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Christmas in Garden Valley & Crouch

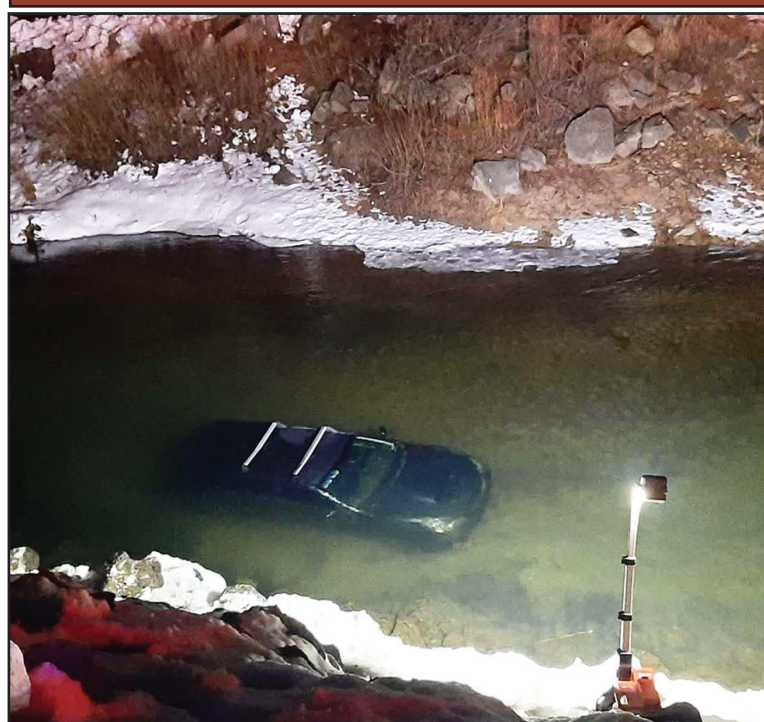


The Garden Valley Christmas tree glimmered with the hope of the season.



Little Jaxson had been a good boy all year and told Santa what he hoped to find on Christmas morning. *Photos by Linda Ruppel, DDS*

Vehicle Accident off Black Ice Submerged into Creek



A fully submerged vehicle resulted from a crash, which happened in the early morning hours of December 22nd. According to Boise County Sheriff Scott Turner, the passengers were able to exit the vehicle with what is believed to be minor injuries. They then were picked up by a passerby and taken to Boise. *Photo courtesy of BCSO*



Middlefork Trading Post

Photos by Linda Ruppel, DDS



Beautiful Christmas lights in Garden Valley.



The vehicle had dealer plates and was assisted by two large wreckers later in the day, when it was light. The accident occurred south of Dunnigan Creek on Highway 21. *Photos by Eileen Capson*

HAPPENINGS IN BOISE COUNTY

GARDEN VALLEY - Come to Weilmunster Park on New Year's Eve (Dec. 31) at 5:30pm to enjoy hot cocoa and light lanterns off at 6:15pm. Lanterns are \$5 and can be purchased at the GV Market, GV Homes & Land, GV Properties, The Merc, and Trading Post. All proceeds go to GV School Scholarship Program and hosted by the Garden Valley Chamber of Commerce.

IDAHO CITY - Suicide Loss Survivors Peer Support Group - *You are not alone.* Four sessions every 3rd Thursday, January - April 2025, 6:30-7:45pm at the Idaho City Christian Center office building.



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BOISE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Transcribed by Eileen Capson

December 17, 2024

Present: Commissioners Clay Tucker, Bob Callahan and Lindy Lindstrom

Pledge of Allegiance

MINUTES: Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to approve the minutes from December 10th and the motion carried.

ARROWROCK ROAD TRAFFIC DISCUSSION:

Keith Hyde brought some "visuals" for the commissioners. He is the owner of a campground off of Arrowrock Road and expressed some concerns with the increased traffic. He would like to recommend that the speed limit be reduced from 30 mph to about 25 mph. Hyde said, "We all know that it probably won't actually slow to 25, but maybe it will from 45 to 35, or 35 to less." Sheriff Scott Turner said it was a reasonable request and commented that the marina was posted at 25 mph, "and the marina doesn't have nearly the amount of foot traffic on the roadway... Why we haven't had somebody hit yet is beyond me, but knock on wood."

The county prosecutor will research the issue and the board will likely approve the speed limit drop in the coming future.

SURPLUS: Sheriff Turner said there were three older vehicles that they had that are

ready to go to the auction. He said, "They're junk, they're beyond their life, just a money pit. So, we already stripped them out." Lindstrom motioned to surplus three vehicles at auction. The motion carried.

ROAD AND BRIDGE: The year-end report was discussed, changes need to be made, and the report will be presented at a later date.

COMMUNITY JUSTICE: Amanda Leader spoke regarding her nine years with the county and said that this year had been this year had been difficult with reduced number of staff members. She is now able to take some vacation time and requested time off, while still carry the caseload. Leader explained that she had been getting further and further behind because she did not have a "fully functioning computer. I cannot access all of our department files and information that I need to, to do everything I need to do if I'm away from my desk." Her caseload has doubled over the year. Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to approve Leader to carry her vacation time over through 2025.

FUNDS: Clerk Mary Prisco spoke of obligating and appropriating certain funds. Prosecutor Alex Sosa explained that they were left over COVID dollars and that there should not be an issue obligating that

to EBCAD (East Boise County Ambulance District). There was discussion to "share a little bit of the money," by Sosa. Chairman Tucker discussed gathering costs and numbers.

PROSECUTOR: Alex Sosa explained that there was a surge in the number of cases, many from the Treasure Valley that still needed to be prosecuted. He added, "With the increase in population and crime in our county, I think that it's time that we get another deputy prosecuting prosecutor to assist. That would give me more time to focus on these bigger sex cases or run-of-the-mill methamphetamine cases... At looking at other counties, I mean, we're punching above our weight."

Clerk Mary Prisco expressed some concerns regarding budgeting. Sheriff Turner said that their officers have been putting in a lot of hours to investigate crimes and "the people of this county are not getting justice."

Commissioner Lindstrom said, "I feel like we're almost obligated to our constituents." Chairman Tucker added, "Well, as commissioners, we are charged with the safety of the county." Commissioner Callahan responded, "We've got to figure out where we can fund it from. We've got to make it work. But I completely agree, we need it and we need

you [Sosa] in here."

EAST BOISE COUNTY AMBULANCE DISTRICT: Documents were tabled until Friday of that week for a commissioners' meeting before the Christmas break.

TAX CANCELATIONS: Several motions were said for tax cancelations and the motions carried.

SHERIFF'S VESSEL: Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to approve the annual Sheriff's vessel fund report 2024. The motion carried.

WILDFIRE MITIGATION COORDINATOR: The commissioners will be interviewing candidates for the job at the first of the new year.

SOLID WASTE: Lindstrom motioned to approve the letter of support for the IRWS re-opening the landfill on Simco Road.

A new request for a dump trailer was discussed for the Solid Waste Department. It would be for transporting tires. A motion was said to approve the request for a dump trailer in the amount of \$11,949. The motion carried.

