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## Region readying aid for Haiti

Quake hit personal  
chord with local  
teen who spent  
time in country

By Damon Hunzeker  
Times-News writer

As residents of Haiti contend with the trail of rubble and death left by Tuesday's earthquake and most Americans read about the events from a detached distance, a Twin Falls teenager reacted personally.

Jonathan Bruce, a home-schooled 16-year-old, went to Haiti last year as part of a nondenominational Christian mission and helped to rebuild a church/school that had been damaged by a hurricane. The latest natural catastrophe is much worse, though.

"It's heartbreaking. For one, the pastor who we helped down there — his sister was going to school in Port-au-Prince when the earthquake happened," Bruce said, adding that he maintains contact with the

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Photo courtesy JONATHAN BRUCE  
Jonathan Bruce of Twin Falls carries a Haitian boy on his shoulders during a missionary project last summer.

### MORE ON HAITI INSIDE

U.S. takes charge in Haiti —  
with troops, rescue aid.

Help comes too late for 9-year-old girl trapped in rubble.

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# State OKs Idaho Power rate freeze

### Tiers prompt complaints nearly one year in

By Nate Poppino  
Times-News writer

Idaho Power customers frustrated about higher winter heating bills this season got some good news on Thursday.

The electric utility will not ask for any increases to its general rates until January 2012 under settlement terms approved by state regulators.

The document accepted by the Idaho Public Utilities Commission instead awards the utility slightly more than half of an expected \$160 million in savings from a rate modifier tied to the cost of providing power. Although that means less money returned to ratepayers, the customer groups that negotiated it believe a general-rate increase would have

cost them much more.

"The revenue sharing, (Power Cost Adjustment) sharing and rate case moratorium components of the settlement in this case serve the company and its customers as well as possible in our current economic times," representatives of the Snake River Alliance said in a press release.

Idaho Power began preparations last fall to ask the PUC for a general rate increase of more than 10 percent, on the heels of recent bumps in that rate and other fees.

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### On the Web

Visit [www.puc.idaho.gov](http://www.puc.idaho.gov) for a copy of Thursday's order; click on "File Room" and "Electric Cases," then scroll to case no. IPC-E-09-30.

A lineman with Idaho Power moves a transmission wire to a new pole Thursday at the intersection of Grandview Drive North and Falls Avenue West in Twin Falls. The electric utility will not ask for any increases to its general rates until January 2012 under settlement terms approved by state regulators.

ASHLEY SMITH/Times-News

## Otter budget plan takes aim at slashing more state jobs

379 positions already vacant,  
83 still on chopping block

By Ben Botkin  
Times-News writer

BOISE — As many as 83 Idaho government workers would lose their jobs through cost-cutting measures outlined in Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter's budget 2011 budget proposal.

Wayne Hammon, Otter's budget chief, gave a presentation on Thursday to the Legislature's Joint Finance-Appropriations Committee that outlined the governor's recommendations for reducing full-time positions by 450 to 466 workers in the coming year. That doesn't mean 400-plus state employees are getting pink slips. The bulk of that recommendation — about 379 positions — represents currently vacant jobs.

"These are vacant positions that the governor's recommending be eliminated," Hammon said.

That still leaves about another 83.8 full-time equivalent positions that would be cut

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## CSI's enrollment increase touted in Beck's address

President says college could  
see significant decrease in  
state funding in coming years

By Damon Hunzeker  
Times-News writer

In his State of the College address Wednesday, College of Southern Idaho President Jerry Beck discussed some of the issues facing the school.

Not surprisingly, most concerned money.

"I want everybody to understand that, from my standpoint, even though we have some stressful times to go through, things are as good at the College of Southern Idaho as I think they could be at a community college anywhere in this nation," he said.

About 30 minutes later, however, things didn't look quite so good. Beck said state appropriations in 2009 for the college were about \$13.1 million but, after



Beck

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WATCH CSI President Jerry Beck's State of the College address in its entirety.

# Tentative tax deal marks health care reform breakthrough

## Unions bow to tax on high-cost insurance plans

By David Espo and Sam Hananel  
Associated Press writers

WASHINGTON — In a major breakthrough, union leaders bowed Thursday to White House demands for a new tax on high-cost insurance plans as part of landmark health care legislation taking final shape in intensive negotiations. "We are

on the doorstep" of success, President Obama said.

The tentative agreement on the tax, which included significant concessions by the administration, was disclosed as leading lawmakers set an informal timetable of Friday for a compromise on the health care bill that Obama made a top priority in taking office a year ago.

Democrats expressed the hope that the agreement would quickly open the way for progress on other key issues where House and Senate-passed bills differ, as well as attempts by the

White House to squeeze additional financial concessions from drug makers, nursing homes and other health care providers.

On a separate issue, makers of generic drugs, backed by the White House and a senior congressional ally, sought to reduce the patent protection that pharmaceutical companies receive for their new-to-market biotech products. The House and Senate bills both limit competition for 12 years, but Obama told Democrats he wanted changes.

The fast-paced events came as senior lawmakers spent parts of a second consecutive day at the White House for bargaining over terms of a final compromise, and Obama gave a rousing speech to rank and file House Democrats in a late-afternoon appearance in the Capitol complex.

Referring to polls that show lagging support for the legislation, he told Democrats, "I know how big a lift this has been."

In remarks that look ahead

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### WHAT LATEST MOVE MEANS

- A 40 percent excise tax would be applied to high-cost health insurance policies.
- The threshold on insurance policies subject to tax would be raised from \$8,500 in the Senate-passed bill to \$8,900 for singles and from \$23,000 to \$24,000 for family coverage.
- However, the tax would not apply to policies covering union workers in collective bargaining agreements, state and local workers and members of voluntary employee benefit associations through Dec. 31, 2017.



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# MORNING BRIEFING

## Pat's Picks

Three things to do today

Pat Marcantonio



● Just like when 2000 approached, there's apprehension about 2012, because it's when the Mayan calendar ends. Chris Anderson of the Faulkner Planetarium in Twin Falls will talk about "Apocalypse 2012: Fact or Fiction" at 7:15 p.m. Cost is \$1.50 to \$2.50. There will also be a sky viewing through the Herrett Center telescope for anyone who pays admission.

● For more otherworldly subjects, the Buhl High School Drama Department presents "The Iliad, The Odyssey and all of Greek Mythology in 99 Minutes or

Less," tonight and Saturday at the West End Senior Citizen Center, 1010 Main St. Dinner begins at 6 p.m., followed by curtain time at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$30 per couple and \$25 per couple for senior citizens.

● Students bring poetry to life at the Poetry Out Loud contest at 7 p.m. at the Full Moon Gallery, 132 Main Ave. S., Twin Falls. Admission is free. Information: 734-2787.

*Have your own pick to share? Something unique to the area and that may surprise people? E-mail me at patm@gmagicvalley.com.*

## CSI

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budget holdbacks, funding was closer to \$12.2 million. He said the projected 2010 appropriations would be about \$12.5 million but, in light of Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter's recent announcement of another \$40 million in holdbacks, the amount would again be smaller.

"As of today, what we're projecting the actual number to be by the time we get done with this year, and this is barring any further holdbacks ... we'll receive \$11,613,700," Beck said.

He estimated the projection for 2011 to be about \$10.1 million.

"It's not good — not good at all," Beck said. "As bleak as this might seem, keep in mind that we've had a very significant student increase here at the College of Southern Idaho, and that has been the thing that has, so to speak, saved our bacon."

Increased enrollment means increased funding. With that in mind, while noting that current enrollment is a record 8,300, Beck discussed expanding dual-credit opportunities for high-school students in the area and making college more accessible — including, he said, the idea of possibly holding classes until 1 a.m.

More than any other community college in the state, CSI is a school of part-time students with full-time jobs, he said.

Beck ended the address with some advice for enjoying the new year.

"Move your desk. Take a different route to work. Do something on one of these weekends that you've never done before," he said.

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## Haiti

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Haitian pastor through e-mail. "Luckily, she was found, and she's safe, but it's still heart-wrenching ... They're already going through hard times."

Bruce spent two weeks in the country — pouring concrete, learning Creole, and getting to know the people.

"There's a lot of poverty and there's a big gap between the rich and the poor. There's no middle class, but the people are still generous and loving," he said.

The Red Cross estimates that about 50,000 people have died from the earthquake so far. Meanwhile, some Magic Valley religious groups are raising money to provide help.

St. Edward's the Confessor Catholic Church in Twin Falls will be soliciting collections Jan. 23 and 24, separate from its regular Sunday collection, specifically to benefit the people of Haiti.

Michael Brown, spokesman for the Roman Catholic Diocese of Boise, said parish-

es throughout Idaho will be raising money to supplement the \$5 million pledged by Catholic Relief Services.


"Haiti is predominantly Catholic, and there are many Haitian Catholics living in America, so it's crucial to come together right now while so many are suffering," Brown said.

The Methodist Church is raising money worldwide — through the United Methodist Committee on Relief — while also asking for contributions locally.

"They've set up a fund for Haiti, and any donations coming to our church will go to them," said Etha Carruthers, treasurer for the First United Methodist Church in Twin Falls. "We usually have parishioners who contribute to these things ... I've had a few people call me, but we won't have a sense of the donations probably until after this weekend."

Terry McCurdy, regional spokesman for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, said the church always keeps humanitarian-relief aid available by asking for contributions each week.

"I would guess that the very minute the church found out that there was a disaster in Haiti that they started sending money immediately," McCurdy said. "Many times the church is on the scene before the Red Cross or governmental entities ... and if they need to raise more funds, like with Hurricane Katrina or this Haiti earthquake, they'll probably ask for additional donations."

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Watershed	Seasonal percentage	peak
Salmon	73%	36%
Big Wood	68%	34%
Little Wood	56%	27%
Big Lost	60%	28%
Little Lost	73%	36%
Henrys Fork/Teton	59%	29%
Upper Snake Basin	56%	29%
Oakley	78%	39%
Salmon Falls	69%	34%
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## TODAY'S HAPPENINGS

### BUSINESS

**Twin Falls Chamber ribbon cutting**, for Neel and Associates, 3:30 p.m., 247 River Vista Place, Suite 101, Twin Falls, no cost, 733-3974 or www.twinfallschamber.com.

### CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

**West End Men's Association weekly meeting**, 6:30 a.m., Clear Lakes Country Club, 403 Clear Lake Lane, Buhl, 208-543-6682.

### EDUCATION

**Members of the Twin Falls High School graduating class of 1947 no-host lunch**, open to all 1947 classmates, 1 p.m., Jaker's, 1598 Blue Lakes Blvd. N., Twin Falls, 733-7410 or 420-9435.

### FAMILY

**Foster Parent Support Group**, foster and adoptive parents are invited, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., Visitation House, 152 Sixth Ave. W., Twin Falls, attendees encouraged to bring snacks, no cost, 732-6723 or kburnham@csi.edu

### GOVERNMENT

**Twin Falls County commissioners**, 8:30 a.m., courthouse, 425 Shoshone St. N., 736-4068.

### HEALTH AND WELLNESS

**SilverSneakers Fitness Program at Curves of Twin Falls**, complete cardio and circuit training with resistance, state-of-the-art equipment and "Curves Smart" personalized coaching, 5:30 a.m. to 7 p.m., Twin Falls Curves, 690 Blue Lakes Blvd. N., no cost for Humana Gold-insured or AARP provided by Secure Horizons, 734-7300.

**College of Southern Idaho's Over 60 and Getting Fit** programs, a guided walking

### MORE INSIDE

For detailed coverage of today's arts and entertainment all around south-central Idaho, check out our Events Calendar in the Entertainment section of today's edition.

workout with stretching and gentle resistance training, 9 to 10 a.m. at several Magic Valley locations: Blaine County Campus gym, CSI gym, Gooding ISDB gym, Jerome Rec Center, Rupert Civic gym and Shoshone High School (old gym); and 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., CSI Mini-Cassia Center gym, no cost, 732-6475.

**Fit and Fall Proof Exercise Class**, 10:30 a.m., Twin Falls Senior Citizen Center, 530 Shoshone St., no cost, 737-5988.

**Fit and Fall Proof Exercise Class**, 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., Ageless Senior Citizens, Inc., 310 Main St. N., Kimberly, no cost, 737-5988.

**SilverSneakers Fitness Program**, innovative exercise program designed specifically for Medicare beneficiaries' unique health and physical needs, 11 a.m., Twin Falls YMCA, 1751 Elizabeth Blvd., no cost for Humana-insured or YMCA members and \$6 per class for uninsured, 733-4384.

**SilverSneakers Fitness Program**, 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., Jerome Senior Center, 520 N. Lincoln St., no cost for Humana Gold Choice members, \$1 for non-Humana members, 324-5642.

**Celebrate Recovery**, based on the 12 steps and eight biblical principles, 7 p.m., Cafe Agape, Lighthouse Christian Fellowship,

960 Eastland Drive, Twin Falls, 737-4667.

**Celebrate Recovery**, a place to learn life-affirming, healthy behaviors, 7 p.m., Fireside Room of the Nazarene Fellowship Hall at Yakima Avenue and Main Street, Filer, 734-0557.

**Al-Anon/Alateen** family groups, to bring help and hope to families and friends of alcoholics, hot line: 866-592-3198.

### LIBRARY

**Family Storytime**, 10 a.m., Jerome Public Library, 208-324-5427.

**Children's storytime**, preschoolers, kindergartners, and their parents invited for stories and sing alongs, 10:30 a.m., Kiva room, Twin Falls Public Library, 201 4th Ave. E., no cost, 733-2964 ext. 110

### SPORTS AND RECREATION

**Active seniors pickleball group**, pickleball enthusiasts willing to teach newcomers, 9 a.m., Adventist Hilltop Schol, 131 Grandview Drive, Twin Falls, no cost, 837-6365 or rabjab@q.com.

**Snowsports Camp for kids**, four consecutive weeks for ages kindergarten to Sixth grade, 9 to 11:30 a.m., and 12:30 to 3 p.m., Sun Valley Nordic Center, 1 Sun Valley Road, P.O. Box, 10, \$150 for four weeks (lift tickets and lessons), 208-622-2250.

**Ski group lessons**, classic skiing group lessons, 10 a.m.; skate skiing, 2 p.m., Sun Valley Nordic Center, 1 Sun Valley Road, P.O. Box, 10, \$40 package price (includes equipment rental and instructions), 208-622-2250.

**Locals' adult clinics**, beginner and low intermediate on Dollar, 10 to noon; intermediate and advanced on Baldy, 1 to 3 p.m., Sun Valley Nordic Center, 1 Sun Valley Road, P.O. Box, 10, \$110 for three weeks (lift tickets not included), 208-622-2250.

## MLK holiday brings several closures around valley

### Times-News

Many offices and facilities are closed Monday for Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

- Most city offices are closed, including in Twin

Falls, Jerome, Burley, Rupert, Hailey, Gooding and Shoshone.

- County, state and federal offices are closed.
- Post offices are closed.
- Banks are closed.

- Twin Falls Public Library is closed.
- College of Southern Idaho and Herrett Center for Arts and Science are closed.
- YMCA/Twin Falls City

Pool is open regular hours; open swim from 2 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m.

- Magic Valley Mall is open 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.
- Trash collection will follow the regular schedule.

## Rate

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But the customer groups, concerned about the effects of another large rate increase during a recession, asked the company to consider a moratorium during talks over the company's rate of return for its stockholders. Idaho Power has not been able to earn its full authorized return for a decade now, according to the PUC.

The agreement allows the utility to support a higher return by recouping some investment-tax credits faster than initially planned. It can still change other rate components such as the annual Fixed Cost

Adjustment or raise rates to cover the cost of installing advanced power meters.

"This was a settlement that we felt pretty good about when we signed, and we think that our customers and staff felt pretty good about it," Ric Gale, Idaho Power vice president for regulatory affairs, told the *Times-News* on Thursday. "It's one of those things where I think everyone's found benefits in the transaction."

Following several years of stable rates in the 1990s — triggered in part, the utility says, by a previous rate settlement — rates have bounced around for the

past decade.

Growth helped feed an overall rise in demand for electricity, utility officials have said. But with more customers adopting energy-efficiency measures, forecasters expect an average load growth of .7 percent per year over the next 20 years, according to Idaho Power's just-filed 2009 Integrated Resource Plan. Sales growth is expected to smooth out after a couple more years of 2- and 4-percent jumps.

Idaho Power's general rate last rose by an average 3.1 percent in February 2009, less than what the utility requested. The PUC at that

time also put in place a three-tiered rate system that Gale said has prompted a large number of customer calls during its first winter in place.

Officials recognize the frustrations people who reach the highest tier have when they open their bills, Gale said. But he added that the tiers were meant to spur energy conservation, and that the new power meters — not yet available in the Magic Valley — are helping people understand their costs.

"We don't enjoy delivering that high third-tier bill," he said. "That's not fun for them. It's not fun for us."

## Jobs

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across state agencies under Otter's proposal. Of the 83.8 positions, some are vacant but others represent workers still employed by the state, Hammon said, adding he did not have breakdowns.

The numbers vary across state agencies.

For example, a cut of 16 more full-time positions is recommended for the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare, on top of 27.25 already vacant positions.

That's 43.25 fewer positions total for the next fiscal year under the recommendation.

The recommendation for Idaho State Police is a cut of three positions, making its total reduction 20 positions when including 17 current vacant positions.

Hammon noted health and safety were factored into those decisions for Health and Welfare and ISP.

"A caseworker can only handle so many children before they become bur-

dened," he said.

He stressed that the recommendation attempts to make a balance of all needs in the state.

"We ended up not cutting very many of them because of the public safety nature of that," he said, referring to the ISP positions.

Hammon didn't go through all 50-plus entities tabbed for cuts. At this early stage in JFAC hearings, it's not expected because individual agencies come in to give more detailed

overviews of their budgets.

By removing the already vacant jobs, it helps give a clearer picture of the state, said Sen. Dean Cameron, R-Rupert, and co-chairman of JFAC.

"It makes government look bigger than it already is if we have vacant positions that aren't already filled," he said.

Cutting about 450 vacant and filled full-time positions from the state's payroll represents a 2.2 percent cut from 19,642 positions.

## Tax

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to the fall campaign, he added, "If Republicans want to campaign against what we've done by standing up for the status quo and by standing up for insurance companies over American families, that is a fight I want to have."

Later in a closed-door session with lawmakers, Obama said that once the bill is signed, he intends to travel coast to coast in a series of election-year appearances designed to trumpet the changes it would make, according to one participant in the meeting. The participant was not authorized to speak on the record

because the meeting was private.

Republicans are nearly unanimously opposed to the legislation, and have made clear they intend to try to turn it to their advantage in midterm elections this fall in which 37 Senate seats and all 435 House seats are at stake.

The president wants legislation to expand health care to millions who lack it, crack down on insurance industry practices such as denial of benefits on the basis of pre-existing medical conditions and slow the growth of health care costs generally.

The president has told lawmakers he wants the tax

on high-cost plans included in the legislation to help rein in costs. But that position courted conflict with labor leaders who fear exposing their membership to higher taxes, as well as with House Democrats who omitted it from the legislation they initially passed.

The day's events underscored the urgency with which the White House and top Democrats were working, and the tentative agreement on a new tax on high-cost plans was the most prominent fruit of the effort.

"This was a very critical issue that had to be resolved, and I think it has been," said Rep. Rob

Andrews, D-N.J., who told reporters he had been briefed on the emerging agreement to impose a tax on costly insurance plans.

While not all details were set, it appeared the union leaders had backed down on their outright opposition to a new tax, and the White House had agreed to several concessions to mollify their concerns.

In a significant victory for unions, the 40 percent excise tax would not apply to policies covering workers in collective bargaining agreements, state and local workers and members of voluntary employee benefit associations through Dec. 31, 2017.



# New judge Eric Wildman takes oath of office Thursday in Jerome

By Andrea Jackson  
Times-News writer

JEROME — The judges sat in the jury box Thursday watching Eric Wildman get dressed like them.

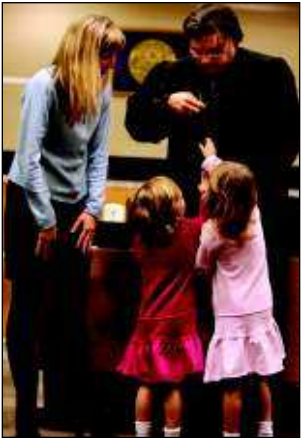
From a packed courtroom Thursday in Jerome, more than a dozen judges welcomed Wildman to the bench as the area's newest judge.

Wildman, a staff attorney for the Snake River Basin Adjudication (SRBA) took his oath Thursday after the governor appointed him last month to fill retiring Judge Barry Wood's slot. Wildman's name was forwarded to the governor by the Idaho Judicial Council as eight other applicants didn't make the short list.

He will have a large job to do, according to Wood, whom Wildman clerked for more than a decade ago.

Wildman actually has four jobs, said Wood, who before retiring was based in Gooding as the administrative judge for south-central Idaho's 5th Judicial District.

Wildman will serve as a



MEAGAN THOMPSON/Times-News  
Fifth District Judge Eric Wildman receives a little help from his daughters, Ariel Star Wildman and Skylar Wildman, as his wife, Rebecca Wildman, looks on as he dons his robe for the first time during the oath of office ceremony Thursday afternoon at the Jerome County Courthouse.

district judge. He will preside over the SRBA and the Coeur d'Alene Spokane River Basin Adjudication, since according to Wood, for the first time in state history only one judge will handle appeals to the

Idaho Department of Water Resources.

Wildman was Wood's law clerk from November 1994 through April 1996. He went into private practice until October 1999, and then joined the SRBA as an attorney.

Wood presided over the SRBA for nearly two years through 2000, when a relative was appointed to the Idaho Supreme Court. Wildman takes over the SRBA job from Judge John Melanson, who was based in Minidoka County until the governor appointed him to a slot on the Idaho Court of Appeals.

The governor appointed former Deputy Minidoka County Prosecutor Jonathan Brody to fill Melanson's district judge position, and he was sworn in last week.

On Thursday, Wildman said he was honored and humbled by his appointment.

"I will work hard to maintain that responsibility," said Wildman, a self-described motorcycle enthusiast who likes to ski.

# Second round of federal stimulus could boost roadwork budget

By Ben Botkin  
Times-News writer

BOISE — Another round of federal stimulus for transportation could come Idaho's way, prompting a wave of road construction to the tune of \$182 million for the state's roads budget.

Idaho Transportation Department officials spoke about the possibility in a hearing on Thursday with the House and Senate transportation committees of the state Legislature.

The federal jobs bill that would provide the funding has passed the House and still needs to pass the Senate in Congress before it could become a reality.

For the Magic Valley, the federal cash may mean improvements at the interchange of Interstate 84 and U.S. Highway 93 north of Twin Falls.

ITD has asked all of its districts throughout the state to submit project proposals for its board to consider in a Jan. 21 meeting

and prioritize in preparation of the bill passing Congress.

Nathan Jerke, spokesman for ITD's district that covers the Magic Valley, said it's recommending reconstruction of the east-bound overpass on I-84 at the intersection with U.S. 93 to the board.

"The clearance just isn't enough to allow high loads," Jerke said in an interview.

The estimated \$20 million project would also include reconstruction of U.S. 93 from the interchange three-quarters of a mile north to the Flying J truck stop.

While money's already set aside for reconstruction of U.S. 93, there's no timetable for replacing the overpass, mainly because it's a high-dollar item, Jerke said.

"It is needed for specific reasons, but the bridge is still in good shape," Jerke said, adding that the overpass project is needed in the long-term to aid

capacity. "The on- and off-ramps still work. It's not a 100 percent necessity."

At the hearing, ITD Chief Engineer Tom Cole said there are many unknowns about the federal bill, besides the obvious question of whether it will pass the Senate, where its funding amount could change.

If the bill does pass, it could require having about half the available funding — about \$90 million — under contract for projects that are bid out in a tight time frame of 90 days.

If the bill goes through, Cole said he expects ITD would initially seek bids for more than \$90 million worth of work in case the bids come in low.

The federal jobs bill is also being eyed in Idaho's education community, as it would also generate funding for teachers at a time when the state is strapped for cash.

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# Been here long? Wilson Butte poses archaeology riddle

How old's the neighborhood?

Nobody knows for sure how long south-central Idaho has been inhabited, but that question has stirred a remarkably heated debate in the fusty world of archaeology.

At issue is a place just around the corner where you've probably never been: Wilson Butte Cave, located in Bureau of Land Management-controlled desert south of Dietrich.

In 1959 and 1960, Ruth Gruhn — a Radcliff College-trained archaeologist — surveyed the site, did radiocarbon dating of the artifacts she found there, and estimated there was evidence of human habitation 14,500 years ago. That's a whole lot earlier than most archaeologists believed paleo-Indians were around here.

And it was a very different Idaho in which they lived. Mammoths, bison, horses, camels, ground sloths and even saber-tooth cats still roamed an Idaho landscape cooler and wetter than it is today (the estimated annual mean temperature was less than 40 degrees). Geologists believe the first volcanic eruption at Craters of the Moon National Monument didn't start until 15,000 years ago, and Clovis culture — until recently believed to mark the advent of humans in North America — didn't emerge until 13,000 years ago.

But Gruhn's estimate was way off base, some archaeologists argued: Wilson Butte Cave was first inhabited fewer than 11,000 years ago.

"The paucity of the artifactual remains, the pooling of the bone collection for a radiocarbon date, together with the difficulty in reconciling a temporal gap of nearly 4,000 years between the ... early dates at Wilson Butte Cave ... and the next-oldest radiocarbon dates in the study area (10,000 years at Deer Creek Cave near Jarbidge) challenge the early age assessment," wrote Dan Meatte, archaeologist for the Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission.

Undaunted, Gruhn returned to Wilson Butte Cave in 1988 and 1989 for more study. Using more advanced technology than existed in 1959, she concluded her original estimate of its first habitation was about right.

Subsequent research has shown that timeline is plausible. In 2006, Idaho State University archaeologists dug up stone tools from Castle Rocks State Park in Cassia County that they estimated were 16,000 years old.

Since 1975, when unexpectedly old human artifacts were discovered at a site in

Chile, the archaeology community has been riven with disagreement about when the first migrants arrived in North America from Asia. Some scientists now believe it may have been more than 30,000 years ago.

According to the BLM, the earliest residents of Wilson Butte Cave were probably buffalo hunters. Subsequent paleo-Indian

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cultures occupied Wilson Butte Cave until the forebears of the Shoshoni Indians arrived in the 15th century, and the cave was used occasionally by Indians well into the last century.

Steve Crump is the Times-News Opinion editor.

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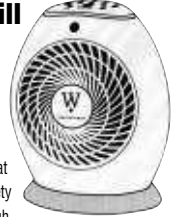
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# COMMUNITY

## Memorial donation

Marge Hoops of Twin Falls recently made a \$5,000 donation to Magic Valley Rehabilitation Services, Inc. in memory of her daughter Angela Hoops. A plaque acknowledging Angela Hoops and the contribution was prepared and will be displayed. The plaque reads: 'In Memory of Angela Hoops. Angela willingly gave her talents and treasures so that people with disabilities could have opportunities to explore and enhance their unique skills and abilities, and to achieve maximum participation in employment and community life.' Pictured from left: Jeff Crumrine, MVRS executive director and Marge Hoops.

Courtesy photo



### COMMUNITY NEWS

#### T.F.'s Bieri earns Ph.D.

Joanna Bieri, daughter of James and Stefanie Bieri of Twin Falls and a 1997 graduate of Twin Falls High School, recently graduated from Northwestern University in Evanston, Ill., with a doctorate in applied mathematics. During graduate school Bieri received a fellowship



Bieri

from NASA to fund her research, mathematical modeling of micro-flames in narrow channels. She also lectured to several undergraduate classes. She is currently employed at the University of Redlands in California, where she is the newest tenure-track faculty member in the Department of Mathematics and Computer Science. Bieri also completed a bachelor's degree in physics and math from Northern Arizona University in 2002. Information: 733-5893.

#### Sgt. Litnak deployed to Afghanistan

Army Reserve Sgt. Pauliese A. Litnak has been mobilized and activated for deployment to a forward-operating base in Afghanistan, in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. Litnak, a postal clerk, is a member of the 478th Human Resources Company, based in Salt Lake City. She has four years of military service. She is the daughter of Paula R. Mangini of Twin Falls. The sergeant graduated from a

home-school program in 2004.

#### Martinez of Twin Falls on Wayland honor roll

Jessica Martinez, of Twin Falls, was included on the dean's list for the fall semester at Wayland Baptist University in Plainview, Texas, based on her grade-point average. Students with a GPA at or above 3.5 are named to the dean's list. Martinez is the daughter of John and Shari Martinez.

— Staff reports



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Pictured, from left, are Eagle Scouts Jeff, Nathan, Matthew, Joshua, Adam, Benjamin and Jared Harris.

## Eagle Scout honored

Jared Harris of Boy Scouts of America Troop 115, was honored at an Eagle Scout Court of Honor on Jan. 3. The court of honor was held at the LDS Star

Second Ward building in Burley. Harris organized a blanket and coat drive for the Helping Hands mission as his Eagle project. He collected more

than 100 blankets and 100 coats for the shelter. Harris is the sixth son of Jeff and Rebecca Harris to receive his Eagle rank. All of his older brothers and his father, who is also an Eagle Scout, took part in the Court of Honor ceremony. They also sang together "An American Scout."

### SOMEBODY NEEDS YOU

**Donations** — River Ridge Care and Rehabilitation Center needs activity supplies for the Solana unit (Alzheimer's Care Unit), including plastic dishes for the kitchen, rolling pins, beads, clothes pins and clothesline, costume jewelry and small, empty jars (for aromatherapy scents). Information: Stephaney, 734-8645, ext. 142.

