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Garden Valley Fundraiser Building a New Baseball Field

GARDEN VALLEY — Come out and support the "Finish the Field Fundraiser Auction" on Friday, February 7th, from 6:30pm to 8pm at the River Canyon Retreat Center, located at 1074 Banks Lowman Road. Dinner will be served at 6:30. Please register to attend by Feb. 1st at: <https://donorbox.org/events/724764>

The goal of the gathering is to raise enough funds to finish the last 30% left to landscape on the Garden Valley baseball field project. This way, Garden Valley can host home games and have their community cheering their teams on to victory!

At the event there will be a great selection of auction items, such as an e-bike, hand-made linens, Idaho Steelheads tickets, a rifle, golf packages courtesy of Terrace Lakes Resort, and more. More auction items are being accepted daily, and if you would like to donate, please call or text Deonna at 208-899-3354. If you cannot attend but would like to donate to the cause, donations are tax deductible and can be made to

Garden Valley Baseball -- a non-profit and 501c3. Raffle tickets can also be bought online at the website listed above.

The field still needs the construction of two dugouts, a backstop, a pitcher's mound, capping for the outfield fence, and some additional grass seed.

To date, countless volunteer hours have been put into this project. The playing surface has been excavated, irrigation has been trenched, installed and backfilled, final grading has occurred, grass has been seeded, the infield apron has been cut, sand and clay have been delivered and spread, and the outfield fence has been installed. This has been a huge undertaking that would not be possible without the combination of generous monetary donations and donations of time and labor. The goal is for the field to be playable come late spring for the Garden Valley High School and Middle School programs to play on. The non-profit organization is hoping to raise about \$25,000 to finish up the ballfield.



The baseball field has had many hours of volunteer work to get it to this point in the middle of November. Photo by Linda Ruppel, DDS

Frozen Jr. Performance in Garden Valley



Cast members greeted audience members and family. L-R: Olaf played by Timothy Byrd, Sven - Red Davis, Hans - Bryce Wedow, Anna - Ava Bonicci, and Elsa - Emmalee Leslie.



A rousing applause for Thursday's final bow of Disney's Frozen Jr. in Garden Valley.

GARDEN VALLEY -- Director Kea Loveland wrote, "This production has been magical and fun and the kids will all agree that the time went by way too fast. The story of Frozen will live on for generations and the love that the sisters share and what they face to

keep each other safe is something we can all relate to. I have enjoyed working with these amazing Garden Valley children and watching them grow up through the years and con-

tinue with this art form. Music and theatre is such an important part of a child's education and I am humbled to be a part of their journey."



Duke of Weselton (left) was played by Issac Andrews. Bryce Wedow played Hans (right) in Disney's Frozen Jr.

Photos by Linda Ruppel, DDS

HAPPENINGS IN BOISE COUNTY

GARDEN VALLEY — Finish the Field Fundraiser Auction on Friday, February 7th, from 6:30pm to 8pm at the River Canyon Retreat Center, 1074 Banks Lowman Road. Dinner will be served at 6:30. Register by 2/1 at <https://donorbox.org/events/724764>

IDAHO CITY - Boise Basin Senior Center's second annual Valentine's Day lunch on Feb. 13th. Space is limited. Please sign up at the center, email boisebasinsc@gmail.com or call 208-392-4918.

IDAHO CITY - Chili Cook-off on Saturday, March 1, from 11am to 2pm with chili serving at noon until it's gone. Buy commemorative mugs at local stores or go to idahocitychamber.org.

