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THE VOICE OF BOISE COUNTY

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Historic Boise Street Bridge to Be Replaced After Years of Closure

By Tracy Koslosky

HORSESHOE BEND --

After several years of being closed due to safety concerns, the iconic Boise Street Bridge in Horseshoe Bend is set to be replaced. The original structure, which crosses the Payette River, has stood for over 100 years and once served as the only link between Horseshoe Bend in Boise County and the neighboring town of Emmett in Gem County.

Thanks to the leadership of Mayor Pat Goff and the Horseshoe Bend City Council, the bridge is getting a new lease on life. Rather than being com-

pletely dismantled, the historic bridge will be split in half. One section will be preserved and placed at the Horseshoe Bend Veterans Memorial Park, while the other will find a new home at Freedom Park in Star.

The bridge is currently undergoing disassembly in preparation for the construction of a new, safer bridge to serve as the primary crossing point. Local residents and visitors alike are eager to see the legacy of the old bridge continue, with its pieces living on in two nearby parks as lasting symbols of the area's rich history.



The bridge is undergoing disassembly. Photo by Tracy Koslosky

Idaho City's Chili Cook-off on Saturday

IDAHO CITY – Need a little something to take the chill off this winter? Head up to Idaho City this Saturday for their annual Chili Cook-off. There are twenty-two chili contestants competing for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place.

There's also a lively competition for the "People's Choice Award" and the ranking will be done using QR codes. There were originally 1,600 mugs available for purchase; however, many were bought online or at local businesses. As of this publication, there were only 150 for sale on the Idaho City Chamber's website and approximately 15 still in stores. Visit idahocitychamber.org to purchase a mug online or make your way to a local business before they're all sold out. If you miss out, you'll still have the opportunity to purchase a \$5 disposable cup at the event. Chili tasting starts at noon!

Rhonda Jameson, Boise Basin Interpretive Association Visitor's Center Chairman and Idaho City Chamber chili guru, says there are some excellent auction items and gift certificates for businesses from across the Treasure Valley, which include a night stay at the Springhill Suites, a Shakespeare Festival performance, certificate for Ruth's Chris, and Chandlers.

Chili goers can expect live music, new chili pepper guys sweatshirts, a mini shootout, and loads of hot chili! This is the Idaho City Chamber's biggest fundraiser of the year. Please come support our little mountain town and enjoy the spices of the season.



Last year's 1st time chili taster.

Photos by Eileen Capson



HAPPENINGS IN BOISE COUNTY

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.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS - Spring forward on March 9th.



IDAHO CITY - St. Patrick's Day Dinner on Saturday, March 15th, at the Ray Robison Community Hall with doors opening at 5:30pm. Support Idaho City Historical Foundation's Annual Fundraiser.

BOISE COUNTY -- Boise County Republicans Lincoln Dinner on Saturday, April 5th, at the community hall in Idaho City. Keynote speaker is Raul Labrador, Idaho Attorney General. See page 8!

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BOISE COUNTY

BOISE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Transcribed by Eileen Capson

February 18, 2025

Present: Commissioners Bob Callahan and Lindy Lindstrom.

Absent: Commissioner Clay Tucker.

Pledge of Allegiance

CONSTITUENT INPUT: None

MINUTES: Acting Chairman Lindstrom motioned to approve the minutes from February 11th, 2025. The motion carried.

LETTER OF SUPPORT:

Commissioner Callahan recapped that the letter to LHTAC [Local Highway Technical Assistance Council] was for “preventative maintenance from the burned areas and for the work they want to do up there.” Lindstrom motioned to approve this letter of support to LHTAC and the motion carried.

SOLID WASTE: An administrative job description was discussed for the weed department. Lindstrom motioned to approve the administrative job description and the motion carried.

RACE TO ROBIE CREEK: Commissioner Callahan said that he didn’t realize that the event raised about \$50,000 for charities each year. He wondered if they donated anything to Boise County and Clerk Mary Prisco responded that they donate to East Boise County Ambulance District between \$2,000 and \$2,500.

Callahan said, “That’s awesome.” Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to approve the application permit for the Race to Robie Creek. The motion carried.