**Volunteers/donations** — The College of Southern Idaho Refugee Center needs blankets, coffee mugs, kitchen knives, bikes in good condition, television converter boxes, DVD players and knitting supplies (yarn and knitting needles of all sizes) for upcoming classes. The center needs individuals, families or groups interested in volunteering with refugees to tutor English, provide transportation for grocery shopping and visit with families. Donated items can be taken to the center, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. (closed noon to 1 p.m.), Monday through Friday, at 1526 Highland Ave. E., Twin Falls. Information: Michelle, 736-2166.

**Donations** — Safe Harbor needs good, used blankets and sleeping bags to give to people for winter. Donated items can be taken to 269 Filer Ave., Twin Falls, or contact Phyllis, 735-8787.

**Drivers** — Retired and Senior Volunteer Program at CSI's Office on Aging needs volunteer drivers, age 55 and older, in the Twin Falls area to take senior citizens to medical appointments and for grocery shopping. Drivers are offered mileage reimbursement. Information: Edith, 736-4764.

**Drivers** — Retired and Senior Volunteer Program needs volunteer drivers, age 55 and older, in the Mini-Cassia area to take senior citizens to medical appointments and for grocery shopping. Drivers are offered mileage reimbursement. Information: Kitty, 677-4872, ext. 2.

**Volunteers** — Idaho Home Health and Hospice needs volunteers to help in the office, provide respite care, be companions and read to patients in the Twin Falls, Gooding, Wendell, Jerome, Burley, Rupert and Buhl areas. Information: Nichole, 734-4061, ext. 117, or nichole@idahohomehealth.com.

**Donations** — BILLS Place, a nonprofit transitional home for women, needs two dressers and one twin-size bed. Information: 316-1962.

**Drivers** — Twin Falls Senior Citizens Center needs volunteer drivers for the home-delivered meals program for the homebound. Drivers do not have to be seniors to volunteer to drive one or two days a week for an hour to an hour and a half. The center needs people who can be relied on for their appointed routes and who care about the well-being of the elderly. Reimbursed mileage for gas is available. Information: Karen, 734-5084, or 530 Shoshone St. W., Twin Falls.

**Volunteers** — First Choice Home Care and Hospice needs volunteers in the Twin Falls, Jerome, Gooding, Glens Ferry and Burley areas to assist with patient care: sit with patients, play games and read to patients, or help in the office. Information: Kerri, 736-0900.

**Volunteers** — Hospice Visions needs volunteers to help make a difference in the lives of caregivers and those experiencing end-of-life issues. Volunteers provide companionship, bring joy during difficult times and ease burdens by writing letters, singing, playing cards and games, reading, working with junior volunteers or being a friend. Information: Flo, 735-0121.

**Volunteers** — Alliance Home Health and Hospice needs volunteers committed to the support of patient care. Volunteers are members of the hospice team who can provide compassionate care and service to patients and families. Opportunities include: preparing meals, companionship, telephone calls, clerical work, light housekeeping, respite, visiting, fundraising, shopping, emotional support, doing laundry and yard work. Information: Tracy, 733-2234, or 218 Falls Ave., Twin Falls.

#### WANT TO HELP?

This public service column is designed to match needs in the Magic Valley with volunteer help. If you need a volunteer, contact the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) at 736-4764, before noon Wednesday for Friday publication. RSVP is a United Way-sponsored agency at the College of Southern Idaho.

## Drinking more water cures incontinence and diarrhea

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** I am a 65-year-old female. For about five years, I suffered from unpredictable fecal incontinence and diarrhea. Both afflictions were unpleasant and caused me considerable anxiety. My 84-year-old aunt was not a bit shocked when I confided this to her. She simply told me to drink more water. Of course, my reaction was "Huh?" to which she said, "You're dehydrated. Just do it!" I can tell you that it really did work. Although I disdain the heaviness of so much water, I changed

ASK  
DR. GOTT  
Dr. Peter Gott



from iced water to room temperature, and the feeling isn't so bad. I now drink about four ounces 12 times a day and have no more problems. How could this be — more water curing me of both afflictions? I need to know the reason this works, because people don't believe me when I tell them.

**DEAR READER:** Diarrhea is typically caused by an infection or functional bowel disorder, such as irritable bowel syndrome. It can lead to dehydration, so it is important to take in additional fluids during an episode. Constipation often responds well to increased fluid intake. I am just as baffled as you are, but I am printing your letter with the request that if any of my readers have heard of or have had experience with this, they should write to me with their results.

As a matter of interest, I will briefly discuss dehydration. This condition occurs when the body loses more water than it takes in. This can occur for a number of reasons, including diarrhea, vomiting, excessive sweating, decreased water intake and the use of certain medications. Symptoms range from mild to severe and can include thirst, decreased sweating and urination, reduced skin elasticity, dry mouth, low blood pressure, shock, severe damage to internal organs, confu-

sion, coma and death. Treatment is simple: hydrate. This can often be accomplished by simply cooling down and drinking more fluids. In severe cases, IV fluids may be needed to replace not only lost water but also lost electrolytes. If vomiting or diarrhea occurs for more than three days, a physician should be seen to determine the cause and ensure that dehydration has not resulted. To provide related information, I am sending you a copy of my Health Report "Constipation and

Diarrhea." Other readers who would like a copy should send a self-addressed stamped No. 10 envelope and a \$2 U.S. check or money order to Newsletter, P.O. Box 167, Wickliffe, OH 44092. Be sure to mention the title.

*Peter Gott is a retired physician and the author of the book "Dr. Gott's No Flour, No Sugar Diet," available at most chain and independent bookstores, and the recently published "Dr. Gott's No Flour, No Sugar Cookbook."*



## Maida E. (Hinson) Hanchey

A large, extended family gathered throughout the week at the home of Maida E. (Hinson) Hanchey to bid her farewell, and to comfort one another. Surrounded by loved ones, she died early Thursday morning, Jan. 14, 2010, at the age of 91.

Wife of the late William J. Hanchey, she was also the loving mother of Billie (Charles) Park, Gary (Judy) Hanchey, Johnny (Twila) Hanchey, Carrol (Rupert) Buntin, Loretta (Nellis) Burkhardt, Bunny Hieb (recently deceased), Bobbie (Terry) Holmes, Linda Schoepp, Vickie (Tom) Collins, Perry (Mary) Hanchey, William (Jackie) Hanchey, Ileta (Scott) Jensen, Rhonda Boisvert, Jeff (Sue) Hanchey, Elizabeth (Rick) Reinstein, and Ramona Crandall.

Born to Agrippa and Ollie (Marlowe) Hinson on June 7, 1918, in Hoboken, Ga., she is survived by one brother,



Elton (Elizabeth) Hinson of Brunswick, Ga.; and sisters, Irma Davis of Brunswick, Ga., and Velva Allen of Waycross, Ga.

“Grandma Hanchey” is also survived by grandchildren and great-grandchildren that number into the hundreds.

The family moved from Georgia to the Eden/Hunt Area in 1946 and later settled in Twin Falls, where they owned and operated Hanchey’s Body Shop and Billie’s Used Cars.

“Who can find a virtuous woman? For her price is far above rubies.” “Strength and honor are her clothing; and she shall rejoice in time to come” (Proverbs 31, KJV).

The family wishes to thank Dr. A.C. Emery for his many years of dedication to her care and keeping.

The funeral will be at 1 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 16, at Eternal Life Christian Center in Twin Falls. Interment will follow at Sunset Memorial Park.

## Don E. Wilferth

RUPERT — Don E. Wilferth passed away at home Wednesday, Jan. 13, 2010.

He always lived life his way, and was tough to the last.

Don was born in Rupert, Idaho, on Oct. 13, 1937, the only son of Joe and Marion Wilferth.

He married Connie Meacham July 11, 1960. He is survived by his wife, Connie; their son, Ty; grandchildren, Lane and Hailey; one sister, Gay (Jim) Lee of Heyburn; and many cousins.

Don was a bronc rider and cowboy, a cattle buyer, a feedlot manager and a truck driver. He liked to hunt and fish and grew a beautiful garden. His favorite thing was to train young horses. He always rode and owned good horses.

The family offers many thanks to friends and relatives for their support for the past two years, and a special thank you to Dr.



Miranda and staff of the cancer clinic in Twin Falls and to Idaho Home Health and Hospice for their caring support.

He will be deeply missed by those who loved him and never forgotten by those who knew him.

A memorial service and inurnment will be held sometime in the spring under the direction of Hansen Mortuary Rupert Chapel.

## DEATH NOTICES

### William L. Jackson

YUMA, Ariz. — William L. “Bill” Jackson, 74, of Yuma, Ariz., and formerly of Twin Falls, died Saturday, Jan. 2, 2010, at his home.

No service is planned (Sun Vista Mortuary in Yuma, Ariz.).

### Floyd A. Finney

KIMBERLY — Floyd Allan Finney, 73, of Kimberly, died Wednesday, Jan. 13, 2010, at his home.

Arrangements will be announced by Parke’s Magic Valley Funeral Home of Twin Falls.

## SERVICES

**Ronald Craig Leydet** of Mountain Home, funeral Mass at 10 a.m. today at Our Lady of Good Counsel (Rost Funeral Home, McMurtrey Chapel in Mountain Home).

**Harold “Deac” Rediker** of Jerome, informal gathering of friends and family from 5 to 7 p.m. today at Jerome City Library (Hove-Robertson Funeral Chapel in Jerome).

**Eileen Grace Cochrane Quesnell** of Twin Falls, rosary at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at St. Edward’s Catholic Church in Twin Falls; Mass at 11 a.m. at the church (White Mortuary in Twin Falls).

**Ralph Fisher Hicken** of Burley and formerly of Provo, Utah, graveside service at 11 a.m. Saturday at the Heber City Cemetery in Heber City, Utah; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. today at the Olpin-Hoopes Funeral Home, 288 N. Main St. in Heber City, Utah (Rasmussen Funeral Home in Burley).

**Juanita Mae Wright** of Taylorsville, Utah, and formerly of Kimberly, graveside service at 11 a.m. Saturday at Valley View Memorial Park, 4400 W. 4100 S. in West Valley City, Utah; funeral at 12:30 p.m. Saturday at the Bluffdale LDS Ward Chapel, 14662 S. 3200 W. in Bluffdale, Utah.

**Michael Driesel** of Kuna, funeral at 11 a.m. Saturday at

the Declo LDS Stake Center, 213 W. Main St.; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. today at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley, and 10 to 10:45 a.m. Saturday at the church.

**Jay Edward Draper** of Rupert, funeral at 11 a.m. Saturday, at the Hansen Mortuary Rupert Chapel, 710 Sixth St.; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. today at the mortuary.

**Marjorie Pauline Minert King** of Paul, funeral at 11 a.m. Saturday at the Burley United Methodist Church, 405 E. 27th St.; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. today at the Hansen Mortuary Rupert Chapel, 710 Sixth St., and one hour before the funeral Saturday at the church.

**Glenn E. Stelma** of Bellevue, memorial service at 1 p.m. Saturday at the Bellevue Community Church (Wood River Funeral Chapel in Hailey).

**Francis D. (Jack) Tanner** of Rupert, memorial service at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Morrison Funeral Home and Crematory, 188 S. Highway 24 in Rupert.

**James L. (Jim) Corbett** of Nampa and formerly of the Magic Valley area, memorial service at 1:30 p.m. Monday at the First Church of the Nazarene, 610 16th Ave. S. in Nampa (Flahiff Funeral Home in Caldwell).

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# U.S. takes charge in Haiti — with troops, rescue aid

By Jennifer Loven  
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — President Obama and the U.S. moved to take charge in earthquake-ravaged Haiti on Thursday, dispatching thousands of troops along with tons of aid to try to keep order as well as rescue the suffering in a country dysfunctional in the best of times.

Tested by the first large-scale humanitarian disaster of his presidency, Obama ordered a relief effort of historic proportions despite the strains it was sure to put on both the stretched U.S. budget and military forces fighting two wars. He pledged an initial \$100 million — with the likelihood of more later.

“The United States is providing a lot of the glue that is keeping people communicating and working together as we try to assert authority, reinstate the government and begin to do what governments have to do to rebuild,” Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton said on Fox News Channel.

Obama announced “the first waves” of the American response were in place, with two search-and-rescue teams on the ground, Coast Guard cutters in port, the U.S. Southern Command in control of the airport and airlifts bringing in urgently needed supplies and ferrying out the injured.

But the chief emphasis out of Washington was the huge amount of U.S. help that was still on the way — some half-dozen ships and 5,500 soldiers and Marines were making their way across the Caribbean.

Seeking to pre-empt criticism, officials noted the difficulty of getting resources in as fast as they would like because of needed preparation time and then the barriers of damaged communications, roads, airport and port. Obama acknowledged it would take hours “and in many cases days” to get the full U.S. contingent to Haiti.

The U.S. Federal Aviation Administration halted all civilian aid flights to Haiti, though not government ones. The Haitian government said there was no more

room on ramps for planes to unload their cargo, and some planes on the ground didn’t have enough fuel to leave.

The role of heading the relief effort and managing the crisis quickly fell to the United States, for lack — in the short term, at least — of any other capable entity.

The government of Haitian President Rene Preval was severely disabled, with the president’s own residences damaged and the Parliament building collapsed along with other ministries and departments.

The large United Nations mission in Haiti, some 9,000-strong, was still operating, with about 3,000 peacekeepers patrolling the still-calm streets of Port-au-Prince, the country’s capital, population center and heart of earthquake damage. But the U.N.’s abilities to respond aggressively to possible problems were hobbled as well. Its headquarters building was destroyed, and dozens of its personnel, including some leaders, were dead or missing — leaving it in need of rescue help itself.

## R&B singer Teddy Pendergrass dies at 59

Los Angeles Times

Teddy Pendergrass, the soul singer who combined hyper-romantic love songs with a virile, sexy stage presence to become the quintessential R&B boudoir crooner before a 1982 car accident left him paralyzed, died Wednesday in his native Philadelphia. He was 59.

Pendergrass, best known for the sandpaper voice behind the 1972 hit “If You Don’t Know Me By Now” while he was with Harold Melvin & the Blue Notes, had undergone colon cancer surgery last year and had been in declining health ever since, his son, Teddy Pendergrass II, said in a statement.

“Teddy Pendergrass was one of the greatest artists that the music industry has ever known, and there hasn’t been another one since,” veteran producers and songwriters Kenny Gamble and Leon Huff said in a joint statement issued Thursday. “We’ve lost our voice and we’ve lost our best friend, but we’re thankful for what we had. It was beautiful. He was one of the best.”

Even though he was rendered a quadriplegic by the accident in which he lost control of his Rolls-Royce and crashed into a tree, Pendergrass fought through arduous physical rehabilitation to be able to continue to sing.

As one of the architects of what became known as The Sound of Philadelphia, a shimmering and urbane extension of the R&B music that had exploded out of Detroit in the 1960s from Motown Records, Pendergrass subsequently recorded several more albums and charted more than a dozen additional hits on the R&B charts, including a No. 1 duet with Whitney Houston, “It Should’ve Been You.”

Two years after the crash in which his neck was broken and his spinal cord partially severed, he told Life magazine: “I don’t know a whole lot of people who could have come through with smiles, as I have. That’s not an egotistical statement. But I haven’t seen a wall or hurdle yet that I haven’t been able to jump. If I can’t jump it, I go through it.”

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Cindy Terasme cries after seeing the feet of her dead 14-year-old brother, Jean Gaelle Dersmorne, in the rubble of St. Gerard School on Thursday in Port-au-Prince. A 7.0-magnitude earthquake hit Haiti Tuesday.

# Rescue effort comes too late for 9-year-old girl trapped in rubble

By Mike Melia  
Associated Press writer

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti — Trapped beneath the crumbled remains of her home, the 9-year-old girl could be heard begging for rescue as neighbors clawed at sand and debris with their bare hands.

It had been two days since the earthquake collapsed the cinderblock home, trapping Haryssa Keem Clerge inside the basement. Friends and neighbors braved aftershocks to climb over the rubble, one of hundreds of toppled structures teetering on the side of a ravine.

In a city full of people desperately waiting for more help than neighbors

can muster, it never came for Haryssa.

Just hours after her screams renewed rescuers’ hopes Thursday, the child’s lifeless body was finally pulled from the mass of concrete and twisted metal. Wrapped in a green bath towel, it was placed inside a loose desk drawer. With nowhere to take it, the body was then left on the hood of a battered Isuzu Trooper.

“There are no police, no anybody,” said the child’s despairing godmother, Kettely Clerge. Neighbors had to hold her back as she walked toward the building’s winding, partially collapsed stairway, wailing: “I want to see her!”

A day earlier, the little girl’s mother, Lauranie Jean,

was pulled from the rubble of the same house. She lay moaning inside a tent Thursday as volunteers rubbed ointment into open wounds on her sides.

The family has now taken refuge in a dirt playground — one of hundreds of open spaces across Port-au-Prince that people are filling each night to try to avoid the risk of aftershocks.

Haitians living in the capital’s growing tent cities say they do not expect help anytime soon.

“People are waiting for someone to take care of them,” said Michel Reau, 27, who brought his wife and infant child to the park after their home collapsed. “We are out of food. We are out of water.”

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“I’m still looking to understand the magnitude of the event and how to manage.”  
– Haiti President Rene Preval, a day after a magnitude-7 quake flattened much of the Haitian capital of 2 million people

## EDITORIAL

# The road ahead for Luna: Public-schools partisan

Twenty-five years ago, a Republican superintendent of public instruction stood before a GOP-dominated Legislature and said lawmakers weren’t doing enough for the state’s kids.

That didn’t make Jerry Evans popular with the speaker of the House of Representatives at the time, Tom Stivers of Twin Falls. Nor with the Senate president, a fellow named Jim Risch.

But Evans wasn’t there to please the crowd. His brief was for the public schools.

Tom Luna, a Republican who is the current state schools’ superintendent, could find himself in a similar situation when he presents his own public school budget to the Joint Finance-Appropriations Committee on Jan. 28.

“A \$130 million reduction – that in and of itself should alarm every mother and father in our school system,” Luna said this week. “If you couple that with our monies that were spent last year, we’re talking about almost \$200 million that has been cut from our public school system over a two-year period of time.”

Gov. C.L. “Butch” Otter wants to spend \$1.231 billion in general fund money on public schools next year; that’s \$14.3 million less than the state is spending this year. But the total-funds recommendation also includes \$59.8 million in state dedicated funds; \$33.07 million in federal stimulus funds; and \$270.8 million in other federal funds. That totals \$1.58 billion, an overall reduction of \$130 million or 7.6 percent.

Luna said \$68 million was cut from the “maintenance” budget for schools during last year’s legislative session, the funding level needed to continue providing the same services, though some funds were added back in after that to cover student enrollment growth. The growth money goes only to districts that gain students.

The governor’s budget proposal for next year includes \$9 million for growth, but Luna said he thought more than \$22 million was needed. He said if the growth funding isn’t counted, schools are looking at a \$139 million overall drop next year. If the student population grows beyond projections, the state must fund the added cost from its reserve accounts.

So at what point does Luna, a longtime Otter loyalist, publicly part company with the governor on this issue?

Probably not this year because the tax revenue just isn’t available to do much more. But as the state’s economy rebounds, look for the superintendent to be a much more vocal – and aggressive – advocate for better funding for public schools.

That, after all, is his job.

Luna and Otter must face the voters in November, and while both are favored for reelection the superintendent clearly has an ambitious agenda for Idaho public education beyond 2010.

It will be interesting to see what he does with that mandate.

**Our view:** Politically, Superintendent of Public Instruction Tom Luna has been a good soldier in the administration of Gov. C.L. “Butch” Otter. But he clearly isn’t happy with the direction of public school spending in Idaho.

**What do you think?** We welcome viewpoints from our readers on this and other issues.

# Is ‘Obama fatigue’ setting in?

President Obama is approaching the first anniversary of his inauguration, and already signs of “Obama fatigue” are evident. Over the holidays, one tends to spend a lot of time with relatives and old friends, oftentimes gathered around the television. So when the president’s happy or frowning visage comes on the tube, one can gauge the gut-level reactions.



Steven Hill

My family and friends run the gamut of the political spectrum, so they form my own little focus group. The moderates and conservatives are both Republican and Democrat, and most of them actually voted for Obama, convinced by the candidate’s soaring rhetoric and his elderly opponent John McCain’s creaky appearance that the first black president in American history should be given a chance. Yet when Obama’s face came on the tube, every one of them now reacted negatively.

Some shook their heads, kind of smirking. Others were more visceral in their grimaces and body language. They voiced the usual conservative talking points about “big government takeover,” but they also complained about the bailout of wealthy bank executives and auto companies while “the little guy” suffered. Some agreed that financial re-regulation was necessary, not only over the conservative punching bags of Fannie and Freddie Mac but also reinstatement of Glass-Steagall restrictions between investment and commercial banks.

“Make banking boring again,” one said. I even



detected an openness among some to try liberal solutions like the public option.

When I pointed out that the congressional Republicans seem dead set on opposing anything Obama does, most of them agreed but they were interested in results, not excuses. And the man they had voted for to solve the nation’s problems was bogged down in the swamp of Washington. “We elected him to figure this out,” said one. “He hasn’t figured out anything, and the country is going downhill.”

The reaction of the liberals in the family was even more surprising. Most of them were even more visceral in their disgust with Obama than the conservatives. Having been ecstatic when Obama was voted in, having felt themselves part of a historical wave that had elected what they thought was a transformative figure like Franklin Roosevelt, now they were deeply suspicious.

“I can’t believe a word he says,” said one. “He completely duped us. On the campaign trail he showed us one face, and now as president another.”

Interestingly, they were upset over some of the same things as the conservatives, such as the bailout of the

banks, lack of strong financial re-regulation proposals, and the inability to solve the health care problem.

When I pointed out the complexity of the problems he had inherited, including a collapsing economy and a Congress beholden to special interests like health insurance companies, they acknowledged those challenges but didn’t cut Obama any slack. When I pointed out that he needs votes from 60 out of 100 Senators to get anything done they were impatient.

“Whatever happened to the Internet presidency, where he was going to mobilize Obama’s army to pressure recalcitrant Democratic senators?” said one liberal friend. “Personally, I don’t think he really cares about the public option, or many other things he said on the campaign trail. He lets the wealthy set the agenda, all these politicians are the same.”

Remarkably, many of the complaints between the liberals and conservatives were not all that different. They seemed to share common ground in that they wanted solutions to the country’s many challenges. What none of them had patience for was the gripping sense that the country is stalled.

Despite all of Obama’s soaring oratory about

pulling together as a nation to solve deep economic, health care and global warming crises, they all felt Obama is not delivering. Whether his inabilities are related to personal shortcomings or the defects of America’s antiquated political system, they were not much interested. All they were interested in was results. And a year into his presidency, Obama was failing to produce much of those.

So when seeing Obama on their TV screens, nearly every one of them shook their heads, grimaced, snorted or chuckled, and then quickly changed the channel. I don’t recall George W. Bush reaching this point in his presidency until near the end of his first term. If that’s a bellwether, then Obama is in trouble.

His post-election mandate is gone, and what’s left is the tough slog ahead of modest accomplishments. Unfortunately, the country needs much more than that. Fasten your seatbelts, we are in for a long ride.

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# Google to China: Drop dead



Nicholas Kristof

It has been dispiriting to see America’s banks apparently stand for nothing more lofty than plunder. It has been demoralizing to see President Obama hiding from the Dalai Lama rather than offend China’s rulers.

So all that makes Google’s decision to stand up to Chinese cyberoppression positively breathtaking. By announcing that it no longer plans to censor search results in China, even if that means it must withdraw from the country, Google is showing spine – a kind that few other companies or governments have shown toward Beijing.

One result was immediate: Young Chinese have been visiting Google’s headquarters in Beijing to deposit flowers and pay their respects.

China promptly tried to censor the ensuing debate about its censorship, but many Chinese Twitter users went out of their way to praise Google. One from Guangdong declared: “It’s not Google that’s withdrawing from China, it’s China that’s withdrawing from the world.”

Cynics say that Google

grid, disrupt communications and tinker with the floodgates of dams.

Moreover, China’s leaders aren’t keeping their cyber-arsenal in reserve. They seem to be using it aggressively already.

A major coordinated assault on computers of the Dalai Lama, foreign embassies and even foreign ministries was uncovered last year and traced to Chinese hackers. The operation targeted computers in more than 100 countries and was so widespread that Western intelligence experts believe it was organized by the Chinese government, although there is no definitive proof of that.

A second point is that China is redrawing the balance between openness and economic efficiency. The architect of China’s astonishingly successful economic reforms, Deng Xiaoping, clenched his teeth and accepted photocopyers, fax machines, cellphones, computers and lawyers because they were part of modernization.

Yet in the last few years, President Hu Jintao has cracked down on Internet freedoms and independent

lawyers and journalists. Hu is intellectually brilliant but seems to have no vision for China 20 years from now. He seems to be the weakest Chinese leader since Hua Guofeng was stripped of power in 1978.

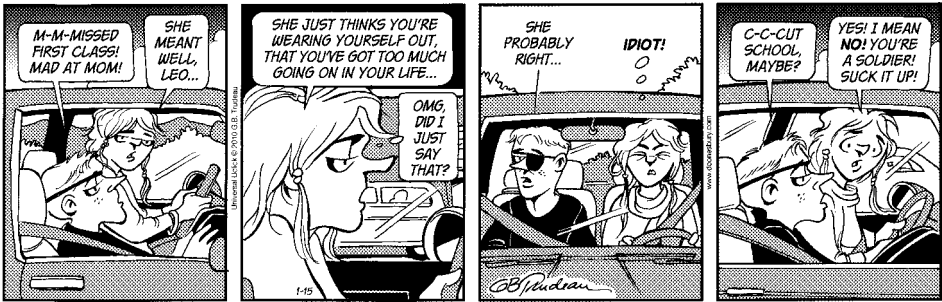
Instead, vision and leadership in China have come from its Netizens, who show none of the lame sycophancy that so many foreigners do. In their Twitter photos, many display yellow ribbons to show solidarity with Liu Xiaobo, a Chinese writer recently sentenced to 10 years in prison. That’s guts!

China’s Netizens scale the Great Firewall of China with virtual private networks and American-based proxy servers like Freegate.

Eventually, I think, a combination of technology, education and information will end the present stasis in China. In a conflict between the Communist Party and Google, the party will win in the short run. But in the long run, I’d put my money on Google.

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## Doonesbury



By Garry Trudeau

## Mallard Fillmore



By Bruce Tinsley



# Health care reform's time bombs

One of the few things we can be sure of when Congress finally enacts health-care reform is that the battle will rage on, unabated. Republicans will attack the law's weaknesses (and strengths), while Democrats will point to provisions that are popular and take effect immediately, such as the ban on insurers denying coverage for preexisting conditions.

But there are some provisions in the pending legislation that, if included in the final bill, may well drape Democratic candidates with "Kick Me" signs come November. One of these is the excise tax on more costly health insurance policies, a feature of the Senate bill that President Obama supports but that is opposed by organized labor and most House Democrats. Another is the fine to be paid by individuals who decline any coverage — it's a relatively small amount (the Senate bill sets it at \$95 for the first year) but an issue that could loom large in the political wars to come.

In a speech Monday, AFL-CIO President Richard Trumka raised the specter of the 1994 election, when "working Americans ... couldn't tell the difference between the two parties." This time around, Trumka warned, unless the president and Congress step up their efforts at job creation, bank regulation and labor law reform, and unless they drop the proposal to fund health reform through the excise tax — which, he said, would be levied on 31 million Americans — Democrats might be looking at another electoral debacle.

Economists are united on the need to slow the upward spiral of health insurance costs — a concern the House bill addressed by creating a public plan to compete with the private ones. But since conservative Senate Democrats have effectively killed the public option, House Democrats and labor leaders fear that the new cost-control panacea of taxing high-end plans as income could engender a backlash — pitting one group of workers against the uninsured — that Republicans could exploit, much as the GOP fomented a racial backlash against the Great Society programs of the '60s. The political mess in which the Democrats could find themselves would be worsened by the fact that the tax would kick in promptly, while the subsidies it would help fund to enable people to buy insurance on the exchanges wouldn't be available until 2013 or 2014.

After meeting with the president on Tuesday, labor leaders emerged convinced that Obama would not back off the excise tax but that the thresholds at which the tax would kick in are not engraved in stone, and that the president was also open to additional funding options for health reform. It seems unlikely, however, that there's enough give in Obama's position (and the Senate's) to defuse this issue.

Another political time bomb could be the fee on those Americans who, despite the subsidies, refuse to purchase insurance. In such libertarian-leaning regions as the Mountain West, which has been trending Democratic in recent elections, the issue could loom large even before the fee is imposed (which wouldn't be until the exchanges are up and running in three or four years). Indeed, precisely because the fee won't yet exist, the accounts of its magnitude can, and surely will, be exaggerated by Republican opponents.

If Democrats want to avoid this headache, they could follow the recommendation of my American Prospect colleague Paul Starr. Instead of fining those who go without insurance, Starr has proposed this: "For five years they would



**Harold Meyerson**

become ineligible for federal subsidies for health insurance and, if they did buy coverage, no insurer would

have to cover a pre-existing condition of theirs." They would not be fined for avoiding the new system, but neither could they benefit from or exploit it. This period of ineligibility, Starr adds, "deters opportunistic switches in and out of the public funds, and it helps to prevent the private insurers from cherry-picking healthy

people and driving up insurance costs in the public sector."

