging coat is longer. 12. Neckline on fan's shirt is different.



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Garden Valley High School Basketball Tournaments



Austin Coley made a clean block at the basket.



Elijah Marchands up in the air



Gavin Pearce for the tip-off

The Long Pin Tournament continued on 2-2-24. Cascade beat Council and went on to play GV in the District Championship game at 7:30pm. Unfortunately, GV JV lost to Cascade after a vigorous try, 40-44.



Photos by Linda Ruppel, DDS



GV hosted game #1 of the 1A DII District Tournament. Seed #4 GV girls varsity (white) overwhelmed seed #5 Cascade for the win with a score of 44-20 on 2-1-24. Sadly, GV lost to Council on Saturday and will play on Tuesday in the loser's bracket. Wishing them good luck!



Gavin Pearce and Austin Coley grabbing the rebound.

GV Boys JV hosted the Long Pin Tournament on 2-2-24 (Friday). GV (seeded #1) played at 4:30 against the winner of the 3pm game, which was between HSB (#5) and TriValley (#4). GV (white) JV won against HSB 56-47.

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Garden Valley Boys JV Team Photos by Linda Ruppel, DDS

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Basin School District Met with Community Leaders



On January 24th, community leaders were invited to attend a meeting that the school hopes will become a regular practice to strengthen ties. The school expressed that they are looking to develop a diverse range of skills in students' lives, and are always looking for ways to bridge the gaps in education. The school intends to have more of these meetings and to invite other community members. At this meeting there were a variety of leaders ranging from ambulance personnel to county officials, and store owners to religious leaders.

Photos by Eileen Capson



Basin School District Profile: "Basin School District has approximately 350 students in grades PreK - 12 with innovative programs that challenge all students. Academic excellence, innovation in teaching and learning, and strong community relationships are priorities within the Basin 72 School District. The district sets high expectations for academic success and strong character for all students from preschool through grade 12 and takes pride in attracting and retaining outstanding administrators, faculty, and staff who exemplify these high standards. Basin has small class sizes which allow for more individualized instruction to provide the highest quality of education possible. Arts, science, and humanities are complemented by a strong program of extracurricular activities and outdoor education. Basin 72 students develop the character traits of respect, responsibility, service, problem-solving, and grit which prepare them with the skills necessary to be college or career-ready and contributing members of society." More information can be found on their website. www.basinschools.net



Snowy along Mores Creek.

Photo by Eileen Capson

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| False Calls to 911 | 1 |
| Abandoned Vehicle | 2 |
| Traffic Accident with Damage | 1 |
| Traffic Accident with Injuries | 2 |
| Alarm Fire | 1 |
| Animal at Large | 1 |
| Animal on Road/Hwy | 1 |
| Break In | 2 |
| Domestic Disturbance | 1 |
| Fire Unknown | 1 |
| Information Report | 3 |
| Juvenile Problem | 1 |
| Lost Person | 1 |
| Medical Emergency | 3 |
| Assist Motorist | 4 |
| Official Misconduct | 1 |
| Property Damage | 1 |
| Property Recovery | 1 |
| Public Asst | 2 |
| Reckless Driver | 2 |
| Slide Off | 2 |
| Suicidal Subject | 1 |
| Theft | 2 |
| Threatening | 1 |
| Traffic Hazard | 11 |
| Traffic Stop | 30 |
| Unattended Death | 2 |
| Vandalism | 1 |
| Welfare Check | 1 |
| Totals for 01/23/24-01/29/24 | 90 |

Playground Equipment in GV

Garden Valley Recreation District Receives Grant from The Idaho Community Foundation for \$5,000

BOISE COUNTY -- Garden Valley Recreation District is pleased to announce it has received a \$5,000 grant from the Forever Idaho Southwest fund, in the Idaho Community Foundation. These funds will support the purchase and installation of new, safe, and modern playground equipment in Weilmunster Park.

Community playgrounds can help foster a sense of connectedness and offer a fun, inclusive space for growing kids of all ability levels. As a shared, public space, playgrounds are also spaces for social interaction, creative problem solving and great exercise.