BOISE RIDGE RIDERS: An agreement was discussed to approve the annual contract to provide law enforcement and traffic control for the Boise Ridge Riders event. The organization would be responsible for paying the deputies. Lindstrom motioned to approve the law enforcement agreement and the motion carried.

KEYCARD READERS: Lindstrom motioned to approve the Assessor’s request to purchase keycard readers for up to \$10,000 and the motion carried.

RECORDS FOR DESTRUCTION: The prosecutor asked to table this discussion.

HAULING LICENSES: There were six licenses motioned for approval. The collection of waste and transportation companies were all approved.

EAST BOISE COUNTY AMBULANCE DISTRICT: Director Mari Adams had prepared letters to those volunteers that had not met their requirement to continue volunteering, which is 24 hours per month. Adams said that she reaches out weekly to them, and that the medical director does not feel comfortable having these volunteers under his license if they are not practicing their skills.

Lindstrom motioned to approve the letters to volunteers not meeting the hours required with their signature.

Acting Chairman Lindstrom motioned to approve a resolution to amend the FY2025 budget.

Adams gave an update on ambulance Unit 15. She went down to the valley to bring it back to Idaho City, but, “On my way up, I didn’t even make it to Hilltop and it broke down again.” She said that Ford paid for the tow and added, “I don’t feel comfortable putting a crew in it, as well as a patient.”

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS: The commissioners discussed a future meeting with Atlanta Highway District and the Idaho Transportation District. Commissioner Callahan commented that he had received a “nasty gram,” and Prosecutor Alex Sosa recommended going into executive session to discuss pending litigation.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to go into executive session to discuss a pending litigation issue. [Time 9:37 am to 9:48 am] There was no action required. There was a possible future meeting planned for the next Monday.

Adjourned at 9:49 am and will reconvene Tuesday, Feb. 25, 2025.

Support Cowboy Campground

Submitted by Sabrina Amidon

IDAHO CITY -- We are excited to support the exciting upcoming Chili Cook-Off event this Saturday!

Get ready for a vibrant day filled with delicious chili creations, friendly competition, and community spirit.

Whether you are a seasoned chili enthusiast or just looking for a fun day out, this event promises savory flavors, various recipes, and the chance to vote for your favorite dish.

Bring your friends and family along and enjoy a festive atmosphere with live music, games, and plenty of warm, hearty chili to sample.

Don’t miss out on this flavorful celebration!

We are pleased to participate and support this occasion by offering our specialty German Pancakes as part of our fundraising efforts for the Legacy



Stop in and enjoy specialty German pancakes! Photo by Sabrina Amidon

Park Trust at Cowboy Campground.

While we recognize that this event highlights chili, we aim to provide options for guests and participants who wish to enjoy our German Pancakes, which include several tasty top-

pings and a hearty Potato Soup.

Thank you for considering our contributions to this community endeavor.

Legacy Park Trust @ CowboyCampground.com

Idaho City Historical Foundation's Annual Fundraiser

St. Patrick's Day Dinner

IN PERSON or CURBSIDE**

Corned Beef Dinner — Beer—Silent and Live Auction

Saturday March 15, 2025

Ray Robison Community Hall

Trudy's Kitchen is preparing a delicious traditional meal of corned beef and cabbage, potatoes and carrots, rolls and bread pudding.

The cost is \$25/dinner. And every last cent goes to the Foundation thanks to Maggie at Trudy's Kitchen.

Call or text 208-859-5158 or email president@idahocityhf.org to reserve your seat or to preorder your curbside dinner .

In Person tickets can also be purchased at Trudy's Kitchen.

Doors Open at 5:30 pm

Dinner will be served at 6:00 pm

Curbside pickup starts at 6:30 pm

Enjoy a delicious meal; buy some Gold Miner's Logger beer made with Idaho City hops; bid generously at the silent and live auctions and help preserve the history of the Basin.