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

January 13, 2025
Present: Commissioners Clay Tucker, Bob Callahan, and Lindy Lindstrom
Pledge of Allegiance
CONSTITUENT INPUT: None
OATHS OF OFFICE: Lindy Lindstrom was sworn into office by Clerk Mary Prisco, “to support the Constitution of the United States, the Constitution and the laws of the state of Idaho, and I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Boise County Commissioner, District 3, according to the best of my ability.” Bob Callahan followed with his oath to faithfully discharge the duties as a Boise County Commissioner for District 1.
Chairman Tucker swore Alex Sosa into office as Boise County Prosecutor. He then proceeded to swear in Scott Turner as elected Boise County Sheriff.
TAX CANCELTION: Treasurer Gina Turner presented a tax cancelation. She said, “The assessor’s office will put RVs on the tax roll, if they’re not registered. And they did that, and then this one turned out it had been removed from the property and they didn’t catch it.” Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to approve two tax cancelations in the amount of \$438.51 and \$58.08. The motion carried.
NONMEDICAL CREMATION: A nonmedical indigent

case was discussed. Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to approve the nonmedical indigent cremation in the amount of \$935. The motion carried.
ROAD AND BRIDGE: A grant application was briefly discussed and the county’s engineer will be consulted. The topic was tabled.
BUILDING PERMIT: A waiver for the Idaho City Snowmobile Program, because a snow cover would be added to the building. Commissioner Callahan gave confirmation that this was a county building. Lindstrom motioned to wave the building permit fee and the motion carried.
CLAIMS APPROVAL REPORT: Commissioner Tucker questioned a few of the accounts used for the Road and Bridge’s charges for road gravel, but it was resolved. Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to approve the Claims Approval Report in the amount of \$267,811.51. The motion carried.
EBCAD: Commissioner Callahan referenced an email received and reported that East Boise County Ambulance District is down to only their “loaner ambulance.”
Mari Adams with EBCAD said on Saturday they were transporting a patient when the ambulance started shaking violently. She said Unit 15 has basically been in the shop this whole past year because new issues arise. Unit 13 has been



Boise County Commissioners (L-R) Bob Callahan, Clay Tucker, and Lindy Lindstrom on Monday, January 13th, 2025.
Photo by Eileen Capson

more reliable. Adams said that Unit 14 had a part ordered that should come by the end of the week. They still have a command truck.
PUBLIC HEARING: The plat amendment for Turner Subdivision in Clear Creek. Planning and Zoning’s Director Alex Gross spoke about the two land properties in the 1950s. There was a restriction due to the development of a well, which was never done, and the proposed lot is under two acres. The discussion was tabled until February 11th because the property owners could not be present.
Elkhorn Estates minor subdivision plat was next on the agenda, located west of Idaho City off of Lodgepole Lane. Maintaining a portion of the road was discussed. The applicant presented and there were no further comments. Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to approve the Elkhorn Estates

minor subdivision with the conditions presented. The motion carried.
EXECUTIVE SESSION: Sheriff Turner asked for an executive session and a motion was said to enter into this closed session to discuss a personnel issue. [Time: 11am to 11:22am] There was no action required.
EXECUTIVE SESSION: Chairman Tucker motioned to go back into executive session to discuss hiring an employee. [Time: 11:23am to 12:43pm]
EXECUTIVE SESSION: Chairman Tucker motioned again to go into executive session to discuss hiring an employee. [Time: 1:32pm to

3:52pm] Coming back into session, he said that the board had finished their interviews [for the Wildfire Mitigation Coordinator position].
EXECUTIVE SESSION: The board motioned to go into executive session to discuss risk management. [Time: 3:53pm to 4:21pm] Coming out of executive session, Tucker said there was no action required.
MINUTES: Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to approve the minutes from January 7, 2025 and the motion carried.
Adjourned at 4:31pm.

HSB Poster Contest Winner



By Tracy Koslosky
HORSESHOE BEND -- 7th grader Ethan Webb (center) took third place in the 2024 Squaw Creek Soil Conservation District’s poster contest. Sponsored by the National Association of Soil Conservation Districts for more than 50 years, the 2024 stewardship theme was “May The Forest Be With You, Always.” Webb’s poster will be entered into the state and could possibly go on to the national competition. Pictured with Webb are Squaw Creek Soil Conservation District Administrative Assistant Leanne Buck (left) and WQ Resource Conservationist Meghan Brooksher (right).

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Idaho City High School Girls and Boys Basketball



ICHS Cheerleaders attended the basketball games.

Photos by Woras Focus



There were three games against Centennial Baptist on January 15th in Idaho City.