Yet another pitfall the Democrats would be advised to sidestep is the Senate bill's creation of 50 state insurance exchanges instead of the one national exchange created in the House bill. With one national pool and one set of regulations, con-

sumers' ability to get a good deal would be maximized. With states free to make their own regulations, however, some may craft exchanges to insurers' specifications, and hard-right states — South Carolina, anyone? — may balk at setting up effective exchanges altogether, transferring the political battles over health

care from the national to the state level. Establishing one national exchange is plainly better policy, but if that's not sufficient incentive for congressional Democrats, they should remember it's also better politics.

*Harold Meyerson is a columnist for The Washington Post.*

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# Broncos at the White House?

## Senator wants BSU to be invited along with Alabama

By Frederic J. Frommer  
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — Sen. Orrin Hatch is urging President Barack Obama to invite Boise State to the White House along with Bowl Championship Series winner Alabama, arguing both undefeated teams deserve the honor traditionally afforded to college football's national champion.

The Utah Republican, a fierce critic of the BCS, made the request in a letter Thursday.

Hatch wrote that because there is no playoff, fans are left to speculate whether more than one team

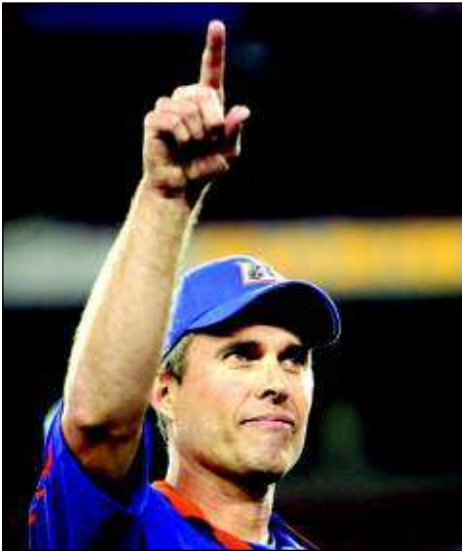
deserves to be called the best in college football. Hatch was already irate that his home state team, Utah, didn't play for the national title last year despite going undefeated.

Last fall, Hatch urged Obama to ask the Justice Department to investigate whether the BCS violated antitrust laws, but he has yet to receive a response.

In Thursday's letter, Hatch argued that inviting both teams will "send a clear message" that champions should be chosen on the field.

"The president has previously

See **BRONCOS**, Sports 4



AP photo  
Boise State coach Chris Petersen celebrates after Boise State beat TCU 17-10 in the Fiesta Bowl Jan. 4 in Glendale, Ariz.

## Petersen wins 2nd Bryant award

By Chris Duncan  
Associated Press writer

HOUSTON — Boise State coach Chris Petersen happily concedes that Alabama is college football's national champion.

He's just glad his Broncos are mentioned in the debate.

Petersen won the Paul "Bear" Bryant Award on Thursday night, the second time in four years he's earned the honor recognizing the nation's best coach.

The Broncos finished a 14-0 season with a 17-10 win over previously unbeaten TCU in the Fiesta Bowl.

Petersen, the first two-time winner of the award, beat out Alabama's Nick Saban, who led the Crimson Tide to a 37-21 win over Texas in the BCS championship game and an undefeated season. Saban won the Bryant Award in 2003, when he coached LSU to the BCS national title.

Petersen smiled when asked if he would've liked to play the Tide in a winner-take-all showdown after the teams won their bowl games.

"No, I'm good," he said. "Let everybody else debate that."

See **PETERSEN**, Sports 4

# Wild (Scenic) West

## CSI men outlast E. Utah

By Mike Christensen  
Times-News writer

Two things happen when the Golden Eagles meet the Golden Eagles: overtime and a plethora of whistles.

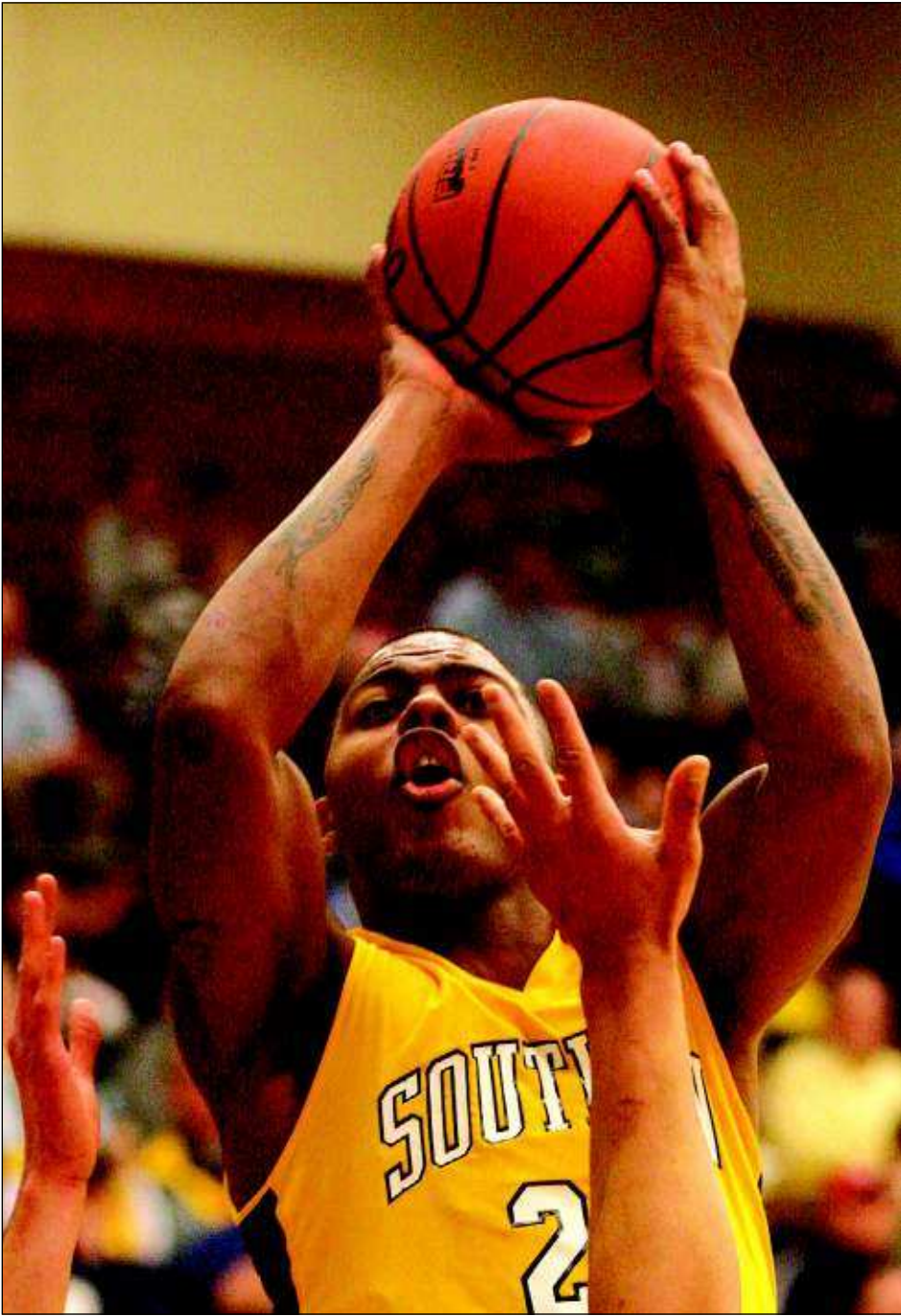
The College of Southern Idaho men's basketball team finally got over the hump in a close conference game, outlasting the College of Eastern Utah 83-77 in a foul-plagued game that saw nine plays disqualified.

"We've lost so many of these close ones, it's good to be on the other side of one of these," said CSI head coach Steve Gosar. "We needed this one."

CSI and CEU went to overtime for the third time in four meetings. CSI trailed almost the entire game, leading for less than one minute of regulation.

CSI (13-7, 4-5 Scenic West Athletic Conference) trailed 69-64 with 2:20 remaining in regulation, but got within 71-69 on a tip-in by center Kenny Buckner with 59 seconds left. Josten Thomas blocked a shot on the defensive end to set up CSI's final possession of regulation. With the designed play

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MEAGAN THOMPSON/Times-News  
College of Southern Idaho swingman Josten Thomas takes a shot over two Eastern Utah defenders Thursday night during the first half of the Golden Eagles' home game.

## CSI women take ugly win over CEU

By Mike Christensen  
Times-News writer

Randy Rogers summed it up in three words: "Ugly basketball tonight."

Missed layups, sloppy offensive execution and a poor effort on the glass dampened a much-needed conference win for the College of Southern Idaho women, who slogged their way to a 65-54 home win over the College of Eastern Utah Thursday night.

The hard-to-watch nature of the game was only enhanced by CEU's 29 turnovers, 19 of which came before intermission.

While CSI (13-6, 5-4 Scenic West Athletic Conference) ended a three-game league skid, it was outrebounded 46-35 and surrendered 16 offensive boards to CEU.

"That's unacceptable for a team with our size," said Rogers.

CSI hit only two of its first 14 shots and trailed 10-7 midway through the first half. But a banked in trey by Felicity Jones and six straight points by Daidra Brown, including consecutive mid-court steals and layups, ignited a 14-2 CSI run to put the host Golden Eagles in front to stay.

CEU (6-13, 2-7 SWAC) rallied within five early in the second half, but CSI soon rebuilt a 10-point cushion and later hit three consecutive 3-pointers to build a large lead of 15.

"We have spurts," said Jones, who had six points and five steals. "We play

good and then we're lackadaisical."

Part of the inconsistent play can be attributed to liberal substitutions by Rogers, who also limited the minutes of All-American Shauneice Samms and point guard Brown, who are battling nagging injuries.

"We're just not in sync," said Rogers, whose team shot 37 percent from the field. "... I thought at times our effort was good, but our execution was poor."

Brown had 13 points and three steals in 19 minutes off the bench, while Samms scored 11. Laurel Kearsley grabbed seven rebounds, while Devan Matkin added six points, a team-high five assists and two steals. Kylie Hardison scored eight off the bench.

Kaylie Robison had 18 points and seven boards for CEU, while Bruna Deichmann scored 14.

CSI hosts last-place Colorado Northwest Community College at 3 p.m. Saturday.

Said Jones: "We've got to hustle, play hard and do the little things."

### CSI 65, Eastern Utah 54

**EASTERN UTAH (54)**  
Bruna Deichmann 5-11 4-5 14, Samara Pereira 2-6 0-0 4, Stacey Stringham 1-5 0-0 3, Kaylie Robison 9-13 0-0 18, Savana Gines 1-4 0-0 3, Dyana Thurgood 0-0 0-0 0, Megan Garvin 0-2 0-0 0, Patricia Smith 0-0 0-0 0, Monique Bruggeman 0-1 0-0 0, Maddie Hind 1-2 0-0 2, Brook Hiatt 1-2 0-0 2, Livnat Alon 1-4 0-0 3, McKenda Hill 2-7 0-0 5, Totals 23-57 4-5 54.  
**CSI (65)**  
Laurel Kearsley 1-6 5-6 7, Nicole Harper 0-3 1-3 1, Devan Matkin 2-5 0-0 6, Kayla Williams 2-7 0-0 4, Tina Fakahafua 0-3 0-0 0, Emiliya Yancheva 0-0 0-0 0, Felicity Jones 2-9 0-0 6, Kalika Tullock 2-4 0-1 5, Holly Checketts 0-1 0-0 0, Shauneice Samms 4-7 3-11, Daidra Brown 5-11 2-2 13, Kylie Hardison 3-4 1-4 8, Maddy Plunkett 2-3 0-0 4, Totals 23-63 12-21 65.  
Halftime: CSI 30, CEU 20. 3-point goals: CEU 4-16 (Deichmann 0-2, Stringham 1-2, Gines 1-4, Garvin 0-2, Hiatt 0-1, Alon 1-1, Hill 1-4); CSI 7-18 (Matkin 2-3, Fakahafua 0-2, Jones 2-3, Tullock 1-1, Checketts 0-1, Brown 1-4, Hardison 1-2). Rebounds: CEU 46 (Robison 7); CSI 35 (Kearsley 7, Assists: CEU 9 (four with 2); CSI 19 (Matkin 5). Turnovers: CEU 29; CSI 14. Total fouls: CEU 16; CSI 9. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

# Minico steals road win over rival Burley

By Ryan Howe  
Times-News writer

BURLEY — Standing at the free throw line with a chance to seal a victory over your biggest rival is a pressure-packed position for anyone, let alone a sophomore.

But Minico's Marlee Chandler didn't let the situation rattle her.

"I just had to focus on myself and not let the crowd get to me," she said.

Chandler calmly sank a pair of free throws with eight seconds left to ice a 38-33 victory over Burley Thursday night.

Minico improved to 12-3 overall and 5-1 in Great Basin Conference play with its fifth straight victory.

Prior to Chandler's makes, Minico had converted just 1 of its last 8 chances from the line to keep giving Burley chances.

"We took the shots that we had, they just didn't fall," said Burley senior Teresa Wayment. "But Minico played well tonight, they deserve credit."

It was a typical tightly-contested rivalry game. Burley's biggest lead was four, while Minico's biggest lead was five.

Chandler came off the bench to lead Minico with 14 points and Brecka Fetzer finished with nine.

Burley's Shawna Pace scored 10 of her game-high 15 points in the first half as the Spartans had no answer for the senior post inside.

But Minico countered with its quickness. The Spartans were able to drive to the hoop and earn trips to the foul line.

"Minico is doing this to everybody," said Burley coach Gordon Kerbs. "They're beating people with dribble penetration. I thought our

girls did a good job defending cuts, but they caused us problems with match-ups."

Pace's offensive rebound and put-back gave Burley a 28-26 lead with 3:11 left in the third quarter. But the Bobcats went the next 8:21 without scoring.

"We've had a little rough stretch right now, but we stepped up and started to play like we can," Wayment said. "We're just going to get better, take one game at a time and get ready for the tournament."

Burley (8-7, 3-5 GBC) travels to Skyline on Saturday. Minico hosts Twin Falls on Saturday.

<b>Minico 38, Burley 33</b>	
Minico	8 12 9 9 - 38
Burley	10 9 9 5 - 33
<b>MINICO (38)</b>	
Jena Bingham 2, Kelli Kindig 3, Kendra Bailey 6, Marlee Chandler 14, Brecka Fetzer 9, Tianna Simpson 4, Totals 10 16-27 38.	
<b>BURLEY (33)</b>	
Cheri Preston 10, Brandee Potts 2, Teresa Wayment 6, Shawna Pace 15, Totals 15 1-7 33.	
3-point goals: Minico 2 (Kindig, Fetzer), Burley 2 (Preston 2). Total fouls: Minico 11, Burley 22. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.	



Minico's Marlee Chandler drives to the hoop between Burley defenders Brandee Potts (21), Shawna Pace (41) and Kayla Kerbs Thursday at Burley High School.

RYAN HOWE/  
Times-News



# PREP RALLY



Records through Dec. 13					
Boys			Girls		
Team	All	Conf.	Team	All	Conf.
Class 4A					
Great Basin Conference					
Twin Falls	10-1	3-0	Jerome	14-1	7-0
Jerome	8-3	3-0	Minico	11-3	4-1
Minico	7-3	3-0	Wood River	11-4	3-4
Burley	4-8	1-3	Burley	8-6	3-4
Wood River	2-7	1-4	Twin Falls	8-6	3-4
Canyon Ridge	1-9	0-4	Canyon Ridge	0-15	0-7

Class 3A			Class 3A		
Sawtooth Central Idaho Conference			Sawtooth Central Idaho Conference		
Kimberly	4-5	3-0	Kimberly	11-1	5-0
Filer	6-3	2-0	Wendell	6-7	3-1
Buhl	4-5	1-2	Filer	5-8	2-4
Wendell	4-5	1-3	Gooding	7-4	1-3
Gooding	1-7	0-2	Buhl	7-8	1-4

Class 2A			Class 2A		
Canyon Conference			Canyon Conference		
Glenns Ferry	11-1	1-0	Declo	9-4	1-0
Declo	7-2	1-0	Valley	5-9	1-1
Valley	0-10	0-2	Glenns Ferry	5-10	0-1

Class 1A			Class 1A		
Division I			Division I		
Snake River Conference			Snake River Conference		
North Division			North Division		
Shoshone	9-0	1-0	Challis	13-1	3-0
Challis	5-6	1-1	Shoshone	10-5	2-1
Hagerman	4-5	1-1	Hagerman	2-12	1-3
Lighthouse Chr.	4-9	0-1	Lighthouse Chr.	3-11	0-2
South Division			South Division		
Castleford	7-1	3-0	Raft River	7-6	5-0
Raft River	6-3	1-1	Hansen	6-8	3-2
Sho-Ban	3-4	1-0	Oakley	4-10	2-3
Oakley	2-6	0-2	Sho-Ban	4-6	1-3
Hansen	2-9	0-2	Castleford	5-9	1-4

Division II			Division II		
Northside Conference			Northside Conference		
Carey	8-1	6-0	Dietrich	11-1	4-0
Dietrich	6-3	3-2	Carey	9-3	4-1
Comm. School	5-2	4-1	Richfield	10-2	4-2
Richfield	3-5	2-3	Camas County	5-5	2-3
Murtaugh	6-1	2-1	Bliss	5-4	1-3
Bliss	3-5	1-3	M.V. Christian	0-2	0-1
Camas County	2-5	0-4	Comm.School	2-6	0-5
M.V. Christian	0-6	0-4			

Records through Dec. 13					
Independent			Independent		
T.F. Christian	2-5	N/A	T.F. Christian	4-6	N/A
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Idaho High School Boys Basketball Media Poll

Records through Jan. 12

Class 5A

Team (1st-place)	Rec.	Pts.
1. Eagle (5)	10-1	40
2. Madison (3)	10-1	37
3. Post Falls (1)	11-2	26
4. Coeur d'Alene	11-2	16
5. Timberline	9-2	11

**Others receiving votes:**  
Vallivue 3, Borah 1, Lake City 1.

Class 4A

Team (1st)	Rec.	Pts.
1. Skyview (9)	9-1	45
2. Twin Falls	9-1	36
3. Moscow	9-2	24
4. Middleton	7-2	13
5. Hillcrest	7-3	8

**Others receiving votes:**  
Jerome 7, Minico 2.

Class 3A

Team (1st)	Rec.	Pts.
1. Sugar-Salem (6)	9-1	42
2. Priest River (3)	7-3	29
3. Fruitland	8-3	28
4. Weiser	8-2	10
5. Snake River	8-2	8

**Others receiving votes:**  
McCall-Donnelly 6, Shelley 5, Salmon 3, Filer 2, St. Maries 2.

Class 2A

Team (1st)	Rec.	Pts.
1. Glenns Ferry (9)	10-1	45
2. Kamiah	7-3	23
3. Declo	7-2	19
4. Firth	6-5	15
5. West Side	6-3	12

**Others receiving votes:**  
Soda Springs 10, Melba 7, Cole Valley Christian 2,

Class 1A

Division I

Team (1st)	Rec.	Pts.
1. Prairie (3)	10-1	37
2. Troy (5)	7-3	34
3. Castleford (2)	7-1	27
4. Shoshone	9-0	18
5. Raft River	6-3	10

**Others receiving votes:**  
Genesee 7, Horseshoe Bend 1, Lewis County 1.

Division II

Team (1st)	Rec.	Pts.
1. Carey (6)	8-1	40
2. Mackay (2)	7-1	37
3. Nezperce	7-2	18
4. Murtaugh	6-1	17
5. Richfield (1)	3-5	9

**Others receiving votes:**

North Gem 8, Dietrich 4, Clark County 1, Greenleaf Friends 1.

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SOUTHEAST	W	L	Pct	GB
Orlando	26	13	.667	—
Atlanta	25	13	.658	½
Miami	19	18	.514	6
Charlotte	17	19	.472	7½
Washington	12	25	.324	13
CENTRAL	W	L	Pct	GB
Cleveland	30	10	.750	—
Chicago	17	20	.459	11½
Milwaukee	15	21	.417	13
Indiana	15	25	.342	16
Detroit	12	25	.324	16½
SOUTHWEST	W	L	Pct	GB
Dallas	25	13	.658	—
San Antonio	22	17	.564	½
Houston	22	17	.564	3½
New Orleans	20	17	.541	4½
Memphis	19	18	.514	5½
NORTHWEST	W	L	Pct	GB
Denver	25	14	.641	—
Portland	24	16	.600	1½
Oklahoma City	21	17	.553	3½
Utah	21	17	.553	3½
Minnesota	8	32	.200	17½
PACIFIC	W	L	Pct	GB
L.A. Lakers	30	9	.769	—
Phoenix	24	15	.615	6
L.A. Clippers	17	20	.459	12
Sacramento	15	22	.405	14
Golden State	11	26	.297	18

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New Orleans 108, L.A. Clippers 94  
San Antonio 109, Oklahoma City 108, OT  
L.A. Lakers 100, Dallas 95  
Houston 120, Minnesota 114, 3OT  
Denver 115, Orlando 97  
Portland 120, Milwaukee 108  
Miami 115, Golden State 102

**Thursday's Games**  
Chicago 96, Boston 83  
Cleveland at Utah, later

**Friday's Games**  
San Antonio at Charlotte, 5 p.m.  
Sacramento at Philadelphia, 5 p.m.  
Washington at Chicago, 6 p.m.  
Minnesota at Memphis, 6 p.m.  
Phoenix at Atlanta, 6 p.m.  
New Orleans at Detroit, 6 p.m.  
Indiana at New Jersey, 6 p.m.  
Toronto at New York, 6 p.m.  
Oklahoma City at Dallas, 6:30 p.m.  
Miami at Houston, 6:30 p.m.  
Milwaukee at Golden State, 8:30 p.m.  
L.A. Clippers at L.A. Lakers, 8:30 p.m.  
Orlando at Portland, 8:30 p.m.

**Saturday's Games**  
New Orleans at Indiana, 4 p.m.  
Phoenix at Charlotte, 5 p.m.  
Sacramento at Washington, 5 p.m.  
New York at Detroit, 5:30 p.m.  
San Antonio at Memphis, 6 p.m.  
Miami at Oklahoma City, 6 p.m.  
Milwaukee at Utah, 7 p.m.  
Cleveland at L.A. Clippers, 8:30 p.m.

**Thursday's NBA box**  
**BULLS 96, CELTICS 83**

**CHICAGO (96)**  
Deng 8-13 9-10 25, Gibson 7-10 4-11 14, Noah 4-6 7-8 15, Rose 8-16 1-2 17, Hinrich 5-10 0-0 11, Salmons 2-9 0-5 15, Thomas 2-8 1-4 5, Miller 2-6 0-0 4, Johnson 0-1 0-0 0, Pargo 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 38-84 18-25 96.  
**BOSTON (83)**  
Pierce 6-18 6-10 20, Scalabrine 3-8 0-0 7, Perkins 5-9 4-7 14, Rondo 6-14 3-7 15, R.Allen 4-10 0-0 8, T.Allen 1-2 0-0 2, Davis 2-4 2-4 6, Williams 0-0 0-0 8, House 5-6 0-0 11, Giddens 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 32-71 15-28 83.  
**Chicago** 22 30 38 25 - 105  
**Boston** 18 21 24 20 - 83  
3-Point Goals—Chicago 2-6 (Salmons 1-2, Hinrich 1-3, Pargo 0-1), Boston 4-17 (Pierce 2-5, House 1-2, Scalabrine 1-5, Rondo 0-1, R.Allen 0-4). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Chicago 56 (Noah 11), Boston 49 (Perkins 10). Assists—Chicago 20 (Hinrich 6), Boston 17 (Rondo 7). Total Fouls—Chicago 20, Boston 21. A—18,624 (18,624).

**Wednesday's Late NBA Boxes**  
**HEAT 115, WARRIORS 102**

**MIAMI (115)**  
Richardson 4-7 0-0 11, Beasley 8-13 2-4 19, O'Neal 11-15 2-2 24, Alston 0-4 1-2 1, Wade 10-15 15-15 35, Anthony 0-1 2-2 2, Haslem 3-9 0-0 6, D.Wright 4-7 1-7 11, Chalmers 2-4 0-0 6. Totals 42-75 23-26 115.  
**GOLDEN STATE (102)**  
Maggette 7-11 1-11 21, Radmanovic 0-4 0-0 0, Biedrins 3-6 0-2 6, Curry 3-10 0-0 9, Ellis 6-15 4-8 17, Martin 3-10 3-4 11, Morrow 8-14 4-4 24, Watson 0-1 0-0 0, George 1-3 0-0 3, Hunter 2-3 3-7 13. Totals 33-77 25-32 102.  
**Miami** 22 30 38 25 - 105  
**Golden State** 21 32 26 26 - 102  
3-Point Goals—Miami 6-16 (Richardson 3-6, DWright 2-3, Chalmers 2-3, Beasley 1-3, Alston 0-3), Golden State 11-24 (Morrow 4-5, Curry 3-5, Martin 2-4, George 1-3, Ellis 1-6, Radmanovic 0-1). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Miami 47 (Haslem 9), Golden State 40 (Biedrins 8). Assists—Miami 26 (Wade 9), Golden State 20 (Ellis 6). Total Fouls—Miami 24, Golden State 20. Technicals—Miami defensive three second 2, Golden State defensive three second. A—17,121 (19,956).

**TRAIL BLAZERS 120, BUCKS 108**  
**MILWAUKEE (108)**  
Mbah a Moute 11-21 1-21, Ilyasova 9-15 2-2 24, Bogut 4-8 2-4 10, Jennings 4-11 2-2 12, Bell 4-9 2-5 12, Thomas 0-0 0-0 0, Meeks 9-17 0-0 21, Delfino 1-4 0-0 3, Rindour 4-12 4-4 12, Warrick 2-5 2-4 6, Gadzuric 2-4 3-5 7. Totals 39-86 18-25 108.  
**PORTLAND (120)**  
Webster 6-10 0-0 15, Aldridge 10-15 1-7 21, Howard 4-5 1-2 9, Miller 6-8 7-12 19, Roy 7-10 7-7 22, Blake 4-7 0-0 11, Pendergraph 3-4 9-9, Bayless 7-7 5-12, Fernandez 1-5 0-0 2, Cunningham 0-1 0-0 0, Randolph 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 44-73 24-31 120.  
**Milwaukee** 16 30 25 37 - 108  
**Portland** 31 35 31 23 - 120  
3-Point Goals—Milwaukee 12-29 (Ilyasova 4-6, Meeks 3-7, Bell 2-5, Jennings 2-6, Delfino 1-1, Mbah a Moute 0-1, Bogut 0-1, Rindour 0-2), Portland 8-19 (Webster 3-4, Blake 3-5, Roy 1-3, Bayless 1-3, Fernandez 0-4). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Milwaukee 51 (Bogut 11), Portland 39 (Howard, Aldridge 7). Assists—Milwaukee 23 (Rindour 8), Portland 25 (Aldridge, Miller 6). Total

Fouls—Milwaukee 26, Portland 23. Technicals—Milwaukee Coach Skiles. A—20,465 (19,980).

