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Christmas Food Boxes Serve Families in East Boise County

By Georgene Thomas

IDAHO CITY -- This year, members of the community and various churches came together and worked to deliver food boxes for those in East Boise County who needed extra food for the holidays. This project is directed by Brent Adamson and supported by help from many individuals. It all begins in November when the food is ordered, donated, sorted, and distributed into boxes on the weekend before Christmas for nearly 50 families. Some of these families had their food delivered by the “Boosters” to the Centerville and Placerville areas. Most other local families received a letter and came to the Community Hall to pick up their boxes. This project runs on an outpouring of energy from many people who are dedicated to helping others have a better Christmas and enough food for the holidays.

Photos by Georgene Thomas



Idaho City Community Club



These women: Rora Canody, President; Jackie Bridwell, Vice President; Georgene Thomas, Secretary; and Theresa TenEyck, Treasurer will take the reins again for Community Club in 2025. However, new members will be needed in the future to keep the club moving. *Courtesy of Georgene Thomas*

Santa Visits Basin Elementary



Santa paid a little visit to Basin Elementary in Idaho City to chat with the many good boys and girls.

Photo by Georgene Thomas

More photos on page 4 & 12!

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BOISE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Transcribed by Eileen Capson

December 20, 2024

Present: Commissioners Clay Tucker, Bob Callahan and Lindy Lindstrom

Pledge of Allegiance

MINUTES: None

CLERK DISCUSSION: Clerk Mary Prisco presented a document on "SLFRF Total Allocated" funds and went through eligible expenses. A roofing project for East Boise County Ambulance shed was not permitted; however, the HVAC system was. HVAC for the Sheriff's office was also covered, as well as the culvert on Centerville Road. Commissioner Callahan had questions regarding the low cost of the work done on the culvert at \$7,000 for a month's work. Some inquiries will be made with the Road Department's database.

Prosecutor Alex Sosa explained that these funds also covered the health effects from COVID-19, and people recreating in our county "because they wanted to get out."

Clerk Prisco spoke with the sheriff, referring to the funding the county had received from the American Rescue Plan Act, specifically the SLFRF. Mari Adams, Director with the East Boise County Ambulance District, recounted the additional work needed to run the ambulance, sanitize, and the increased call volume due to COVID-19 related issues. She said many EBCAD employees did volunteer work with the ambulance on their own time and were not compensated, just to provide this service to the community. Clerk Prisco indicated that a portion of their salaries and benefits could be

covered using these additional funds. Sheriff Scott Turner said for the record that he was reminded of the time when they had a lot of COVID-19 deaths, they went through a lot of personal protective equipment and dealt with businesses regarding regulations that the state had handed down. He said, "I will say on the record that we told businesses that we would not enforce, because I'm not in the business to -- because that's a private business... We had an increase of calls of service because of the influx of people leaving the valley, coming up here, because we continued on [because businesses had shut-down]. The uptick in recreational activities, everybody buying campers and doing things, because they couldn't travel and things like that. Those numbers have not slowed down since then." Turner said that since 2020 their call volume has doubled and tripled.

A small portion of the fund was considered for the Road and Bridge Department for "public safety and public health."

Clerk Prisco asked for direction from the board as to the percentages to apply towards salaries and benefits. Chairman Tucker suggested 50% for the past four years. Commissioner Callahan said, "That would put us way over," and Commissioner Lindstrom agreed. Prosecutor Sosa said the "whole pie" was \$1.5 million dollars. He added that it would be difficult to assign a percentage. Callahan would like further data from the departments discussed by the next meeting on December 31st.

Chairman Tucker asked about other agencies that were not on this list like Garden Valley Fire, and Clerk Prisco reminded them that they were the Governing Board for EBCAD. Callahan agreed that, "Boise County is not just EBCAD." Clerk Prisco is concerned that this would jeopardize eligibility and make reporting much more complicated. Prosecutor Sosa said that, legally, these funds do allow subgrant awards. Prisco said that EBCAD is included in the county's financials and that they don't have that with any other taxing district.

Coming back from a short break, Commissioner Callahan said, "I think the roads were impacted dramatically from COVID and we can prove data from traffic studies, everything, so I would like to see a good chunk of money go to gravel, pit run, to repair our roads."