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BOISE COUNTY

Presentation by the Golden Eagle Audubon Society

By Linda Ruppel, DDS
GARDEN VALLEY -- The Garden Valley District Library hosted a special presentation by the Golden Eagle Audubon Society on Saturday, February 22nd, featuring Boise County birds. Audubon volunteers Josh Thompson and Mark Whitaker shared their knowledge of the local bird population with a room full of local residents. They gave advice on how best to look up a variety of birds by size and shape, color pattern, habitat, and behavior. They also shared their knowledge about migration patterns and how and what to feed these birds. This presentation included information on how to keep these birds safe, like turning off lights at night and using

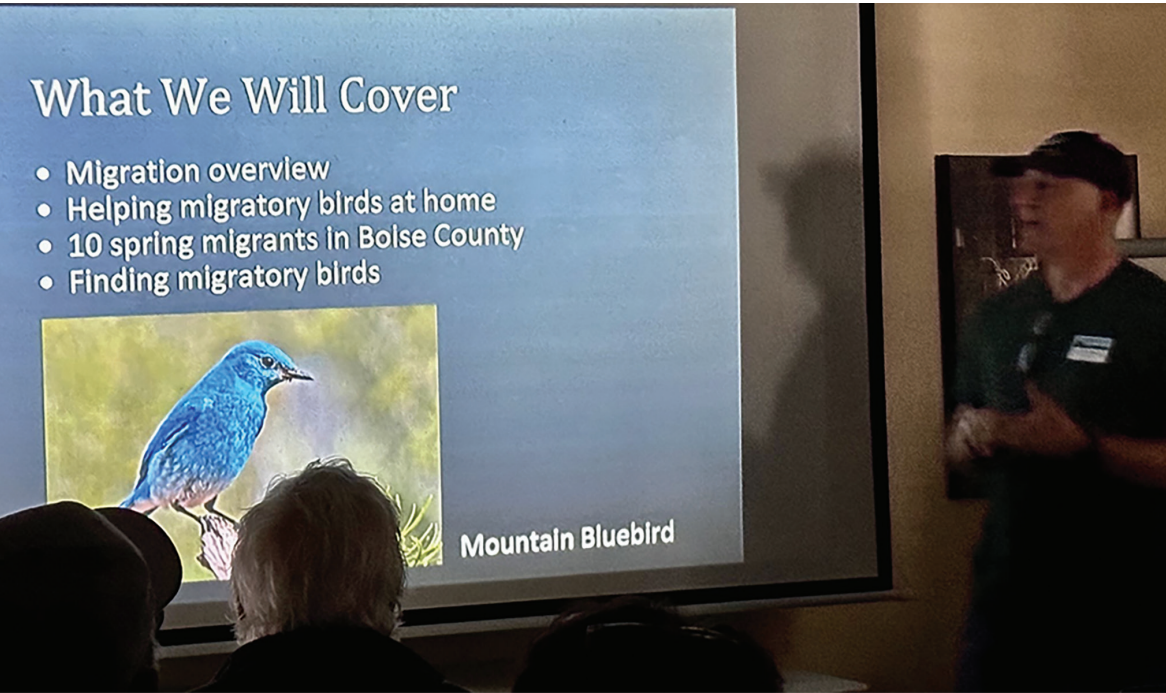
window coverings. There was also a special presentation of the ten most popular Boise County/ Garden Valley birds and the two Audubon volunteers took questions from the audience. There were informative handouts regarding the birds, and who knew that some love grape jelly?!? To learn more about the Golden Eagle Audubon Society scan this code:



Josh Thompson (left) and Mark Whitaker (right) from the Golden Eagle Audubon Society
Photos by Linda Ruppel, DDS

GARDEN VALLEY DISTRICT LIBRARY

Thanks to a very generous grant, the library was able to purchase new children's kits to add to our collection! Come check them out!



Josh Thompson walks through the topics to be covered in the presentation.



Mike Uhl's bird collage at the Audubon presentation.

Did you know?

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GARDEN VALLEY DISTRICT LIBRARY

GARDEN VALLEY -- The Garden Valley Library is currently displaying the works of local artist Mike Uhl. He has lived in Idaho since 1955. Uhl was recently diagnosed with eye complications and has an upcoming surgery was scheduled. Uhl's fears that he might lose his sight ignited a passion in him to create twenty collages over the summer. He had been collecting these images for the past fifty years. His inspiration to create began at the tender age of eight, when he took his first art classes, and continued throughout his years in the Boise school system. Four collages are currently on display in the library, including an artwork that was displayed during the Golden Eagle Audubon presentation.