NBA Leaders Through Jan. 13				
Scoring	G	FG	FT	PTS
Anthony, DEN	34	348	284	1012
James, CLE	40	407	294	1175
Durant, OKC	38	371	306	1099
Bryant, LAL	39	417	241	1120
Wade, MIA	37	345	270	994
Ellis, GOK	37	379	179	959
Nowitzki, DAL	37	334	235	930
Bosh, TOR	39	321	288	936
Roy, POR	39	324	212	914
Arenas, WAS	32	253	153	722
Johnson, ATL	38	315	110	809
Stoudemire, PHX	39	312	191	815
Evans, SAC	33	251	160	680
Randolph, MEM	37	302	149	756
Kaman, LAC	35	299	116	714
Gay, MEM	35	269	150	714
Duncan, SAN	34	277	131	685
Jackson, CHA	36	260	148	718
Williams, UTA	34	243	139	668
Maggette, GOK	36	221	247	696
Rebounds	G	OFF	DEF	TOT
Howard, ORL	39	145	368	513
Noah, CHI	36	142	297	439
Campy, LAC	36	114	306	420
Wallace, CHA	35	75	329	404
Randolph, MEM	37	171	250	421
Bosh, TOR	39	122	318	440
Lee, NYK	39	88	327	415
Haywood, WAS	36	147	232	379
Boozler, UTA	38	76	321	397
Duncan, SAN	34	99	256	355
Assists	G	AST	AVG	
Paul, NOR	29	325	11.2	
Nash, PHO	39	437	11.2	
Williams, UTA	34	331	9.7	
Rondo, BOS	36	350	9.7	
Kidd, DAL	38	336	8.8	
B. Davis, LAC	37	301	8.1	
James, CLE	40	313	7.8	
Westbrook, OKC	38	280	7.4	
Arenas, WAS	32	230	7.2	
Duhon, NYK	38	240	6.3	

**Men's College Scores**  
**FAR WEST**  
Arizona St. 76, Oregon 57  
North Dakota 67, Utah Valley 62  
**MIDWEST**  
Buffalo 68, Bowling Green 65  
Butler 64, Cleveland 51, 55  
Detroit 81, Milwaukee 65  
IPFW 61, S. Utah 56  
IUPUI 90, Oral Roberts 87, OT  
Oakland, Mich. 87, UMKC 73  
Valparaiso 70, Youngstown St. 66  
W. Illinois 70, Centenary 51  
Wis.-Green Bay 68, Wright 66  
**SOUTH**  
Campbell 61, Florida Gulf Coast 45  
Charleston Southern 73, High Point 69  
Chattanooga 56, The Citadel 54  
Coll. of Charleston 78, Samford 67  
E. Kentucky 67, E. Illinois 59  
Fla. International 65, Middle Tennessee 58  
Jacksonville 79, Lipscomb 73  
Liberty 68, Gardner-Webb 57  
Louisiana-Lafayette 55, Denver 49  
Louisiana-Monroe 61, South Alabama 58  
Mississippi St. 82, Arkansas 80  
Morehead St. 80, SE Missouri 40  
Murray St. 92, Jacksonville St. 68  
New Orleans 67, Ark.-Little Rock 66, OT  
North Florida 45, Belmont 43  
North Texas 75, Troy 72  
Radford 62, Coastal Carolina 52  
Stetson 54, ETSU 52  
Tennessee 81, Auburn 55  
UNC Asheville 97, VMI 84  
W. Carolina 79, UNC Greensboro 69  
W. Kentucky 79, Florida Atlantic 72  
William & Mary 85, James Madison 78  
Wofford 71, Georgia Southern 57  
**EAST**  
Boston U. 63, Binghamton 55  
Georgetown 85, Seton Hall 73  
Hartford 74, UMBG 68  
Long Island U. 79, Wagner 64  
Monmouth, N.J. 63, St. Francis, Pa. 53  
Navy 94, Lehigh 83  
Quinnipiac 76, Conn. Connecticut St. 45  
Robert Morris 80, Fairleigh Dickinson 73  
Sacred Heart 72, Bryant 60  
St. Francis, NY 61, Mount St. Mary's, Md. 58

**BETTING**  
**Glantz-Culver Line**  
For Jan. 15  
**NFL Playoffs**  
**Saturday**  
**FAVORITE** **OPEN** **TODAY** **O/U** **UNDERDOG**  
at New Orleans 6½ 7 (57) Arizona  
at Indianapolis 6½ 6½ (44) Baltimore  
**Sunday**  
at Minnesota 3 3 (45½) Dallas  
at San Diego 9 7 (42) N.Y. Jets  
**Football**  
N.Y. Jets 24, Cincinnati 14  
Dallas 34, Philadelphia 14  
**Sunday, Jan. 10**  
Baltimore 33, New England 14  
Arizona 51, Green Bay 45, OT  
**Divisional Playoffs**  
**Saturday, Jan. 16**  
Arizona at New Orleans, 2:30 p.m.(FOX)  
Baltimore at Indianapolis, 6:15 p.m.(CBS)  
**Sunday, Jan. 17**  
Dallas at Minnesota, 11 a.m.(FOX)  
N.Y. Jets at San Diego, 2:40 p.m.(CBS)  
**Conference Championships**  
**Sunday, Jan. 24**  
AFC, 1 p.m.(CBS)  
NFC, 4:40 p.m.(FOX)  
**Pro Bowl**  
**Sunday, Jan. 31**  
**At Miami**  
AFC vs. NFC, 5:20 p.m.(ESPN)  
**Super Bowl**  
**Sunday, Feb. 7**

# SCOREBOARD

GAME PLAN

LOCAL

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS BASKETBALL

5 p.m.

Twin Falls Christian at Community School

7:30 p.m.

Bliss at Camas County

Canyon Ridge at Burley

Gooding at Declo

Highland at Twin Falls

Jerome at Minico

Rockland at Jackpot (Nev.)

Wood River at Filer

HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS BASKETBALL

6 p.m.

Bliss at Camas County

7:30 p.m.

Challis at Carey

Glenns Ferry at Gooding

Hansen at Sho-Ban

Hillcrest at Wood River

Jerome at Century

Oakley at Castleford

Raft River at Valley

Shoshone at Lighthouse Christian

Wendell at Hagerman

HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING

3 p.m.

Declo, Filer, Wendell at Magic Valley Classic, Wendell

Jerome at Madison Invitational

3:30 p.m.

Burley at Madison Invite, Rexburg

3:30 p.m.

Gooding at Dahlke Tournament, American Falls

4:30 p.m.

Buhl, Minico, Twin Falls at Spring Creek (Nev.) Invite

TV SCHEDULE

BOXING

7 p.m.

ESPN2 — Champion Juan Carlos Burgos (23-0) vs. Juan Carlos Martinez (17-11) for WBC Caribbean Boxing Federation featherweight title, at Laredo, Texas

GOLF

6:30 a.m.

TGC — European PGA Tour, Joburg Open, second round, at Johannesburg, South Africa (same-day tape)

5 p.m.

TGC — PGA Tour, Sony Open, second round, at Honolulu

NBA BASKETBALL

6 p.m.

ESPN — Phoenix at Atlanta

8:30 p.m.

ESPN — Orlando at Portland

At Miami				Stuart Appleby	36-36	—	72
NFC champion vs. AFC champion, 4:25 p.m.(CBS)				Tim Petrovic	34-38	—	72
GOLF				Steve Wheatcroft	35-37	—	72
				Cameron Percy	35-37	—	72
Sony Open				Tadd Fujikawa	37-35	—	72
				Ted Purdy	36-36	—	72
Thursday				Justin Rose	37-35	—	72
At Waialae Country Club				Paul Goydos	35-36	—	72
Honolulu				Cameron Beckman	36-37	—	72
Purse: \$5.5 Million				Greg Kraft	38-34	—	72
Yardage: 7,044 - Par 70 (35-35)				Bo Van Pelt	35-37	—	72
First Round				Brenden Pappas	35-37	—	72
Note: Tom Gillis Failed To Complete First Round Due To Darkness				Brendon De Jonge	35-37	—	72
Ryan Palmer	31-34	—	65	John Huston	34-39	—	73
Zach Johnson	34-31	—	65	Jay Williamson	38-35	—	73
Davis Love III	32-33	—	65	Bill Haas	37-36	—	73
Troy Merritt	32-33	—	65	Charlie Wi	38-35	—	73
Robert Allenby	34-31	—	65	Daniel Chopra	39-34	—	73
John Merrick	32-33	—	65	Mathias Gronberg	38-35	—	73
Jeff Quinney	33-33	—	66	Michael Letzig	36-37	—	73
Carl Pettersson	34-32	—	66	John Daly	37-36	—	73
Pat Perez	34-32	—	66	Kevin Na	35-38	—	73
Angel Cabrera	34-32	—	66	Derek Lamely	39-34	—	73
Shane Bertsch	33-33	—	66	David Lutterer	39-34	—	73
Tom Lehman	32-34	—	66	Brett Quigley	39-34	—	73
Steve Stricker	35-31	—	66	Jonathan Wagner	35-38	—	73
Brian Stuard	32-34	—	66	Charles Howell II	38-35	—	73
Roger Tambellini	33-33	—	66	Jeff Maggert	35-38	—	73
Martin Flores	32-34	—	66	Jason Day	39-38	—	73
Chris Barnes	34-33	—	67	Scott Piercy	39-34	—	73
Ricky Barnes	34-33	—	67	Kris Blanks	37-36	—	73
Michael Allen	35-32	—	67	Chris Riley	39-35	—	74
Troy Matteson	34-33	—	67	Jerry Kelly	38-36	—	74
Chad Campbell	37-31	—	68	Alex Progar	39-35	—	74
Stewart Cink	32-36	—	68	Luke Donald	36-38	—	74
Sean O'hair	34-34	—	68	Kevin Hayashi	38-36	—	74
Stephen Ames	37-31	—	68	Jesper Parnevik	41-34	—	75
Bob Estes	34-33	—	68	Rich Beem	37-38	—	75
W.C. Liang	34-34	—	68	Brad Fox	35-40	—	75
Ryuji Imada	36-32	—	68	Lukas Glover	38-37	—	75
Brian Gay	34-34	—	68	Jonathan Byrd	38-37	—	75
Rory Sabbatini	34-34	—	68	Rickie Fowler	40-35	—	75
Mark Wilson	34-34	—	68	Garth Mulroy	39-36	—	75
Ryuichi Oda	35-33	—	68	Scott McCarron	41-34	—	75
Kevin Johnson	34-35	—	69	Shigeaki Maruyama	38-37	—	75
Jason Dufner	36-33	—	69	Jimmy Walker	38-37	—	75
Briny Baird	37-32	—	69	Jeff Overton	37-38	—	75
Bubba Watson	35-34	—	69	Harrison Frazar	40-36	—	76
Chris Tidland	34-35	—	69	Justin Blosil	39-37	—	76
Chad Collins	34-35	—	69	Billy Horschel	36-40	—	76
Mark Leishman	33-36	—	69	Kaname Yokoo	39-38	—	76
Joe Ogilvie	35-34	—	69	D.A. Points	37-39	—	76
Ernie Els	35-34	—	69	Tim Wilkinson	37-40	—	77
Vijay Singh	34-35	—	69	Steve Lowery	41-36	—	77
Retief Goosen	36-33	—	69	Mark Turnesa	40-37	—	77
Graham Delatt	32-37	—	69	Nicholas Thompson	42-37	—	79
Blake Adams	35-34	—	69	Tom Gillis			Dnf
Spencer Levin	34-35	—	69				
T.J. Kuy	34-35	—	69				
John Rollins	35-35	—	70				
Y.E. Yang	32-38	—	70				
Matt Kuchar	36-34	—	70				
Justin Leonard	36-34	—	70				
Woody Austin	34-36	—	70				
Chris Beyer	34-36	—	70				
Aaron Goldberg	34-36	—	70				
Fredrik Jacobson	37-33	—	70				
Ben Curtis	36-34	—	70				
Chez Reavie	35-35	—	70				
Dustin Johnson	34-36	—	70				



# Shoshone defeats Pirates 47-34 to remain unbeaten

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Thomas Lanahan and Cody Race contributed key points Thursday in the Shoshone boys basketball team's 47-34 victory over Snake River Conference North Division rival Hagerman in Shoshone.

Lanahan scored eight of his dozen points (eight rebounds) during the first quarter to help give the Indians a 15-8 edge, while Race contributed seven of his total 11 during the third, which kept Hagerman from threatening late in the game. Josh Olsen also scored 11 for the Indians. Zac Reid led the Pirates with 11 points.

Hagerman will travel to Malta Saturday to face Raft River, and the Indians (10-0, 2-0) will visit Jerome Monday to play the Tiger juniors.

**Shoshone 47, Hagerman 34**  
**Hagerman** 87 10 9-34  
**Shoshone** 15 11 10-47  
**HAGERMAN (34)**  
 Dylan Brooks 5, Ryan Arnold 2, Ambrosio Nava 3, Ryan Luttmer 5, Zac Reid 11, Zarek Tupper 8. Totals 11 9-14 34.  
**SHOSHONE (47)**  
 Skye Axelson 7, Andrew Sortor 6, Thomas Lanahan 12, Josh Olsen 11, Cody Race 11. Totals 20 5-8 47.  
 3-point goals: Hagerman 3 (Brooks, Nava, Luttmer); Shoshone 2 (Lanahan 2). Total fouls: Hagerman 12; Shoshone 17. Fouled out: Hagerman, Brooks; Shoshone, Olsen. Technical fouls: none.

## TWIN FALLS CHRISTIAN ACADEMY 63, MAGIC VALLEY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL 49

The Twin Falls Christian Academy boys basketball team defeated Magic Valley Christian School 63-49 at home Thursday.

The Warriors trailed after two quarters, but they applied the press during the third for an 18-2 run that allowed them to take the lead.

James Garrison led with 23 points, and Austin Brown added 18. Zach Van Esch of Magic Valley Christian led all scorers with 29 points.

The 3-6 Warriors will travel to Sun Valley tonight to face the Community School.

**Twin Falls Christian Academy 63, Magic Valley Christian School 49**  
**MVC** 14 12 15-49  
**TFCA** 8 11 17-33  
**MVC (49)**  
 Logan Vander Stelt 3, Dillon Van Esch 15, Robert Ryder 2, Zach Van Esch 29. Totals 20 6-15 49.  
**TFCA (63)**  
 Austin Brown 18, Ethan Paz 2, Nate Rippee 12, Joel Carpenter 4, Jesse Bolyard 4, James Garrison 23. Totals 22 10-24 63.  
 3-point goals: MVC 3 (Vander Stelt, D. Van Esch, Z. Van Esch); TFCA 3 (Brown 3). Total fouls: MVC 19; TFCA 16. Fouled out: MVC, Andre Briggs, Carpenter; TFCA, Bolyard. Technical fouls: none.

## GLENN'S FERRY 67, BUHL 53

The Glenns Ferry boys basketball team moved to 12-1 Thursday with a 67-53 home victory over Buhl.

Ross Arellano led the Pilots with 20 points, while Michael Crane, Gabe Arevalo and Justin Solosabal also scored in double figures. A 15-8 advantage in the third quarter helped push the Pilots ahead of the Indians for good. J.D. Leckenby led Buhl with 24 points.

The Indians travel to Gooding Saturday for a Sawtooth Central Idaho Conference game, and Glenns Ferry (1-0 Canyon Conference) hosts Declo Tuesday in conference action.

**Glenns Ferry 67, Buhl 53**  
**Buhl** 11 18 15-53  
**Glenns Ferry** 17 12 15 23-67  
**BUHL (53)**  
 Scott Harris 3, J.D. Leckenby 24, Brian Schofield 2, Matt Hamilton 8, Camden Gillins 6, Cader Owen 2, Mark Montgomery 3, Markus Lively 5. Totals 19 13-17 53.  
**GLENN'S FERRY (67)**  
 Michael Crane 14, Ross Arellano 20, Robin Shenk 1, Gabe Arevalo 12, Rory Hance 4, Zach Owsley 2, Phillip Owsley 4, Justin Solosabal 10. Totals 28 10-16 67.  
 3-point goals: Buhl 2 (Hamilton 2); Glenns Ferry 1 (Arellano). Total fouls: Buhl 17; Glenns Ferry 17. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

## RAFT RIVER 71, HANSEN 48

The Raft River and Hansen boys basketball teams exchanged 20-point quarters to start their game Thursday, but it was the Trojans who held on for the 71-48 Snake River Conference South Division victory in Malta.

Four Trojans scored in double figures with H.D. Tuckett leading with 18 points. Kevin Fuller scored 14 for the Huskies.

Both teams are back in action Saturday: Raft River (7-3, 2-1) hosts Hagerman, while Hansen hosts Dietrich.

**Raft River 71, Hansen 48**  
**Hansen** 20 6 15-48  
**RAFT RIVER** 9 21 17 24-71  
**RAFT RIVER (71)**  
 Caleb Lehmann 9, Gabe Stimpson 4, Devon Spearing 3, Kevin Fuller 14, Pete Venstra 12, Christian Wirth 2, Nathan Wilcken 4. Totals 20 4-8 48.  
**RAFT RIVER (71)**  
 Cade Powers 16, Rio Manning 9, Taylor Thacker 13, H.D. Tuckett 18, Andrew Finn 6, Sean Streeter 3, Sam Clark 2, Jason Hurst 4. Totals 30 10-14 71.  
 3-point goals: Hansen 4 (Fuller 2, Lehmann, Spearing); Raft River 1 (Thacker). Total fouls: Hansen 18; Raft River 13. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

## COMMUNITY SCHOOL 51, DIETRICH 49

Daniel Gomis had 21 points and 25 rebounds as the Community School boys basketball team held off Dietrich's rally for a 51-49 win in Sun Valley on Thursday.

The Blue Devils whittled an

11-point lead down to 2 with 22 seconds left and had two chances to tie the game but couldn't convert.

Kolton Hubert scored 12 and Andrew Rocha and Walter Hansen each added 11 for Dietrich.

The Community School (7-2) hosts Twin Falls Christian today.

**Community School 51, Dietrich 49**  
**Dietrich** 8 11 12 18-49  
**COMMUNITY SCHOOL (51)**  
 Dylan Perron 9, James McDaniel 6, Kolton Hubert 12, Andrew Rocha 11, Walter Hansen 11. Totals 18 7-10 49.  
**DIETRICH (49)**  
 Will Brokaw 8, Paul Davis 9, Dane Imman 2, Daniel Gomis 21, Henry Rickbeil 4, Hunter Weaver 7. Totals 16 7-15 51.  
 3-point goals: Dietrich 6 (Rocha 2, Perron 2, Hansen, Hubert); Community School 2 (Gomis, Brokaw). Total fouls: Dietrich 15, Community School 15. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

## CAREY 58, MURTAUGH 43

The Carey Panthers remained unbeaten in the Northside Conference at 7-0 with a 58-43 win over the host Murtaugh Red Devils.

The Panthers were led by Brett Adamson scoring a game-high 17 points and Blair Peck posting 14 including four 3-pointers. Humberto Pacheco knocked down 16 points for the Red Devils (6-2, 3-2) and Derek Bates contributed 12.

Carey (9-1) hosts Butte County and Murtaugh hosts the Community School on Tuesday.

**Carey 58, Murtaugh 43**  
**Carey** 17 10 15 16-58  
**MURTAUGH (43)**  
 Dillon Simpson 4, Brett Adamson 17, Trevor Peck 9, Blair Peck 14, Tyler Willis 2, Wacey Barg 3, Jacey Baird 5, Caleb Cenarrusa 2, Joey Laidlaw 2. Totals 22 6-7 58.  
**MURTAUGH (43)**  
 Zach Cummins 5, Humberto Pacheco 16, Derek Bates 12, Austin Stanger 5, Manuel Pacheco 5. Totals 17 5-8 43.  
 3-point goals: Carey 8 (Peck 4, T. Peck 3, Adamson); Murtaugh 4 (Humberto Pacheco 2, Manuel Pacheco, Cummins). Total fouls: Carey 10, Murtaugh 13. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

## BLISS 43, RICHFIELD 25

Cole Erkins scored 12 points on four 3-pointers and Thomas Palmer had 11 leading Bliss to a 43-25 Northside Conference victory over the visiting Richfield Tigers. Cameron Schoessler registered 13 boards and Alex Cortez had five steals for the Bears (4-7, 2-3).

Jose Rivas had 16 points in the loss for Richfield (3-6, 2-4).

Bliss is on the road at Camas County tonight.

**Bliss 43, Richfield 25**  
**Richfield** 11 5 5 4-25  
**BLISS (43)**  
 Zac Turnage 3, Tucker Smith 3, John-Erik Classon 2, Jose Rivas 16.  
**RICHFIELD (25)**  
 Francisco Sanchez 4, Alex Cortez 4, Cameron Schoessler 6, Cole Erkins 12, Zac Vincent 6, Thomas Palmer 11.  
 3-point goals: Richfield 4 (Turnage, Rivas 3, Bliss 4, Erkins 4). Total fouls: Richfield 17, bliss 11. Fouled out: Richfield, Joel Garibo Vergara, Rivas. Technical fouls: none.

## CASTLEFORD 80, SHO-BAN 31

Castleford picked up a road Snake River South Conference win as the Wolves romped over Sho-Ban 80-31.

Kale Weekes led the Castleford offense with 19 points followed by Ethan Tverdy with 16 and Sam Chavez added 11.

Castleford (8-1, 4-0) is on the road at Challis on Saturday.

**Castleford 80, Sho-Ban 31**  
**Castleford** 31 22 22 5-30  
**SHO-BAN (31)**  
 Clayton Kline 2, Nick Howard 2, Oscar Vargas 5, Houston Horner 4, Kale Weekes 19, Sam Chavez 11, Tyler Hansen 21, Ethan Tverdy 16. Totals 34 11-15 80.  
**SHO-BAN (31)**  
 Terino 2, Runninghorse 5, Graves 1, Toby 6, Red Cloud 4, Sanchez 2, Grant 4, Eschies 2, Tome 5. Totals 11 8-20 31.  
 3-point goals: Castleford 2 (Chavez 2), Sho-Ban 1 (Runninghorse). Total fouls: Castleford 19, Sho-Ban 11. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

## Girls basketball

### WENDELL 33, GOODING 29, OT

Kristen Brandsma and Heather Sturgeon both scored 10 as Wendell outlasted Gooding 33-29 in overtime on Thursday.

Brittany Wirth had a game-high 15 for Gooding in the loss.

Wendell (7-7, 4-1 SCIC) is at Hagerman tonight.

**Wendell 33, Gooding 29, OT**  
**Gooding** 5 4 9 3-29  
**WENDELL (33)**  
 Angela Vitek 8, Mackenzie Stevens 3, Carrie Baker 2, Brittany Wirth 15, Coppel 1. Totals 8 10-17 29.  
**WENDELL (33)**  
 Hannah Lancaster 6, Krystyl Miller 2, Yvonne Bartholomew 5, Kristen Brandsma 10, Heather Sturgeon 10. Totals 12 7-11 33.  
 3-point goals: Gooding 3 (Wirth, Vitek, Stevens); Wendell 2 (Sturgeon 2). Total fouls: Gooding 15, Wendell 15. Fouled out: Gooding, Wirth. Technical fouls: none.

## RICHFIELD 52, BLISS 23

Richfield improved to 11-2 overall and 5-2 in the Northside Conference with a 52-23 road win over Bliss.

Bliss junior Abby Burk had 10 steals, 11 rebounds and nine points missing a triple-double by a single point.

Heidi Buckner scored a

game-high 16 points and Teenie Kent followed with 15 for the Tigers.

Bliss (6-4, 1-4) is at Camas County tonight.

Richfield travels to Camas County on Tuesday.

**Richfield 52, Bliss 23**  
**Richfield** 25 9 18 0-52  
**BLISS (23)**  
 Teenie Kent 15, Mirian Rivas 7, Sasha Kent 8, Breanna Brockman 4, Heidi Buckner 16, Kallee Scott 2. Totals 18 6-10 52.  
**BLISS (23)**  
 Abby Burk 9, Amy Young 6, Densie Butler 1, Savannah Kehrer 7. Totals 8 5-10 23.  
 3-point goals: Richfield 10 (Buckner 4, T. Kent 3, S. Kent 2, Rivas); Bliss 2 (Young 2). Total fouls: Richfield 10, Bliss 7. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

## FILER 47, CANYON RIDGE 38

Natalie Hughes recorded a double-double with 18 points and 10 rebounds as Filer beat Canyon Ridge 47-38 in non conference play. Karly Hudelson led all players with 22 points for the Riverhawks (0-16, 0-8 Great Basin Conference).

Canyon Ridge is at Minico and Filer (6-9, 2-4 Sawtooth Central Idaho Conference) hosts Wendell on Tuesday.

**Filer 47, Canyon Ridge 38**  
**Canyon Ridge** 6 7 12 13-38  
**FILER (47)**  
 Karly Hudelson 22, Bonnie Detweiler 1, Laken Mullin 5, Staci Baird 2, Katie Hamby 4, Joslin 4. Totals 12 13-34 38.  
**CANYON RIDGE (38)**  
 Taylor Twitchell 11, Janessa Orban 3, Sierra Koyle 2, Taylor Oyler 5, Kenzie Kaster 2, Natalie Hughes 18, Katie Williams 6. Totals 15 13-25 47.  
 3-point goals: Canyon Ridge 1 (Hudelson). Filer 4 (Twitchell 3, Orban). Total fouls: Canyon Ridge 20, Filer 24. Fouled out: Canyon Ridge, Joslin, Filer, Koyle, Oyler. Technical fouls: Canyon Ridge, bench.

## DIETRICH 57, COMMUNITY SCHOOL 24

The Dietrich girls basketball team defeated the Community School 57-24 in Northside Conference action Thursday in Sun Valley.

The Blue Devils will host Declo Saturday, while the Cutthroats (3-7, 0-5) will travel to play the Murtaugh junior varsity squad next Thursday.

## Dietrich 57, Community School 24

**Dietrich 57, Community School 24**  
**Dietrich** 18 18 15 6-57  
**COMMUNITY SCHOOL (24)**  
 Ellie Dalton 6, Jessica Perron 11, Moriah Dill 8, Halie Stoddard 9, Shayla Porter 5, Keld Dalton 2, Dayna Phillips 6, Charley Bingham 8, Cheyenne Hubert 2. Totals 28 4-6 57.  
**COMMUNITY SCHOOL (24)**  
 Maggie Flood 10, Kayla Cloud 3, Natalie Goddard 5, Ella Marks 4. Totals 13 3-6 24.  
 3-point goals: Dietrich 5 (Stoddard 3, Perron, Bingham). Total fouls: Dietrich 5; Community School 7. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

## KIMBERLY 55, BUHL 33

The Kimberly girls basketball team earned a 55-33 Sawtooth Central Idaho Conference victory Thursday at Buhl. Alex Pfefferle led the Bulldogs with 18 points.

The Indians (7-10, 1-5) travel to Gooding Tuesday. Kimberly hosts Declo Wednesday.

**Kimberly 55, Buhl 33**  
**Kimberly** 19 9 10 17-55  
**BUHL (33)**  
 Alex Pfefferle 18, Kaitlyn Goetz 8, Nellie Makings 11, Averie Schroeder 5, Taylor Sievers 2, Brooke Lammers 6, Talya Murphy 5. Totals 16 4-11 33.  
**BUHL (33)**  
 Cassiede Kippes 2, Lacy Hall 3, Kendyl Hamilton 8, Courtney Azevedo 11, Katherine Hunter 7, Bailee Montgomery 2. Totals 11 8-20 33.  
 3-point goals: Kimberly 4 (Pfefferle 2, Goetz, Schroeder); Buhl 1 (Azevedo). Total fouls: Kimberly 18; Buhl 16. Fouled out: Kimberly, Lammers. Technical fouls: none.

## Wrestling

### BLACKFOOT 46, MINICO 19

The Minico wrestling team had a tough night on the road in Blackfoot, falling 46-19 to the Bronco squad. Alberto Ramirez (125 pounds) and Braxton Schell (135) scored the only pinfalls for Minico, while David Borden (152) and Colby May (171) won decisions.

The Spartans will travel to Nevada this weekend to compete in Spring Creek's tournament.

**Blackfoot 46, Minico 19**  
 103 pounds: Juan Navarro, Blackfoot, pinned Brian Jensen, 1:22; 112: Kohl Bingham, Blackfoot, dec. Isiah Jararado, 4:3; 119: Steven Agee, Blackfoot, won by forfeit; 125: Alberto Ramirez, Minico, pinned Jeremy Robbins, 3:26; 130: Titus Robinson, Blackfoot, pinned Austin Gilcrest, 1:02; 135: Stetson Jurgenson, Blackfoot, pinned Joey Gomez, 4:59; 140: Gerald Cervantes, Blackfoot, dec. Dakota Rupard, 6-5; 145: Braxton Schell, Minico, pinned Eddie Stone, 3:29; 152: David Borden, Minico, major dec. John Horak, 9-1; 160: Chris Percy, Blackfoot, T-Fall Jorge Vega, 17-2; 171: Colby May, Minico, dec. Colton Hill, 3-2; 189: Zach Rea, Blackfoot, major dec. Brady May, 8-0; 215: Garrett Buck, Blackfoot, dec. Jacob Barclay, 7-4; 285: Roberto Chavez, Blackfoot, major dec. Ramiro Rojas, 11-0.

## Bowling

### WESTERN IDAHO INVITE RESULTS

The Jerome boys bowling team won the Western Idaho Invitational, with Minico finishing third.

The Minico girls and Burley girls finished second and third, respectively.

The high bowler for the girls tournament was Jessica Jenkins of Twin Falls with a 487.

## WENDELL 7, JEROME 6

Wendell defeated Jerome 7-6 in girls bowling action. Kelsey Peterson of Wendell was the high bowler with a 146.

# Broncos fall in final minute

Anthony Thomas' putback on the Broncos' third offensive rebound was a fraction of a second too late, leaving Boise State unable to send its game with San Jose State into overtime and giving the Spartans a 76-74 victory Thursday in San Jose.

Officials reviewed film of the late bucket and did not overturn their call of a late basket. The Broncos fall to 9-9 overall and winless in the Western Athletic Conference at 0-5.

San Jose State led 73-71 with roughly a minute left in the game when La'Shard Anderson nailed a 3-pointer to take the 74-73 lead. Former College of Southern Idaho player Daequon Montreal fouled Spartans leader Adrian Oliver, and the junior guard hit both of his free throws — he went 12-for-12 in the game — to regain the lead at 75-74.

Anderson bricked a 3-pointer in the ensuing possession, and another Boise State foul sent the Spartans back to the stripe. Mac Peterson converted 1 of 2 to make it a one-basket game with seven seconds left. The Broncos were able to get the ball to the rim but were unable to put it in despite three offensive rebounds.

Oliver led all scorers with 33 points, while Montreal led the Broncos with 19. Boise State will travel to Logan, Utah, Saturday to play Utah State.

**TOP 25**  
**NO. 9 TENNESSEE 81, AUBURN 55**  
 KNOXVILLE, Tenn. — Wayne Chism

# CSI

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falling apart, point guard D.J. Stennis made his only field goal of the game, knocking to the hoop to tie the score at 71-71.

CEU (12-6, 6-3 SWAC) failed to get a shot off on its end, forcing the extra period.

Chuck Odum put CSI ahead for good in overtime, hitting two free throws for a 76-75 lead with 1:54 remaining, then stealing the ball and throwing down a breakaway dunk for a 78-75 cushion.

Buckner had a big night, finishing with 13 points and 13 rebounds.

"It was a physical ball game. You had to be a man to get a rebound in there," said Gosar.

Buckner chalked up his big night to "playing hard."

And in the end, that was the key for CSI.

"That was definitely not our best ball game, but the guys fought," said Gosar.

Said Buckner: "The team is starting to come together a little more."

After hitting 15 of 17 free throws in the first half, CSI went 10-for-25 in the second half, limiting its chances to rally ahead of CEU. But CSI made 8 of 12

had 12 points, 12 rebounds and six steals and No. 9 Tennessee shook off a slow start.