WATER BILLS: Planning and Zoning Administrator Alex Gross said that the city

of Idaho City had raised their water rates "exorbitantly in my opinion. And they've put us into the commercial category. So, I know with my new rates, I won't have the budget in my budget to pay our water bills for the rest of the year. I know that this also applies to EBCAD, won't have the budget to pay for our water bill for the rest of the year. I don't know if it's right that we got put into the commercial category. I think that most of our billing is probably used less than a house. A lot less than a house." He suggested to the commissioners that they go to the city and request that they be taken out of that commercial rate, "because we don't have a budget for it this year." He asked Callahan if he was recognizing the increase with his businesses. Commissioner Callahan replied, "One went up over \$500 dollars."

WILKS BROTHERS: Administrator Gross informed the board that in several other counties the Wilks brothers, who own large parcels of land, had planned communities and development, over 22,000

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Garden Valley Senior Center Christmas Karaoke Party



GARDEN VALLEY -- The Garden Valley Senior Center held a rollicking Christmas Party for members last Wednesday. The evening was marked with karaoke singing to the words and music on the big tv screen, a wonderful buffet and joyful hearts celebrating the blessings of Christmas.

Photo submitted by the GVSC

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Very Successful Toys for Tots Program for Boise County

By Earl McCreary

BOISE COUNTY -- The VFW 142 Marine Corp's Toys for Tots has ended. This year was more successful than years before. We were able to provide toys for 126 kids. There were around 600 or more toys. We also got twenty-one bikes for kids. We were able to provide toys to Idaho City, Horseshoe Bend, Garden Valley and one family in Cascade. It was pointed out we really don't bring the program to Lowman; my plans are to ensure that our kids in Lowman are an active part of the program next year. I already have a point of contact to help with this.

We want to thank everyone

in the community that helped make this a success. Especially Shelly Heffington for helping with the sorting of bags and helping to get the gifts out to the families. Kaden Heffington put about fifteen of the twenty-one bikes together for the families. Scott Turner and the Sheriff's office for the conference room to prepare the toys for our community. Thanks to Dawn Gillis at Boise Basin School and Bundy Stephens at Garden Valley School for getting applications to families. They helped around 50 families to get applications submitted. Anderson Hardware Store donated some materials to help with this project, thanks Jim. A

big Thanks to Mac McCreary and MP Racing Team for lending us their Race trailer to haul all the toys. Thanks to everyone in the community that helped us this year, we all appreciate

everyone's support.

Especially we owe big thanks to the Marines that organize this program for everyone. It makes this possible. Christmas is upon us, we all did a wonderful job

for our kids, now try and carry this Christmas Spirit throughout the community with little acts of kindness to our people in the communities.



Bags and bags of toys arrived at the Sheriff's Office.



Santa's sled arrived at the Sheriff's Office.

Photos by Earl McCreary



Keep the Magic Alive: Choose a Sober Ride



BOISE COUNTY -- As Idahoans prepare for holiday gatherings and festive celebrations, the Idaho Office of Highway Safety (OHS) reminds everyone to make a sober ride home part of their Christmas plans.

"All anyone wants for Christmas is to have their loved ones safe and together," said Highway Safety Manager Josephine Middleton. "Too many lives have been devastated by senseless drunk driving crashes. By planning ahead for a sober ride, we can prevent heartache and keep the season joyful for years to come."

In 2023, impaired driving in Idaho caused 1,708 crashes and resulted in 105 fatalities. These tragedies serve as a sobering reminder of the dangers of driving under the influence.

To help ensure a safe holiday season, OHS encourages everyone to take steps to avoid

impaired driving. Whether it's designating a sober driver, using a ride-share service, or making arrangements to stay where you're celebrating, planning ahead can save lives.

For more information and resources on safe driving, visit Shift Idaho and Be Here Tomorrow.

Let's work together to keep Idaho's roads safe and ensure everyone has a magical Christmas season.

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What You Should Know about Veterans' Death Benefits

By Earl McCreary

BOISE COUNTY -- Many of us have veterans in our county. Any veteran who was discharged with anything but a dishonorable discharge is entitled to death benefits. This article will cover some of the basic benefits and give you contact information to find out if your veteran is eligible and what benefits they are entitled to. My recommendation is to investigate potential benefits now and be prepared. If you know a veteran who would like to be buried in a State or National Veteran Cemetery, there is a pre-approval process that you can go through

to simplify the steps when the benefits are needed. My recommendation is to contact our Boise County Veteran Service Officers and find out what benefits you or your veteran are entitled to. The most important document to have been the Veteran's DD214. If there isn't a copy in your possession now, it is a simple but sometimes time-consuming process to get a copy. Our VSO can help you with that also. Jim White is our county VSO and can be reached at his cell phone number: 208-350-3780.

VA Burial Benefits – The Veteran's Administration provides for cash benefits when

a veteran passes away. There are two levels of benefits. The first is service-connected death. The VA will pay up to \$2,000 towards burial expenses. If the veteran is being buried in a Veteran's National cemetery, some or all the transportation costs could be covered. The second is non-service-connected death. The VA will pay up to \$978 towards all burial and funeral costs. They will also cover up to \$978 in plot-interment allowance. This would not apply if the veteran was buried in a national cemetery. To receive any of these benefits, you must provide a copy of the Death Certificate, receipts of the expenses, and/or a statement from the funeral director with the expenses listed. These must be expenses that you paid for: it will not cover any expenses that might have been pre-paid.

State Veteran Cemetery – The eligibility for burial in the state Veteran Cemetery follows the same eligibility as the national cemeteries and is set in their guidelines. Most veterans who were discharged under conditions other than dishonorable would be eligible. You don't have to be a state resident to be buried in an Idaho State Veter-



Arlington National Cemetery in Virginia. Photo by Earl McCreary

an's Cemetery. They offer options for the type of burial in Idaho. There are state cemeteries in Boise, Blackfoot, and Buhl. Spouses are eligible for burial or inurnment with their veteran. The cemetery has a pre-authorization process that can be completed. I have personally completed this and it is painless. The contact information for the Boise location is 208-780-1300. They are very helpful and willing to answer questions.

VA Memorial Benefits – The Veteran's Administration will help the family of a veteran be buried in a national cemetery and have services they will

provide for burial in a private cemetery. The burial in a private cemetery would include a government headstone, marker or medallion, a burial flag, and a President Memorial Certificate. These benefits would be included in a national cemetery. There are 155 VA national cemeteries found in 44 states. These options can complete the Pre-Need Burial Eligibility in advance.

There are many benefits available to veterans. My recommendation is that you speak with your County Veteran Service Officer in advance and find out what benefits you or your veteran would qualify for.



Idaho State Veterans Cemetery Photo by Earl McCreary

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County Commissioners

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acres. There was concern for the impact it would have with Highway 55, and suggested that the board should submit a comment to have mitigation work done. This would be another 1,200 homes and businesses. Gross will draft a letter.

PENDING LITIGATION EXECUTIVE SESSION: Chairman Tucker motioned to go into a closed executive session per the prosecutor's request regarding pending litigation. [Time 11:30pm to 11:40pm] Lindstrom motioned to change Data Tell Equipment for compatibility with internet service "based upon unforeseen circumstance raised" with a difference of \$2,580. The motion carried.

SNOWMOBILE GROOMING: A motion was said to agree to the cost share between the Idaho Department of Recreation and the county. The motion carried.