BOISE COUNTY

Boys' Basketball
Player of the Week



#13 Thomas Knuteson gets the tipoff Photo by Linda Ruppel, DDS

Congratulations to Garden Valley's varsity player #13 Thomas Knuteson for receiving the vote as the *Statesman's* player of the week, Feb. 10-16. He received over 7,000 votes, topping the chart with a thousand votes more than any other player and beating out a player, from Borah High School.



Fish & Game's Strategic Plan



Residents who wish to participate can attend one of eight public meetings in March and April

BOISE COUNTY -- Idaho Fish and Game is updating its strategic plan in 2025 and wants to hear from Idahoans who are interested in shaping wildlife management in the state. Known as The Compass, Fish and Game's Strategic Plan was last updated in 2015. Much has changed in Idaho since then, so it is important for those who value wildlife to provide input on how Fish and Game can fulfill its mission in the future.

Residents who wish to par-

ticipate can attend one of eight public meetings in March and April in each region of the state. If you are unable to attend an in-person meeting, an online portal with the same overview information and feedback opportunities will go live on March 11.

Participants will be asked to provide input on the four external priority areas identified during the initial scoping phase of the project, which include:

- Hunter, Angler, Trapper and Wildlife Viewer Satisfaction
- Habitat Loss
- Invasive Species and Disease
- Predator Management

Participants may also provide input on other priorities where they feel Fish and Game

should focus its efforts.

All comments received will be used to shape the 2025 Fish and Game Strategic Plan Update. Draft versions of the update will be available for review and public comment prior to being considered for approval by the Fish and Game Commission.

Local Public Meetings:
Southwest Region

April 8, 6 p.m.
Southwest Regional Office
15950 N. Gate Blvd
Nampa

Southwest Region
April 9, 6 p.m.

IDFG Headquarters
600 S. Walnut Street
Boise



Elk in the snow.

Photo by Eileen Capson

Eligible homeowners can apply
for property tax relief

BOISE COUNTY – You might qualify for some property tax relief. Idaho's Property Tax Reduction program reduces property taxes on an eligible homeowner's primary Idaho residence and up to one acre of land by as much as \$1,500.

You can apply for the program online at tax.idaho.gov/ptr. You also can get a paper application on the Tax Commission's website at tax.idaho.gov/reduction or from your county assessor. If you need help completing the form, contact your county assessor.

Apply online or mail an application to your county assessor by Tuesday, April 15. Applicants must apply every year.

"The online application is a convenient option especially for people who can't easily get to their county assessor's office," said Pam Waters, administrator of Idaho's Property Tax Reduction program. "Taxpayers can also apply online for other tax relief programs like

property tax deferral and the disabled veterans benefit."

-You might qualify for a property tax reduction if all of these are true:

- You're an Idaho resident.
- You own and occupy your home or mobile home, and the value doesn't exceed a limit set by law that will be calculated in June 2025.

-Your total 2024 income, after deducting medical expenses, was \$37,810 or less.

You're any of the following as of January 1, 2025:

- 65 or older
- Former POW or hostage
- Motherless or fatherless child under 18
- Blind

- Widow(er)
- Disabled

Note: Property tax reduction benefits won't reduce special fees that government entities charge.

For more information or help:

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Call the Tax Commission at (208) 334-7736 in the Boise area or toll free at (800) 972-7660, ext. 7736.

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BOISE COUNTY

Garden Valley Boys Basketball Wins First District Game



Marshall grabs the rebound



Conor gets tipoff

Photos by Linda Ruppel, DDS



Show of sportsmanship

On 2-18-25, Garden Valley Boys' Varsity took their first step in Districts by winning against Salmon River (blue) 67-41.



On Thursday, Feb 20th, Garden Valley's Boys Middle School (white and purple) fought hard, but Liberty bested them 36-45.