Bobby Maze and J.P. Prince both had 14 points for the Volunteers (13-2, 1-0 Southeastern Conference), while Scotty Hopson chipped in 11 and Kenny Hall 10.

The game was tied at 42 with 18:19 left when Maze hit a jumper in the lane to launch an 11-1 run. Renaldo Woolridge hit a 3-pointer as the shot clock expired to give Tennessee a 53-43 lead with 13:46 left.

DeWayne Reed had 19 points and Frankie Sullivan added 14 for Auburn (9-8, 0-2).

The Tigers have lost 10 straight games against Top Ten teams and six straight meetings with Tennessee in Knoxville.

## NO. 11 GEORGETOWN 85, SETON HALL 73

WASHINGTON — Chris Wright scored 21 points to lead Georgetown.

Jason Clark added 20 points on 5-of-6 shooting, including 4-of-4 from 3-point range, for the Hoyas (13-2, 4-1 Big East), who have not lost in eight games this season at the Verizon Center. Austin Freeman added 16 points and Julian Vaughn had 13 for Georgetown.

Jeremy Hazell, who entered as the Big East's second-leading scorer at 23.3 points per game, led the Pirates (10-6, 1-4) with 17 points — eight in the final minute — on 6-of-14 shooting, 3 of 9 3-pointers.

## — Staff and wire reports

from the stripe in OT.

Josten Thomas finished with 15 points and 10 boards, almost all coming late in the game. Odum scored 16, while Carrick Felix and Byago Diouf each netted 10. All three fouled out.

Nick Thompson had a huge night for CEU with 20 points and eight boards. Six of the visiting Golden Eagles fouled out as both teams played overtime severely short-handed, which only added to the late drama.

"That was a good ball game," said Gosar. "If that didn't get your heart up, I don't know what would."

CSI trailed 35-23 late in the first half, but Diouf hit a 40-footer at the first-half horn, part of an 11-0 CSI run spanning the halves.

## CSI 83, Eastern Utah 77, OT

**CSI (83)**  
 Michael Glover 2-10 1-1 5, Fernando Defavari 0-0 0-0 0, Isiah Williams 4-11 3-3 11, Nick Thompson 8-16 2-2 20, Cliff Colomon 1-1 2-2 5, Tony Dalton 2-6 2-4 6, Aaron Hawk-Harris 0-1 2-2 2, Jonathan Mills 2-10 2-2 6, Renan Custodio 3-7 3-3 10, Vander Joaquim 5-7 2-4 12. Totals 27-69 19-23 77.

**CSI (83)**  
 Carrick Felix 3-7 3-7 10, Josten Thomas 6-15 2-15 18, Pierre Jackson 0-1 0-1 3-3 11, Nick Thompson 8-16 2-2 20, Cliff Colomon 1-1 2-2 5, Tony Dalton 2-6 2-4 6, Aaron Hawk-Harris 0-1 2-2 2, Jonathan Mills 2-10 2-2 6, Renan Custodio 3-7 3-3 10, Vander Joaquim 5-7 2-4 12. Totals 27-69 19-23 77.  
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Harbaugh, Oregon's Chip Kelly and Houston's Kevin Sumlin.

The award is given by the National Sportscasters and Sportswriters Association, and Thursday's awards banquet in Houston was organized by the American Heart Association.

The Broncos finished fourth in the final Associated Press Top 25 poll and will lose only four seniors from their roster next season. Petersen, also named the WAC Coach of the Year, doesn't think his players will be fazed by higher-than-ever expectations.

"I know we're going to be ranked high," he said. "Where that is, I don't know, it doesn't really matter. Preseason rankings don't mean a lot to me and hopefully they won't mean a lot to the kids in our program."

"We can't let that derail us. We need that to drive us, and I think we're a pretty driven program already."

# Broncos

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articulated his displeasure with the BCS system, but he's focused on more important things right now," White House spokesman Adam

Abrams said in an e-mail to The Associated Press. Bill Hancock, the executive director of the BCS, said it was Obama's call.

"But Boise State's own coach, and every other coach in the USA Today poll, along with every journalist in the AP poll, agreed with what happened on the field in Pasadena — that

Alabama is the national champion," he said in an e-mail to the AP. "Really, doesn't Congress have more important things to do?"

Boise State coach Chris Petersen reiterated Thursday night that Alabama





AP file photo  
Tennessee Titans running back Chris Johnson (28) runs for an 85-yard touchdown against the Arizona Cardinals in Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 29, 2009. Johnson was a unanimous All-Pro selection.

# Titans’ Johnson unanimous choice for AP All-Pro team

NEW YORK (AP) — Chris Johnson didn’t get any votes for MVP. He didn’t miss any for The Associated Press 2009 NFL All-Pro team.

The 2,000-yard rusher from the Tennessee Titans was the only unanimous choice for the squad, announced Thursday. He’s joined in the backfield by Colts quarterback Peyton Manning, who won an unprecedented fourth Most Valuable Player Award last week, when only quarterbacks received votes.

“That’d be a good thing,” said Johnson, who won the Offensive Player of the Year award Wednesday. “Because I feel like if you put a season out there, out of those dudes who got votes or the dudes who won, I wouldn’t feel they had a better season than I had, and broke as many records in one season that I had.”

For setting the league mark for yards from scrimmage and becoming the sixth 2,000-yard rusher in NFL history, Johnson got all 50 votes from a nationwide panel of sports writers. One other player, San Francisco inside linebacker Patrick Willis, came close with, appropriately, 49. Cornerbacks Charles Woodson of Green Bay, the Defensive Player of the Year, and Darrelle Revis of the New York Jets each got 48, as did Oakland punter Shane Lechler.

“I just think Patrick is a very unique guy,” 49ers coach Mike Singletary said. “He’s a guy who’s always going to be around the ball. He has the instincts. He has the speed. He can be where he wants to be.”

He’s on the All-Pro team for the second time in his three pro seasons. The other inside linebacker, Baltimore’s Ray Lewis, made it for the seventh time.

Other veteran All-Pros include Manning, chosen for the fifth time, as were Minnesota guard Steve Hutchinson and Vikings defensive tackle Kevin Williams, and Lechler.

The Vikings had the most players on the team with four — running back Adrian Peterson and defensive end Jared Allen also made it. Next was Indianapolis with three: Manning, tight end Dallas Clark, and DE Dwight Freeney.

New Orleans (guard Jahri Evans and safety Darren Sharper), Dallas (outside linebacker DeMarcus Ware and defensive tackle Jay Ratliff), the Jets (Revis and center Nick Mangold), Denver (tackle Ryan Clady and defensive end Elvis Dumervil) and Cleveland (tackle Joe Thomas and kick returner Joshua Cribbs) had two players.

“To be selected for the All-Pro team is really overwhelming to me,” Clady said. “There are so many great tackles playing right now. To be recognized among them is truly a blessing. I would like to thank my teammates and coaches for this honor.”

In all, there were 15 AFC players and 12 from the NFC selected.

Fourteen players made All-Pro for the first time: Johnson, Revis, Dumervil, Ratliff, Cribbs, Mangold, Evans, Thomas, Clady, Clark, New England receiver Wes Welker, Philadelphia fullback Leonard Weaver, San Diego placekicker Nick Kaeding and Arizona safety Adrian Wilson. Woodson made it for the first time with Green Bay, second time overall; he was an All-Pro in 1999 with Oakland. Sharper made it nine years ago with Green Bay.

Also selected to the team was Houston receiver Andre Johnson for the second time.

Repeaters from last year were Manning, Peterson, Andre Johnson, Hutchinson, Allen, Williams, Ware, Lewis and Lechler.

The New York Giants, Washington, Atlanta, Carolina, Tampa Bay, Chicago, Detroit, Seattle, St. Louis, Miami, Buffalo, Jacksonville, Cincinnati, Kansas City and Pittsburgh had no All-Pros this season.

# Colts’ WR Garcon learns some family OK in Haiti

INDIANAPOLIS — owner Al Davis on Thursday to discuss his status as head coach.

Raiders senior executive John Herrera said the two men could meet again today. Cable has been spending the 10 days since the season ended evaluating the team with his assistant coaches.

Cable’s status is in question after he went 5-11 in his first full season as coach and failed to develop JaMarcus Russell into a legitimate NFL quarterback. Cable is 9-19 since replacing Lane Kiffin early in the 2008 season, leading the Raiders to their NFL-worst seventh straight season with at least 11 losses.

Cable has pointed to the team’s improvement after Russell’s midseason benching as proof that he deserves another year to get the Raiders back to the playoffs.

Garcon said his mother heard from a family member on Wednesday night. He received calls on Thursday morning, letting him know some of his relatives were safe.

Garcon attended high school in Florida, but his parents emigrated to the U.S. from Haiti, and most of his relatives still live there.

A visibly drained Garcon said many of his family members still are unaccounted for. He appreciates the outpouring of support for the nation, but says more help is needed.

The second-year player said it’s difficult to focus on Saturday’s playoff game against Baltimore, but it’s “something you’ve got to do.”

## N.Y. hires Fewell as defensive coordinator

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — Buffalo Bills interim coach Perry Fewell was hired as the New York Giants’ defensive coordinator.

Coach Tom Coughlin announced the move late Thursday evening after Fewell spent the past few days weighing offers from the Giants and the Chicago Bears.

Fewell also interviewed for the vacant Bills coaching job but he has said for a while that he felt he was a long shot for that position.

Giants rookie defensive coordinator Bill Sheridan was fired the day after the regular season ended. The Giants gave up more than 40 points in each of their last two games and 427 points for the season, ranking third from the bottom in the NFL. Only the Detroit Lions and St. Louis Rams gave up more.

## Ex-NFL star Bruce Smith admits to driving drunk

VIRGINIA BEACH, Va. — Former NFL star Bruce Smith pleaded guilty to drunken driving Thursday, saying he wanted to own up to his mistake and strive to be an asset to the community.

Smith, 46, was fined \$1,000 and given a 90-day suspended sentence in a plea agreement with Virginia Beach prosecutors, who dropped charges of speeding and refusal to take a breath test. He also must complete an alcohol safety program, and his driving privileges will be limited for one year.

Smith’s restricted license will allow him to drive only for work, medical appointments, to visit his elderly mother, to attend the alcohol program and to take his children to and from medical appointments and school.

The NFL’s all-time sacks leader, who was inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame in August, had been convicted of the drunken driving charge in General District Court in July.

— The Associated Press

## Cable will meet with Davis about job status

ALAMEDA, Calif. — Tom Cable planned to meet with Oakland Raiders

# Holtz leaving ECU for South Florida

TAMPA, Fla. — Skip Holtz is the new football coach at South Florida, taking over a program recovering from a scandal that led to the firing of Jim Leavitt.

The 45-year-old Holtz led East Carolina to the past two Conference USA championships. He inherits a talented but inconsistent team that’s tasted the national limelight while also falling short of a goal of winning the Big East.

Holtz informed his old team of his decision during a meeting with players Thursday in Greenville, N.C. USF will introduce him as the second coach in the Bulls’ 13-year history on Friday.

Leavitt was dismissed last week after a school investigation concluded he grabbed a player by the throat, slapped him in the face, then lied about it.

**USF player wants apology from fired coach Leavitt**

TAMPA, Fla. — The player who says fired South Florida football coach Jim Leavitt grabbed him by the throat and slapped him in the face wants a public apology.

The attorney for Joel Miller said Thursday that the sophomore walk-on is not interested in filing a lawsuit, but could if Leavitt doesn’t “man up” and admit wrongdoing in the locker room incident that cost the coach his job.

Leavitt was fired last week after a university investigation concluded he grabbed Miller during halftime of a game, slapped the player twice in the face and then lied about it. The coach strongly denies the accusation and wants his job back.

**Kramer’s breach of contract claims denied**

HELENA, Mont. — A District Court judge dismissed former Montana State football coach Mike Kramer’s claims that the university breached its contract with him when he was fired in May 2007.

But District Judge Kathy Seeley ruled on Jan. 8 that Kramer’s claims that the school slandered, libeled and portrayed him in a false light are matters for a jury to decide. His lawsuit claims his reputation was damaged as was his ability to get another coaching job. A trial date will be scheduled on Jan. 25.

“We are pleased coach Kramer will have his day in court,” his attorney, Triel Culver of Billings, said in an e-mail.

Kramer filed a lawsuit in December 2007 alleging MSU fired him under the “without cause” part of his contract and then proceeded to give reasons for his firing, including the legal troubles of former players.

**Chow will stay at UCLA**

LOS ANGELES — Norm Chow declined the chance to switch teams

again in Los Angeles’ fierce football rivalry.

Chow said Thursday he’ll stay at UCLA for his third season as offensive coordinator, rebuffing overtures from Lane Kiffin to return to Southern California.

After a couple of uneasy days during which the Trojans openly courted Chow, UCLA coach Rick Neuheisel was grateful to learn his widely respected offensive mastermind had passed on a lucrative contract offer at USC.

“It’s an exciting time to be at UCLA,” Chow said. “I certainly understand the challenges, but I’m looking forward to what lies ahead at UCLA.”

## Unga to return to BYU

PROVO, Utah — BYU running back Harvey Unga says he’s staying for his final season.

Unga is already the Cougars’ career rushing leader with 3,455 yards in three seasons. He issued a statement Thursday saying he will not declare for the NFL draft.

Unga led the Mountain West Conference in rushing last fall with 1,087 yards. He is the first BYU player to rush for 1,000 yards in three consecutive seasons.

— The Associated Press

# Six-way tie for early lead at Sony

HONOLULU (AP) — The first full-field event of the PGA Tour season produced quite a log jam, with Robert Allenby and John Merrick the latest to join the six-way tie for the lead Thursday at the Sony Open.

Allenby was among the many surprises, having twisted his ankle so badly on Monday that he would have withdrawn had he not traveled so many miles to get to Oahu. For Davis Love III, it was his first time competing in two months.

And perhaps the most stunning name in the lead was Troy Merritt, who had never played a PGA Tour event in his life until he calmed his nerves, stuck a tee in the ground and shot a 5-under 65.

They were joined by defending champion Zach Johnson and Ryan Palmer, while 10 other players were one shot behind.

Davis Love III follows his drive off the No. 1 tee during the first round of the Sony Open golf tournament, Thursday in Honolulu.

AP photo

PARADISE VALLEY, Ariz. (AP) — Baseball owners unanimously ratified a five-year contract with umpires on Thursday, wrapping up a decade of labor peace in a sport once plagued by work stoppages.

The deal, expected to be ratified by umpires on Monday, would remove a ban on umpires appearing in consecutive World Series, according to a person with knowledge of the agreement. The person spoke on condition of anonymity because owners didn’t reveal those details.

Ending the World Series restriction would allow the best umpires to work those games in repeated seasons. Removal of that provision would come after several blown calls during the 2009 postseason.

Baseball has not had a serious labor problem since 1999, when a dispute led to mass resignation by umpires, with 22 of them losing their jobs. There has been no work stoppage in the sport since 1994.

“Having lived through the work stoppages of ’72, ’76, ’80, ’81, ’85, ’90, ’94, that you’d have 16 years of labor peace, peace with the umpires, it’s one of the things I’m very proud of,” commissioner Bud Selig said.

Later Thursday, Selig’s new committee for on-field matters held its first meeting, a session that stretched from its scheduled two hours to nearly four.

The 14-member committee, formed a month ago, is considering a wide range of issues, including whether to expand the use of instant replay and possibly extending the first-round playoff series to a best-of-seven format. It will make recommendations to the commissioner and the owners.

“We talked about everything,” Selig said. “I said there would be no sacred cows, there were no sacred cows. The only subject that we didn’t talk about is they didn’t evaluate the commissioner. Other than that we really discussed everything from A to Z.”



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# Another year of FORECLOSURES?



A home facing imminent foreclosure is shown in San Antonio.

AP file photo

## Government proposes new modification programs

By Adrian Sainz  
Associated Press writer

A record 2.8 million households were threatened with foreclosure last year, and that number is expected to rise this year as more unemployed and cash-strapped homeowners fall behind on their mortgages.

The number of households that received a foreclosure-related notice rose 21 percent from 2008, RealtyTrac Inc. reported Thursday. One in 45 homes were sent a filing, which includes default notices, scheduled foreclosure auctions and bank reposessions.

Nevada, Arizona and Florida led the nation, with California, Utah, Idaho, Georgia, Michigan, Illinois, and Colorado rounding out the top 10.

In December, more than 349,000 households, or one in 366 homes, were hit with a foreclosure-related notice. That represents a 14 percent spike from November and a 15 percent jump from December 2008.

Banks repossessed more than

Between 3 and 3.5 million homes are expected to enter some phase of foreclosure this year, said Rick Sharga, senior vice president of Irvine, Calif.-based RealtyTrac.

92,000 homes, up 19 percent from November. That increase was likely due to lenders working to clear their books at the end of the year, RealtyTrac said.

Stemming the tide of foreclosures is an important step for the real estate market and the economy to recover. Because foreclosures are usually sold at heavy discounts, they can lower the value of surrounding properties. Cities lose property tax dollars from empty foreclosures and declining home values, straining local economies. Home prices have stabilized in some cities, but are still down 30 percent nationally from mid-2006.

The foreclosure crisis isn't letting up. Between 3 and 3.5 million homes are expected to enter some phase of foreclosure this year, said Rick Sharga, senior vice president of Irvine, Calif.-based RealtyTrac, which began tracking the data five years ago.

High foreclosures forced the federal government and several states to come up with plans to prevent or delay foreclosures to help troubled borrowers.

"It was bad, but it could have been much worse, and it probably should have been worse," Sharga said.

One plan intended to help homeowners is the Obama administration's loan modification program known as Making Home Affordable. Lenders participating in the program have offered trial loan modifications to 760,000 eligible borrowers since it was launched in March. A loan modification changes the terms of the loan, such as lowering the interest rate, to make the monthly payments more affordable.

See **FORECLOSE**, Sports 7

## Dec. retail sales fall; long-term may look rosier, analysts say

By Christopher S. Rugaber and Martin Crutsinger  
Associated Press writers

WASHINGTON — Retail sales unexpectedly fell in December, leaving 2009 with the biggest yearly drop on record and highlighting the formidable hurdles facing the economy as it struggles to recover from the deepest recession in seven decades.

Still, many economists, puzzled by the retail sales decline that followed earlier reports from retailers of brighter holiday sales, cautioned that the December figures don't necessarily signal a big consumer pullback and could be a blip.

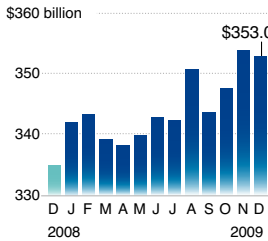
Taking November and December figures together provides a picture of modestly positive spending, they said, but the monthly drop undercuts how tentative the economic recovery remains, given all the headwinds facing consumers.

"Consumer spending is growing very weakly, but the key thing is that it's growing," said Scott Hoyt, senior director of consumer economics at Moody's Economy.com. "The consumer is very weak. Confidence is exceptionally low." He added he expects tepid sales growth into the summer.

The Commerce Department said Thursday that retail sales declined 0.3 percent in December compared with November, much weaker than the 0.5 percent rise that economists had been expecting. Excluding autos, sales dropped by 0.2 percent, also weaker than the 0.3 percent rise analyst had forecast.

### Retail sales rise

Total monthly sales for retail trade and food services, Seasonally adjusted



SOURCE: Department of Commerce AP

### Analysis

For the year, sales fell 6.2 percent, the biggest decline on government records that go back to 1992. The only other year that annual sales fell was in 2008, when they slipped by 0.5 percent.

The 0.3 percent decline in December was the first setback since September, when sales had fallen 2 percent. Sales posted strong gains of 1.2 percent in October and 1.8 percent in November, raising hopes that the consumer is starting to mount a comeback.

A separate report showed that business inventories rose by 0.4 percent in November. It marked the second straight month that stockpiles have increased after a stretch of 13 monthly declines in inventories. The hope is that future sales gains will convince businesses to keep restocking, a development that will boost production and provide support for the recovery.

The December drop in retail sales was a surprise given that the nation's big retailers had reported better-than-expected results last week, reflecting a surge of last-minute holiday shopping.

## Geithner will testify on bailout deals

By Daniel Wagner  
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — Treasury Secretary Timothy Geithner is set to testify before a House probe into his role in deals that sent billions of bailout dollars to Goldman Sachs Group Inc. and other big banks.

Staffers for the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform say Geithner is confirmed to appear at a hearing Jan. 27 on the bailout of American International Group Inc.

The committee wants to know why the Federal Reserve Bank of New York paid banks to cancel their contracts with AIG and didn't demand concessions. The deals might have cost taxpayers billions more than necessary.

An earlier watchdog report said Geithner approved the decisions as president of the New York Fed.

The staffers spoke anonymously because they are not authorized to discuss Geithner's plans.



Geithner

## Obama seeks tax on banks; calls bonuses 'obscene'

Money would cover losses from bailout

By Jim Kuhnhehn  
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — With an emphatic and populist tone, President Obama on Thursday described bank bonuses as "obscene" and called for a new tax on Wall Street's largest firms to cover a projected \$117 billion shortfall in the government's financial crisis bailout fund.

In remarks prepared for a White House appearance,



AP photo

From left, Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. Chairman and Chief Executive Officer Lloyd Blankfein; JPMorgan Chase & Company Chairman and Chief Executive Officer James Dimon; Morgan Stanley Chairman John Mack, and Bank of America Corporation chief executive officer and President Brian Moynihan, are sworn-in on Capitol Hill in Washington.

Obama said he was determined that every dollar spent from the \$700 billion

Troubled Asset Relief Program to rescue Wall Street firms, auto compa-

nies and mortgage holders is

See **BANKS**, Sports 7

## BUSINESS BRIEFS

### Last day to apply for BID board vacancy

Today is the last day that the Historic Downtown Business Improvement District board will accept applications for candidates interested in serving on the district's board.

The seven-member board

has one vacancy after Jeff Bulkley stepped down last year.

The board provides recommendations on parking, landscaping and maintenance as well as developing and executing marketing plans, events, promotions, and advertising for the district.

The appointment will end June 30, 2011, but the candidate will also have the option to serve two additional three-year terms. Members of the district who are in good standing are encouraged to submit a letter of interest and qualifications.

Letters of interest may be submitted to City Economic

Development Director Melinda Anderson before 5 p.m. today.

### T.F. chamber of commerce to host annual meeting

The Twin Falls Area Chamber of Commerce will

host its annual meeting Jan. 30 at the Canyon Crest Dining & Event Center located at 330 Canyon Crest Drive.

No-host cocktails begin at 6 p.m. with the annual membership meeting, election of directors, dinner and presentation of awards at 7 p.m. University of Idaho

President Duane Nellis and Idaho State University President Arthur Vilas will discuss "Higher Education: Idaho's Partner for Economic Development."

Tickets for the event are \$40 per person and can be purchased at the Chamber office.

— Staff reports

## STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Con Agra	23.63	▼	.18	Dell Inc.	14.70	▼	.37	Idacorp	32.82	▼	.06	Int. Bancorp	2.20	▼	.25
Lithia Mo.	8.88	▼	.38	McDonalds	62.65	▲	.06	Micron	10.73	▲	.27	Supervalu	14.33	▲	.47

## COMMODITIES

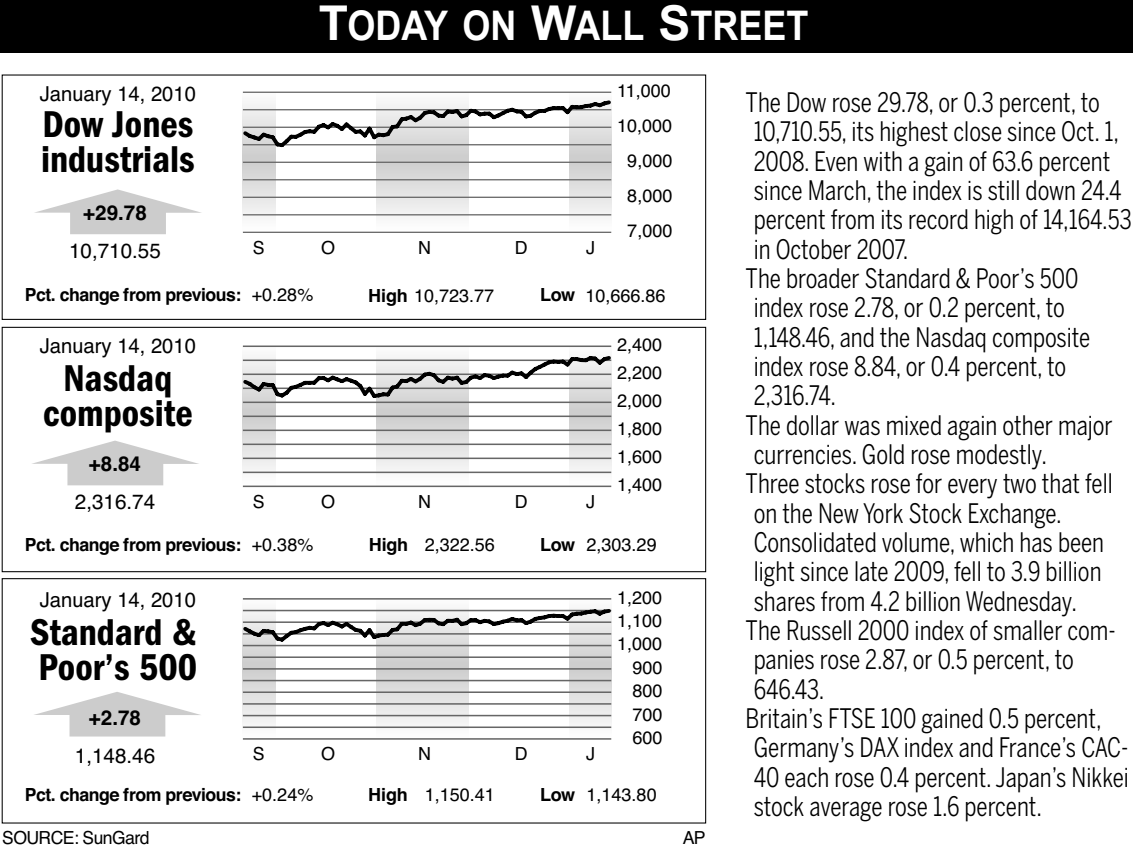
For more see Sports 7

Live cattle	86.65	▲	.95	Feb. Oil	79.20	▼	.45
Feb. Gold	1142.60	▲	5.80	Mar. Silver	18.67	▲	.12



## MARKET SUMMARY

NYSE				AMEX				NASDAQ			
MOST ACTIVE (\$1 OR MORE)				MOST ACTIVE (\$1 OR MORE)				MOST ACTIVE (\$1 OR MORE)			
Name	Vol(00)	Last	Chg	Name	Vol(00)	Last	Chg	Name	Vol(00)	Last	Chg
Citigrp	2484734	3.51	+0.1	NA Pall g	38011	4.60	+2.2	Intel	1292087	21.48	+5.2
SprintNex	1450325	3.69	-3.1	VantageDrl	33290	1.66	-0.2	PwShs	QQQ646407	46.39	+0.4
BkofAm	1386638	16.82	+2.0	GoldStR g	25042	3.44	-0.1	Microsoft	594676	30.96	+6.1
SPDR	1026161	114.93	+3.1	KodiakO g	21529	2.75	+1.8	Cisco	516777	24.95	+3.1
FordM	854040	11.76	+0.8	NovaGld g	21244	6.49	-0.5	Oracle	437084	25.34	+5.9
GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE)				GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE)				GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE)			
Name	Last	Chg	%Chg	Name	Last	Chg	%Chg	Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
LaBrnch	3.95	+1.17	+42.1	NIVS IntT n	3.46	+3.2	+10.2	Cardica	2.06	+6.9	+50.4
Gramrcy	4.00	+6.1	+18.0	DocuSec	3.00	+2.7	+9.9	CaliperLSc	3.37	+6.5	+23.9
CapitolBcp	3.08	+4.2	+15.8	ChMdA wt	5.13	+4.1	+8.7	CmtyCntrl	2.30	+4.2	+22.3
Spartch	11.97	+1.42	+13.5	Wstmlnd pf	22.26	+1.55	+7.5	Parkvrsn	2.00	+3.6	+22.0
NetSuite	17.82	+1.98	+12.5	KodiakO g	2.75	+1.8	+7.0	RealNwk	4.62	+7.6	+19.7
LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE)				LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE)				LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE)			
Name	Last	Chg	%Chg	Name	Last	Chg	%Chg	Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Medifast	22.99	-4.01	-14.9	Engex	2.91	-2.9	-9.1	RosettaG	2.10	-9.9	-32.0
TrinaSolar	52.22	-6.96	-11.8	ImpactM n	5.20	-5.2	-9.1	Flanders h	3.80	-5.5	-12.6
Sealy cvr16	94.00	-10.80	-10.3	HeraldNVB	3.11	-2.7	-7.9	InfoLogx rs	4.00	-4.5	-10.1
Sealy s	3.46	-3.7	-9.7	SL Ind	8.57	-6.8	-7.4	ColonialBk	7.20	-8.0	-10.0
CSGlobWm	7.58	-8.0	-9.5	AdcareH wt	2.25	-1.5	-6.3	Intergrp h	9.00	-1.00	-10.0
DIARY				DIARY				DIARY			
Advanced	1,735			Advanced	275			Advanced	1,565		
Declined	1,305			Declined	217			Declined	1,105		
Unchanged	136			Unchanged	67			Unchanged	19		
Total issues	3,176			Total issues	559			Total issues	135		
New Highs	297			New Highs	1			New Highs			
New Lows	2			New Lows	1			New Lows			
Volume	3,945,616,405			Volume	145,916,600			Volume	2,213,818,050		



# Intel 4Q profit climbs as PC market turns around

The Associated Press

Intel Corp. said Thursday its fourth-quarter profit ballooned as a strong rebound in the personal computer market overcame a hefty payment Intel made to its biggest rival.