DEMAND WARRANT: Lindstrom motioned to ap-

prove a demand warrant to Barnum Law in the amount of \$9,142.25. The motion carried.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Chairman Tucker motioned to go into executive session under Idaho code to discuss a personnel issue. [Time 11:46 am to 12:14 pm] Lindstrom motioned to approve the request to hire a new employee for Community Justice. Commissioner Callahan abstained from voting, but the motion carried.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Chairman Tucker then motioned to go back into executive session to discuss another personnel issue. [Time 12:16 pm to 12:59 pm] Coming back into session, Lindstrom motioned for to approve the prosecutor's proposal of a new deputy prosecutor position in the amount of no more than \$111,086 of total compensation. The motion carried and Tucker said to Prosecutor Sosa, "Go hire somebody." Adjourned at 1:04 pm.

LEGAL NOTICE FOR BOISE COUNTY ELECTION CALENDAR FOR 2025

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following Districts will be conducting elections in Boise County during calendar year 2025:

NAME AND ADDRESS OF TAXING DISTRICT	ELECTION DATE	DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY FILING DEADLINE
Garden Valley School District #71 1053 Banks/Lowman Road Garden Valley	May 20, 2025	Last day to supply wording to the County Clerk for Bond/Levy is March 31, 2025 & Sept. 15, 2025 Declarations due Sept. 5, 2025
Trustee Seats Basin School District #72 100 Centerville Road Idaho City	November 4, 2025	Declarations due Sept. 5, 2025
Trustee Seats HSB School District # 73 398 School Drive Horseshoe Bend	May 20, 2025	Last day to supply wording to the County Clerk for Bond/Levy is March 31, 2025 & Sept. 15, 2025 Declarations due Sept. 5, 2025
Trustee Seats Emmett School District #221 501 E. Main St. Emmett	November 4, 2025	Declarations due Sept. 5, 2025
Trustee Seats Garden Valley Hospital District 980 Banks/Lowman Rd.; Garden Valley	May 20, 2025	Last day to supply wording to the County Clerk for Bond/Levy is March 31, 2025 & Sept. 15, 2025 Declarations due Sept. 5, 2025
Horseshoe Bend Hospital District 102 Quinn St.; Horseshoe Bend	May 20, 2025	Declarations due March 21, 2025
Horseshoe Bend Library District 392 Highway 55; Horseshoe Bend	May 20, 2025	Declarations due March 21, 2025
Boise Basin Library District 123 Montgomery St.; Idaho City	May 20, 2025	Declarations due March 21, 2025
Garden Valley Library District 85 Old Crouch Rd.; Garden Valley	May 20, 2025	Declarations due March 21, 2025
Two Forks Recreational Water & Sewer Dist. 1075 Banks/Lowman Rd.; Garden Valley	May 20, 2025	Declarations due March 21, 2025
Pioneer Cemetery District P.O. Box 584; Horseshoe Bend	November 4, 2025	Declarations due Sept. 5, 2025
East Boise County EMS District 204 Commercial St.; Idaho City	November 4, 2025	Declarations due Sept. 5, 2025
Eagle Fire Protection District 1 Paloma Drive; Boise	November 4, 2025	Declarations due Sept. 5, 2025
Idaho City Fire Protection District 3861 Hwy 21, Idaho City	November 4, 2025	Declarations due Sept. 5, 2025
Garden Valley Fire Protection District 373 S. Middlefork Rd.; Garden Valley	November 4, 2025	Declarations due Sept. 5, 2025
Horseshoe Bend Fire Protection District Gardena Fire Shed; Horseshoe Bend	November 4, 2025	Declarations due Sept. 5, 2025
Placerville Fire Protection District 115 Ranft; Placerville	November 4, 2025	Declarations due Sept. 5, 2025
Robie Creek Fire Protection District 139 Mores Creek Rim RD, Boise	November 4, 2025	Declarations due Sept. 5, 2025
Wilderness Ranch Fire Protection District 7 Wilderness Way; Boise	November 4, 2025	Declarations due Sept. 5, 2025
City of Crouch 342 Village Circle; Garden Valley	November 4, 2025	Declarations due Sept. 5, 2025
City of Horseshoe Bend 112 Ada St.; Horseshoe Bend	November 4, 2025	Declarations due Sept. 5, 2025
City of Idaho City 511 Main St.; Idaho City	November 4, 2025	Declarations due Sept. 5, 2025
City of Placerville 110 E. Granite St.; Placerville	November 4, 2025	Declarations due Sept. 5, 2025
Garden Valley Recreation District P.O. Box 433; Garden Valley	November 4, 2025	Declarations due Sept. 5, 2025

Declarations of candidacy are available at the respective taxing district offices or at the County Clerk's Office.
Signed: *Mary T. Prisco*
Mary T. Prisco, Clerk of Boise County Published in the Idaho World on December 25, 2024.



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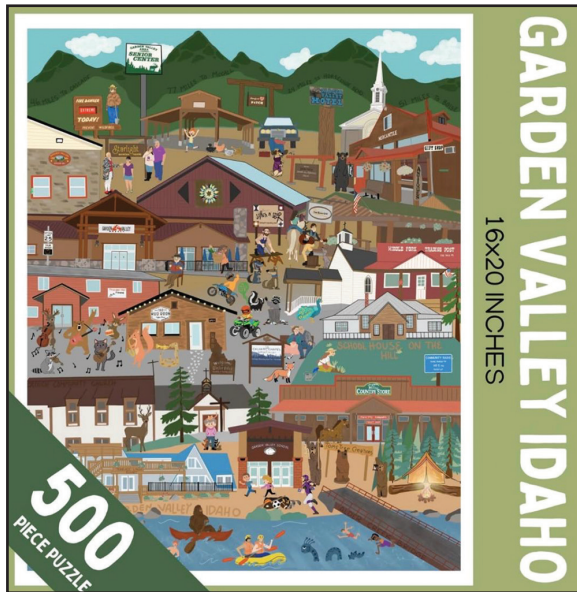
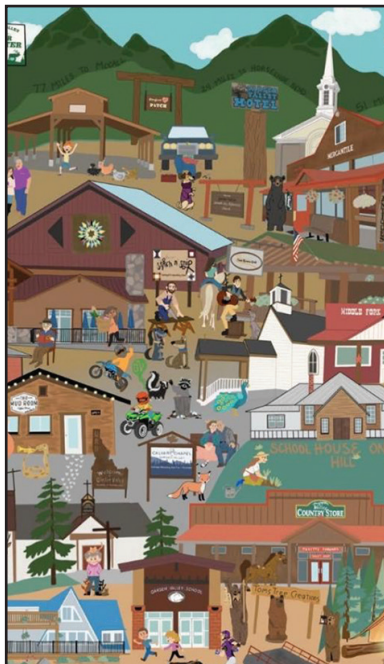
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Local Artist Selling Puzzle of GV

By Linda Ruppel, DDS
GARDEN VALLEY -- Crouch got a real treat the other day when Natalie Whiting Prestwich showcased her new puzzle and children's book. She designed all the artwork featuring iconic GV places. The first sale was last Friday, on December 20th. She wrote, "This is a puzzle that I drew and tried to add as many pieces of Garden Valley in that I love. You can look around the picture and see something new every time."



Natalie Whiting Prestwich debuted her new book and 500-piece puzzle this past weekend. Be sure to check her Facebook page for future puzzle signings and sales. Photo by Linda Ruppel, DDS



Children's book recently released by local artist.

New Year's Eve Lantern Lighting Festival
 Tuesday, Dec. 31 - starts at 5:30 pm for Hot Chocolate, Group Lift-off 6:15 pm
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Thanks to all the donors who contributed funds. From big corporations, to small local businesses to individuals and kids with piggy banks. Every penny helps the success of the program.