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CarrieAnne Kowalczyk
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BOISE COUNTY

Boise County Sheriff's Office

Nature of Call	Total Calls
911 Hangup	1
False calls to 911	1
Abandoned Vehicle	1
Traffic Accident with Damage	7
Traffic Accident with Injuries	2
Alarm Residence	2
Vicious Animal	1
Animal Complaint	1
Animal at Large	1
Bar Check	2
Battery	1
Citizen Complaint	1
Fire Unattended	1
Harassment	1
Indecent Exposure	1
Information Report	2
Intoxicated Person	1
Juvenile Problem	1
Medical Emergency	6
Motor Assist	2
Overdue Person	2
Parking Problem	1
Public Assist	3
Reckless Driver	2
Runaway Juvenile	1
Slide Off	2
Suspicious Person/Circumstance	6
Theft	4
Traffic Hazard	4
Traffic Stop	12
Trespassing	2
Unattended Death	1
Vandalism	1
VIN Serial Nmbr Inspection	1
Warrant Arrest	3
Welfare Check	1
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Totals for 02/11/2025-02/17/2025	



Elk crossing the river by Crouch.

Photo by Karen Benedict

Our next meeting is Saturday, March 8th, at 1000 here at the Sheriff's Office. Part of the agenda includes officer nominations for the upcoming year, plus we will be discussing and voting on pending donations.

FUNDRAISING: This coming Saturday, March 1st ...Idaho City Chili Cook Off ...0900 to 1400. We will be manning our raffle booth up near the courthouse...please come help if you can! Also this weekend, the 1st to 2nd, we will be manning a raffle booth at the Idaho Gun Show in Nampa at the Ford Center. The usual crew will be handling that, but feel free to join in...people watching at gun shows is great entertainment!



Courtesy of the Boise County Elections Department

Position	Assessor	Clerk	Coroner	Treasurer	COUNTY COMMISSIONER			COUNTY SHERIFF	COUNTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEY	Precinct Committeemen
Area					DIST 1	DIST 2	DIST 3			
Election Date					2024	2022	2024	2024	2024	2024
Party					REP	REP	Rep	REP	REP	REP
Term	4 yr	4 yr	4 yr	4 yr	2 yr	4 yr	4 yr	4 yr	4 yr	2 yr
Next Term	2026	2026	2026	2026	2026	2026	2028	2028	2028	2026
	Chris Juszcak	Mary Prisco	Pam Garlock	Gina Turner	Bob Callahan	Clay Tucker	Lindy Lindstrom	Scott Turner	Alex Sosa	
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ComParrot

by Bonnie J. Malcolm

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Bonnie J. Malcolm

~ Answer key on page 6

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- neck and wicker casing
- 5 Painter Georgia ____
- 6 Lose interest
- 7 Time period
- 8 One who causes to begin life
- 9 ____ resin
- 10 Horses' neck hair
- 11 On top
- 12 Stitched
- 13 Otherwise
- 21 Shrew
- 23 Green Gables dweller
- 26 Ethan that led the Green Mountain Boys
- 27 Not lost
- 28 ____ eel
- 29 False name
- 30 ____ sayer (prophet)
- 31 Nylons
- 32 Vertex
- 33 NY city
- 34 Boat worker
- 39 Shortcoming
- 42 Moved through the water
- 46 Iffy
- 47 Brute
- 48 Smallest
- 50 Grub
- 51 Filthy film
- 52 Adjust
- 53 Flunk
- 54 Iraq's neighbor
- 55 Trigonometric function
- 56 Dislike
- 59 Before, poetically

ACROSS

- 1 Copied
- 5 Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries
- 9 Entertain
- 14 Feel deep affection for
- 15 Corn syrup brand
- 16 Jacket part
- 17 Idyll
- 18 Dash
- 19 Recognizes
- 20 Shrink
- 22 _____ pepper
- 24 Peanut butter brand
- 25 Ceases
- 26 Before
- 28 Not max
- 29 Fire remains
- 32 Hawaiian 'hello'
- 33 Ranges
- 35 Water closet
- 36 Held on tightly
- 37 Unrefined metal
- 38 Arrivederci
- 40 Males
- 41 Award
- 43 Raging
- 44 Finale
- 45 Reporter's question
- 46 ____ Gordon
- 47 Chimney
- 49 Hushed
- 50 Loves
- 53 Renovate
- 57 Sporty car brand
- 58 Indian wood
- 60 Opera solo
- 61 Sandwich meats
- 62 Canal
- 63 Can not
- 64 Refine ore
- 65 Depend
- 66 Leg joint

DOWN

- 1 Swiss mountains
- 2 Winnie the ____
- 3 Always
- 4 Large bottle with narrow

~ Answer key on page 5

CHARMY'S ARMY

Created by DAVY JONES

Chim Chum & the Portly Samurai

by Adrian Ropp

"WHAT? LOTS OF ANIMALS HAVE A WINTER COAT."