Adams spoke regarding EBCAD, "The things that the ambulance needed to go through and what the sheriffs had to go through, we were *definitely* very impacted with everything we had to go through. The challenges we had to face throughout the entire time, we had people we had to deal with, extremely sick people. We all got sick. I ended up with a heart condition due to COVID. The sheriff's office had a lot of their people sick. We had the direct contact with all these people, so I do think that that needs to be something that we look at as well."

Callahan recognized that the road department wasn't the only department that "took a beating through COVID. We have this money and we have

an obligation to spend it wisely throughout the county and I think roads is a pretty easy one to say that was really impacted as well." Tucker agreed and said that traffic numbers were definitely high. Callahan continued by saying that the roads hurt response times and beat up vehicles. Lindstrom said this would help every department and, "everybody in the county gets something on better roads."

Callahan said for the record that he does fully support EBCAD and lives on the east side of the county, but as a county commissioner, he would "like to kind of make it fair across the board."

Lindstrom gave a "directive" from the board for the SLFRF Total Allocated funds to move forward on the preliminary allocations which will be decided on December 31st. [Discussed for almost two hours.]

CLAIMS APPROVAL: Chairman Tucker asked if the other commissions had looked over the claim's approval. Commissioner Callahan said, "Every line item. Our water and sewer for every building has gone up - a lot." Planning and Zoning Administrator Alex

Gross asked to be on the City of Idaho City's agenda in January of 2025. Callahan thanked him.

Lindstrom motioned to approve the claims approval report in the amount of \$204,744.28. The motion carried.

ORDINANCE: An ordinance for agricultural zoning was discussed. A form ordinance from the Idaho Association of Counties was presented, along with fees discussed, and the prosecutor reviewed twelve other counties' ordinances.

EBCAD/EBCED: A dissolution document was presented, along with transferring the assets to the new district.

Chairman Tucker spoke as the governing board of EBCAD, approving the plan of dissolution with \$40,000 to be "inserted into line 3.12.1." The motion carried to approve the resolution.

There were no executive sessions needed or requested.

Commissioner Tucker wished everyone a Merry Christmas and recessed until December 31st, 2024. Adjourned at 12:25pm.

Winter Solstice Event Canceled



Photo courtesy of Woras Focus Productions

By Hayden Woras

IDAHO CITY -- Unfortunately, the annual Luminaria Winter Solstice was cancelled this year due to sickness and weather. Many people throughout the community still put out their own lights and posted pictures of them online.

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Looking Back on the Idaho World

**IDAHO WORLD
150 YEARS AGO
JANUARY 2, 1875**

SALARIES OF BOISE COUNTY OFFICERS -

A synopsis of the new fee and salary bill, as furnished us by Hon. Joniah Cave.

The Sheriff's per annum \$1,200 with fees the same as before. Jailer \$75 00 per month, \$1 50 per day for keeping prisoners.

Auditor and Recorder \$1,200 per annum, in payment for all services rendered as Auditor and Recorder, County Clerk and Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners. For services rendered to the Territory he shall receive such additional compensation as the Territory may allow.

The Treasurer shall receive \$800 per annum. For services rendered to the Territory such compensation as the Territory may allow.

The Assessor shall receive 15 percent of all moneys received as per capita taxes, and five per cent of moneys received from taxes on real and personal property.

The County Superintendent of public schools gets \$200 per annum.



JANUARY 2, 1900

FREE RURAL MAIL DELIVERY

The First Assistant Postmaster General, in his annual report for 1800 declares that there has