The 40 volunteers who gave up their time, energy and talent were essential to the program. Without your help we could not meet all the needs. Thanks to you all!

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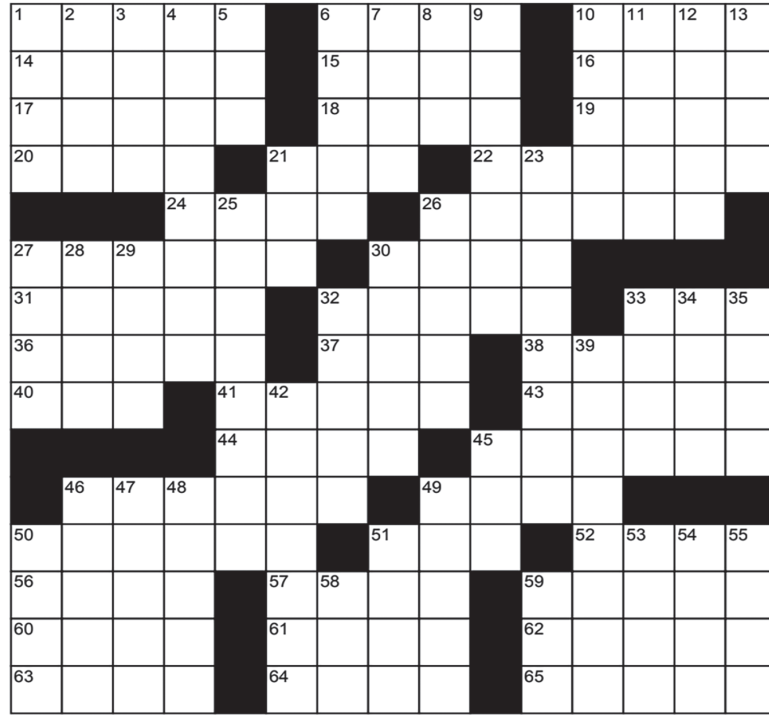
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- 1 Water retention
- 6 Eye infection
- 10 Wager
- 14 Halos
- 15 Past
- 16 Residence hall
- 17 Stint
- 18 Grub
- 19 Cask
- 20 Swarm
- 21 Container
- 22 Carsickness symptom queasiness
- 24 Computer picture button
- 26 Gem
- 27 Sudden flow toward something
- 30 Not yours
- 31 Spirits
- 32 Recover
- 33 Exhaust

- 36 Throw out
- 37 East southeast
- 38 Cheek make up
- 40 Zip
- 41 A vacation (2 wds.)
- 43 Accumulate debt
- 44 So we see
- 45 Prestige
- 46 Elect (2 wds.)
- 49 Fork prong
- 50 Rive
- 51 Expression of surprise
- 52 Neck hair
- 56 University (abbr.)
- 57 Alter
- 59 Trotted
- 60 Go out with
- 61 Student's dread
- 62 Trio
- 63 Mined metals
- 64 Southeast by east
- 65 Meaningful

DOWN

- 1 Direction
- 2 Earl
- 3 Canal
- 4 Nipple
- 5 Poisonous snake
- 6 Beer mug
- 7 Other ___
- 8 Still
- 9 Draw into a tangle
- 10 Tally (2 wds.)
- 11 Norwegian
- 12 Not as false
- 13 Austin novel
- 21 Put into a container
- 23 Belonging to Assyria
- 25 Tipped
- 26 Mint ___
- 27 Association (abbr.)
- 28 Central points
- 29 Unfold
- 30 Desert pond
- 32 Old show
- 33 "no ___ luck"
- 34 Accent mark
- 35 Fresh
- 39 Again (2 wds.)
- 42 Steals
- 45 Central Intelligence Agency
- 46 Priest
- 47 Elliptic
- 48 Ocean movements
- 49 Herb
- 50 Pedestal part
- 51 Arabian
- 53 Capital of Western Samoa
- 54 Legible
- 55 Swirl
- 58 Hatchet
- 59 Long-term memory

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CHARMY'S ARMY

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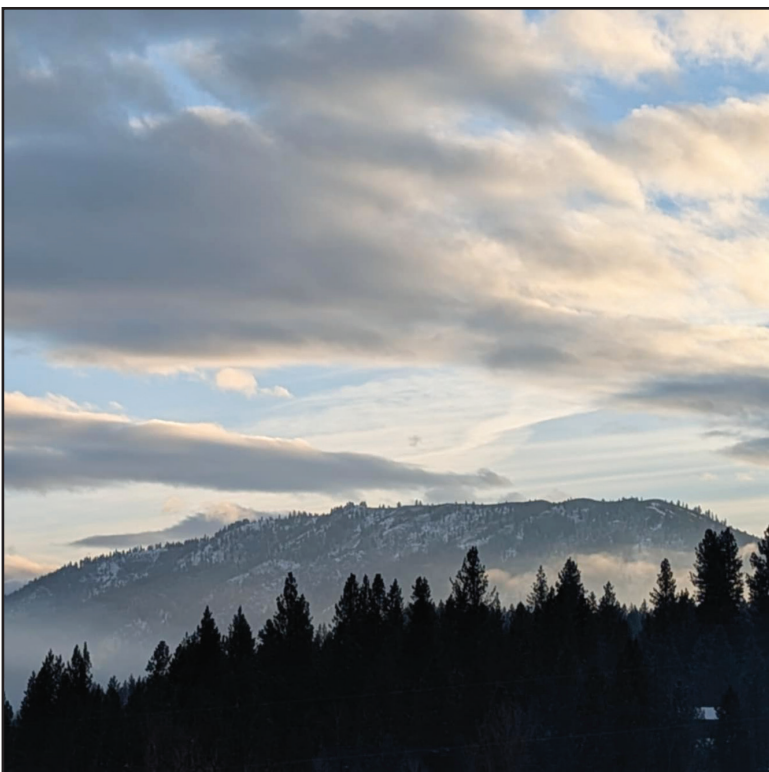
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Heaven on earth in the Boise County mountains. Photo by Tim Benedict

BOISE COUNTY

HORSESHOE BEND SENIOR CENTER January's Menu & Activities

The Horseshoe Bend Senior Center invites the community to join them for dine-in meals every Tuesday and Friday at 12:15 p.m. Meals for visitors and those not registered are a suggested donation of \$6, for registered seniors the charge is \$5 per meal. Children under 12 are \$3 each. The center's phone number is 208-793-2344. Updates and monthly classes can be found on the Horseshoe Bend & Area Senior Center Facebook page.

January's menu:

Tuesday 12/31: Happy New Year!