BEEZWAX

By John Martin

BOISE COUNTY



Boise County Republicans
Lincoln Dinner
Saturday, April 5, 2025

Location: Ray Robison Community Hall
206 West Commercial St.
Idaho City, ID 83631

Time: Doors open @ 4:30 PM, Dinner @ 6:00 PM

Keynote Speaker: Raúl R. Labrador
Idaho Attorney General

Individual Tickets presale through March 31, 2025 @ \$35.00

Tickets at the door @ \$40.00

Presale sponsor tables for 8 @ \$350.00

Tickets available from Central Committee members or by mail.

Please make checks payable to: Boise County Republican Central Committee
Memo line indicate: 2025 Lincoln Dinner. Mail to: PO Box 675 | Idaho City, ID 83631

Menu: BBQ Tri Tip, Salads, Beans and Garlic French Bread

Dessert Dash

Raffles and Silent Auction Items

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HELP WANTED:

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ROAD & BRIDGE SUPER-INTENDENT

Boise County is seeking a full-time Road & Bridge Superintendent to join Boise County's Leadership Team of Department Supervisors and Elected Officials. The successful applicant should have considerable knowledge of machinery, material, and methods of constructing roads, bridges, drainage systems, culverts, etc.; working knowledge of principles and techniques of supervision; safety standards related to road and bridge construction and hazards

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 and gives Veteran's Preference in hiring practices. To apply, submit to kcoffelt@co.boise.id.us the following: (1) a filled-out Boise County application form; (2) a cover letter; and (3) a resume.

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.

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

COMMUNITY SERVICES:

Placerville Fire District is looking for a Treasurer and a Secretary. Please send an application with your qualifications and experience to Rick Barber at red.mist.222@gmail.com

If you wish a salary for your services, include the amount you

expect.

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. 473 Hwy. 55 in Horseshoe Bend. 6 p.m. 25 cents per card.



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HORSESHOE BEND SENIOR CENTER
March's Menu

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.

March’s menu:
Tuesday 3/4: Meatball slid-

ers, mixed vegetable salad, rice, fruit, dessert
roll, fruit, dessert
Friday 3/7: Beef lasagna, Caesar salad, garlic bread, fruit, dessert
Friday 3/21: Denver om-elette casserole, biscuit w/sau-sage gravy, fruit, dessert
Tuesday 3/11: Chicken and wild rice, mixed vegetable sal-ad, fruit, dessert
Tuesday 3/25: Hamburger gravy w/mashed potatoes, mixed vegetable salad, fruit, dessert
Friday 3/14: Mississippi pot roast w/potatoes, mixed veg-etable salad, fruit, dessert
Friday 3/28: Ham & potato soup, mixed vegetable salad, fruit, dessert
Tuesday 3/18: Beef tacos w/ fixins,refried beans, Mexican
All meals are served with coffee, iced tea, water, or milk.



BOISE BASIN
SENIOR CENTER
March's Menu & Events

Tuesday, March 4, 2025
BBQ'd chicken wings, sau-sages, mixed vegetables, peaches, rolls
Tuesday, March 18, 2025
Turkey, mashed potatoes and gravy, mixed fruit, rolls
Thursday, March 6, 2025
Lasagna, corn, apricots, gar-lic bread
Thursday, March 20, 2025
Chicken fajitas, beans and rice, Mandarin oranges, torti-llas
Tuesday, March 11, 2025
Corned beef, cabbage, car-rots, potatoes, peaches, rolls
Tuesday, March 25, 2025
Pork ribs, green beans, maca-roni salad, pears, rolls
Wednesday, March 26, 2025
Food Bank from 11:30-1pm
Thursday, March 13, 2025
Philly steak sandwiches, po-tatoes, green beans, peaches
Thursday, March 27, 2025
Meatloaf, mashed potatoes and gravy, peas, mixed fruit, whole wheat bread
Wednesday, March 12, 2025
Board Meeting at 10am
Food Bank from 11:30-1pm