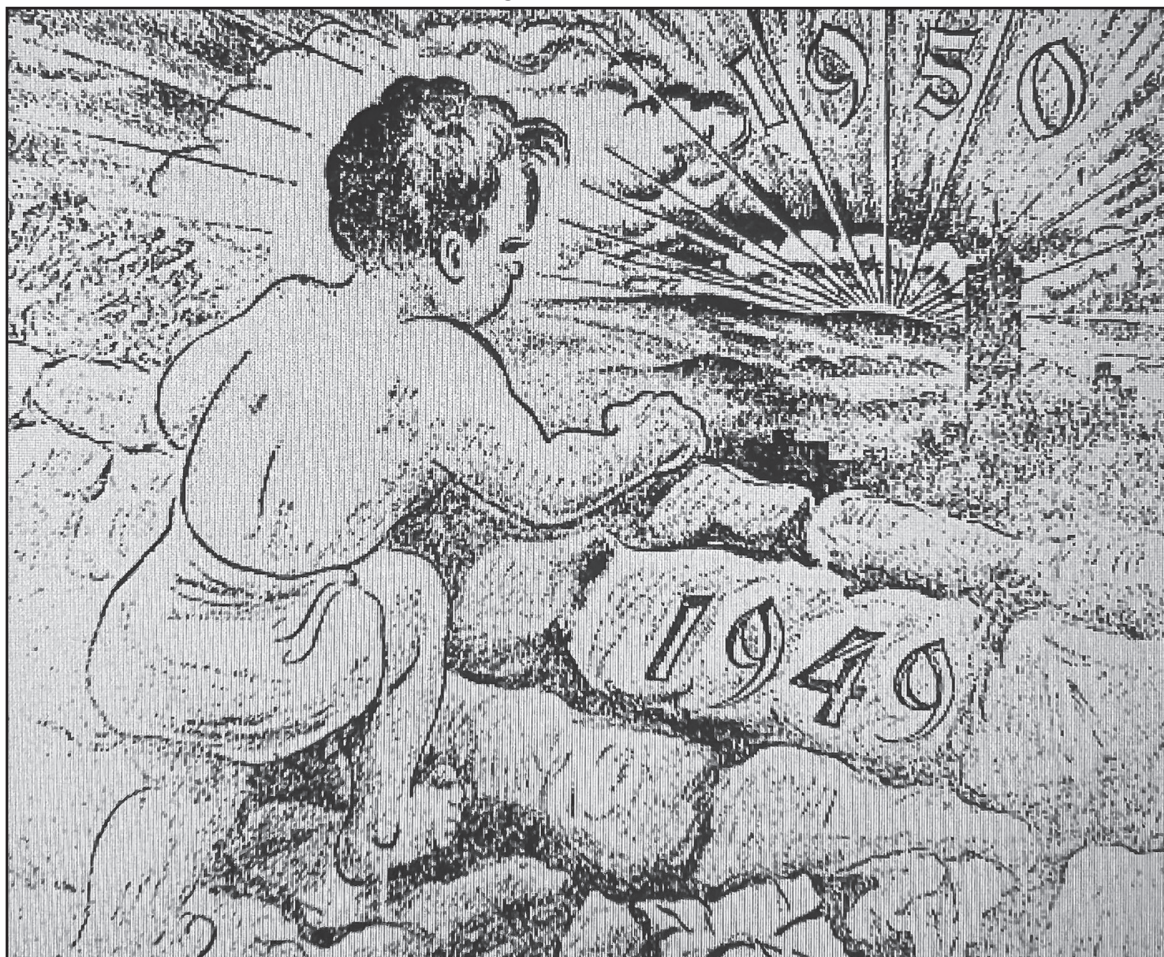
been notion in the history of the postal service of the United States so remarkable as the growth of the rural free delivery system. The daily delivery of mail at the farmer's door, by the Federal Government is no longer an experiment. In the words of the report, the system has now "to be dealt with as an established agency of progress, awaiting only the action of the Congress to determine how rapidly it shall be developed." Rural free delivery of mail is now a successful operation from 883 distributing points radiating over forty States and one Territory. The only States now without the service are Idaho, Mississippi, Montana and Wyoming.

Congressman Wilson has introduced a bill to amend "an act granting pensions to the survivors of the Indian wars of 1832 to 1842," so as to include the survivors of all the Indian wars on the Pacific coast, or their widows, up to and including the Rogue River war in which many Idaho pioneers were engaged.

"RING OUT THE OLD, RING IN THE NEW."