A highly competitive game on January 15th against Centennial Baptist. The lady Wildcats fell short just a few points, 29-32.

Photos by Woras Focus



Varsity player Michael Kaczmarek, a junior, fought for two points. Unfortunately, the Wildcats couldn't bring home the win this time.



The JV boys' team won their game against Centennial.

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Animal at Large	2
Bar Check	1
Child Endangerment	1
Citizen Complaint	2
Citizen Dispute	1
Civil Complaint	1
Domestic Disturbance	2
DUI Alcohol or Drugs	1
Fish & Game Violation	1
Harassment	1
Information Report	3
Juvenile Problem	2
Lost Person	1
Medical Emergency	14
Missing Person	2
Motor Assist	5
Parking Problem	2
Property Damage	1
Public Assist	2
Public Contact	1
Reckless Driver	6
Slide Off	2
Suspicious Person/Circumstance	2
Theft	1
Traffic Hazard	4
Traffic Stop	23
Trespassing	2
Unattended Death	1
Welfare Check	1
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Totals for 01/07/2025-01/13/2025	

Garden Valley High School Basketball



Freshman Lili LaFleur gets the tip.



Senior Emma Davis, # 4, puts the ball in the basket for 3 points!

By Linda Ruppel, DDS
GARDEN VALLEY -- Friday (1-17-25) the GV Girls Varsity team was on fire, beating TVCS Varsity (grey) 55-18. The TVCS did not score any points until 13 minutes into the game, and at one time GV was up over 40 points! You have to admire the fact TVCS never gave up trying to score.



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2nd Annual Valentine's Day Lunch

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The Boise Basin Senior Center will hold its second annual Valentine's Day lunch on February 13th. Soup will be served at 10:45, salad bar at 11:30 and the main meal at 12. Following the tradition of last year, we will serve Prime Rib and a special dessert. Space is limited. Please sign up for this lunch at any regular lunch day at the center, email us at boisebasin@gmail.com or call 208-392-4918.

We are looking forward to having this special lunch for the community. Please call if you have any questions.

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Garden Valley Basketball



On Monday (1-20-25), GV Girls Varsity (white) battled Cascade. Each team traded leads back and forth, and late in the fourth quarter lost the lead they had built up to Cascade, losing 53-57.



Varsity teams' rebound battle. Photos by Linda Ruppel, DDS



Lili puts up another 3 points!



#14 Quinn going for 2 points



#11 Gabby intercepts the ball

GARDEN VALLEY -- JV also played on Monday against Cascade. The teams competed until halftime, and Garden Valley took the lead and won, 32-13.



Mores Creek Laced with Ice



Low single-digit temperatures at night have allowed ice shelves to form in the creeks. Photos by Eileen Capson



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~ Answer key on page 6



“And we’ve brought in Ron to handle Dead Accounts.”

Chim Chum & the Portly Samurai
by Adrian Ropp

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37 Spelling contest

38 Facial twitch

39 Attention-Deficit Hyperactive Disorder (abbr.)

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41 Adult female

42 Stringed instrument

44 Completely full

45 Rabbit

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49 Elemental

50 Horse-like animal

54 Feel concern

55 Chilled

56 Land measurement

58 Decorative needle case

61 Strong drink

63 Ball

64 Pounds per square inch

65 Gloomy

~ Answer key on page 5

CHARMY'S ARMY
Created by DAVY JONES

BEEZWAX
By John Martin

BOISE COUNTY

VFW Essay Contest Winners



Photos courtesy of Jason Roeber

IDAHO CITY -- VFW Post 142 Commander Jim White wishes to thank the student participants and appreciates the support of school staff, including Coach Jason Roeber and Principal/Superintendent Tricia Kelly. Each of the winning students received framed certificates and a substantial cash award.

Congratulations to the Voice of Democracy 2nd place winner Silas Kinney and 3rd place winner Khloye Claus. These Idaho City High School students wrote on this year's theme, "Is America Today Our Forefathers' Vision?"

Idaho City's Middle School students, 6th through 8th grade, swept the Patriot's Pen essay competition. Winners included: 1st place Brielle Harvey, 2nd place Shaylynn Nolder, and 3rd place Braylen Gillis.