Garden Valley Recreation District is also very grateful for the support of Payette Forward Thrift Store for their generous grant of \$6,000.

In total, Garden Valley Recreation District is hoping to garner at least \$15,000 more in

funding from grants and donations. If you would like to make a tax-deductible donation, contact Board Treasurer, Bob Seal at bobseal@frontier.com.

Board President Larry Thurmond stated "The District is fortunate and grateful to have secured the Payette Forward and ICF grants to help fund this project. Our annual budget covers park maintenance and small improvements, so grants and donations are key to helping achieve our Mission Statement objectives."

About Organization: The Mission of the Garden Valley Recreation District is: *To enhance the quality of life for district residents by working in partnership to foster and enrich healthy community environments, protect recreational access, and promote activities.*

The Board of Directors is an elected, policy setting body with legal authority as provided by Idaho Code. They are primarily responsible for the overall direction and manage-

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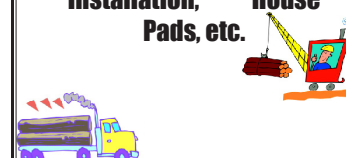
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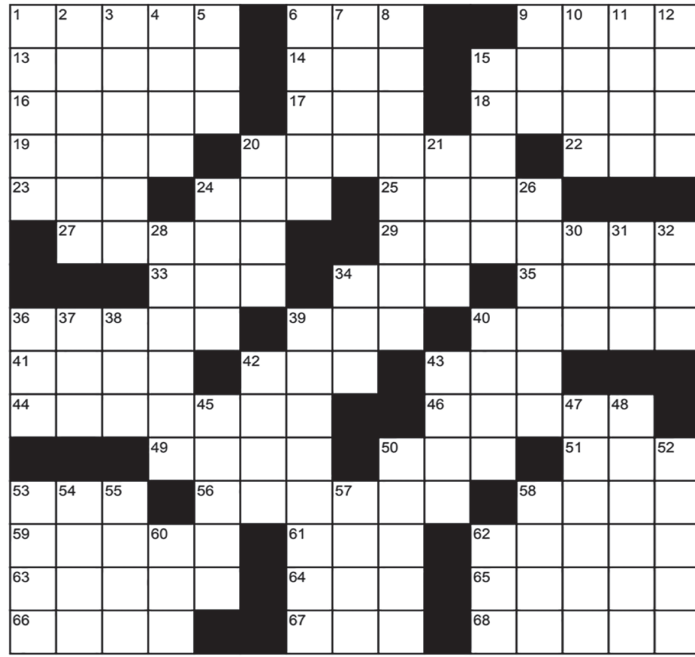
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ACROSS

- 1 Halos
- 6 Distress call
- 9 Antiaircraft fire
- 13 Awkward
- 14 Haunch
- 15 Construction
- 16 Tremor
- 17 Sick
- 18 Positive electrode
- 19 Alley
- 20 Parch (2 wds.)
- 22 Bench
- 23 Vane direction
- 24 Atmosphere
- 25 Despot
- 27 Deduce
- 29 Nurse (2 wds.)
- 33 Long-term memory
- 34 Extremely high frequency (abbr.)
- 35 Skillfully
- 36 Bog
- 39 Layer
- 40 Side note

- 41 Leave now!
- 42 Chewy stuff
- 43 The other half of Jima
- 44 Normal
- 46 Recipient
- 49 Cracker
- 50 Conger
- 51 Untalkative
- 53 Greenwich Time
- 56 Rib joiners
- 58 Cook pottery
- 59 Bird perch
- 61 Really cool
- 62 Advised
- 63 Mix
- 64 Self-esteem
- 65 Ski jacket
- 66 Soft cloth
- 67 Water
- 68 Sneak