The nineteenth century has made its exit from the stage of time and is now jogging along down the corridors of the ever receding past. Young Nineteen Hundred has gayly pranced on the stage with sprightly step and glowing features ad buoyant with the hope of being able to outstrip his immediate predecessor whose record tells of the greatest achievements

made since history began to tell of the works of man. The nineteenth century has been full of wonders produced by inventive genius, and each has been succeeded by another even greater than its predecessors, and at the close of this record breaking century it would seem that the climax has been reached -- that all the great discoveries and inventions it was possible to make are already accomplished facts. But who can tell what nineteen hundred will bring forth? Isn't it possible that the great things that have been accomplished will prove but the beginning of yet greater ones - the mere foundations of what is to follow? Is it not possible that at the end of nineteen hundred the century just closed will be tame by comparison, notwithstanding the nineteenth stands as a giant among pigmies when compared with the centuries before? But with all the achievements of the century that has just taken its place in the long procession of the past, new and grave problems confront the people for correct solution - problems that come as the result of those same achievements. The possessors of the wonderful intellects that have wrought all these startling achievements have not been the beneficiaries thereof, except in a very few rare instances, and then in a very small degree. The people as a whole have received but very little material benefit from all the discoveries and inventions credited to the nineteenth century...



The Idaho World newspaper became the Idaho Mountaineer between 1941 and 1958, before the name was restored. *Featured in the Dec. 28, 1949 edition*

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Santa Visits the Boise Basin Senior Center in Idaho City



By Georgene Thomas
IDAHO CITY -- It was a festive day at the Boise Basin Senior Center when Santa arrived. There was a lovely ham dinner with creamy potatoes and pecan pie. Everyone was enjoying their meal when the jolly fellow himself showed up to share hugs and holiday greetings.

Photos by Georgene Thomas



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 ~ *The Sound of Music* Photo by Eileen Capson

Electoral Votes Represented by Boise County



Submitted by Jean Mollenkopf-Moore, Boise County GOP Chairwoman
BOISE COUNTY -- Idaho's four electors from left to right in photo: Doyle Beck (Bonneville County), Jean Mollenkopf-Moore (Boise County), Vicki Keen (Ada County), and Brent Regan (Kootenai County) cast their ballots at our State Capitol on Tuesday, December 17, 2024. For the third consecutive election, Idaho's four electoral votes were cast for Donald J. Trump. America does not elect its presidents via the popular vote. Each state is apportioned a number of electors equal to the number of representatives and senators. This means larger states have more electors while smaller states have fewer. Idaho has four and has had four since the 1910 census. This system ensures that every state has a voice in choosing our nation's highest executive. Mollenkopf-Moore wrote, "When we cast our ballots, we did not vote directly for Donald J. Trump for President. Instead, we voted for four people — Brent Regan, Jean Mollenkopf-Moore, Doyle Beck, and Vicki Keen. All were chosen by the Idaho Republican Party to cast our state's electoral votes on our behalf." Their names appeared on Republican ballots for the November 5, 2024 election. Boise County has not had an ID-GOP person cast a vote in the years since Idaho Statehood.



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Results of the Garden Valley Christmas Bird Count

By Louisa Evers

GARDEN VALLEY -- The Garden Valley Christmas Bird Count (Garden Valley CBC), held on December 18, was a success, with a combination of unusual misses and unusual reports of bird species. This year we had 19 people out counting birds and three local households watching their feeders. Overall, we had 57 species, which is an increase over the past two years (52 in 2023 and 43 in 2022). The weather may have been a factor in the number of species seen as it started out foggy but soon cleared up and became quite warm for this time of year. Much of the area was snow-covered but most roads were clear.

Some birds we missed seeing were common goldeneyes on the rivers, and ruby-crowned kinglets, Townsend's solitaires, and hermit thrushes in the trees and shrubs. We had no owls on count day, but one homeowner reported a great horned owl in count week. In contrast, unusual species included an osprey, Harris's sparrows, chukar, gray partridge, and white-winged crossbill. Both the osprey and Harris's sparrows are considered rare species. The osprey is considered rare because they are usually long gone by the time of the Garden Valley CBC. The Harris's sparrows are generally rare in Idaho, but one or two birds usually appear in winter. The birds seen this year were both first winter males.

As usual, we needed to spend some time sorting out how many distinct individual bald eagles were seen. A total of 25 were reported, but comparing notes indicated different groups saw some of the same birds. We concluded that there were likely 13 individual bald eagles in the count circle consisting of mix of mature (white heads and tails) and immature (brown bodies with varying amounts of white) birds. Three golden eagles were also seen along the Banks-Lowman Road.