Intel also said its revenue and profit margin in the current quarter could be better than what analysts are expecting, and its shares rose in extended trading.

Computer shipments grew more sharply than expected in the fourth quarter after the recession led to a brutal year for the industry. With Intel supplying the vast majority of PC microprocessors, the company generated net income of \$2.3 billion, or 40 cents

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puters were higher than a year ago.

Analysts expected a profit of 30 cents per share and \$10.2 billion in revenue, according to Thomson Reuters.

Intel's gross profit margin was 64.7 percent of revenue — its best ever, the company said. A higher gross margin number means Intel was able to turn more revenue into profit.

Gross margin is a key measure for a manufacturing-intensive company because it reflects how well the company is controlling costs.

Intel shares, which gained 2.5 percent to close regular trading Thursday at \$21.48, rose 1.8 percent in extended trading to \$21.87.

## Banks

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either repaid or paid for in some fashion. Congress would have to approve the tax.

“My determination to achieve this goal is only heightened when I see reports of massive profits and obscene bonuses at the very firms who owe their continued existence to the American people who have not been made whole, and who continue to face real hardship in this recession,” Obama said in his prepared remarks.

In proposing the tax, Obama and his advisers are capitalizing on public antipathy toward banks blamed for causing the crisis, while at the same time addressing a desire to show progress toward reducing record federal deficits.

The president is proposing a levy of 15 basis points, or 0.15 percent, on the liabilities of large financial institutions. The tax,

which officials are calling a “financial crisis responsibility fee,” would apply only to financial companies with assets of more than \$50 billion. Those firms — estimated to amount to about 50 institutions — would have to pay the fee even though many did not accept any taxpayer assistance and most others already paid back the government lent to them.

The administration expects that 60 percent of the revenue would come from the 10 largest firms. As proposed, the fee would go into effect June 30, 2010, and last at least 10 years.

Obama advisers believe the administration can make an argument that banks should tap their generous executive bonus pools for the fee instead of passing the cost on to consumers.

At issue is the net cost of TARP, the fund initiated by the Bush

administration to help financial institutions get rid of toxic assets. The fund has since evolved, helping not only the banking sector, but also autos and homeowners.

Insurance conglomerate American International Group, the largest beneficiary with nearly \$70 billion in bailouts, would have to pay the tax. But General Motors Co. and Chrysler Group LLC, whose \$66 billion in government loans are not expected to be fully repaid, would not be subject to a tax.

Bankers did not hide their objections.

“Politics have overtaken the economics,” said Scott Talbott, the chief lobbyist for the Financial Services Roundtable, a group representing large Wall Street institutions. “This is a punitive tax on companies that repaid TARP in full or never took TARP!”

## COMMODITIES REPORT

CLOSING FUTURES					
Mon	Commodity	High	Low	Close	Change
Feb	Live cattle	86.80	86.10	86.65	+.95
Apr	Live cattle	90.10	89.53	90.35	+.85
Jan	Feeder cattle	98.10	97.25	97.53	+.23
Mar	Feeder cattle	98.50	97.68	97.95	+.38
Apr	Feeder cattle	99.53	98.60	98.80	+.05
Feb	Lean hogs	69.40	68.50	69.05	+.07
Apr	Lean hogs	73.55	72.75	72.75	-.58
Feb	Pork belly	90.20	89.00	89.55	+.76
Mar	Pork belly	88.50	87.50	88.50	+.50
Mar	Wheat	531.50	526.00	527.75	-.925
May	Wheat	544.00	542.00	540.75	-.925
Mar	KC Wheat	532.00	525.00	527.00	-.950
May	KC Wheat	542.00	537.50	538.75	-.950
Mar	MP5 Wheat	544.00	534.75	536.75	-.725
May	MP5 Wheat	556.00	547.25	548.75	-.675
Mar	Corn	382.00	377.00	381.00	-.300
May	Corn	393.00	388.00	391.75	-.325
Jan	Soybeans	986.00	969.00	968.50	-15.00
Mar	Soybeans	993.00	975.50	984.00	-8.50
Jan	BFP Milk	14.39	14.30	14.31	-.09
Feb	BFP Milk	13.93	13.85	13.93	+.03
Mar	BFP Milk	14.40	14.26	14.29	-.01
Apr	BFP Milk	14.53	14.46	14.48	-.02
May	BFP Milk	14.90	14.85	14.88	-.02
Mar	Sugar	28.34	27.70	27.76	-.28
Apr	Sugar	xx.xx	xx.xx	26.52	-.25
Mar	B-Pound	1.6341	1.6244	1.6319	+.0044
Jun	B-Pound	1.6325	1.6235	1.6316	+.0050
Mar	J-Yen	1.1011	1.0867	1.0981	+.0042
Jun	J-Yen	1.1007	1.0894	1.1017	+.0072
Mar	Euro-currency	1.4555	1.4443	1.4498	-.0013
Jun	Euro-currency	1.4545	1.4444	1.4493	-.0013
Mar	Canada dollar	.9780	.9688	.9771	+.0068
Jun	Canada dollar	.9775	.9686	.9775	+.0073
Mar	U.S. Dollar	.7718	.7681	.7691	-.09
Feb	Comex gold	1146.7	1130.7	1142.6	+.5.8
Apr	Comex gold	1148.0	1132.0	1143.8	+.5.6
Mar	Comex Silver	18.74	18.46	18.67	+.12
May	Comex Silver	18.76	18.48	18.71	+.13
Mar	Treasury bond	117.3	115.3	116.3	+.29
Jun	Treasury bond	115.3	114.1	115.1	+.31
Mar	Coffee	145.70	143.55	144.35	+.80
May	Coffee	147.70	145.55	146.05	+.85
Mar	Cocoa	2202	2192	2202	+.4
Mar	Cocoa	2300	2291	2291	+.2
Mar	Cotton	73.80	72.22	72.91	-.52
May	Cotton	74.86	73.38	74.08	-.54
Feb	Crude oil	80.36	78.92	79.20	-.45
Feb	Unleaded gas	2.0815	2.0515	2.0701	+.0099
Feb	Heating oil	2.1091	2.0649	2.0769	-.0177
Feb	Natural gas	5.804	5.483	5.564	-.169

Quotations from Sinclair & Co.  
733-6013 or (800) 635-0821

### BEANS

**Valley Beans**  
Prices are net to growers, 100 pounds, U.S. No. 1 beans, less Idaho bean tax and storage charges. Prices subject to change without notice. Producers desiring more recent price information should contact dealers.  
Pintos, no quote, new crop    great northern, no quote  
pinks, no quote, new crop    small reds, no quote, new crop.  
Prices are given by Rangens in Buhl. Prices current Jan. 13.  
Other Idaho bean prices are collected weekly by Bean Market News, U.S. Department of Agriculture    Pintos, \$32  
great northern, not established    small whites, not established  
pinks, Ltd. \$32    small reds, Ltd. \$30-\$32. Quotes current Jan. 13.

### GRAINS

**Valley Grains**  
Prices for wheat per bushel: mixed grain, oats, corn and beans per hundred weight. Prices subject to change without notice.  
Soft white wheat, \$3.75    barley, \$5.50    oats,  
\$5.80    corn, \$7.45 (15 percent moisture). Prices are given by Rangens in Buhl. Prices current Jan. 13.  
Barley, \$7.25 (48-lb. minimum) spot delivery in Twin Falls and Gooding; corn, no quote (Twin Falls only). Prices quoted by JD Heiskell. Prices current Jan. 13.

POCATELLO (AP) — Idaho Farm Bureau Intermountain Grain and Livestock Report on Thursday.  
POCATELLO — White wheat 4.10 (steady) 11.5 percent winter 5.96 (down 7)    14 percent spring 5.40 (down 7)    barley 5.73 (steady)  
BURLEY — White wheat 4.15 (steady) 11.5 percent winter 4.17 (down 9) 14 percent spring 5.26 (down 8)    barley

5.75 (up 25)  
OGDEN — White wheat 4.42 (down 3) 11.5 percent winter 4.50 (up 5) 14 percent spring 5.56 (up 11)  
Barley 5.75 (steady)

PORTLAND — White wheat 4.72 (steady) 11 percent winter n/a    14 percent spring n/a  
NAMPAA — White wheat cwt 6.58 (steady); bushel 3.95 (steady)

### CHEESE

Cheddar cheese prices on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange  
Barrels: \$1.4500, +.0100; Blocks: \$1.4150, nc

### POTATOES

CHICAGO (AP) — USDA — Major potato markets FOB shipping points Wednesday.  
Russet Burbanks Idaho 50-lb cartons 70 count 5.50; 100 count 5.00-5.50.  
Baled 5-10 lb film bags (non size A) 3.00-3.50.  
Russet Norkotahs Washington 50-lb cartons 70 count 5.00; 100 count 5.00.  
Baled 5-10 lb film bags (non size A) 3.00-3.50.  
Russets Norkotahs Wisconsin 50-lb cartons 70 count 6.00; 100 count 5.50.  
Baled 5-10 lb film bags (non size A) 4.75-5.00.  
Russet Norkotahs Washington 50-lb cartons 70 count 6.00; 100 count 6.00-6.50.  
Baled 5-10 lb film bags (non size A) 3.50-4.00.  
Wisconsin Norkotahs 50-lb cartons 70 count; 100 count.  
Baled 5-10 lb film bags (non size A).  
Round Reds 50-lb sacks Size A Wisconsin 6.00-6.50.  
Round Reds 50-lb cartons Size A Minnesota N. Dakota 7.00-7.25.  
Round Whites 50-lb sacks size A Wisconsin.

### LIVESTOCK

TWIN FALLS — Twin Falls Livestock Commission Co. reports the following prices from the livestock sale held Wednesday, Jan. 13.  
Steers: under 400 lbs., \$122-\$133    400 to 500 lbs., \$109-\$130    500 to 600 lbs., \$102-\$118    600 to 700 lbs., \$95.75-\$109    700 to 800 lbs., \$91-\$96.25 over 800 lbs., \$85-\$92.25  
Heifers: under 400 lbs., \$107 to \$132    400 to 500 lbs., \$96-\$117    500 to 600 lbs., \$91-\$102.75    600 to 700 lbs., \$89.85-\$94.60    700 to 800 lbs., \$85-\$90.60 over 800 lbs., \$84.50-\$87.75  
Commercial/utility cows: \$43-\$53.95  
Canners/cutters: \$29-\$42  
Stock cows: \$550-\$1,150  
Butcher bulls: \$49.50-\$63.25  
Feeder bulls: \$46.50-\$58.95  
Cows are steady to \$2 higher  
feeders are \$4 to \$5  
Saturday sale Jan. 9  
Livestock: baby calves, \$1 to \$15 head    started calves, \$45-\$140 head  
goats, \$27.50-\$82.50 head  
Hogs: feeders, \$50-\$80 head  
Sheep: fats, \$80-\$84; killer ewes, \$20-\$36

JEROME — Producers Livestock Marketing Association in Jerome reports the following prices from the dairy sale held Wednesday, Jan. 13.  
Top springer: \$1,460 head  
Top 10 springers: \$1,400 head  
Top 50 springers: \$1,210 head  
Top 100 springers: \$1,200 head  
Short bred: \$1,000-\$1,110 head

### METALS/MONEY

Selected world gold prices, Thursday.  
London morning fixing: \$1137.50 up \$10.25  
London afternoon fixing: \$1138.25 up \$11.00.  
NY Handy & Harman: \$1138.25 up \$11.00.  
NY Handy & Harman fabricated: \$1229.31 up \$11.88.  
NY Englehard: \$1140.84 up \$11.02.  
NY Englehard fabricated: \$1226.40 up \$11.85.  
NY Merc. gold Jan. \$142.60 up \$6.20.  
NY HSBC Bank USA 4 p.m. Thu. \$1141.00 up \$4.00.

NEW YORK (AP) — Handy & Harman silver Thursday \$18.555 up \$0.80.  
H&H fabricated \$22.266 up \$0.96.  
The morning bullion price for silver in London \$18.580 up \$0.230.  
Engelhard \$18.720 up \$0.390.

## Auction CALENDAR

Through Jan. 25

**SATURDAY, JAN 16, 1:00PM**  
**Auction, Twin Falls**  
Furniture • Appliances • Tools  
Collectibles • Garden Items  
**Phone 734-2548 • Fax 735-8175**  
**HUNT BROS. AUCTIONS**  
**SATURDAY, JAN 16, 10:00AM**  
**Public Auto Auction,TF**  
Cars • Trailers • Boats • RVs  
Equipment • Pickups • Trucks  
**Phone 734-2548 • Fax 735-8175**  
**HUNTS AUTO AUCTION**  
**SATURDAY, JAN 16, 10:00AM**  
**Dr. Con & Ella Annest Living Estate, Burley**  
Very large auction, sale preview  
Sat Jan. 15, 10am until 4pm  
Sat. 16, 8am until sale time  
Burley National Guard Armory  
**BILL A. ESTES & ASSOC.**  
**AUCTIONEERS • 670-2078**  
**www.estesauctioneers.com**

**MONDAY, JAN 18, 6:00PM**  
**General Auction, Twin Falls**  
Furniture • Collectibles • Estate Items •  
Household • Appliances • Tools & Misc  
Consignments Welcome  
734-4567 • 731-4567  
**IDAHO AUCTION BARN**  
**www.idahoauuctionbarn.com**  
**MONDAY, JAN 25, 3:30PM**  
**REAL ESTATE AUCTION**  
923 Sq Ft 2 Bedroom Home  
419 4th Ave East — Jerome, ID  
734-4567 • 731-4567  
**ALL AMERICAN AUCTION**  
**www.idahoauuctionbarn.com**  
To find out more, click **Auctions**  
on **www.magicvalley.com**  
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BURLEY/RUPERT FORECAST

Today: Partly cloudy and cool. Highs upper 30s.

Tonight: Partly cloudy. Lows near 20.

Tomorrow: Partly to mostly sunny and dry. Highs upper 30s, lows mid 20s.

ALMANAC - BURLEY

Temperature

Yesterday's High 42°  
Yesterday's Low 32°  
Normal High / Low 38° / 22°  
Record High 57° in 1973  
Record Low -4° in 1985

Precipitation

Yesterday's 0.01"  
Month to Date 0.34"  
Avg. Month to Date 0.56"  
Water Year to Date 1.93"  
Avg. Water Year to Date 3.24"

IDAHO'S FORECAST

SUN VALLEY, SURROUNDING MTS.

Partly to mostly sunny and pleasant today. Mostly cloudy with some late snow showers Saturday. Scattered snow showers on Sunday.

Today Highs 30's to 40's Tonight's Lows 20's to 30's

BOISE

Cool temperatures and dry conditions for today through Sunday. While skies will be mostly sunny today, do look for increasing clouds this weekend.

Today Highs/Lows 40's / 20's to 30's

NORTHERN UTAH

Mostly sunny skies and very cool today. Clouds will increase on Saturday. Sunday looks to be cloudy but still dry.

Yesterday's State Extremes - High: 58 at Powell Low: 10 at Stanley

weather key: su-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, mc-mostly cloudy, c-cloudy, th-thunderstorms, sh-showers,r-rain, sn-snow, fl-flurries, w-wind, m-missing

TWIN FALLS FIVE-DAY FORECAST

Today

Tonight

Saturday

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Mostly sunny and cool

Partly cloudy

A cool, dry Saturday

Mostly cloudy

Partly cloudy, rain and snow showers

Scattered rain and snow showers

High 39°

Low 26°

41° / 29°

42° / 33°

36° / 27°

35° / 27°

ALMANAC - TWIN FALLS

Temperature

Yesterday's High 43°  
Yesterday's Low 33°  
Normal High / Low 37° / 23°  
Record High 54° in 2003  
Record Low -2° in 1985

Precipitation

Yesterday's 0.01"  
Month to Date 0.59"  
Avg. Month to Date 0.62"  
Water Year to Date 3.05"  
Avg. Water Year to Date 3.68"

Humidity

Yesterday's High 76%  
Yesterday's Low 50%  
Today's Forecast Avg. 79%

Barometric Pressure

5 pm Yesterday 30.38 in.

Sunrise and Sunset

Today Sunrise: 8:05 AM Sunset: 5:30 PM  
Saturday Sunrise: 8:05 AM Sunset: 5:31 PM  
Sunday Sunrise: 8:04 AM Sunset: 5:32 PM  
Monday Sunrise: 8:03 AM Sunset: 5:34 PM  
Tuesday Sunrise: 8:03 AM Sunset: 5:35 PM

Today's U. V. Index

Low Moderate High

2 1 3 5 7 10

The higher the index the more sun protection needed

Forecasts and maps prepared by: DayWeather, Inc. Cheyenne, Wyoming www.dayweather.com

REGIONAL FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow	Sunday
Boise	44 31 pc	45 32 pc	46 32 r
Bonnets Ferry	42 35 r	39 31 r	39 31 mx
Burley	37 20 pc	38 25 pc	39 25 pc
Challis	32 16 pc	34 16 pc	32 16 pc
Coeur d' Alene	42 35 r	39 33 r	40 33 mx
Elko, NV	38 18 pc	37 17 mc	34 17 sn
Eugene, OR	52 40 r	50 39 r	51 39 r
Gooding	36 26 pc	38 28 pc	38 28 pc
Grace	34 13 pc	35 16 pc	34 16 pc
Hagerman	40 27 pc	42 28 pc	41 28 pc
Hailey	36 17 pc	35 18 pc	33 18 pc
Idaho Falls	31 13 pc	32 16 pc	33 16 pc
Kalispell, MT	37 28 mc	37 27 r	34 27 pc
Jerome	36 26 pc	39 28 pc	38 28 pc
Lewiston	54 43 r	46 40 r	48 40 r
Malad City	29 9 pc	31 17 pc	31 17 pc
Malla	36 17 pc	36 21 pc	37 21 pc
McCall	33 19 mc	35 25 sn	35 25 sn
Missoula, MT	34 25 pc	38 24 r	36 24 pc
Pocatello	35 16 pc	37 22 pc	37 22 pc
Portland, OR	51 41 r	48 42 r	49 42 r
Rupert	36 19 pc	37 23 pc	38 23 pc
Rexburg	28 12 pc	32 17 pc	31 17 pc
Richland, WA	41 32 pc	43 34 r	43 34 r
Rogerson	38 27 pc	38 24 mc	34 24 sn
Salmon	31 13 pc	35 17 pc	31 17 pc
Salt Lake City, UT	39 22 pc	37 26 pc	41 26 mc
Spokane, WA	48 38 r	42 35 r	43 35 r
Stanley	34 16 pc	32 13 sn	31 13 ls
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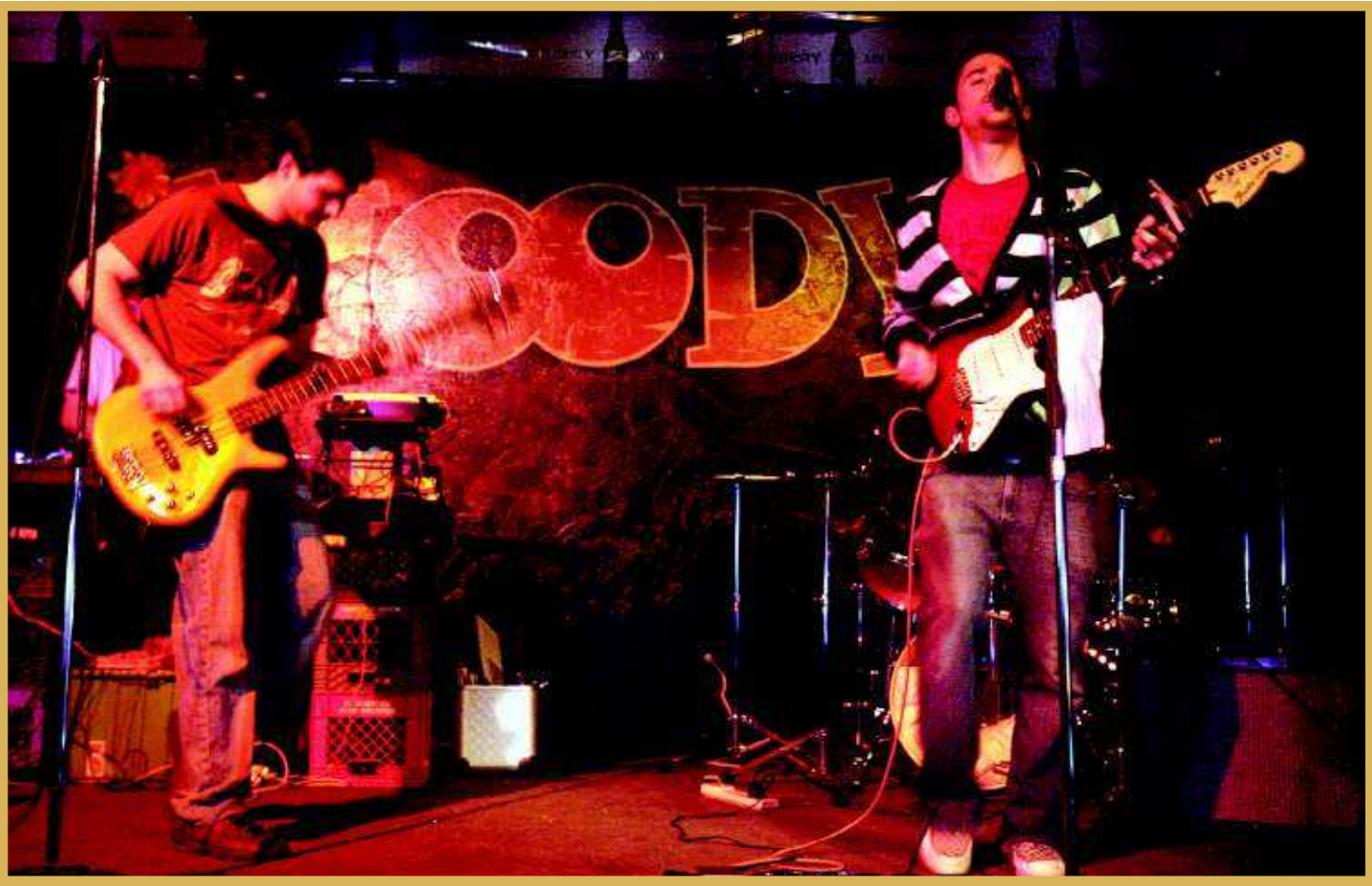
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Micah Rovera, left, and Josh Marr of Twin Falls' own sOphia perform Jan. 8 during a show at Woody's.

# sOphia brings new sound to Twin Falls

By Melissa Davlin  
Times-News writer



Josh Marr, lead singer of sOphia, belts out a tune during a Friday-night gig at Woody's in Twin Falls.

Two years ago, Josh Marr started inviting his friends to his Twin Falls basement for Wednesday-night jam sessions. The sessions began attracting other talented musicians and evolved into a band called sOphia. Now, in a music scene filled with punk, screamo and hardcore, the turntable and electrifying live shows set sOphia apart from its Magic Valley peers.

The band is made up of lead singer and guitarist Marr, bass player and vocalist Micah Rovera, drummer Michael Huntsman and turntablist Mick Alaniz. The group played its first show June 3 and has been doing about two shows a month ever since, plus jam sessions every Wednesday in Marr's basement.

Alaniz said sOphia is the only band in Magic Valley with a DJ. He has worked with other bands, but most didn't give him space in the songs to play, he said. The members of sOphia, on the other hand, feature his music prominently on their new self-titled EP.

"It's always fun to see what Mick brings to the table," Marr said.

During live shows, the band plays a mix of original songs and covers. Some are inspired by real-life events; according to friend and fan Rena Carter, "Logan" is about their friend Logan Brizzee who was shot to death in 2007 after drawing a gun on Twin Falls police officers. Other songs are meant to

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## Hear the songs

Visit [myspace.com/deadforsophia](http://myspace.com/deadforsophia), or buy the sOphia self-titled EP for \$6.99 at Hastings in Twin Falls. Los Filthy Hooligans and sOphia will play Feb. 27 at The Ballroom in Twin Falls. Watch the Events Calendar for more information.



Right: Mick Alaniz, sOphia's DJ, introduces the band Jan. 8 in Twin Falls.  
Above: Micah Rovera of sOphia plays guitar.



# BYU's world-traveling dance troupe heads for Twin Falls

Times-News

Expect waltzes, rumbas and sock hops when the Brigham Young University Ballroom Dance Co. brings its award-winning dance showcase to Twin Falls this month.

The company will perform at 7:30 p.m. Jan. 29 at the College of Southern Idaho's Fine Arts Auditorium. Tickets are \$12 if purchased by Jan. 23, and \$15 after that date. Twin Falls ticket outlets are Crowley's-The Quad in Magic Valley Mall, Bell's Family Books, the College of Southern Idaho box office and Everybody's Business; in Burley, Book Plaza; and in Rupert, The

Book Store.

In its 27 years of formation dancing, the BYU Ballroom Dance Co. has gained a reputation for excellence throughout the world, promoters say.

Audiences see a variety of dances, including gliding waltzes reminiscent of a royal ball, playful swing dances like a 1950s sock hop and dramatic, high-energy dances of the Latin style. The showcase moves smoothly between elegant formation routines and fast-paced rhythmic pieces.

The company completed a tour in May, crossing the U.S. from Utah to Massachusetts and south to Washington, D.C. The tour

featured stops in 19 cities of 11 states and included charitable fundraisers and benefits for BYU alumni groups.

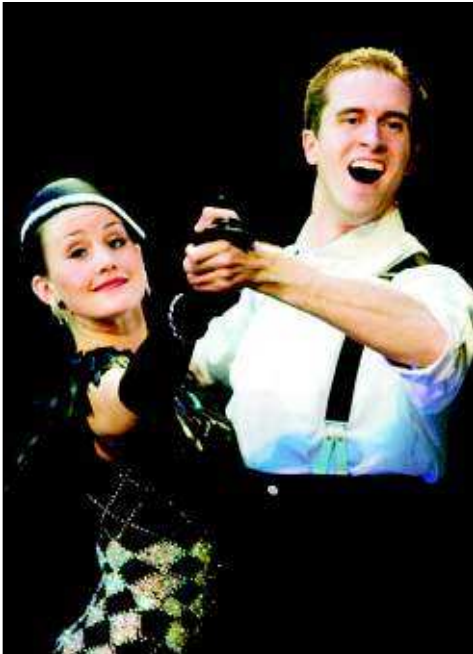
In June 2008, the company took its "Capture the Magic" showcase to Hong Kong and China. A highlight of the tour was participating in the opening of the 2008 Cultural Olympic Festival, six weeks prior to the 2008 Summer Olympics in Beijing. Other past tour destinations have included Ukraine, the South Pacific and Australia.

This season, the company's 10-day tour in October took it to southern Utah and California. The group's extended tour in the United Kingdom, set for May, will

include the British Ballroom Dance Championships in Blackpool, England, to compete for two formation crowns.

BYU touts a list of awards won by its ballroom dancers. In September they competed in the Embassy Ball, an annual ballroom dance competition in Irvine, Calif., and again won the U.S. National Formation Championships — a title the team has held since 1982.

Lee and Linda Wakefield, artistic directors of the Ballroom Dance Co., both hold memberships in the Imperial Society of Teachers of Dance and have degrees in standard and Latin dancing. Information: [pam.byu.edu](http://pam.byu.edu).



Bryce Haymond and Kim Acerson pose while performing a quickstep to 'Puttin' on the Ritz.' As members of the BYU Ballroom Dance Co., they spend hours each week perfecting their routines.

Photo courtesy of BYU



# Creole sounds at Nevada's big cowboy poetry event

By Ali Helgoth  
Elko Daily Free Press writer

ELKO, Nev. — Geno Delafosse and French Rockin' Boogie do not play your grandfather's cowboy music.

It's a safe bet few people ever cut a rug to "Get Along, Little Dogies," but if audiences find their toes tapping during one of this band's zydeco performances — well, Delafosse said, "that's not unusual."

And they might be overcome by the urge to get up and dance when Delafosse performs at the National Cowboy Poetry Gathering in Elko, Nev., this month. "In Louisiana they dance, and that's like their applause. But that's fine (if people stay seated), we'll take either one."

The band gets plenty of both. In 2007 its fifth album, "Le Cowboy Creole," was nominated for a Grammy in the Best Zydeco or Cajun Music Album category.

The music is lively and upbeat. It can be tempting to sing along even when the lis-



Courtesy photo

Geno Delafosse, a Creole cowboy who ranches near Eunice, La., plays zydeco music with his band, French Rockin' Boogie. He will perform at the National Cowboy Poetry Gathering in Elko, Nev., this month.

tener doesn't understand a word of the French that Delafosse sings in some songs.

While some will have their first experience with zydeco music during one of the band's three scheduled performances, Delafosse will have his first major experience with cowboy poetry.

He's heard it before, but not at the scale afforded by the Gathering.

Delafosse grew up in Eunice, La., described by the city's Web site as "located right smack dab in the middle of Cajun country."

Delafosse learned to play music from his father, musician John Delafosse. While

other children his age listened to rap or hip-hop, he listened to zydeco. By the time he was 7, he started playing in his dad's band.

"My music is very uplifting," Delafosse said. "It's a good-time music, it's for young and old and it has a lot of Cajun influence in it ... some blues influence in it also."

While music occupied his waking hours, being a cowboy occupied his dreams.