Friday 1/3: Chicken Cacciatore, mixed vegetable salad, roll, fruit, dessert

Tuesday 1/7: Minestrone soup (beef), mixed vegetable salad, roll, fruit, dessert

Friday 1/10: Baked potato bar w/ beef chili, mixed vegetable salad, biscuit, fruit, dessert

Tuesday 1/14: Beef meatball sandwich, mixed vegetable salad, roll, fruit, dessert

Friday 1/17: Chicken risotto, mixed vegetable salad, bis-

cuit, fruit, dessert

Tuesday 1/21: Chicken & stuffing bake, mixed vegetable salad, roll, fruit, dessert

Friday 1/24: Ham & potato soup, mixed vegetable salad, fruit, dessert

Tuesday 1/28: Pepper steak stir fry, mixed vegetable salad, roll, fruit, dessert

Friday 1/31: Chicken pot pie, mixed vegetable salad, roll, fruit, dessert

All meals are served with coffee, iced tea, water, or milk

BOISE BASIN SENIOR CENTER January's Menu & Activities

Thursday, January 2, 2025
Ham, scalloped potatoes, green beans, rolls, pineapple

Tuesday, January 7, 2025
Beef stroganoff, corn, garlic bread, pears

Wednesday, January 8, 2025 FOOD BANK 11:30-1PM

Thursday, January 9, 2025
Ribs, baked beans, potato salad, bread sticks, pears

Tuesday, January 14, 2025
Turkey, mashed potatoes and gravy, green bean casserole, bread sticks, peaches

Thursday, January 16, 2025

Chicken parmesan with pasta, corn, garlic bread, pineapple

Tuesday, January 21, 2025
Meatloaf, mashed potatoes and gravy, mixed vegetables, bread, fruit cocktail

Wednesday, January 22, 2025 FOOD BANK 11:30-1PM

Thursday, January 23, 2025
BBQ chicken legs, macaroni and cheese, corn, apricots, garlic bread

Tuesday, January 28, 2025
Polish Sausage with roasted vegetables, buttered noodles,

bread sticks, pears

Thursday, January 30, 2025

Pork roast, mashed potatoes and gravy, mixed vegetables, garlic bread, fruit cocktail

FIT AND FALL PROOF ACTIVITY - Tuesdays & Thursdays at 10AM-10:45

BUS TO BOISE - Wednesday, January 1, 2025 at 9AM

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION - Thursday, January 30, 2025 at Lunch

SENIOR CENTER BOARD MEETING - Wednesday, January 8, 2025 10AM

The Senior Center is open for in-house dining

Soup is on at 10:45AM
Salad Bar opens at 11:30AM
Entrée is from Noon to 12:30PM

Check-in with us on Facebook for updated information

Boise Basin Senior Center is a Non-Profit Organization Your Donations are Greatly Appreciated
Suggested Meal Donation is: \$5 for Seniors \$6 for those under 60

GARDEN VALLEY SENIOR CENTER January's Menu & Activities

Tuesday Lunches

11:30am-12:30pm by donation

JAN 7 - Pork roast w/ potatoes and carrots, roll, salad bar, fresh fruit, dessert

JAN 14 - Meatloaf w/ scalloped potatoes, green beans, roll, salad bar, fresh fruit, dessert

JAN 21 - Spaghetti in meat sauce, garlic bread, salad bar, fresh fruit, dessert

JAN 28 - Sparerib w/ sauerkraut, baked beans, Cole slaw, roll, salad bar, fresh fruit, dessert

****Anyone, any age can come and enjoy a meal and good conversation!!**

GAMES/PUZZLE DAY will continue Thursdays at 11:30-2:00pm. Play cards, board games, or work on puzzles. You can bring lunch items to share too!

FOOD BOXES - Boxes will be distributed on **JANUARY 2ND and JANUARY 16TH** from 9:30am-11:30am at the Senior Center. Boxes are available for anyone/any age. A special thank you goes to the volunteer team who put the boxes together for those in need.

NO BINGO NIGHT IN

JANUARY!! The BINGO team needs to rest and restock supplies, BINGO will resume in February.

MONTHLY GVSSC BOARD MEETING - The meeting will take place on **MONDAY, JANUARY 13th at 6:00pm**. Please attend and share ideas for upcoming events at the Garden Valley Senior Center, comment on needed services, and support the Board. Your input is vital to the ongoing success of the Center!!

LOW IMPACT AEROBICS CLASS - NEW EXERCISE VIDEOS!! What a fun way to get some exercise! The 30-minute session is every Tuesday and Thursday from 10:30am-11:00am.

GARDEN VALLEY RESOURCE GUIDE is available on our website www.gvsenior-center.org. If you would like additional resources added, please contact the Senior/Social Center and we will get a message to John Cottingham.

SENIOR CENTER OFFICE HOURS are Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays from 10am-12pm. The phone number is 208-462-3943. Note: The center will be closed December 20th through January 1st for the Holidays. Merry Christmas to All!

Why We Travel

Saturday Jan. 11th at 1:00 pm

Wayne Bushnell shares a lifetime of pictures and experiences from around the globe. Come and learn about different places, people and cultures.

Boise Basin Library Community Room
123 Montgomery St.
Idaho City, Idaho 83631
208-392-4558

This program is free and all are welcome



Horseshoe Bend Senior Center

January HSB senior center

3 9:30 outdoor walk 10:15 tai chi 11 game day	7 10:15 outdoor walk 11 senior stretch 11 game day	10 9:30 outdoor walk 10:15 senior fit 11 game day
14 10:15 outdoor walk 11 tai chi Foot Clinic	17 9:30 outdoor walk 10:15 senior fit 11 game day	21 10:15 outdoor walk 11 senior fit
24 9:30 outdoor walk 10:15 tai chi 11 game day	28 10:15 outdoor walk 11 senior fit	31 9:30 outdoor walk 10:15 cardio dance 11 card making

Tues & Fri
Lunch 12:15 PM
BINGO after lunch

Walks will automatically be canceled if weather is snowy or icy



CLASSIFIEDS

HELP WANTED:

The City of Horseshoe Bend will be accepting resumes for the job of City Clerk

Starting now until December 31st, 2024 at 5:30 p.m.

Benefits include employee paid insurance, Persi retirement and 4 day work week.

Resumes can be dropped off at Horseshoe Bend City Hall, 112 Ada Street, Horseshoe Bend, Idaho.

Applicants will be contacted for interviews so please include your phone number.

Boise County Sheriff's Dispatch Center is currently accepting applications for a full time 911 Communications Officer.

This position includes shift work, holidays, and weekends. Applicants must be at least 18 years of age, have a high school diploma or equivalency. Applicants must successfully pass a background check, polygraph, and type 35 words a minute

Starting salary is \$18.25/hr. County Benefits (medical, dental, vision, paid sick leave, and vacation) included.

Applications may be obtained from the Boise County web site www.boisecounty.us, or Boise County Dispatcher Center / PO Box 189/3851 Highway 21, Idaho City, ID 83631. 208-392-4411.

Boise County is accepting applications for a Janitor. Basic functions include travel between county owned buildings to perform routine interior and exterior cleaning and minor maintenance duties; monitor building security and safety and maintain cleaning supplies inventories. This position

is part-time (20 hours per week) with no benefits. You may pick-up or submit applications in person at 404 Montgomery Street, Idaho City, ID 83631. In addition, applications can be emailed to Amanda Leader at aleader@co.boise.id.us or sent by mail to P.O. Box 486, Idaho City, ID 83631. Interviews will begin immediately and the position will be open until filled. Applicants must be able to pass a background check and pre-employment drug test. Boise County is an Equal Opportunity Employer and gives Veteran's Preference in its hiring practices.

Boise County is accepting applications for a Snow Removal/Building and Grounds Maintenance position. Basic functions include performing minor maintenance duties in maintaining county owned buildings and grounds and snow removal in the winter months, including public pathways by 8:00am. This position is part-time (20 hours per week) with no benefits. You may pick-up or submit applications in person at 404 Montgomery Street, Idaho City, ID 83631. In addition, applications can be emailed to Amanda Leader at aleader@co.boise.id.us or sent by mail to P.O. Box 486, Idaho City, ID 83631. Interviews will begin immediately and the position will be open until filled. Applicants must be able to pass a background check and pre-employment drug test. Boise County is an Equal Opportunity Employer and gives Veteran's Preference in its hiring practices.