We thank Linda Weilmunster and Kari Greer for allowing access to South Fork Landing, Wild Bill's and the staff there for allowing us to meet there in the morning, and the Garden Valley Library for use of their meeting room at the end of the count. Thanks also to Ralph and Sheri Foote, Bob and Glenna Seal, and Michael Wigand for watching their feeders.



First winter Harris's sparrow, photo by Jon Curd



Wild turkeys eating apples, photo by James Jarrett



Male Cassin's finch, photo by Pat McGrane



American goldfinch, photo by Louisa Evers



Immature golden eagle, photo by Sean Pursely



California quail, photo by Louisa Evers

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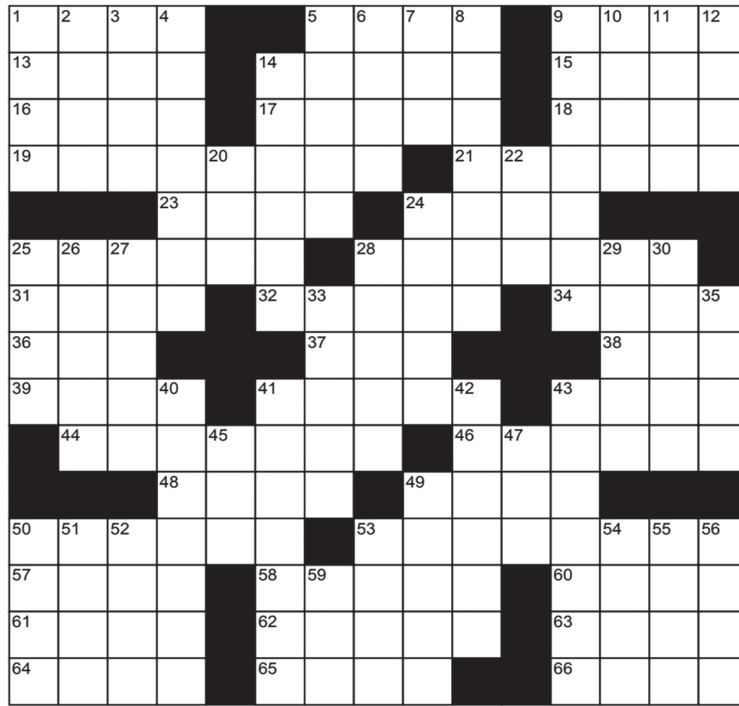


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- 5 Scat!
- 9 Search
- 13 Bpm
- 14 Louis' partner
- 15 Frost
- 16 Island
- 17 The living dead
- 18 Jewish scribe
- 19 Earl's wife
- 21 Finest
- 23 High __
- 24 Dismiss
- 25 A cheer
- 28 Attorneys
- 31 Wan
- 32 Inscribed pillar
- 34 Intent
- 36 Scriptural your
- 37 Dine
- 38 Cow sound

DOWN

- 39 Very large truck
- 41 Operatic bass
- 43 Ethereal
- 44 Begin again
- 46 Plebes
- 48 Has
- 49 Ribald
- 50 Type of watch
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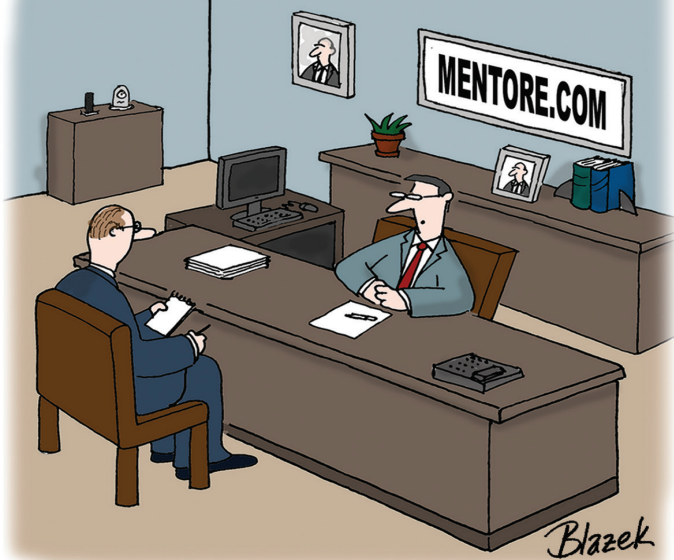
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- 2 El __