At 13 Delafosse bought his first horse, a Shetland pony he purchased for \$50 from a neighbor. Delafosse's brothers always had horses, he said, but he wanted his own. By the time he was 16 he had two or three, purchased at a local stockyard.

Two days before his 29th birthday he bought property for a ranch and later about 10 head of cattle. Working at the Double D Ranch (for Delafosse and Delafosse, in honor of his father) started out as a hobby of sorts, but he later purchased more land and more cattle. He now breeds cattle and raises American Quarter Horses.

## Crowded out of Elko in the past? This is your year for cowboy poetry

By Jared DuBach  
Elko Daily Free Press writer

ELKO, Nev. — Seats are still available at many of this year's National Cowboy Poetry Gathering shows, which Western Folklife Center spokeswoman Darcy Minter says may be a sign of the economy.

Ticket sales are down slightly from previous years, Minter said, because people who come from out of town are being more frugal.

"We're finding that couples coming in who would typically buy tickets for three shows are cutting out a show and sticking with two, besides their passes," Minter said.

She said this does not mean the Jan. 23-30 event is drawing fewer people this year, simply that attendees plan to spend less.

"We've still got a good selection of tickets left, and hotel rooms in Elko are opening up due to last-minute cancellations," Minter said. Cancellations often happen because people reserve rooms for next year's Gathering and later find they cannot get the time off work, for instance.

# Tunes, tales and a turn around the dance floor

Times-News

The 26th annual National Cowboy Poetry Gathering, a festival celebrating the arts of ranching and cowboy culture, will be held at the Western Folklife Center, 501 Railroad St.; Elko Convention Center, 700 Moren Way; and other sites around Elko, Nev.

The festival features performances on eight stages with poets and musicians from the U.S., Canada and Australia, plus exhibits of western art; photography; hands-on workshops in rawhide braiding, writing, guitar, Creole cooking and zydeco dancing; films about the West; panel discussions and ranch dances.

Some events are sold out. Remaining ticketed events include:

### JAN. 23

- Great Basin Show kick-off concert with Elko cowboy poet Waddie Mitchell, Great Basin poet Leon Flick and singer-songwriter Richard Elloyan, 7 p.m., G Three Bar Theater, \$20.

### JAN. 24

- "The Treasure of the Sierra Madre" movie and dinner, 5:30 p.m., G Three Bar Theater, movie \$10, dinner sold separately.

### JAN. 25

- "Swamp Tunes and Cattle Tales" with poetry of the Cracker cowboy and tunes from Creole cowboy Geno Delafosse and French Rockin' Boogie, 7 p.m., G Three Bar Theater, \$20.

### JAN. 26

- "Classic Cowboy," poetry and music by Diane Tribitt, Jerry Brooks and Dave Stamey, 7 p.m., G Three Bar Theater, \$20.

### JAN. 27

- "Punny Poets" with cowboy poets Andy Nelson, Rodney Nelson, Yvonne Hollenbeck and Pat Richardson, 3:30 p.m., Elko Convention Center auditorium, \$25.

- "A Cowboy Has To Sing," with Stephanie Davis and Sons of the San Joaquin, 6:30 p.m., Elko Convention Center auditorium, \$30-\$35.

- "Rockin' Cowboy" with musicians Ed Littlefield and Marley's Ghost, Mike Beck and Ramblin' Jack Elliott, 8:30 p.m., G Three Bar Theater, \$35.

Tickets and information: [Westernfolklife.org](http://Westernfolklife.org) or 888-880-5885.

### JAN. 28

- Sing-Along with Dave Bourne, Andy Hedges, Andy Wilkinson, Liz Masterson and R.W. Hampton, 1 p.m., G Three Bar Theater, \$25-\$35.

- Dinner theater "Singing in the Saddle: Celebrating the Singing Cowboys of the Silver Screen" with Riders in the Sky, 4:30 p.m. cocktails, 5 p.m. dinner, 6:30 p.m. show, Great Basin College Theater, \$60.

- "Crossing the Great Divide," with Jay Snider, Geno Delafosse and French Rockin' Boogie, and Wylie & The Wild West, 6:30 p.m., Elko Convention Center auditorium, \$30-\$35.

- Mystery Show, 8:30 p.m., G Three Bar Theater, \$35.

- "Words Growing Wild" poetry and music with Paul Zarzyski, Dave Stamey and Cowboy Celtic, 8:30 p.m., Elko Convention Center auditorium, \$30-\$35; and free jam session, 10 p.m., Pioneer Saloon.

### JAN. 29

- "Hold Yer Horses," Australian poets Carol Heuchan and Milton Taylor swap horse tales with reciter Jerry Brooks and songwriter Dave Stamey, 11 a.m., Elko Convention Center auditorium, \$25.

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Ray Doyle, Andy Hedges, Andy Wilkinson and Stephanie Davis, 1 p.m., G Three Bar Theater, \$25.

- Buckaroo Blue Grass with Michael Martin Murphey, 1:30 p.m., Elko Convention Center auditorium, \$25.

- Dinner Theater "Singing in the Saddle: Celebrating the Singing Cowboys of the Silver Screen" with Riders in the Sky, 4:30 p.m. cocktails, 5 p.m. dinner, 6:30 p.m. show, Great Basin College Theater, \$60.

- Conversation and Dinner with Red Steagall, 5:30 p.m., Elko Basque Club, \$125.

- "Hang-n-Rattle" with Paul Zarzyski and Wylie & The Wild West, 6:30 p.m., Elko Convention Center auditorium, \$30-\$35.

- "Boots and Pearls," poetry and songs by Andy Nelson, Adrian, and Corb Lund and the Hurtin' Albertans, 8:30 p.m., Elko Convention Center auditorium, \$30-\$35.

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- Friday Night Dance with Geno Delafosse and French Rockin' Boogie, 9:30 p.m., Elko Convention Center, \$25; and free jam session, 10 p.m., Pioneer Saloon.

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# RETHINK GREEK

## Buhl High School gives whirlwind mythology tour with clock ticking

**By Blair Koch**  
Times-News correspondent

BUHL — Get ready to toss everything you think you know about Zeus, Athena, Cyclops and the Trojan horse and be cast into a parallel world where Aphrodite comes to life as a Valley Girl. Even Elvis, Sylvester Stallone and Billy Ray Cyrus are represented in this weekend's Buhl High School drama department presentation of "The Iliad, The Odyssey and all of Greek Mythology in 99 Minutes or Less." It's a play where Greek myths meet modern melodrama.

"It's a totally energetic show," director Dave Blaskiewicz said.

An 11-member cast tackles some 50 characters, rehashing classic plots and epic tales, all in under an hour and 39 minutes. The pressure is on.

"The biggest thing is the clock, which we've been rehearsing with and will be on set at the show," Blaskiewicz said.

Audience and cast alike will keep watch on the large electronic box, flashing a bright red countdown.

According to script notes by authors Jay Hopkins and John Hunter, Zeus or

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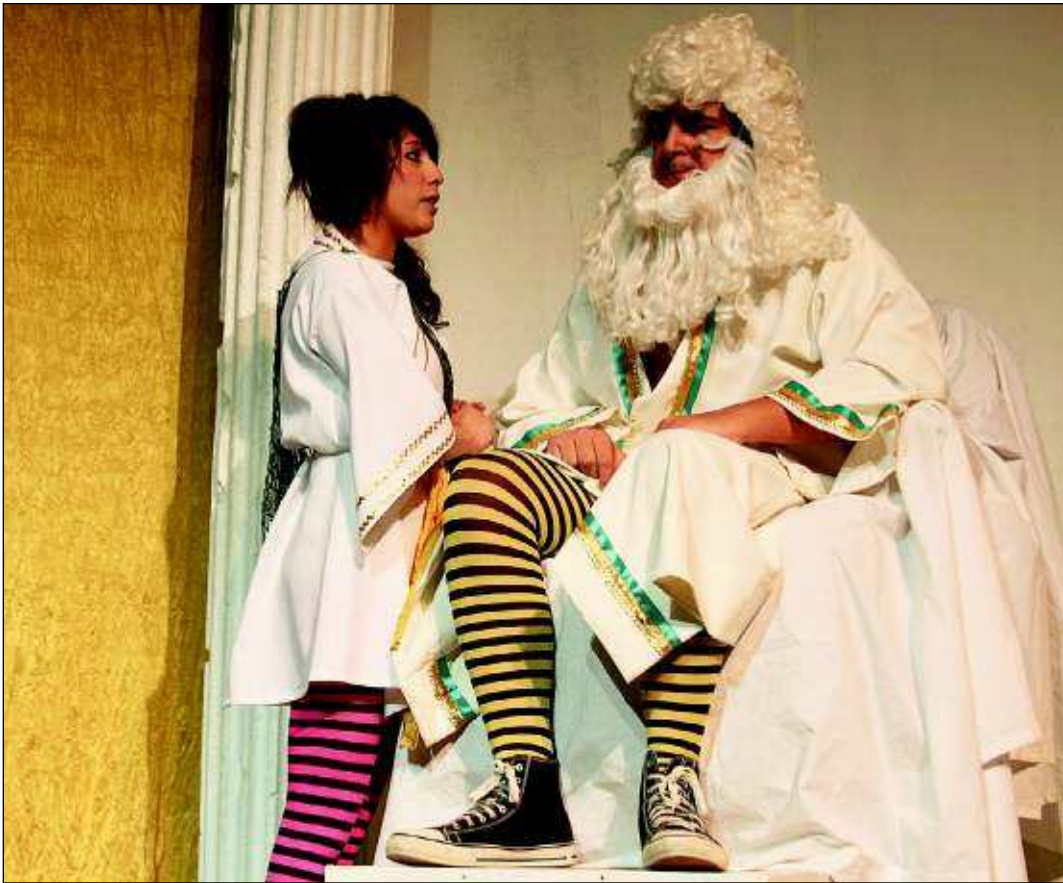
- **What:** Buhl High School drama department's 12th annual dinner theater, "The Iliad, The Odyssey and all of Greek Mythology in 99 Minutes or Less," by Jay Hopkins and John Hunter.
- **When:** Dinner at 6 p.m., curtain at 7 p.m. tonight and Saturday. The menu: baked trout or chicken, baked potato, salad, drinks and dessert.
- **Where:** West End Senior Citizen Center, 1010 Main St., Buhl.
- **Tickets:** Available at the door, but reservations recommended. Cost is \$30 a couple or \$25 for senior couples. For reservations and family rates: 490-1992 or 543-4577.

Hermes can step onto the stage if the clock runs out, declaring, "I'm a god. I command more time." But Blaskiewicz is pushing his students to make the cut.

During rehearsal, a large metronome, in its classical isosceles shape, tick-tocks a moderato tempo from the stage, urging an atmosphere of quick wit and snappy comedy.

"The audience will enjoy this play. It's presented in a good way, cuts the myths down to their basic truths. Adding snippets and cliché from modern life enhances the plot and creates a tremendously entertaining story," said Caleb Gerdes, 17, a Buhl High junior.

Gerdes juggles just four characters: the Trojan champion Hector, the god Prometheus, a dumb luck sailor and the goddess Hera. They couldn't be more different, but he's enjoying



Buhl High School drama student Liz Peralta, left, rehearses along-side Raymond McLaughlin for the department's production of 'The Iliad, The Odyssey and all of Greek Mythology in 99 Minutes or Less,' opening tonight. Each cast member plays a variety of roles; in this scene Artemis, played by Peralta, convinces her father, McLaughlin's Zeus, to grant her wishes.

Photos by BLAIR KOCH/For the Times-News

characters from across the Greek spectrum.

"It's been a great challenge to accomplish so much, but at the same time the show has provided an opportunity to diversify our abilities in developing characters," Gerdes said. "It's been crazy."

Cast members are all thrown into male and female roles. In addition to a simple toga, female cast will wear pink-and-black striped tights with the men donning yellow-and-black striped tights.

To keep the play moving, props accommodate easy character switches, instead of head-to-toe costume changes. Zeus, for instance, will appear on set claspng a lighting bolt, but the actor's main attire won't change much.

Sometimes, just a mask or wig does the trick. When Keegan Felton takes to the stage as Minotaur, a mythical killing bull, he simply slips on a pair of solid rubber horns.

"I think the audience will surely think, 'What the heck

is that and what is he doing?'" Felton said. "It's been fun to growl and moo."

The dinner theater will be at the West End Senior Citizen Center, so the set is simple and refreshing. A few risers, benches and bold Greek columns provide royal settings, but the set easily gives way to scenes under heavenly blue sky and cherubic cloud cover. Former Buhl High drama student Daniel Euresi painted the set.

"It's great. We had to have something we could move into the senior center, and this set accommodates that and provides the necessary cover for backstage activity," Blaskiewicz said.

If audiences could see it, they'd marvel as much at the hurried yet fluid movement behind the scenes as they will at the comedy playing before them.

Blair Koch may be reached at 208-316-2607 or [blairkoch@gmail.com](mailto:blairkoch@gmail.com).



Zeb Peterson rehearses one of his many roles in the Buhl High School dinner theater.

### THE CAST

Tyler Leonard  
Keegan Felton  
Michawn Adkins  
Korby Hutchinson  
Zeb Peterson  
Caleb Gerdes  
Raymond McLaughlin  
Jordyn Ruhter  
Liz Peralta  
Emily Plew  
Lexi Bybee  
Assistant director: Paola Padilla  
Props: Cassie Christopherson, Reva O'Brien, Jasmine Gifford, Alison Brittsan  
Directing consultant: Bert Ruffing

## Tunes

Continued from Entertainment 2  
JAN. 30

- Ranch Family Show with Elizabeth Ebert, Randy Rieman and Sons of the San Joaquin, 3:30 p.m., Elko Convention Center auditorium, \$30 (free for ranch families, ticket required).

- Dinner Theater "Singing in the Saddle: Celebrating the Singing Cowboys of the Silver Screen" with Riders in the Sky, 4:30 p.m. cocktails, 5 p.m. dinner, 6:30 p.m. show, Great Basin College Theater, \$60.

- "The Long Ride" with cowboy Dick Gibford, Ramblin' Jack Elliott, Corb Lund and the Hurtin' Albertans, 6:30 p.m., Elko Convention Center auditorium, \$30-\$35.

- "Big Sky Voices" with Montana poets and musicians Wally McRae, DW Groethe and Stephanie Davis, 8:30 p.m., G Three Bar Theater, \$35.

- Saturday Night Dance with Wylie & The Wild West, 9:30 p.m., Elko Convention Center, \$25; free jam session, 10 p.m., Pioneer Saloon.

- Midnight Show with Corb Lund and the Hurtin' Albertans, midnight, G Three Bar Theater, free with deluxe pass or Saturday day pass.

In addition to ticketed shows, many performances simply require the purchase of a day pass. A four-day deluxe pass for non-ticketed sessions is \$60; a single-day pass for Jan. 27 is \$15; and single-day passes for Jan. 28-30 are \$20. Children under 12 are admitted free to non-ticketed daytime events.

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# Among the deserted stacks

Twin Falls library invites teens to after-hours party

Times-News

Ever wondered what it would be like to have the Twin Falls Public Library all to yourself? Teens, this is your chance.

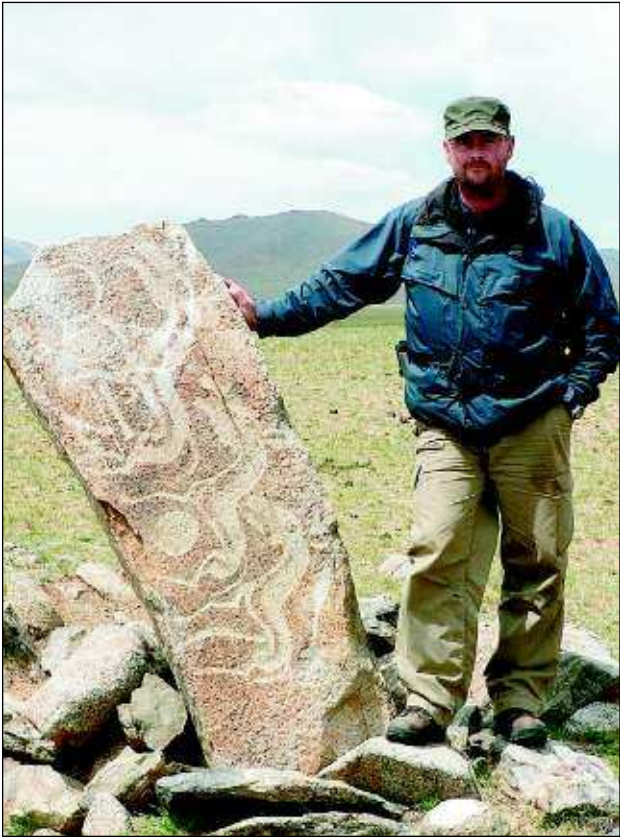
The library's first Teen After Hours Party will be from 6 p.m. to midnight Feb. 19. After the library closes at 6 p.m., teens and preteens in grades 6-12 can participate in a lock-in program full of games, movies, crafts and other activities. And yes, snacks and beverages will be on hand.

The idea for a teen lock-in came from the library's Teen Advisory Board, a group of sixth- to 12th-graders who help plan activities and programs. To attend the party, teens must turn in a signed permission slip, and library staff and other adult chaperones will supervise the fun.

The night starts off with a scavenger hunt that will have teens racing all over the library to win door prizes. After that, expect a Guitar Hero Tournament, a Monster Movie Marathon, a Twilight Trivia Contest and more.

To sign up, stop by the library's Youth Services Department or call 733-2964, ext. 110.

Find the full events calendar at [magicvalley.com](http://magicvalley.com)



Courtesy photo

Herrett Forum presenter Bryan Hanks in Mongolia.

# Archaeologist on Bronze, Iron ages to speak at forum

Times-News

For the past five years, Bryan Hanks has collaborated with Russian archaeologists to study the remains of people who lived in Russia's Southern Ural Mountains. He will share those experiences at next week's Herrett Forum.

The lecture is set for 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Rick Allen Community Room of the Herrett Center for Arts and Science in Twin Falls. New scientific techniques

have shed new light on the people who lived in Russia's steppes some 2,000 years ago and on how their societies functioned, a forum announcement said. The title of Hanks' talk is "Chariot Warfare: Early Metallurgy and Social Complexity in Prehistoric North Central Eurasia." His University of Pittsburgh team worked with scientists from the Russian Academy of Sciences to discover what he calls the region's "vibrant and unique social and eco-

conomic development." Chariot warfare wasn't the only change to ancient society at that time. Trade and social interaction clearly existed, says Hanks, among three distinct groups: metal-producing people in the Ural Mountains, migrating nomads and the more sedentary forest-dwellers. Herrett Forum presentations are held the third Wednesday of each month during the school year. No tickets are required for the free public lecture.

# Young performers snag scholarships on stage

Times-News

The 2010 Danny Marona Performing Arts Scholarship competitions are well under way, with two regional contests down and one more to go.

Wednesday night at the Jerome regional, three singers performed well enough to walk away with scholarships and slots in the April finals: First-place winner Amber Wagner, who was also the champion of the 2009 finals, got \$1,500; Joseph Bosteder, second place, took \$1,000; and Jene Johnson, third place, got \$500.

A week earlier at the Mini-Cassia regional, three performers won a total of \$3,000: Kaylani Setoki took first place with her piano composition, vocalist Lili Early came in second, and Alex Harper took third on electric guitar.

The Twin Falls regional

scholarship competition will be at 7 p.m. Wednesday at Roper Auditorium, where these students will compete: Bryce Allan, Rees Atkins, Merissa Berry, Andrew Bortz, Kiah Carpenter, Tess Gregg, Winterr Guest, Tim Hafer, Samantha Howard, Tyler Millican, Nathaniel Payton and Rachel Schenk.

The public may attend and cheer for favorite performers, as judging criteria include audience appeal. Admission is free, but donations to the scholarship fund are welcome.

The finals will be held April 17 at the College of Southern Idaho's Fine Arts Auditorium, where regional winners will compete for another \$7,500 in scholarships.

High school juniors and seniors, and students up to age 21, are eligible to compete each year. Information: Diane Stevens, 316-1292.



The 2009 Danny Marona Performing Arts Scholarship Finals champion, Amber Wagner, performs Sam Cooke's 'A Change is Gonna Come' in April in Twin Falls. This year's finals will be April 17, with students competing for thousands of dollars in scholarships.

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# EVENTS CALENDAR

## 15 FRIDAY

### Poetry/Twin Falls

**Poetry Out Loud contest with Canyon Ridge High School finalists**, hosted by Magic Valley Arts Council, 7 p.m. at Full Moon Gallery, 132 Main Ave. S. in Main Street Plaza. Students memorize and perform poems selected from an anthology at poetryoutloud.org. The students' presentations are judged. Finalists and their selections are **Deena Hardy** with "The Tyger" by William Blake, "Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening" by Robert Frost and "Let it be Forgotten" by Sara Teasdale; **Kaitlyn Henning** with "Hope is the Thing With Feathers" by Emily Dickinson, "Deliberate" by Amy Uyematsu and "Caged Bird" by Maya Angelou; **Maddy Mason** with "One Perfect Rose" by Dorothy Parker, "I Felt a Funeral in my Brain" by Dickinson and "Romance" by Claude McKay; and **Maddy Young** with "First Poem for You" by Kim Addonizio, "Epilogue" by Robert Browning and "Romance" by Claude McKay. Free admission. 734-2787.



### Astronomy/Twin Falls

**"Apocalypse 2012: Fact and Fiction" astronomy talk**, 7:15 p.m. in the Rick Allen Room at Herrett Center for Arts and Science. **Chris Anderson**, Faulkner Planetarium production specialist and Centennial Observatory coordinator, discusses rumors and fears that have arisen as a result of time appearing to stop after Dec. 21, 2012, on the Mayan calendar's "13th baktun." The talk includes whether the sun will align with a black hole at the center of the galaxy, if the sun's 11-year cycle will reach a cataclysmic peak, if there is a rogue planet on its way to collide with Earth, and whether Mayans meant to predict the end of the world. Admission is \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for students; free for 6 and younger. Telescope viewing follows, 8:15 p.m. to midnight at the Centennial Observatory (weather permitting); admission is \$1.50, or free with astronomy talk or planetarium show admission.

### Planetarium/Twin Falls

**Faulkner Planetarium** at Herrett Center for Arts and Science presents **"The Planets"** at 7 p.m.; and **"Pink Floyd: Dark Side of the Moon"** at 8:15 p.m. Education-show tickets are \$4.50 for adults, \$3.50 for seniors and \$2.50 for students. Tickets for the 8:15 p.m. entertainment show are \$4.50 for all ages.

### Theater/Twin Falls

**Twin Falls High School Drama Department** presents Moliere's **"Tartuffe,"** 7:30 p.m. at Roper Auditorium, 1615 Filer Ave. E. Orgon, a very happy man, has a lovely family, a beautiful new wife, an incredible fortune and a spiritual adviser who promises him eternal bliss. Unfortunately, Orgon is about to lose it all. He's fallen into the trap of an imposter, the hilarious hypocrite Tartuffe who is plotting to steal Orgon's fortune, marry his daughter, seduce his wife and take over his home. Admission is \$5 at the door. 733-6551.

### Theater/Twin Falls

**Random Acts of Theatre Players** presents Tennessee Williams' **"A Streetcar Named Desire,"** 7:30 p.m. at College of Southern Idaho's Fine Arts Theatre. Directed by Shane Brown. Features Camille Barigar as Blanche, Jud Harmon as Stanley and Tony Mannen as the doctor. When the emotionally



MEAGAN THOMPSON/Times-News

Hailey Whitehead, 14, left, Bailey Rigel, 13, center, and Monica David, 12, right, stand in the front row of a group of townsfolk as they scream 'Kill the beast!' during a dress rehearsal for Xavier High School's production of 'Beauty and the Beast.' The show opens Thursday in Jerome.

fragile Blanche DuBois arrives in New Orleans to stay with her sister Stella, she is confronted by Stella's brutish working class husband, Stanley Kowalski. Sparks fly and passions boil, interrupting the delicate balance in Stella and Stanley's marriage and sending Blanche's life out of control. Tickets are \$10, at CSI's Fine Arts box office or at tickets.csi.edu (plus \$1 service fee per ticket for online sales). 732-6288.

### Dance/Twin Falls

**Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary's public dance**, 8 p.m. at the DAV Hall, 459 Shoup Ave.; \$2 donations requested.

### Country, rock/Twin Falls

**Mixed Emotions**, 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. at Montana Steakhouse, 1826 Canyon Crest Drive. No cover.

### Jazz/Twin Falls

**Great Riff Jazz**, 7-10 p.m. at Pandora's restaurant, 516 Hansen St. S. Family-friendly event. No cover. 733-5433



### Theater/Buhl

**Buhl High School Drama Department** presents its 12th annual dinner theater production, **"The Iliad, The Odyssey and all of Greek Mythology in 99 Minutes or Less,"** at West End Senior Citizen Center, 1010 Main St. Dinner begins at 6 p.m., followed by curtain time at 7 p.m. (Pictured: Liz Peralta as Odysseus's mother.) Tickets are \$30 per couple; \$25 per couple for senior citizens. Proceeds benefit the senior center and Buhl High's drama program. Reservations: 490-1992 or 543-4577.

### Country, rock/Declo

**The Fugitives**, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at Shakers, 826 Idaho Highway 81. No cover.

### Comedy/Hailey

**Company of Fools** presents Chicago's comedy theater company, **The Second City**, with its 50th anniversary show, 7 p.m. at Liberty Theatre, 110 N. Main St. Features the next generation of comic greats with a diverse array of sketches, songs and improvisations. From the battle of the sexes to the battles at the voting booth, the touring company provides hilarious insight into contemporary American culture. Tickets are \$30 for main floor reserved seating and \$25 for balcony reserved seating, at 578-9122; companyoffools.org; at Company of Fools' box office, 110 N. Main St. (9 a.m. to 5 p.m. today); or at the theater's box office one hour before curtain time.



### Music, dancing/Hailey

**Ragamala**, a performance of the music and dance of India, 7:30 p.m. at Community Campus auditorium, as part of Sun Valley Center for the Arts' Winter Performance Series. Rooted in Bharatanatyam tradition, the classical dance form from southern India emphasizes supple hand gestures and stylized postures. The Minneapolis-based company blends dance, music and poetry. The dance company will be joined by the Wadaiko Ensemble Tokara, a Japanese Taiko drum troupe, who will perform and accompany the dancers. Tickets are \$25 and \$35 for adults, and \$10 for students 18 and under, at sunvalleycenter.org; 726-9491, ext. 10.

### Country/Jerome

**Country Classics**, 8 p.m. to midnight at Snake River Elks Lodge, 412 E. 200 S. \$5 per person or \$9 per couple. Dinner available 6-9 p.m.

### Folk, jazz/Ketchum

**The Mighty Shims** with blues, folk and jazz by **Fletcher Brock** (guitar, mandolin, banjo)

for Arts and Science. Hours: 9:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. Tuesday and Friday, 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday, and 1-9 p.m. Saturday. Free admission. 732-6655 or csi.edu/herrett.

### Art/Ketchum

**"Outside In: Indian Art Abroad,"** a multidisciplinary project exploring art made by Indian artists, writers and filmmakers who live outside India, on display *through FEB. 20* at Sun Valley Center for the Arts, 191 Fifth St. E. Free tours, led by curators or trained docents, at 2 p.m. *FEB. 9* and 5:30 p.m. *FEB. 18*. Hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Free admission. sunvalleycenter.org or 726-9491, ext. 10.



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Ragamala, performing in Hailey tonight, is rooted in Bharatanatyam tradition, a classical dance form from southern India that emphasizes supple hand gestures and stylized postures.

and **Jim Paisley** (bass, guitar), 6:30-9:30 p.m. at Papa Hemi's Hideaway, 310 S. Main St. No cover. 726-3773.

### Music, comedy/Rupert

**Open Microphone Night** with Cody Robbins, 9 p.m. at the Blue Room, 613 Fremont Ave. All performers from musicians to stand-up comedians are welcome. No entry fee; bring your own instruments and materials. PA system provided. No cover.

### Comedy/Sun Valley

**Sun Valley Resort Winter Comedy Series**, featuring **Eddie Ifft** and **Dax Jordan**, 6:30 p.m. in the Boiler Room at Sun Valley Village. Doors open at 5:30 p.m.; \$15 at the door (\$10 with a Sun Valley season ski pass or lift ticket). Live music follows at 9 p.m. with **Low-Fi**, indie-rock band from Boise; \$7 to \$10 cover. 622-2148.

### Jazz/Sun Valley

**Paul Tillotson Trio**, 4:30-8:30 p.m. and **Joe Fos Trio**, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at Duchin Lounge at Sun Valley Lodge. No cover. 622-2145.

### Art/Boise

**"Noise in the Basement"** exhibition on display *through FEB. 27* at Basement Gallery, 928 W. Main St. Features the work of Boise illustrative/narrative artists. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Gallery is open 5 to 9 p.m. *FEB. 4* for a First Thursday event. Basementgalleryboise.com.

### Art/Hailey

**"Reinventing Indian Traditions,"** an exhibition of artwork by photographer, painter and printmaker **Gay Bawa Odmark**, on display *through APRIL 2* at Sun Valley Center for the Arts' Hailey Center, 314 S. Second Ave. Hours: noon to 5 p.m. Wednesday through Friday. Free admission. 726-9491 or sunvalleycenter.org.

### Music/Sun Valley

Pianist **Brooks Hartell**, 5-8 p.m. in the Inn Lobby Lounge at Sun Valley Inn. No cover. 622-2145.