DOWN

- 1 Hallway
- 2 Disquiet
- 3 What it did in April

- 4 Recess
- 5 Short-term memory
- 6 Bake unshelled eggs
- 7 Fatty
- 8 Blotchy
- 9 Glee
- 10 Knit
- 11 Helper
- 12 Had known
- 15 Asian country
- 20 Carpe ___
- 21 U.S. Air Force
- 24 Adrenocorticotrophic hormone
- 26 Argue logically
- 28 Long loose overcoat
- 30 National police
- 31 Olden
- 32 Seed bread
- 34 Shade tree
- 36 Chinese seasoning
- 37 Genius
- 38 Fled
- 39 Pursed
- 40 Truant
- 42 Essence
- 43 Whim
- 45 Unskilled
- 47 Emigrant
- 48 Gold finder's phrase
- 50 Present
- 52 Decoration
- 53 Tennis player Steffi
- 54 Undercover agent
- 55 Fee
- 57 Be in a ___
- 58 Order
- 60 Drunk
- 62 Highs

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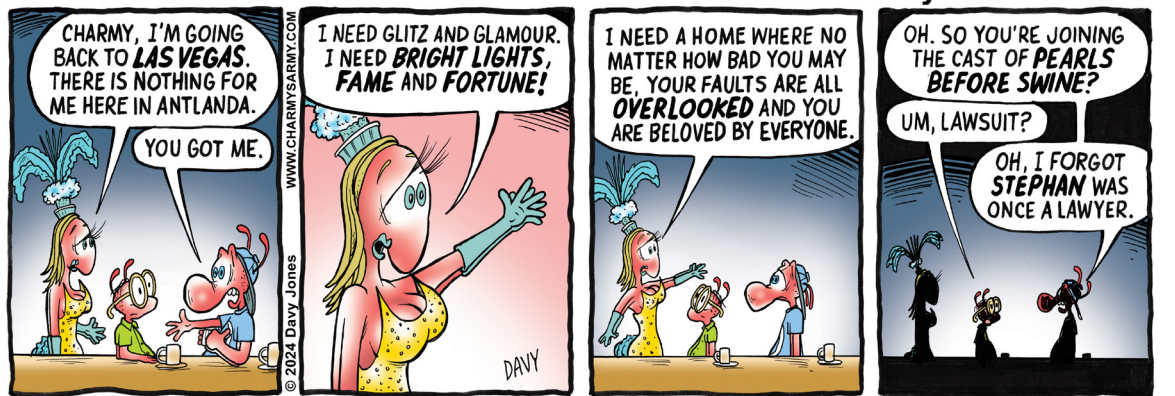
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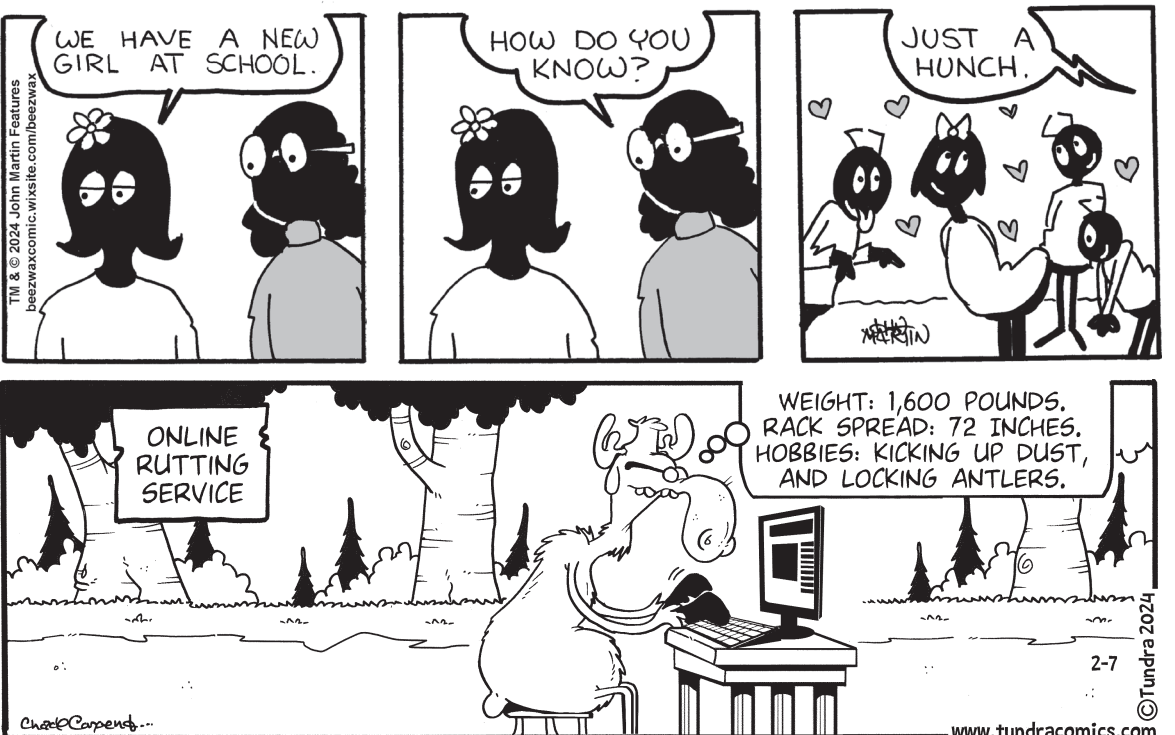
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CHARMY'S ARMY