- 3 Organization concerned with civil liberties (abbr.)
- 4 Second entry
- 5 Splash
- 6 Christmas meats
- 7 Globe
- 8 Island near Taiwan
- 9 Auto store
- 10 Seep
- 11 Planet
- 12 Imp
- 14 People of Czech Republic
- 20 Oolong
- 22 Slippery frigid
- 24 Adds flavoring
- 25 Berets
- 26 Seat finder
- 27 Poem line endings
- 28 Smallest
- 29 Synthetic fabric
- 30 Frolic
- 33 Holes
- 35 Children's love
- 40 Place alone
- 41 Decorative bracelets
- 42 Panther
- 43 Countable
- 45 Couple
- 47 Hand tool
- 49 Smooth tightly twisted thread
- 50 Niche
- 51 Void
- 52 Famous cookies
- 53 Russian ruler
- 54 Lip
- 55 Jacob's son
- 56 Vessel
- 59 Hatchet

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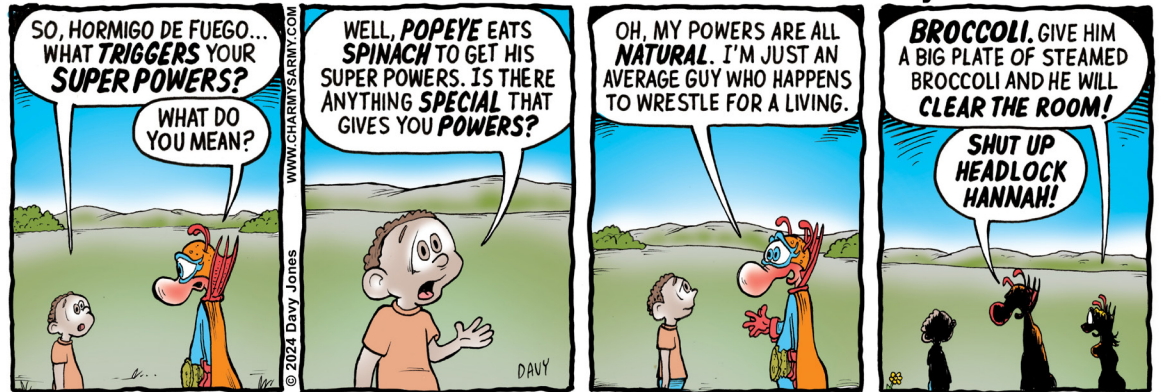


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"Unfortunately, I started the company before I realized he didn't know how to spell."

CHARMY'S ARMY

Created by DAVY JONES



BEEZWAX By John Martin



Hello, dear.

Photo by Eileen Capson

BOISE COUNTY



News Release

UPDATE: SH-21 closure extended, now includes Idaho City to Lowman

UPDATE: The closure for SH-21 has been extended and now includes Idaho City (milepost 41) to Lowman (milepost 72).

LOWMAN - The Idaho Transportation Department will close State Highway 21 from Grandjean to Banner Summit this afternoon due to high avalanche risk.

The current weather pattern is likely to trigger avalanches in this section of highway. The anticipated closure will begin at 5 p.m. on December 26th.

Motorists needing to use the roadway are advised to make the trip immediately or plan to use alternate routes, like State

Highway 75.

The ITD avalanche crew monitors the snowpack along this section of highway to forecast the risk of avalanches large enough to reach the roadway. This practice allows the department to keep the highway open during the winter months with a reasonable confidence of safety for the traveling public.

There are nearly 70 avalanche paths in this 11-mile stretch of SH-21. Avalanches can be triggered without warning, so there is no parking or stopping within this section of road during the winter.

The highway will reopen when the snowpack has stabilized and the risk of active avalanches is reduced. Updates on closures and openings will be posted on 511.idaho.gov.



To all those hunters with unfilled tags, better luck in 2025!

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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 needed

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 cjszczak@co.boise.id.us the following: (1) a filled-out Boise County application form; (2) a cover letter; and (3) a resume.