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Garden Valley Senior Center
March 2025

Tuesday Lunches 11:30am-12:30pm by donation 	MAR 4 – Tomato soup w/ grilled cheese sandwich, salad bar, fresh fruit, dessert	MAR 25 – Tacos (beef or chicken), salad bar, fresh fruit, dessert
	MAR 11 – Cheese raviolis w/ meat sauce, roll, salad bar, fresh fruit, dessert	**Anyone, any age can come and enjoy a meal and good conversation!!
	MAR 18 – Corned Beef and cabbage, boiled potatoes, salad bar, fresh fruit, dessert	

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

FREE INCOME TAX SERVICE – Every Thursday afternoon from 1pm-4pm. No appointment is needed. You must bring your 2024 tax return, photo ID and social security card. Many thanks to AARP for once again providing this service to our community.

FOOD BOXES - Boxes will be distributed on **MARCH 6TH and MARCH 20TH** 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.

BINGO! BINGO! BINGO! Friday, March 7th! Packet sales begin at 6:30pm!! Games start at 7pm!! Many thanks to our volunteer team that makes the fun evening fun for everyone!

MONTHLY GVSC BOARD MEETING – **MONDAY, MARCH 10th at 6:00pm.** Please attend and share ideas for upcoming events at 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!! 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.gvseniorcenter.org If you would like additional resources added, please contact the Senior 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.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

City of Crouch will be holding a PUBLIC HEARING on MARCH 12th, 2025 at COMMUNITY HALL at 5:30 PM. This hearing is to obtain public input on AMENDING ORDINANCE 2009-1, SIGN REGULATIONS, OF THAT ORDINANCE AND REPLACING IT WITH A NEW CHAPTER 12, SIGN REGULATIONS: PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE. The file relating to this proposal is available for review at Crouch City Hall, 342 Village Circle, Garden Valley, Idaho 83622. All persons desiring to be heard concerning the proposed amendments should be in attendance for the hearing. Written comments should be submitted prior to the Council Meeting but to be considered, must be received by the City Clerk no later than Friday March 7th, 2025. If you have any questions, please contact Bonnie Horsewood, City Clerk at 208-462-4687 Tuesday through Thursday 10:00-2:00.

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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 Marianne Konvalinka, 304 S Eagleson Road, Boise, ID 83705 with Nampa & Meridian Irrigation District for annexation of lands legally described as: parcels of land being a portion of SW SEC 17 3N 2E, Boise, **Ada County**, Idaho and being more particularly described as follows:

LOT 1 WELTHA SUBDIVISION SEC 17 3N 2E

The Board of Directors of Nampa & Meridian Irrigation District has set **18 March 2025 at 9:15 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 J. Gray, Secretary/Treasurer
Nampa & Meridian Irrigation District
1503 First Street South
Nampa, Idaho 83651

Telephone: 208-466-7861

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Case No. CV08-24-00272

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 DYLAN E. BASS
Deceased

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned have been appointed personal representatives 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 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 20th day of February, 2025.

Attorneys for Linda and Jeffrey Bass
By: Frank Walker, ISB # 3740
Attorney for Personal Representatives
DAVIS & WALKER
250 S. 5th St., Suite 850
Boise, ID 83702
Telephone: (208) 429-1200

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Case No. CV08-25-00018

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 JANELL KATHLEEN WARD, also known as JANELL WARD.
Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the above-named estate. All persons having claims against the said deceased 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 or delivered to KATI JANELL WARD, Personal Representative of the estate, at 1303 12th Avenue Road, Nampa, Idaho 83686, and filed with the Court pursuant to Idaho Code Section 15-3-804. Dated this 21st day of January, 2025.

KATI JANELL WARD
Personal Representative

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BOISE COUNTY

OBITUARIES



Floyd Edwin Audette
1925 - 2025



his business. Therefore, he had wonderful companionship during the last 14 years or so of his life in the mountains.