Duquette Pines HOA seeks Help. A Property Manager/Maintenance Operator is need-

ed for a part-time and on-call position. Salary and duties are negotiable depending upon skills & experience. Hours are flexible unless supervising contractors. If interested please contact Carol Kirkland for job description at 208-908-3960 or kirklandcak77@gmail.com

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 \$17.16 per hour. Benefits included are: Health Insurance, paid vacation, paid sick time, paid holidays and PERSI retirement. To apply, submit to cjuszczak@co.boise.id.us the following: (1) a filled-out Boise County application form; (2) a cover letter; and (3) a resume.

Boise County Community Justice is accepting applications for an Community Service Coordinator/Administrative Assistant. Basic functions include performing a variety of administrative and clerical tasks to support the daily activities of the department and to maintain the community service program. This

position is full-time (40 hours per week) with benefits. For a detailed job description, visit <http://www.boisecounty.us/Employment.aspx>. You may pick-up or submit applications in person at Boise County Community Justice, located at 404 Montgomery Street, Idaho City, ID 83631. In addition, applications can be emailed to Amanda Leader at aleader@co.boise.id.us or sent by mail to P.O. Box 486, Idaho City, ID 83631. Interviews will begin immediately and the position will be open until filled. Applicants must be able to pass a background check and pre-employment drug test. Boise County is an Equal Opportunity Employer and gives Veteran's Preference in its hiring practices.

Mountain Towing is hiring on-call drivers. Looking for a new adventure and an opportunity to earn extra income? Based in Centerville. Must have clean driving record. Call between 8:30am-2pm, 208-695-7452.

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

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.) **URGENT need for volunteers to pick up food for our community from the Idaho Food Bank in Boise. Contact the Senior Center for details.**

Alcoholics Anonymous - Meet in Idaho City at 7pm on Fridays at the Library, 123 Montgomery St. (Meet at the back of the building.)

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

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

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

COMMUNITY SERVICES:

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



*Why can't it remain,
All through the year
Each day the same,
That spirit of Christmas*

"That Spirit of Christmas" -Sidewalk Prophets

See ya Sunday at the Merc

Mountain Life Ministries Idaho City 10:00

BUSINESSES

- Lara Alexander - Real Estate.....(208) 869-4644
- Anthony Insurance Group - Medicare.....(208) 477-7057
- Berg Plumbing.....(208) 899-9404
- Billy Bob's Rentals & Event Center.....(208) 462-5262
- Boise County Sanitation, LLC.....(208) 488-5908
- Castle Mt. Homes - Contractor.....(208) 462-2882
- Dave's Welding/Auto Repair.....(208) 392-4270
- My Place(208) 392-9666
- Garibaldi Charters.....(800) 900-4665
- Garden Valley Dental.....(208) 462-2220
- Garden Valley Properties.....(208) 462-4620
- Home Boutique.....(208) 392-5223
- High Ground Electric(208) 342-0519
- Jeannie Kittelmann Realtor.....(208) 703-6307
- McDonough Group.....(208) 985-6931 or (208) 901-5741
- Medicare Benefits.....(208) 350-9933
- Miller Enterprises Trash pick up(208) 793-2561
- Mt. Properties for Sale.....(208) 331-7929
- Mt. Towing & Recovery..(208)867-3004 or (208) 392-1555
- Rachel O'Brien Realtor.....(208) 392-5223
- Severance Sand & Gravel(208) 462-3005
- Sourdough Lodge(208) 259-3326
- Terrace Lakes Resort(208) 462-3250
- Terry Peterson - Real Estate.....(208) 608-4329
- Twisted Turkey.....(208) 392-9757
- Valley Christian Center.....(208) 793-2448
- Frank Walker - Law Firm.....(208) 462-6388

Are you pregnant and not sure what to do next? It's important to confirm your pregnancy before making any decisions. Schedule a free and confidential appointment at one of our Path clinic locations. Or visit Wee One's Wardrobe in Horseshoe Bend to access free baby clothes, diapers, baby accessories, and maternity clothing. Visit our website at treasurevalley.path.org or call (208) 417-3485 for more information.

Wee One's Wardrobe

HORSESHOE BEND, ID
102 Quinn Street
Horseshoe Bend, ID 83629

BOISE COUNTY

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR ANNEXATION OF LANDS

TO NAMPA & MERIDIAN IRRIGATION DISTRICT

A request for annexation has been filed by **Micron Technology Inc., 8000 S. Federal Way PO Box 6, Boise, ID 83706** with Nampa & Meridian Irrigation District for annexation of lands legally described as: parcels of land being a portion of SEC 8 2N 3E, Boise, **Ada County**, Idaho and being more particularly described as follows:

BEG SW QTR COR SEC 8 2N 3E, TH S 89*49'6"E 1313.58 FT, TH N 0*14'16"E 1319.04 FT, TH N 89*49'17"W 1313.57 FT TO W LINE SAID SEC, TH ALONG SAID W LINE N 0*14'19"E 1318.98 FT, TH N 0*13'32"E 1319.98 FT, TH S 89*50'17"E 2627.38 FT TO E-W ½ SEC LINE, TH ALONG SAID E-W ½ SEC LINE S 0*14'14"W 3958.84 FT TO S LINE SEC 8, TH CONT S 0*11'44"W 2638.79 FT INTO SEC 17 2N 3E, TH CONT S 0*11'44"W 1317.75 FT, TH N 89*54'57"W 2629.38 FT, TH N 0*16'26"E 1319.92 FT TO N LINE SEC 17, TH CONT INTO SEC 8 N 0*12'16"E 2641.10 FT TO BEG.

The Board of Directors of Nampa & Meridian Irrigation District has set **07 January 2025 at 8:15 a.m.** at the office of the Board at 1503 First Street South, Nampa, Idaho for a hearing to accept or reject the Petition for Annexation. Any persons interested or who may be affected by such change of boundaries should appear at said hearing and show cause, in writing, why the lands should not be annexed to said District. Failure of any person to appear will be taken as an assent to a change in the boundaries. The Board of Directors will take all information presented at the hearing into consideration before rendering their decision.

If the Board of Directors deems it not for the best interest of the District to include the lands mentioned in the petition, the Board shall order that the petition be rejected. But, if they deem it for the best interest of the District to annex said property, the Board may order the lands mentioned in said petition or some part thereof annexed to said District. An order shall be issued by the Board to an-

nex said property, but said order shall not become effective until the ninety (90) day period for presentation of an election petition shall have expired without such petition being presented or until approval of the annexation at an election.

If within the ninety (90) days of Board approval of an order allowing annexation a petition signed by either ten (10) landowners or by two percent (2%) of the landowners, whichever number is greater, of the District is presented to the Board which petition states that those signing request an election to approve or disapprove said annexation, then the Board shall order an election be held within said District to determine whether the boundaries of the District shall be changed as mentioned in said order.