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 Teacher.

ers. If interested, please contact Superintendent Chesnut at chesnutd@hbschools.org

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 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.

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.

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Garden Valley Dental.....	(208) 462-2220
Garden Valley Properties.....	(208) 462-4620
Home Boutique.....	(208) 392-5223
High Ground Electric	(208) 342-0519
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McDonough Group.....	(208) 985-6931 or (208) 901-5741
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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
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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.org or call (208) 417-3485 for more information.

Wee One's Wardrobe
HORSESHOE BEND, ID
102 Quinn Street
Horseshoe Bend, ID 83629

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Path

BOISE COUNTY

Horseshoe Bend Service Club



In its first year of inception, the Horseshoe Bend Service Club focuses on service projects that benefit the school and the community. On Thursday, December 5th the club prepared lunch to show their appreciation to the Horseshoe Bend School District staff. Pictured: Sophomore RyLee Johnson and senior Jocelyn Hailey.
Photo by Tracy Koslosky

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF LETTING

Idaho Federal Aid Project No. A02(681), in Boise County, Key No. 20681; for the work of replacing a bridge on SH-21, MP 72.2..

Digital copies of the Plans, Proposals, and Specifications must be downloaded for a fee of \$22.00. **Bidders must appear on the plan holders list for their proposal to be accepted by the Department.** Please contact QuestCDN.com at 952-233-1632 or info@questcdninfo.com for assistance in downloading and working with this digital project information.

General Bidding information and Specifications may be obtained from the Idaho Transportation Department website at <http://itd.idaho.gov/business/>

In an effort to achieve ITD's DBE Annual Participation Goal (APG) of 10.11% utilization, ITD requires responder to utilize certified subcontractors and suppliers listed on its DBE Directory located at: <https://itd.dbesystem.com/>. For this project, it has been determined that there is a DBE availability of 25.0% or more. For more information regarding ITD's DBE Program please go to <https://itd.idaho.gov/civilrights/>

Sealed proposals will be received only at the office of the IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT, 11331 WEST CHINDEN BLVD. BLDG #8, BOISE, IDAHO 83714 or PO Box 40, BOISE, IDAHO 83707-0040, ATTN: ADVERTISE-MENT AND AWARD. Bids may also be submitted electronically through Bid Express (www.bidx.com). All bids must be received by two o'clock p.m., on **January 28, 2025**.

For any design related questions, please submit through QuestCDN. Instructions on how to use this process are located on the [Notice to Contractors page](#).

This contract requires full compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, which protects persons from being denied the benefits of or excluded from participation in programs or activities; or subjected to discrimination based on race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, Limited English Proficiency or economic status. The Contractor is encouraged to utilize the goods and services of disadvantaged firms in accomplishing the tasks or providing the services of this agreement, and to provide equal opportunity to all sub-bidders and suppliers.

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Suicide Loss Survivors Peer Support Group

You are not alone in your loss. Through acceptance, support and hope we will journey together towards healing and thriving.

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January - April 2025

6:30 - 7:45 pm

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3853 Hwy 21, Idaho City

Peer facilitator is Heather Hooper, Certified Mental Health Coach. Reach her at heatherhooper101@gmail.com

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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.

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Sat. & Sun.
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Closed for the season

LEGAL NOTICES

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 MANAGEMENT, 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

David M. Swartley, ISB No. 5230
McCarthy & Holthus, LLP
702 W. Idaho St., Suite 1100
Boise, ID 83702
Telephone: (208) 863-4401
dswartley@mccarthylolthus.com

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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 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.

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 HEARING OF PETITION FOR ANNEXATION OF LANDS TO NAMPA & MERIDIAN IRRIGATION DISTRICT

TO NAMPA & MERIDIAN IRRIGATION DISTRICT

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 NE 1/4 OF THE NW 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 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

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.

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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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NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR ANNEXATION OF LANDS TO NAMPA & MERIDIAN IRRIGATION DISTRICT

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 1/2 SEC LINE, TH ALONG SAID E-W 1/2 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.