Congratulations to the 2025 winners!



Icy waterfalls along Banks Lowman Road in Garden Valley.
Photo by Linda Ruppel, DDS

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common to heavy equipment operation; and working knowledge of equipment maintenance and repair.

The Superintendent is responsible for the direct supervision of the Boise County Road & Bridge

Department employees. The Superintendent delegates project responsibility to subordinates when necessary, and inspects work in progress to ensure quality and completion. All forms of recruitment; employee scheduling; daily records of work performed; monitoring road conditions; and department risk management. This position falls under the direction of the Board of County Commissioners.

COMPENSATION: This is an exempt position and compensation is dependent on experience. Included in the compensation package is employer-paid health insurance premiums (medical/dental/vision), as well as participation in PERSI (Public Employee Retirement System of Idaho).

Interested candidates are requested to submit both an employment application and a resume.

Applications can be printed from the Boise County website www.boisecounty.us or picked up

from the Clerk's Office located at: 420 Main Street, Idaho City, ID 83631. You may also submit documents by email, to mprisco@co.boise.id.us. Boise County is an Equal Opportunity Employer and gives Veteran's Preference in its hiring practices.

Boise County Road & Bridge Department is accepting applications for full time Equipment Operators for the Garden Valley, Horseshoe Bend, & Idaho City areas. Benefits include health insurance, paid vacation, paid sick time, paid holidays and PERSI retirement. See job description, below. Pre-employment Drug testing, background check & Class A CDL with tanker endorsement is required. Boise County is an Equal Opportunity Employer

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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

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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.

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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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Horseshoe Bend School Community Education Program

By Tracy Koslosky

HORSESHOE BEND -- Horseshoe Bend's Community Education Program sent a group of high school students to Treasure Valley Escape Rooms in Boise where they completed the Journey to Oz escape with just over three minutes to spare. The students had to work collaboratively to solve puzzles and recover items stolen from Dorothy and her crew by the Wicked Witch of the West within a one-hour time frame.


The HSB Community Education Program's current catalog of offerings is available through the Community Schools link at hsbschools.org. The catalog includes: trips to Barnes and Noble, Roystone, and Terrace Lakes.

School of Rock: The musical still has openings as well as dancing, cooking, homework, and tea party classes. Most classes and trips are for specific age groups, see the catalog for more information. All trips and classes are free. Everyone is welcome but priority is given to Horseshoe Bend residents.




HSB Community Education Program offered an opportunity to solve puzzles at an escape room in Boise.
Photo by Tracy Koslosky

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Permits will be subject to all prior water rights. For additional information concerning the property location, contact the Western Region office at (208)334-2190; or for a full description of the right(s), please see <https://idwr.idaho.gov/apps/ExtSearch/WRApplcationResults/>. Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Idaho Code § 42-203A. Any protest against the approval of this application must be filed with the Director, Dept. of Water Resources, Western Region, 2735 W AIRPORT WAY, BOISE ID 83705-5082 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before 2/3/2025. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.
MATHEW WEAVER, Director

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NOTICE OF
LETTING

Idaho Project No. 24659, in Boise, Payette, Canyon County, Key No. 24659; for the work of installing pipe liners in various locations in District 3.

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: ADVERTISEMENT 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 February 4, 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](#).

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/>

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

Horseshoe Bend HS Basketball

By Tracy Koslosky
HORSESHOE BEND -- GIRLS BASKETBALL: The Horseshoe Bend Lady Mustang Varsity basketball team played host to the Garden Valley Wolverines on Tuesday, 1/14. Home court advantage didn't favor the Mustangs as they fell to Garden Valley 25-55.

On the road to Riggins on Thursday, 1/16 to take on the Salmon River Savages, the Mustangs didn't fare better as they lost 13-49.

The team traveled to Greenleaf to challenge the Grizzlies on Saturday, 1/18 where the team took the win 41-32. Stat leaders against Greenleaf were senior Ashlyn Wolsleben with 16 total points, 2 three pointers and 12 rebounds (3 offensive, 9 defensive) and sophomore Kimber Jones with 16 total points, 3 three pointers and 9 rebounds (5 offensive, 4 defensive).