Lorri R. Gray, Secretary/Treasurer
Nampa & Meridian Irrigation District
1503 First Street South
Nampa, Idaho 83651

Telephone: 208-466-7861

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

LEGAL NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That the Boise County Board of County Commissioners will hold a Public Hearing on January 13, 2025 in the Commissioners Room, Miners Exchange, 420 Main St. Idaho City, ID regarding: 1) 10:00 AM PPA 2025-001, Turner Subdivision #2 Plat Amendment and 2) 10:30 AM SMP 2024-002, Elkhorn Estates Minor Subdivision. Applications and related materials can be found on the Planning and Zoning website or are available in the Boise County Planning and Zoning office. All interested persons are invited to attend this meeting. Special accommodations for persons with disabilities will be provided upon advance request to the Clerk's Office 208-392-4431.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS (I.C. § 15-3-801) CASE NO. CV08-24-00232 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 LYNWOOD E. CLARK, 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 (4) months after the date of the first publication of this Notice 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 17th day of December, 2024.

Attorney for Personal Representative
Christopher L. Clark
Address: c/o Ahrens DeAngeli Law Group LLP
P.O. Box 9500
Boise, Idaho 83707-9500
Telephone: (208) 639-7799

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AMBULANCE RIDE TICKETS

The City of Horseshoe Bend wishes to inform people in the Ambulance district that ride tickets can be obtained at City Hall, 112 Ada Street, Horseshoe Bend. The cost is \$25.00 for people who live in city limits and \$50.00 for outside city limits. These tickets allow one ride on the ambulance a year and the City will bill insurances but write off any remaining charges.

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Valley CHRISTIAN CENTER

Sunday Morning Services at 10 AM


109 S. Riverside Drive,
Horseshoe Bend, ID 83629
(208) 793-2448



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www.hsbvalleychristian.com
HSB Valley Christian Center on Facebook

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Lots from 1 - 40 Acres in Boise County
Terms - 10% down and 1% per month.



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For current list call: (208) 331-7929

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PROUDLY SERVING BOISE COUNTY
Office: 208-392-1555 -or- Cell: 208-867-3004



Terrace Lakes RESORT

101 Holiday Drive, Garden Valley, ID 83722
Office: 462-3250 • Pro Shop: 462-3314

Office
Open Daily

Mon. - Thurs.
8:30am - 4:30pm
Fri.
8:30am - 5:00pm
Sat. - Sun.
8:00am - 5:00pm

Restaurant
Mon. & Tues.
8am - 2pm
(can order food in bar until 8:00 pm)
Wed. & Thurs.
8am - 8pm
Fri. & Sat.
8am - 9pm
Sunday
8am - 8pm

The leaves are changing and soon we will have snow on the ground. Our golf course is now closed. Once we do get snow, our snow hill will open. Our pool will be open on Thanksgiving day and our lounge will be serving Thanksgiving dinner. The restaurant and kitchen will be closed though on Thanksgiving day. 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.

Come have some fun and enjoy our geothermal pool.

We have our new menu now with great 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.

Hot Springs Pool
Open Daily & to Public

Mon. - Thurs.
10am-8pm
Fri. & Sat.
9am-10pm
Sun.
9am-8pm

Lounge
Mon. - Wed.
2pm-Close
Thurs. - Fri.
12pm-Close
Sat. & Sun.
10am-Close

Golf Shop
Closed for the season

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208-350-9933



CarrieAnne Kowalczyk
carrieanne@ptibidaho.com



Personal Touch Insurance & Benefits

LEGAL NOTICES



Snowy Mores Creek along Highway 21 on Dec. 17th.
Photo by Eileen Capson

PUBLIC HEARING

The City Council of Horseshoe Bend will hold a public hearing to consider a preliminary plat modification for the DEER VALLEY SUBDIVISION. The public hearing will be held on January 8th, 2025 at Horseshoe Bend City Hall, 112 Ada Street, Horseshoe Bend, Idaho at 7:00 p.m. Anyone needing special accommodations should contact City Hall before January 2, 2025 at 208-793-2219.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS BY PUBLICATION

CASE NO. CV08-24-00248

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: JOHN A. PRINCE also known as JOHN ALFRED PRINCE, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that **Shasta Prince Bergener** has been appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of John A. Prince, also known as John Alfred Prince (the "Estate"). All persons having claims against John A. Prince, John Alfred Prince, or his estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred.

Claims must be: (1) presented to the Personal Representative in care of McAnaney Law Group at the address indicated below and (2) filed with the Clerk of the Boise County Court, 420 Main Street, Idaho City, Idaho 83631.

DATED this 5th day of December, 2024.

MCANANEY LAW GROUP
Christopher R. Nuñez, of the Firm,
Attorneys for Personal Representative
1101 W. River Street, Suite 100
Boise, ID 83702
(208) 344-7500

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NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR ANNEXATION OF LANDS

TO NAMPA & MERIDIAN IRRIGATION DISTRICT

A request for annexation has been filed by **Charles R. Griffith and Debra S. Hayes, 820 N Robinson Boulevard, Nampa, ID 83687** with Nampa & Meridian Irrigation District for annexation of lands legally described as: parcels of land being a portion of SW SEC 17 3N 1W, Nampa, Canyon County, Idaho and being more particularly described as follows:

COM SW COR SEC 17 3N 1W, TH N 534 FT M/L TO RPB; TH CONT N 126 FT M/L, TH S 89°49'E 345 FT M/L, TH S 126 FT M/L, TH N 89°49'W 345 FT M/L TO BEG.

The Board of Directors of Nampa & Meridian Irrigation District has set **7 January 2025 at 8:15 a.m.** at the office of the Board at 1503 First Street South, Nampa, Idaho for a hearing to accept or reject the Petition for Annexation. Any persons interested or who may be affected by such change of boundaries should appear at said hearing

and show cause, in writing, why the lands should not be annexed to said District. Failure of any person to appear will be taken as an assent to a change in the boundaries. The Board of Directors will take all information presented at the hearing into consideration before rendering their decision.

If the Board of Directors deems it not for the best interest of the District to include the lands mentioned in the petition, the Board shall order that the petition be rejected. But, if they deem it for the best interest of the District to annex said property, the Board may order the lands mentioned in said petition or some part thereof annexed to said District. An order shall be issued by the Board to annex said property, but said order shall not become effective until the ninety (90) day period for presentation of an election petition shall have expired without such petition being presented or until approval of the annexation at an election.

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A request for annexation has been filed by **LG Davison & Sons Inc., 2019 Prairie Road, Prairie, ID 83647** with Nampa & Meridian Irrigation District for annexation of lands legally described as: parcels of land being a portion of SEC 8 2N 3E, Boise, Ada County, Idaho and being more particularly described as follows:

THE E 1/2 OF THE W 1/2 OF THE SE 1/4 OF THE SW 1/4, SEC 1 1N 7E, THE E 1/2 OF THE SE 1/4 OF THE SW 1/4, SEC 1 1N 7E, THE W 1/2 OF THE NW 1/4 OF THE NE 1/4, SEC 12 1N 7E, THE W 1/2 OF THE SW 1/4 OF THE NE 1/4, SEC 12 1N 7E, THE E 1/2 OF THE W 1/2 OF THE NE 1/4 OF THE NW 1/4, SEC 12 1N 7E, THE E 1/2 OF THE NE 1/4 OF THE NW 1/4, SEC 12 1N 7E, THE SW 1/4 OF THE NW 1/4, SEC 12 1N 7E, THE SE 1/4 OF THE NW 1/4, SEC 12 1N 7E AND THE NW 1/4 OF THE SW 1/4, SEC 12 1N 7E

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

LEGAL NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That the Boise County Planning and Zoning Commission will hold their regular meeting and a Public Hearing on January 16, 2025 at 6:30 PM in the Commissioners Room, Miners Exchange, 420 Main St., Idaho City, ID regarding: SMP 2025-002, White Minor Subdivision. Application and related materials can be found on the Planning and Zoning website or are available in the Boise County Planning and Zoning office. All interested persons are invited to attend this meeting. Special accommodations for persons with disabilities will be provided upon advance request to Boise County P&Z Office 208-392-2293.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

CASE NO. CV08-24-00258

(I.C. § 15-3-801)

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: Janet Lynn Gerking Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Shelby D. Gerking, with the address of 443 Valley Stream Dr., Geneva, FL 32732, 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 at the address indicated, and filed with the Clerk of the Court.
DATED: 12/10/2024

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SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION

Case No.: CV08-24-00190

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

NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC,
Plaintiff,
vs.
GEORGE J. SCHWARZ III (DECEASED) AND THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, ASSIGNS AND DEVISEES OF GEORGE J. SCHWARZ III; MARILYN L. SCHWARZ; MIDLAND CREDIT MAN-

AGEMENT, INC.; HIGH GROUND ELECTRIC AND CONSTRUCTION, INC.; DOES I THROUGH XX, Defendants.