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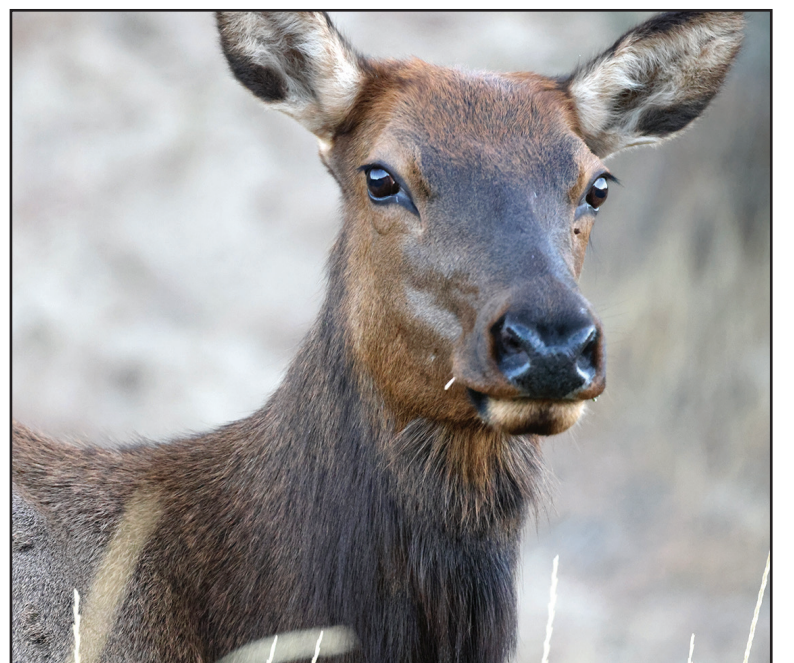
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A female elk.

Photo by Eileen Capson

BOISE COUNTY

Santa Claus Came to Town and Visited the School



Ms. Esther Emery, 2nd Grade



Ms. Tamara Ansotegui, 1st Grade



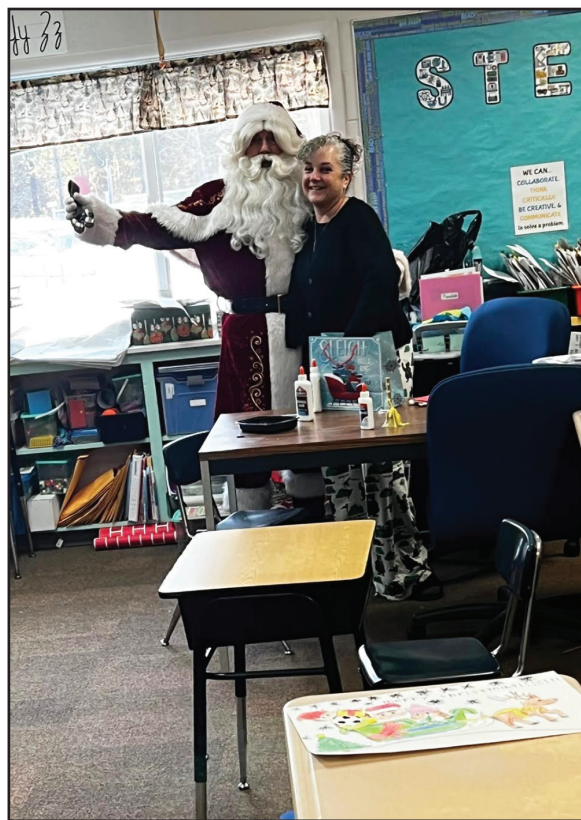
Santa and his little elf, Ms. Dana Zoch

By Georgene Thomas

IDAHO CITY -- On Friday, December 20, there was a half day of school, and just before lunch Santa surprised students and teachers with a bag of candy canes for everyone. Meanwhile, the administrative staff was preparing a scrumptious meal for the teachers and Mary Plumlee was helping them. Santa found one of his favorite elves checking on the Kindergartners and she reported they were all being good. Santa was given hugs by many of the teachers before he left for the North Pole to prepare for Christmas.



Mrs. Tammie Ogden, 4th Grade



Ms. Julie Randolph, 3rd Grade



(Right) Basin Elementary Principal Jamie Pilkerton, Tricia Burnett, and Santa enjoy the festivities of the day before Christmas break.



Photos by Georgene Thomas

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