The team is at home on Thursday, 1/23 vs Tri-Valley and on Saturday, 1/25 hosting Council before hitting the road to Midvale to take on Tri-Valley again. MaxPreps shows the team 1-5 in Long Pin Conference play and 3-10 overall.

Pictured: Sophomore Adis-

ton Asher waits for a rebound opportunity at Greenleaf on 1/18.

BOYS BASKETBALL: Horseshoe Bend Varsity Mustang, senior Trey Bauer, feints as he tries to make his way down court during the team's road game against the Greenleaf Grizzlies on Saturday, 1/18. The Mustangs fell to the Grizzlies 21-60. The team is at home on Thursday, 1/23 vs Tri-Valley and will host Council on Saturday, 1/25 before traveling to Midvale to take on Tri-Valley again.



Images courtesy of Ashlyn Wolsleben

Core Values-Horseshoe Bend School District



By Tracy Koslosky

HORSESHOE BEND -- The Horseshoe Bend School District has a mission which includes a Core Value belief system. There are four main core values that the district inspires students and staff to strive for. 1. Optimism. 2. Respect. 3. Trust. 4. Intention. The second quarter's Core Value was Respect. The district's website states the following: "Respect. We believe every person is an individual of worth and value and must be respected and given an opportunity to flourish." The 2024-2025 Core Value Respect winners are (top row, left to right) 6th grader Emerie Webb, 11th grader Tristan Martinez, 4th grader Oaklee Nelson, Social Studies teacher Parry Ryerse and (bottom left) 1st grader McCall Bennett.

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Request for Proposals

The Idaho Transportation Department, Consultant Services Group, is soliciting proposals for CE&I Services for the following project: S FK PAYETTE BR (LOWMAN), Key No. 20681. Proposals are due on February 4, 2025, no later than 4:00 pm MST.

The solicitation is available for viewing and printing on the following web site: <http://itd.idaho.gov/business/?target=consultant-agreements>.

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Vandye Joseph Forrester III
1942 - 2025

University professor, author, and internationally acclaimed motivational speaker Vandye Joseph Forrester III, 82, passed away of natural causes surrounded by his devoted family and friends on January 8, 2025. Vandye was born on September 19, 1942, in Columbus, Georgia.

Vandye was the son of Vandye J. Forrester Jr., a photo engraver for the Miami Herald and Eleanor Stimpson Forrester.

Early in life, Vandye was ambitious academically, athletically, and was elected as

the president of the student Council at Ada Merritt Jr. High School and graduated in 1960 from Coral Gables Senior High School in Coral Gables where he served as the vice president of the Ching Tang fraternity.

Vandye spent his freshman and sophomore years at Miami-Dade College North Campus, earning an Associate of Arts degree, and was an award-winning debater, winning the State of Florida College Individual Oratory championship at a Southern Speech Association tournament held at Florida State University in 1962.

Higher education was calling and Vandye spent his junior year at the University of Oklahoma, where he was a member of the Phi Delta Theta fraternity and finished his senior year with his Bachelor of Arts degree in speech communication at the University of Miami in Coral Gables in 1964.

The business world entailed Vandye becoming a public relations and advertising professional for the Howard J. Rubinstein Associates Public Relations Agency, NYC, J. Walter Thompson Agency, NYC, Burson-Marsteller Agency, NYC, and Lobsenz-Stevens PR Agency, NYC, and the Grand Cayman News Bu-

reau in the British West Indies.

Vandye's business writing has been published in the New York Times, Wall Street Journal, New York Journal of Commerce, Los Angeles Times, Palm Springs, CA Desert Sun, and the Chicago Tribune.

Public speaking led Vandye to teach classes with the American Management Association and the Public Relations Society of America where he helped professionals with presentations and professional pitches and sales. He became a member of the 1965 Toastmasters Roughriders club in New York City and honed his presentation skills even further. He was a Toastmaster for 60 years and earned the Distinguished Toastmasters award.