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"No meeting ends well that starts with the words: 'Assume the crash position.'"

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE NOTICE: WE MAY BE ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR. THIS COMMUNICATION IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT, AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR PURPOSES OF DEBT COLLECTION. On MAY 23, 2024, at the hour of 11:00 a.m. located on the front steps of the Boise County Courthouse Annex, 383 Highway 55, Horseshoe Bend, ID 83629 in Boise County, State of Idaho. Janaya L. Carter, as successor trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, payable, for certified funds, or the equivalent, which is lawful money of the United States of America, all payable at the time of sale in compliance with Section 45-1506(9) Idaho Code, the following described real property, situated in Boise County, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit; Lot 18, of Clear Creek Estates Subdivision No. 6, according to the official plat thereof, recorded as Instrument No. 75758, records of Boise County, Idaho. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that according to the County Assessor's office, the address of **Vacant land, T5N R4E SEC 21 CLEAR CREEK ESTATES 6 LOT 18, 00 tbd, Boise, ID 83716**, is sometimes associated with said real property. Said 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 executed by Joshua Keith Muchow, an unmarried man, as grantors to, Pioneer Title Company of Ada County, as trustee, for the benefit and security of Root Down Land, LLC, recorded June 16, 2021, as Instrument No. 274549 Mortgage Records of Boise County, Idaho. An Appointment of Successor Trustee was recorded on November 17, 2023, under Instrument No. 284833. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4) (A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE OBLIGATION. The default(s) for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under the Deed of Trust note, the following: The monthly payments for Principal, Interest, and Escrow Due from March 15, 2023 through December 15, 2023, and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement. These payments include interest at the current rate of 12.9000%. The current beneficiary has declared that the Grantor is in breach of the terms and conditions of the obligation secured by the deed of trust. The nature of the breach is Grantor's failure to pay when due the monthly payments of principal, interest applicable escrow account payments from March 15, 2023, together with all subsequent payments, costs, advances, attorney's and trustee's fees and costs accruing until the date of sale, full satisfaction, or reinstatement of obligation. The sum owing on the obligation secured by the said trust deed consists of the principal balance of \$35,236.71, together with any advances plus foreclosure fees and costs. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, and any amounts advanced to protect

the security associated with this foreclosure. DATED: January 10, 2024 TRUSTEE By: Janaya L. Carter, #8226 IDEA Law Group, LLC 4530 S. Eastern Ave., Ste. 10 Las Vegas, NV 89119 877-353-2146 A-4806840

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NOTICE OF HEARING ON NAME CHANGE (Adult or Emancipated Minor) Case No. CV08-24-00006

IN THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE 4TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT FOR THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF BOISE

IN RE: Sarah Jane McKay
Legal Name

A Petition to change the name of Sarah Jane McKay, now residing in the City of Idaho City, State of Idaho, has been filed in the District Court in Boise County, Idaho. The name will change to Torvi McKay. The reason for the change in name is: Religious reasons, connects me to my faith.