However, as his health inevitably declined due to age, Konnie was no longer able to care for him by herself in his home in the mountains. Therefore, the family was able to move him into an elder care home in Meridian, Idaho, under the loving care of Gilbert Bravo and Tammy Walmer, and with the help of Gilbert's aunt, Janie.

Floyd peacefully passed away in his bed in the elder care home by natural causes early on the morning of Sunday, February 9th, 2025 at the age of 99. (He was just 49 days short of being 100 years old.)

At his request, he will be cremated and his ashes will be spread by his family onto the earth where his life-long sweetheart's ashes were previously spread in a similar ceremony and celebration of life at the Fairview Cemetery on the north slope of War Eagle Mountain east of Silver City in the Owyhee Mountains of Idaho where Claire so loved the view. However, this ceremony won't be scheduled until late June or early July, 2025, due to the timeline of melting snow banks.

Nonetheless, A Celebration of Life potluck get-together for family and friends was scheduled to be held at the Idaho City Community Center on Sunday, February 23rd, 2025. This was organized by his loving daughter, Marilyn ("Esther" by so many of her friends) and his granddaughter, Jessica Gladhart.

Floyd Edwin Audette
March 30th, 1925 to February 9th, 2025.

Floyd was the first born to Fred and Zell Audette on March 30th, 1925 in Duluth, Minnesota. (His mother's maiden name was Hovis.)

He grew up on his father's small chicken farm in Burnett, Minnesota, during the Great Depression with four other siblings. His only brother, Bill Audette, came next; then his twin sisters, Rosella and Marcella; then his youngest sister, Shirley. He was predeceased by all in that family except his sister, Marcella, who lives as a widow in the Vancouver, Washington area at the time of this writing.

Floyd married Claire Audrey Brown in June of 1946 and soon moved to Boise, Idaho.

Floyd and Claire raised two children in Boise. Their son, Stanley F. Audette, was born April 10th, 1947; and their daughter, Marilyn L. Audette, was born June 17th, 1948. Both

children live in the area at the time of this writing.

His son brought 2 grandchildren into this world, followed by 2 great grandchildren and 2 great, great grandchildren. His daughter brought 5 grandchildren into the family, followed by 10 great grandchildren and 7 great, great grandchildren. All-in-all, Floyd and Claire are responsible for adding 30 heirs to the family tree.

Sadly, in November 1989, his sweetheart of 43 years passed away due to cancer. And although he remarried a few years later, that marriage did not bring happiness to either him or his second wife. It ended just a few years after it began and Floyd was again alone in a rather large house he had built for his second wife.

As he grew older, he invited his niece, Konnie Jesmer (daughter of his wife's older sister, Marjorie), who grew up in Seattle, Washington, to help him with the house and

Should I have an
AirMed Membership?

By Earl McCreary

BOISE COUNTY -- We live in a remote area, where medical help sometimes is 30 minutes or more away, and a hospital is even further. This assumes the roads are dry and good. How do we ensure we can get the medical help we need the fastest way without harming our finances? Some Boise County residents choose the option to have an AirMed membership.

What is AirMed membership? It is a membership that you pay annually to cover any time you require a AirMed flight to the nearest hospital. The reason behind that is, if a medical event happens, I personally want the best care possible and do not want to worry about the cost. I do not want to fight with the insurance company about how much they are willing to pay. An AirMed flight could cost anywhere between \$10,000 to over \$100,000 per flight. Each insurance company has a different policy on how they are willing to pay for the

flight and on the conditions that they will pay.

Talking with Mari and Jon Adams with EBCAD, they state approximately 30% of all EMS calls require an AirMed flight. There are flights that are automatic due to the call and medical issue, some are the EMT's call, and some are the patient's call. Cardiac and major trauma events will be an automatic AirMed flight. The AirMed is dispatched at the same time the EMS is dispatched. There are other events that require flights. Those events could be respiratory, broken bones, age of the patient, and others that are the decision of the EMTs that are onsite.

I share this information so that people can make an informed decision. AirMed membership costs around \$70 a year for yourself and family members. I figure that's cheap insurance. We all work hard for our money and why let an event in our life put a strain on our finances?



Air St. Luke's

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A beautiful day in Boise County, Idaho.

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