Vandye was the executive speechwriter for Marshall McDonald, the Chairman of the Board for Florida Power and Light, and created public relation films for the solicitation of future energy professionals. He was presented the W. Edwards Demming Award for creating a business productivity plan for Florida Power and Light in Tokyo by the Japanese government.

Business pursuits lead to the teaching excellence award by the International Communica-

tion Association in Sydney, Australia and the Gold Quill for Speechwriting award by the International Association of Business Communicators in Chicago.

Vandye's true calling was to become a university professor after earning his Masters of Arts Degree in Speech Communication studies from California State University Long Beach in 1993. Vandye studied under the guidance of thesis director Dr. Craig R. Smith and wrote his Master's Thesis on "Rhetorical Theory in Plato's Gorgias."

Vandye helped many students come out of their shell and expand their speaking abilities for professional and interpersonal settings at Long Beach State and was elected Graduate Teaching Assistant of The Year by the faculty. As a professional educator, Vandye taught communication classes at the University of California, Los Angeles, Santa Monica College, Long Beach College, College of Western Idaho, and the University of Phoenix. Vandye was unanimously elected by the U. of Phoenix graduating seniors and the faculty to deliver their final commencement address.

Vandye's love of training students included serving as a scoutmaster for 40 years for Boy Scout troops in five states, as well as the Wood Badge Assistant Course leader and Order of the Arrow Assistant Lodge Advisor in Idaho.

Vandye inspired students at Cascade School, Cole Valley Christian School, Compass Charter School, and Project Patch in Garden Valley, ID

with inspiring life skills.

Vandye was an active member of the Garden Valley Museum Committee, the Fourth of July Committee, the Garden Valley Chamber of Commerce, The Garden Valley Center of the Arts, Friends of the Library in Garden Valley, and he enjoyed the performances of the Starlight Mountain Theater and the Boise Philharmonic.

Vandye is survived by his adoring wife of 28 years, Vondi Forrester of Garden Valley, son Vandye J. Forrester IV, and daughter-in-law Marianna of Nampa, granddaughters Jo Backus (Shane) and Savannah Forrester of Nampa, and Lieutenant Vandye J. Forrester V (Kim), USN.

Vandye was also predeceased by his older sister Kathleen Rouse of Cape Charles, Virginia, and her five daughters.

Vandye was baptized and confirmed in St. Stephens Episcopal Church in Coconut Grove, Florida. He also made his Cursillo #22 in Pompano Bach, Florida. Vandye served as an usher at All Saints' Anglican Church in Long Beach CA from 1996 through 2003. He was a faithful and committed Christian who loved to inspire young people to reach for the stars. He was a member of Crouch Community Church in Garden Valley ID.

A celebration of life service will be held at Crouch Community Church, 8 One Way Ln., Garden Valley, ID on Saturday, February 8, at 2:00 pm. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Crouch Community Church or the Garden Valley Center of the Arts. Summers Funeral Home (208) 898-0642.



Roger Dean Burtlow
1967 - 2024

Roger Dean Burtlow, affectionately known as "Deano", age 57, from Centerville, Idaho, he passed away unexpectedly at a Murray, Utah hospital on November 13, 2024, after several weeks of preparation for a heart transplant.

Born in Nampa, Idaho, attended school in Melba, Idaho and graduated from Melba High in 1986. He had just retired from Amalgamated Sugar Co. of Nampa, after 34 years of service, as a mechanic and running the pump crew.

Dean was very artistic, loved spending time with family and friends. Liked to cook, hunt,

fish, four wheel, and watch his Lab "Pearl" fetch and swim.

He is survived by his parents, Roger R. and Billie Burtlow of Centerville, his brother Daniel Burtlow, and his wife Davianne of Idaho City, his sister Debra Hanson and her husband Dennis of Centerville, Idaho. 4 nieces, 2 nephews, his dog "Pearl" and many, many friends.

A service for Dean will be in July—a trip by many to his favorite place for his ashes to be spread.

He was loved by many and will be greatly missed.



Moon setting over the mountains on the morning of January 19, 2025. Photo by Eileen Capson

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