A hearing on the petition is scheduled for 11 o'clock a.m. on 2/14/24 at the Boise County Courthouse. Objections may be filed by any person who can show the court a good reason against the name change.

Date: 1/10/2024 11:06:40 AM

CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT
By: Tanya Lamark
Deputy Clerk

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS CASE NO. CV08-23-00245

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF BOISE

MAGISTRATE DIVISION
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: Meredith Gail Heiss; and Robert J. Heiss
Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that James Victor Taylor, with the address of 23813, 19th Ave, NE, Arlington, WA 98223, has been appointed personal representative of the above-named decedent. All persons having claims against the decedent or the estate are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of the Notice to Creditors, or within 60 days after the personal representative mailed or delivered a copy of this Notice to such persons, whichever is later, or said claims will be forever barred.

Claims must be presented to the personal representative's attorney at the address indicated, and filed with the Clerk of the Court.
DATED: 01/23/2024

Attorney for Personal Representative
Jesse R. Thomas
[I.S.B. No. 8271]
Idaho Legal Estates and Probate Attorney at Law
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS Case No. CV08-23-00312

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF BOISE

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MICKEY PAT YARDLEY
Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of the above-named decedent. All persons having claims against the decedent or the estate are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of the Notice to Creditors, or within 60 days after the undersigned mailed or delivered a copy of this Notice to such persons, whichever is later, or said claims will be forever barred.

Claims must be presented to the undersigned at the address indicated, and filed with the Clerk of the Court.

DATED this 18 day of January, 2024.

Michelle Randall, Co-Personal Representative
c/o Tore Beal-Gwartney
Cosho Humphrey, LLP
1501 S. Tyrell Lane
Boise, Idaho 83706
Phone: (208) 344-7811

DATED this 18 day of January, 2024.

James Yardley, Co-Personal Representative
c/o Tore Beal-Gwartney
Cosho Humphrey, LLP
1501 S. Tyrell Lane
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Phone: (208) 344-7811

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING LEGAL NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That the Boise County Board of County Commissioners will hold Public Hearings on March 5, 2024 for 1) at 10:00 am in the Commission Chambers in Idaho City, Partial Plat Amendment of Archie Creek Estates No.2-PPA 2024-002 Farber/Paulson, and 2) at 10:30 am for minor subdivision application SMP 2024-001 Timber Creek Meadows Minor Sub. All interested persons are invited to attend these meetings. Special accommodations for persons with disabilities will be provided upon advance request to the Clerk's Office 208-392-4431.

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OBITUARY

**Bonnie Jean Cox
1957 - 2024**

Bonnie passed away unexpectedly on the morning of February 1st. She was born on September 27, 1957 to Pete and Margit Thompson in Harlowton, Montana where her family was involved in the logging business. She grew up in Montana and Idaho and moved to Boise County in 1980, where she lived and worked for 44 years.

Bonnie was involved in almost every job industry that Boise County had to offer. Because of Bonnie's various work history, she touched the lives of many people.

Bonnie met and married a fellow Boise County resident, Steve Cox, on November 14, 1992 and moved to Crouch, where she lived for the remainder of her life.

Bonnie made it her life's work to transform a cabin and an acre of woods into a beautiful home and park like setting. She shared her yard freely with every animal in the woods and never tried to lock them out.

Bonnie loved all animals. She always had at least one dog and took care of multiple stray cats. She was happy to see and feed the multitude of raccoons that returned every year in the winter. Bonnie started her dream job with Cascade Veterinary Clinic in 2016 and worked as a vet tech. She loved working with Dr. Keith and the rest of the staff. She was so happy helping and taking care of all the animals.

A year and a half ago, Bonnie was reunited with her son, Justin. This past summer, Steve and Bonnie traveled to Montana and were able to spend time with her family there. When she returned from the trip, she shared that her heart was finally full.

Bonnie was a very caring and loving person and will be missed by all who loved her.