TO: GEORGE J. SCHWARZ III (DECEASED) AND THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, ASSIGNS AND DEVISEES OF GEORGE J. SCHWARZ III

NOTICE: YOU HAVE BEEN SUED BY NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC, the Plaintiff in the District Court in and for Boise County, Idaho, Case No. CV08-24-00190.

The nature of the claim against you is for, among other things, the judicial foreclosure of the real property located at 132 PROSPECTOR LANE, IDAHO CITY, ID 83631.

Any time after 21 days following the last publication of this summons, the court may enter a judgment against you without further notice, unless prior to that time you have filed a written response in the proper form, including the Case No., and paid any required filing fee to the Clerk of the Court at 419 Main Street, PO Box 126, Idaho City, ID 83631, (208) 392-4452, and served a copy of your response on the Plaintiff's attorney at 702 W. Idaho St., Suite 1100, Boise, ID 83702, (208) 863-4401.

A copy of the Summons and Complaint can be obtained by contacting either the Clerk of the Court or the attorney for Plaintiff. If you wish legal assistance, you should immediately retain an attorney to advise you in this matter.

Dated this 11/21/2024 9:05:41 am
Clerk of the District Court
By: Angel O'Brien
Deputy

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BOISE COUNTY

Fish and Game are Aware of Numerous Wild Bird Die-offs Related to the Avian Influenza



BOISE COUNTY -- Avian influenza is carried primarily by waterfowl (geese and ducks) along their migratory paths from their summer habitat to their wintering grounds.

Avian influenza remains a threat to wild birds across Idaho, and Idaho Fish and Game is aware of several locations reporting cases of wild bird die-offs. Unfortunately, the disease will have to run its course in most instances. Fish and Game personnel cannot respond to all cases of infected wild birds, but staff are actively working to pick up carcasses of birds in areas with the largest number of dead waterfowl.

"We are aware that sick and dead wild geese are currently being reported by the public in the Lake Lowell, Parma, and Fort Boise areas of the Treasure Valley, and we estimate the number of dead birds to be in the thousands," said Fish and Game's Wildlife Health Program Coordinator Stacey Dauwalter. "Fish and Game staff are working hard to remove the dead birds, as that

is the best option we have to reduce impacts of avian influenza."

According to Fish and Game Migratory Game Bird Coordinator Jeff Knetter, mortality events like this are currently widespread.

"Groups of dead light geese -- which include blue, snow, Ross's geese -- have been discovered as far east as Indiana and Tennessee and as far south as Louisiana and Texas," Knetter said. "While unfortunate, several thousand light geese dying in a mortality event does not present population level concerns; the number of birds impacted is a very small proportion of the overall population which exceeds a million birds."

Avian influenza is carried primarily by waterfowl (geese and ducks) along their migratory paths from their summer habitat to their wintering grounds. Southwest Idaho has become an important migratory stopover in the relatively recent past--there has been a large increase in the number of white geese that stop here during fall over the last 15 years, and the same is true for birds heading back north in spring. As many as 30,000+ were counted at

Lake Lowell last winter.

What to do (and not to do)

Live birds showing signs of illness should be left alone. Local wildlife rehabilitation centers are not currently accepting wild birds. There is no treatment or vaccine for avian influenza and moving sick birds may spread it farther.

Dead birds can be disposed of in the trash to ensure other animals do not contact or consume them. The best practice when handling the birds is to use gloves and a mask, and place them in a double-bagged trash bag. People should also make sure to wash their hands after handling birds.

Please report sick or dead wild bird observations on Fish and Game's website to assist avian influenza surveillance efforts.

According to the U.S. Center for Disease Control, bird flu viruses do not normally infect humans; however, sporadic human infections with bird flu viruses have occurred. Symptoms may include conjunctivitis, fever, lethargy, aches, coughing, or diarrhea.

Domestic birds and poultry are very susceptible to dying once exposed to avian influenza. Influenza is transmitted

between birds through close contact (mucous), fecal matter, and sometimes through the air. It is also carried on objects such as tools, vehicles, clothes, and boots, which can transfer

the virus from one location to another. Please contact the Idaho State Department of Agriculture (ISDA) if you have concerns about commercial or backyard poultry.



Swans in the dredge ponds south of Idaho City.



Wild Boise County Turkey Photos by Eileen Capson

OBITUARY



**Lorraine Obermeyer
1935 - 2024**

Lorraine "Rainey" Obermeyer passed away Saturday, December 7, 2024. Rainey was born in Boise on September 26, 1935, the oldest daughter of Dale and Elaine Haines. The family grew to include three more daughters: Dalene, Sharon, and Patty.

Rainey grew up on the Boise bench. She attended school at Franklin Elementary, Whitney Elementary, Garfield Elementary, South Junior High, and Boise High School. As the oldest daughter, she was often responsible for babysitting her

little sisters.

As a teenager, she spent an entire summer working in Yellowstone National Park. She graduated from high school in 1954. She attended Boise Junior College for one year and worked as an operator for Mountain Bell Telephone Company.

She married Don Fraser in 1955, and proceeded to raise her own family, six children born within an eight-year period. In keeping with the times, she became a stay-at-home Mom and remained so until the youngest kids were in school.

At that time, she went back to work for Mountain Bell, which became US West, and continued working there until her retirement in the early 1990's. She and Don moved to their home in Centerville, called "Trail's End." Don passed away in 1995.

Mom married Bob Obermeyer in 2001, and they lived in the Idaho City area. They enjoyed spending their winters in Arizona until Mom's health deteriorated. She became a resident

of Ashley Manor in March of 2021, and remained there until her death.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her baby brother Alan, her husband Don, and her sister Dalene. She leaves behind her husband, Bob Obermeyer, her sisters Sharon Smith and Patty Parks, a brother-in-law, Jerry Walker; her children and their spouses: Sue and Terry Baldwin, Cindy and Ron Dalby, Bev and Bob Rainwater, Scott and Geri Fraser, Nancy Fraser and Jerry Peterson, and Linda and Greg Cash. She also leaves behind 13 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren, and several cousins, nieces, and nephews.

The family would like to thank Christina, Senai, and Mary of Ashley Manor Boise, and Bree and Kelly of Auburn Crest Hospice for the care that they provided Rainey.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, January 4th, 2025, at 1:00 p.m. at the Idaho Outdoor Association Event Hall at 3415 Brazil Street, Boise.

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