Bonnie is survived by her husband of 31 years, Steve Cox; her son, Justin (Allison) Lattin; three grandchildren Madison Lattin, Megan (Gabe) Hall and Scarlet Lattin; three great-grandchildren, Nathanyl and Jo Brooks and Olivia Hall; sisters Lorraine Fisher and Gina Phillips; and brothers James (Shari) Fisher and LeRoy (Kathy) Thompson; and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, Pete and Margit Thompson and sister, Linda (Michael) Korsmeyer.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials be sent to: Cascade Veterinary Clinic, 15 Veterinary Way, Garden Valley, ID 83622.

There will be a celebration of life in the spring.

CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR WILLIAM "BILL" JONES on March 2nd at 4pm, 94 Middlefork Rd. in Garden Valley. "We look forward to having anyone and everyone who cared for Bill to come and spend the evening how he would have wanted: loving, laughing, and reminiscing on all the good times together." As a special request, the family encourages you to fill your sympathy cards with fond memories of Bill.



Hwy 55 near the Dry Creek intersection.

Photo by Karen Benedict

BOISE COUNTY

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A beautiful rainbow in Boise County, photo taken from Highway 55. Photo by Karen Benedict

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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 & Fridays-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:

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BOISE COUNTY

BOISE COUNTY HISTORY CLASS 101

By Skip Myers

IDAHO CITY -- The Idaho City Schoolhouse has a long and storied history, which began when the first schoolhouse was opened in December 1863, located on the hill close to the original Catholic church. In 1867, that structure caught fire and burned down, causing the school to take up residence in the former Jenny Lind Theater. For years this sufficed as the center of education in Idaho City. Then, in 1891, a grand undertaking began – the tearing down of the existing structure and the building of a brand new, two-story white clapboard schoolhouse.

It was in June of 1891 that John Rust, who purchased the old schoolhouse for thirty dollars, began construction. By July, the *Idaho World* reported that, "The schoolhouse is beginning to loom up finely." The paper reported that the structure had gone up and commented that, "the building will soon present a handsome appearance." On August 21, the

Idaho World predicted that the schoolhouse "will be completed in three weeks." However, by September 9th the funds ran out, and although only a week's worth of work remained, progress had to stop. The paper noted that by September 11, 1891, the schoolhouse trustees John Kennally, Charles Mann, and O.A. Duquette each put in three days of construction work on the school. But the construction was yet unfinished, so a benefit dance was held at the school on September 18th and \$137.95 was raised in support of the schoolhouse – enough to complete the building.

Once the building was finished, it housed grades 1st through 8th. In Idaho City, it was common that 12 to 15 kids would attend school. As was the practice in many late nineteenth-century schools, the students were not separated into different classrooms by grade but were instead seated in a shared room in order of their general level of ability. Usually, this meant that the young-

er students were placed at the front of the room and older students towards the back. Students would be promoted to the next level, and next row back, when the teacher believed they were ready.

This new building continued to serve as the Idaho City Schoolhouse until the 1960s, when city offices moved to occupy it. At that time, the building underwent extensive remodeling, finding ways to preserve its schoolhouse charm while also meeting the needs of present-day government offices. The project received recognition from the Idaho Historic Preservation Council and the project architects received both an Honor Award and a Materials Used Design Award from the Idaho Chapter of the American Institute of Architects. Idaho City has been on the National Register of Historic Places since 1975 and buildings such as the old schoolhouse continue to provide a unique showcase of Idaho's early mining days.



Idaho City Schoolhouse in 1891 - now City Hall. Photo courtesy of the Idaho State Historical Society



Current photo of City Hall in Idaho City. Photo by Eileen Capson



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This picture is of grades 1st through 8th. The lady on the back row was Carla Broad, and she taught grades 5th through 8th. The lady in the middle was Myrtle Pennington and she taught grades 1st through 4th. Additionally, Barbara remembered that the dog's name was King and belonged to her older sister and her husband. "They had no children in school, but King escorted as many of us to school as he could and when the bell rang, he would sit at the door and watch like a guard." Photo courtesy of Barbara Kennedy from 1953-1954 - pictured in the middle row to the left of Mrs. Pennington, brother was the tallest in the back row, and sister in the back row on the far right.



East Boise County turkeys in February.

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