## 16 SATURDAY



### Dance workshop, performance/Twin Falls

Dance crew **We Are Heroes**, with Twin Falls native **Riquel Olander** and other members, will teach a **dance workshop** geared toward intermediate and advanced dancers, 9:30-11:30 a.m. at the College of Southern Idaho dance room; cost is \$25 in advance or \$30 at the door; to register, Connie Jones Schwamb at 404-3022. The dance crew will sign autographs at 1 p.m. and **perform** along with area dance studios at 3 p.m. in center court at Magic Valley Mall; free admission. They will also **perform** at the CSI men's basketball game, which starts at 5 p.m. in the CSI gym. The group won the season-four competition of the MTV reality show "Randy Jackson Presents America's Best Dance Crew" in September and was the first all-female crew to win the contest. Since then, they have made appearances and performed on "The Ellen DeGeneres Show" and "The Oprah Winfrey Show." The group has traveled to Houston, Las Vegas, San Francisco, New York and now Idaho to teach and perform. wearheroesonline.com.

### Storytime/Twin Falls

**Storytime Pottery**, 10 a.m. at Hands On, 147 Shoshone St. N.,

with a story, snack and painting adventure for children ages 2-6 and their parents. Story is "Hilda Must Be Dancing." Cost is \$12. Preregister: 736-4475.

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**WATCH** video of Twin Falls High School actors, costumers and set designers preparing for "Tartuffe."

### Theater/Twin Falls

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### Planetarium/Twin Falls

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### Country, rock/Twin Falls

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### Music, dancing/Twin Falls

**Belly dance performance** by Jasmina at 8:30 p.m., and **Ethan Tucker and The Grass Roots All-Stars**, 9 p.m. to midnight, at Von Scheidt Brewing Co., 157 Second Ave. E. No cover; 21 and older.

### Writers meeting/Twin Falls

Twin Falls chapter of **Idaho Writers League** will meet noon to 2 p.m. at Idaho Pizza, 1859 Kimberly Road, for business meeting, brief discussion on proposed IWL State Procedure Calendar continued on Entertainment 6

ONGOING EXHIBITIONS

### Interactive exhibit/Boise

**"Hot Stuff"** exhibition, an exploration into thermodynamics and thermal energy, opens today and continues on display *through JUNE 14* at The Discovery Center of Idaho, 131 Myrtle St. Visitors can interact with each exhibit by experiencing how some materials remain hot, as others cool quickly; seeing how a convex mirror can focus heat; or exploring how a variety of materials conduct heat while changing their properties. Hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. Admission is \$6.50 for adults, \$5.50 for seniors 60 and older, and \$4 for children 3-17. Free for

children 2 and under. 343.9895 or scidaho.org.

### Art/Twin Falls

**Full Moon Gallery's exhibit by gallery members and guest artists** Loraine Devey, fiber art, and sculptor Elly Young, on display *through JAN. 28* at Magic Valley Arts Council, 132 Main Ave S. in Main Street Plaza. Hours: noon to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday. Free admission. 734-2787 or magicvall-yartscouncil.org.

### Art/Twin Falls

**"High Plains Hamlet: An Idaho Frontier Tragedy,"** art show by **Mike Youngman** and **Karl Brake**, on display *through FEB. 6* in the Jean B. King Gallery at Herrett Center



# EVENTS CALENDAR

Calendar continued from Entertainment 5 changes and additions, and discussion on writing contests and rules. [www.twinfallswriters.org](http://www.twinfallswriters.org)

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**The Fugitives**, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at Shakers, 826 Idaho Highway 81. No cover.



## Classical/Ketchum

**Sun Valley Winter Artist Series** features **“Spanish and Latin Classical Guitar Music,”** with Swedish virtuoso Mattias Jacobsson, 8 p.m. at the Church of the Big Wood, 100 Saddle Road. Dessert reception with the artists follows the concert. Individual adult tickets are \$35 and student tickets are \$15, at [svwvas.org](http://svwvas.org) or 725-5807. Series subscription tickets are \$120 for adults and \$60 for students.

## Folk, bluegrass/Ketchum

**FourStroke Bus**, with a mix of blues, folk, bluegrass and soul by vocalist **Lisa Whitworth**, 6:30-9:30 p.m. at Papa Hemi’s Hideaway, 310 S. Main St. 726-3773.

## Comedy/Sun Valley

**Sun Valley Resort Winter Comedy Series**, featuring **Eddie Ifft** and **Dax Jordan**, 6:30 p.m. in the Boiler Room at Sun Valley Village. Doors open at 5:30 p.m.; \$15 at the door (\$10 with a Sun Valley season ski pass or lift ticket). Live music follows at 9 p.m. with **Low-Fi**, indie-rock band from Boise; \$7 to \$10 cover. 622-2148.

## Jazz/Sun Valley

**Paul Tillotson Trio**, 4:30-8:30 p.m. and **Joe Fos Trio**, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at Duchin Lounge at Sun Valley Lodge. No cover. 622-2145.

## Music/Sun Valley

Pianist **Brooks Hartell**, 5-8 p.m. in the Inn Lobby Lounge at Sun Valley Inn. No cover. 622-2145.

## Music/Sun Valley

Pianist **Larry Harshbarger**, 6-9 p.m. at Ram Restaurant at Sun Valley Resort. No cover. Restaurant reservations: 622-2800.

## 17 SUNDAY

## Auditions/Twin Falls

**Dilettante Group of Magic Valley auditions** for March musical show, “Beauty and the Beast,” 2-7 p.m. at First Baptist Church, 910 Shoshone St. E. Adults and a few children are needed for the cast. Rehearsals begin Jan. 25 at the church. Information: Heidi at 731-0242 or Troy at 736-7136.

## Music/Sun Valley

**Forever Plaid**, 7:30 p.m. in the Boiler Room at Sun Valley Village. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. \$15 cover (\$12 with valid Idaho identification). Free for children 12 and under. 622-2135.

## Music/Sun Valley

Pianist **Leana Leach**, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. during Sunday brunch in the Lodge Dining Room at Sun Valley Resort. No cover. 622-2800.

## Music/Sun Valley

**Leana Leach Trio**, 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. at Duchin Lounge at Sun Valley Lodge. No cover. 622-2145.

## Blues/Boise

**Robert Cray Band**, 8:30 p.m. at Knitting Factory Concert



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House, 416 S. Ninth St. Doors open at 7:30 p.m. Blues artist Cray, a five-time Grammy winner, released his debut album “Who’s Been Talkin’” in 1980, followed by “Strong Persuader” in 1986; his recent releases include “Live from Across the Pond” in 2006, “Live at the BBC” in 2008 and his new album “This Time.” Tickets are \$26 for general admission or \$50 for platinum skybox seats, at [ticketfly.com](http://ticketfly.com), [knittingfactory.com](http://knittingfactory.com) or 877-435-9849; or \$28 day of show.

## 18 MONDAY

## Dancing/Twin Falls

**Let’s Dance Club** with contra and line dancing, 6-8 p.m. Mondays at Twin Falls Senior Citizens Center, 530 Shoshone St. W. \$3 admission; free for children under 14 accompanied by an adult. 410-5650 or [galenslatter.com](http://galenslatter.com).

## Auditions/Twin Falls

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## Music/Buhl

**Live music** for Ladies Night, 6-9 p.m. at Mimi’s Saddlehorn Events Center, 289 Clear Lakes Road in Buhl. No cover.

## Music/Sun Valley

**Alejandro and Maria Laura** with Peruvian folk and American pop music, 7-8:45 p.m. and **Bruce Innes Trio** with jazz, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at Duchin Lounge at Sun Valley Lodge. No cover. 622-2145.

## 19 TUESDAY

## Dancing/Twin Falls

**Let’s Dance Club** with line and square dancing, 6-10 p.m. Tuesdays at Twin Falls Senior Citizens Center, 530 Shoshone St. W. \$3 admission; free for children under 14 accompanied by an adult. 410-5650 or [galenslatter.com](http://galenslatter.com).

## Astronomy/Twin Falls

**Family night telescope**

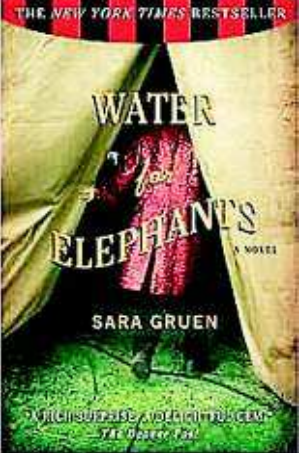
**viewing**, 6:30-9 p.m. in the Centennial Observatory at College of Southern Idaho’s Herrett Center for Arts and Science. Admission is \$1.50, or free with planetarium show admission. Free for children 6 and younger.

## Planetarium/Twin Falls

**Faulkner Planetarium** at Herrett Center for Arts and Science presents **“The Planets”** at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$4.50 for adults, \$3.50 for seniors and \$2.50 for students.

## Rock/Twin Falls

**Valli and Joe** from Milestone, 8 p.m. to midnight, Tuesdays at the Oasis Bar and Grill, 1007 Blue Lakes Blvd. N. No cover.



## Book discussion/Buhl

**Book Talk** features **“Water for Elephants”** by Sara Gruen, 7 p.m. at Buhl Public Library, 215 N. Broadway Ave. Curt Asay leads the discussion. The novel, told in flashback, centers on a young man who had to leave school because of financial difficulties and joins a traveling circus during the Great Depression. The book recreates sights, sounds, smells and unique vocabulary and characters that are part of the traveling show. Free admission. 543-6500.

## Jazz/Sun Valley

**Paul Tillotson Trio**, 4:30-8:30 p.m. and **Joe Fos Trio**, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at Duchin Lounge at Sun Valley Lodge. No cover. 622-2145.

## Music/Sun Valley

Pianist **Brooks Hartell**, 5-8 p.m. in the Inn Lobby Lounge at Sun Valley Inn. No cover. 622-2145.

## Comedy/Sun Valley

Comedian **Mike Murphy**, 6 p.m. in the Boiler Room at Sun Valley Village. Doors open at 5 p.m. Free admission. 622-2148.

## 20 WEDNESDAY

## Lecture/Twin Falls

**Herrett Forum**, 7:30 p.m. Rick Allen Community Room of the Herrett Center for Arts and Science. **Bryan Hanks** presents “Chariot Warfare: Early Metallurgy and Social Complexity in Prehistoric North Central Eurasia.” Hanks shares his experiences from collaborating with Russian archaeologists for the past five years, studying the remains of people who lived in Russia’s Southern Ural Mountains. Free.

## Scholarship competition/Twin Falls

**Danny Marona Performing Arts Scholarships’ Twin Falls Regional** competition, 7 p.m. at Roper Auditorium, 1615 Filer Ave. E. Students competing are Bryce Allan, Rees Atkins, Merissa Berry, Andrew Bortz, Kiah Carpenter, Tess Gregg, Winterr Guest, Tim Hafer, Samantha Howard, Tyler Millican and Rachel Schenk. High school juniors and seniors, up to age 21, are eligible to compete for scholarships each year. The public can cheer for their favorite performers, as part of the judging criteria is audience appeal. Free admission, with opportunity for donations. Finals competition is April 17 at the College of Southern Idaho Fine Arts Auditorium. Information: Diane Stevens at 316-1292.



## Music/Twin Falls

**Swift and Sassy** with easy listening and sing-along music, 7-10 p.m. at Anchor Bistro, 334 Blue Lakes Blvd. N. No cover.

## Music, dancing/Twin Falls

**Pole dancing and DJ**, with **Muscles by Miss.FIT**, 9 p.m. in the Blueroom, 223 Fifth Ave. S. No cover.

## Music/Ketchum

**Live music**, 6:30-9:30 p.m. at Papa Hemi’s Hideaway, 310 S. Main St. No cover. 726-3773.

## Jazz/Sun Valley

**Paul Tillotson Trio**, 4:30-8:30 p.m. and **Joe Fos Trio**,

9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at Duchin Lounge at Sun Valley Lodge. No cover. 622-2145.

## Music/Sun Valley

Pianist **Brooks Hartell**, 5-8 p.m. in the Inn Lobby Lounge at Sun Valley Inn. No cover. 622-2145.

## 21 THURSDAY

## Movie/Twin Falls

**Family Movie Night**, 6:30 p.m. at Twin Falls Public Library, 201 Fourth Ave. E. Free admission. 733-2964.

## Music/Twin Falls

**Open microphone night**, 6 p.m. Thursdays at Pandora’s restaurant, 516 Hansen St. S. No cover. 733-5433.

## Theater/Jerome

**Xavier Charter School** presents **“Beauty and the Beast,”** 7 p.m. at Jerome High School, 104 N. Tiger Drive. 933-9287.

## Jazz/Sun Valley

**Paul Tillotson Trio**, 4:30-8:30 p.m. and **Joe Fos Trio**, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at Duchin Lounge at Sun Valley Lodge. No cover. 622-2145.

## Music/Sun Valley

Pianist **Brooks Hartell**, 5-8 p.m. in the Inn Lobby Lounge at Sun Valley Inn. No cover. 622-2145.

## Music/Sun Valley

**The Fabulous Vuarnettes**, 6 p.m. in the Boiler Room at Sun Valley Village. Doors open at 5 p.m. \$15 cover (\$12 with valid Idaho identification). 622-2148.

## NEXT WEEK

## Fundraiser/Ketchum

**Crisis Hotline Benefit Concert**, 7:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. **JAN. 22** at the nexStage Theatre, 120 S. Main St. Live music by local bands The Mother Funkers, Cow Says Moo, No Cheap Horses, Toast and special guests. The Crisis Hotline provides 24-hour crisis intervention and referral service to serve southern and southeastern Idaho. Admission is \$15 for adults and \$7 for students under 18, at the Crisis Hotline office in the Sun Building in Hailey, from board members and volunteers, or at the door.

## Country, rock/Twin Falls

**Mixed Emotions**, 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. **JAN. 22-23** at Montana Steakhouse, 1826 Canyon Crest Drive. No cover.

## Comedy/Sun Valley

**Sun Valley Resort Winter Comedy Series**, featuring **Jason Resler** and **Leif Skyving**, 6:30 p.m. **JAN. 22-23** in the Boiler Room at Sun Valley Village. Doors open at 5:30 p.m.; \$15 at the door (\$10 with a Sun Valley season ski pass or lift ticket). 622-2148.

## Music/Sun Valley

**Jake Stigers** and **Raven** with special guest **Paul Tillotson**, 10 p.m. **JAN. 22-23** in the Boiler Room at Sun Valley Village. Doors open at 9 p.m. \$7-\$10 cover (first 10 people get in free). 622-2148.

## Country/Jackpot

**Shooter Jennings** presents **“Waylon Forever Live,”** 8 p.m. **JAN. 22-23** at the Gala Showroom at Cactus Petes Resort Casino, 1385 U.S. Highway 93 in Jackpot, Nev. Tickets are \$40, \$45 and \$50,

(include two free drinks), at 800-821-1103.

## Theater/Burley

**Mount Harrison Heritage Foundation** presents **“Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat,”** 7:30 p.m. **JAN. 22-23, 25 and 28-29** and 2 p.m. **JAN. 30** at King Fine Arts Center, 2100 Park Ave. Lyrics by Tim Rice and music by Andrew Lloyd Webber. Directed by Julene Thurston and Cherie Hamilton. Tickets are \$10 for reserved seats, \$8 for general admission and \$5 for upper tier, at 878-6868 or at Welch Music and Book Plaza in Burley and The Book Store in Rupert.

## Jazz/Sun Valley

**Paul Tillotson Trio**, 4:30-8:45 p.m., **JAN. 22-23** and **JAN. 26-30** and **Joe Fos Trio**, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at Duchin Lounge at Sun Valley Lodge. No cover. 622-2145.

## Music/Sun Valley

**Brooks Hartell Trio**, 5-8 p.m. **JAN. 22-23** and **JAN. 26-30** in the Inn Lobby Lounge at Sun Valley Inn. No cover. 622-214

## Theater/Jerome

**Xavier Charter School** presents **“Beauty and the Beast,”** 7 p.m. **JAN. 23** at Jerome High School, 104 N. Tiger Drive. 933-9287.

## Jazz/Ketchum

**Hot Club of San Francisco** gypsy jazz quintet, 7:30 p.m. **JAN. 23** at Church of the Big Wood, 100 Saddle Road, as part of Sun Valley Center for the Arts’ Winter Performance Series. The all-acoustic band features Paul Mehling, Jeff Magidson and Jason Vanderford on guitar, Clint Baker on bass and Evan Price on violin. The quintet performs jazz, swing, bebop, blues, Cajun, bossa nova, gypsy and original compositions spanning many decades and inspired by Django Reinhardt and Stephane Grappelli. The performance features “Silent Surrealism” series of four black-and-white short films from the 1930s with musical accompaniment. Tickets are \$20 and \$30 for adults, at [sunvalleycenter.org](http://sunvalleycenter.org); 726-9491, ext. 10; or at the center in Ketchum.

## Poetry, music/Nevada

**The 26th annual National Cowboy Poetry Gathering**, a festival celebrating the arts of ranching and cowboy culture, **JAN. 23-30** at Western Folklife Center, 501 Railroad St.; Elko Convention Center, 700 Moren Way; and other sites around Elko. Tickets and information: [Westernfolklife.org](http://Westernfolklife.org) or 888-880-5885.

## Jazz/Sun Valley

**Bruce Innes Trio**, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. **JAN. 25** at Duchin Lounge at Sun Valley Lodge. No cover. 622-2145.

## Music/Twin Falls

Vocalist and guitarist **Chris Bender**, 7-10 p.m. **JAN. 27** at Anchor Bistro, 334 Blue Lakes Blvd. N. No cover.

## Screenwriting/Twin Falls

**Southern Idaho Screenwriters group’s meeting**, 7 p.m. **JAN. 27** at the Twin Falls Senior Citizens Center, 530 Shoshone St. W. The group will discuss screenwriting and participate in writing exercises. Anyone is invited; come prepared to pitch an idea for a short script and bring the first page to share. Information: Patricia Marcantonio, 735-3288.

## Fundraiser/Twin Falls

**Rotary Club of Twin Falls’ fifth annual Death by Chocolate** event, 6-9 p.m. **JAN. 28** at Canyon Crest Dining and Event Center, 330 Canyon Crest Drive. Local chefs will compete in five categories: best chocolate cake, brownie, cookie, candy and unique dessert. Attendees and a panel of judges will sample and vote for their favorites, along with second- and third-place winners in each category. In addition to chocolate tasting, the event includes a no-host bar, live music by bluegrass band Strings Attached, a silent auction and a raffle. Tickets are \$15 per person in advance at Everybody’s Business in Twin Falls or \$20 at the door. Proceeds benefit local charities including Valley House and Salvation Army, school scholarships and more. Information: Jill Skeem at 320-2786 or [jillasher-man@yahoo.com](mailto:jillasher-man@yahoo.com).

## Calendar deadlines

Don’t miss your chance to tell southern Idaho about your arts event. The deadline for entries for the Entertainment calendar is 5 p.m. the Friday prior to publication. That means today, if you want your entry to appear next Friday. Send submissions to Ramona Jones at [ramona@magicvalley.com](mailto:ramona@magicvalley.com).



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From left, Emily Plew, Lexi Bybee and Raymond McLaughlin, as Zeus, rehearse a council-of-the-gods scene in the Buhl High School production of ‘The Iliad, The Odyssey and all of Greek Mythology in 99 Minutes or Less,’ opening tonight at Buhl’s senior center.



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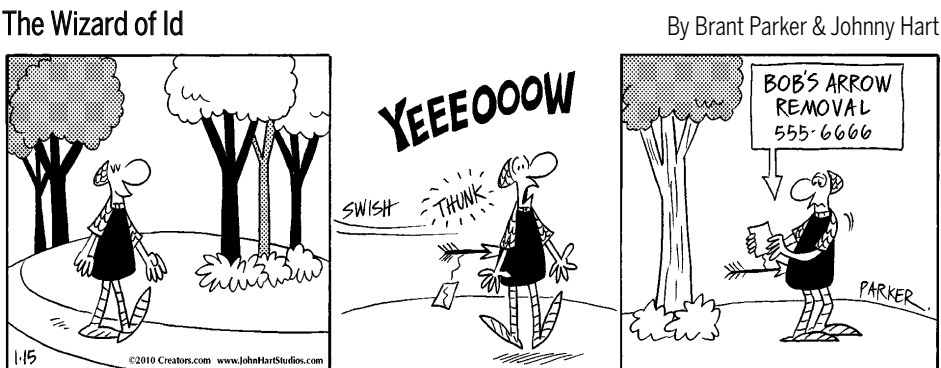
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Offered in Sport and Limited trim levels and available in front wheel and all-wheel drive (Freedom Drive I) configurations, standard power for the Compass is generated by a 2.4L four-cylinder engine. A 2.0L four-cylinder engine is a newly available option. Torque for both engines is communicated to the ground through the standard Magna Driveline T355 five-speed manual gearbox, while a Jatco Model CVT2 continuously variable transaxle (CVT) automatic with AutoStick is an available option.



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Inside the cabin, Compass was updated last year with an all-new redesigned instrument panel, center console with split lid for added storage space and door trim panels. The all-new

instrument panel features a smoother look while chrome accents brighten the new round heating, ventilation and air conditioning (HVAC) vents, shift bezel, door spears and cluster rings. The all-new center console and door trim panels features padded armrests for added comfort. New LED-illuminated cup holders make it easier to place beverages in the right spot at night.

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### 2010 Jeep Compass SUV By The Numbers

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EPA Fuel Economy: 2.0L four-cylinder - 23 city/29 hwy (manual), 23 city/27 hwy (CVT automatic); 2.4L four-cylinder - 23 city/28 hwy (manual), 21 city/25 hwy (CVT automatic), 21 city/24 hwy (AWD/CVT automatic).  
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**GOLF CLUBS** Callaway S2H2 full set, 3 woods, 11 irons, \$400. Tommy Armour irons, 3-Lw (12 irons), \$400. Tour model III, 3-pw, \$100. Stand bags, OGIO and Sun Mtn. \$50 ea. 208-944-2004

## RECREATIONAL

### 907 Travel Trailers

**ALUMA LITE '93** 5' wheel, 28', good cond. \$6500. Ross Sales. Call 208-539-1616

**KEYSTONE '08** Copper Canyon 5' wheel, like new, 35', 2 slides, \$20,000. Call Ross Sales. Trades Welcome. 208-539-1616

## TRANSPORTATION

### 1006 Trucks

**FORD '03** F-350 Red crew cab, 7.3 diesel, lifted show truck. Great cond. \$18,500. 208-539-1616

### 1010 Autos

**AUDI '01** A4, 4 door, leather, AT, loaded, power sunroof, \$5995. 208-293-4090

**HONDA '97** Civic LX, 4 door, 139K mis, 35mpg. 2 sets of tires; 4 new studded snow & 4 hwy. Exc running. \$2100 firm. 208-720-9250

### 1005 Semis And Heavy Equipment

**FREIGHTLINER '89** Dump Truck FL120 w/16' round bottom bed. High lift hydraulic rear gate. NTC 350 Cummins diesel, 10 spd, PS, AC, brand new radials. clean lease return, well maintained. \$14,900. 208-320-4058

**GMC '89** Topkick with 16' flatbed 3206 Cat diesel, 5 speed Allison auto trans. 33,000 GVW, new radials 60,000 actual miles one owner, well maintained. \$6900. 208-320-4058

**FRUEHAUF** 36' step deck, lift deck, 5" wheel equipment trailer. 61,000 GVW, 10,000/24.5 rubber, new radials, tire in as new cond. \$10,500. 320-4058.

**GMC '94** HD3500 mechanics truck, w/6000 lb. Lift all crane, hyd. Outriggers, hyd. Air compressor, hyd. generator. 6.5 turbo diesel, 5 spd, AC, PS, one owner, fleet maintained. \$75,000 replacement cost. Sell for \$12,900. 208-320-4058

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**IHC-COF-9670** XL, Tractor Day-Cab, 150,000 actual miles, 6V '92 Detroit, 335hp, 7 spd deep under trans, brand new radials. Former Orange County, CA. Sheriff's Dept. \$11,900. 208-320-4058

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**DODGE '06** 1 ton dually, 4 door, Cummins, 4x4, SLT pkg, loaded, AT, 0% assumable loan. 293-4090

**FORD '00** F-250 ext cab, 4x4, V8, AT, AC, PW, lift, cruise, alloy wheels, 75% radials, high miles but a clean well maintained truck, one owner, \$4500. 208-320-4058

**FORD '01** F-150 4.2L V6, AT, AC, 24 mpg, very clean, one owner, \$4500. Call 320-4058

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**FORD '02** Ranger, 40K miles, bedliner, automatic, AC, CD, 4x4, only \$10,950.

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**FORD '03** F-150, silver, Lariat, leather, sunroof, multi-CD, NICE PICKUP - many extras. \$12,000/offer. 208-731-3689

**FORD '03** F-350 Red crew cab, 7.3 diesel, lifted show truck Great cond. \$18,500. 208-539-1616

**FORD '05** F-150, 4x4, V8, AT, full power, high miles, but this truck is in show room cond. Freeway use only. Must see \$6500. Call 208-320-4058

**FORD '06** F-150 80,000 miles 4x4, leather, CD, power everything, heated seats, excellent shape \$16,000/offer. Bluebook \$20,000 Call 208-280-4467

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**FORD '06** F-250 Ext. cab, 4x4 cloth seats, 95K mi. \$11,000/offer. Call 208-280-4467

**FORD '06** F-250 XLT, 4x4, crew cab, 4x4, 36K miles, diesel, cloth, loaded, \$28,900

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**DEAR ABBY:** I am 27 and have been a vegetarian for five years. I am trying to develop a thick skin when it comes to people who question or make fun of my choice, but I'm tired of laughing and letting the comments "roll off" my back.

When my grandfather sits near me at a family event, he will analyze my plate, look at me in disgust and then tell me, "Carrots have feelings, too."



When I go to a well-known sandwich shop, I order a basic and "boring" sandwich, which I really enjoy. The sandwich makers give me funny looks and ask, "That's all?" or, "You're spending five bucks on THIS?" followed by laughter or a shake of their heads. One even asked me if I was crazy!

I am tired of people questioning what I eat or what kind of sandwich I choose to spend my money on. I don't make comments or question those who eat meat. What is the best response to people who are so rude about my choices?

— HERBIVORE BY CHOICE IN NEW YORK

**DEAR HERB:** Sorry, there is no one-size-fits-all snappy one-liner. But take comfort in the fact that a growing number of people are choosing to avoid meat and poultry not only for the ethical reasons, but also because they prefer to avoid the hormones and antibiotics used in the production of these food products.

When someone comments or questions you, it's important to consider the source as well as the intent behind the remarks. Your grandfather may be trying to be humorous — or he may be showing concern because he comes from a generation that didn't learn there can be benefits from a vegetarian diet. Because he's getting under your skin, rather than take the bait, sit next to some other relatives at family events.

As to the employee at the sandwich shop — the person may be trying to "sell you up." After all, the more ingredients in your sandwich, the more expensive it will be. I completely agree that ridiculing a customer is not only bad manners but also bad for business — and the next time it happens, do not hesitate to complain about it to the manager.

**DEAR ABBY:** For the last three years I have been dating a woman who, 15 years ago, divorced an Army colonel after 20 years of marriage. She loved the prestige of being an officer's wife.

There always seems to be a reason why she must mention her ex, no matter what the topic is. I finally told her it seemed like she missed him. Now, instead of saying his name, she says, "When we were in Germany, we did this ..." or, "When we lived in Idaho we used to ..." No matter what I say, she never fails to find a way to tell a story about life with her ex.

I am an Army vet and I cannot mention anything about the Army because if I do, she'll one-up me with yet another war story about him. And when we are together in public, she never misses a chance to disclose that we do not live together, and she always speaks in the singular regarding her plans.

Is her conduct an indication that she's unhappy with me? If not, what's going on?

— OVERSHADOWED IN SALEM, ORE.

**DEAR OVERSHADOWED:** Let's see. First of all, this woman is surprisingly insensitive to your feelings. Second, when people feel the need to "one-up" others, it usually stems from insecurity. Third, when a woman consistently points out that she and her companion of three years "don't live together" and speaks in the singular about her plans, it's a strong indication that she doesn't regard herself as part of a couple.

## RECREATIONAL

### 901 ATVs

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### 902 Motorcycles

**LEATHER JACKETS** Womens HD, 1 brown, XL, hardly worn, \$100. 1 silver, L, never worn, \$125. 1 HD leather shirt, L, hardly worn, \$35. Call Susan 324-5327 or 329-9547

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**WANTED** slide in camper 8'10", 1/2, 3/4 or full overshoot OK! I want a camper that is clean inside & out with no water leaks with a fair price tag. If you have not cleaned up the inside of your camper you want to sell me, and/or there have been dogs, cats, sheep, stray burrows, pigeons or Freddy the Freelander living in it. DON'T CALL ME! 208-731-3008

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**PHAZER II**



## 1008 SUVs



DODGE '08 Caliber, AT, air, CD, Certified Used, \$9999  
208-733-5778

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FORD '03 Expedition 4x4, AT, PS, AC, PW, CC, PDL, CD, very clean and well maintained, \$6900. Call 208-320-4058.



GMC '04 Yukon Denali, loaded, 71K miles, very nice SUV, only \$19,900

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GMC '98 Jimmy, 4x4, leather, PL, PW, local trade, only \$6950.

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HYUNDAI '05 Santa Fe GLS, 4X4, AC, PW, PL, sunroof, 31K miles, very nice ride! Stock# BU883109 208-733-3033

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JEOP '06 Grand Cherokee 4x4 Laredo, Stock#46C22719800C \$15,999 733-5776

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JEOP '08 Wrangler X Unlimited running boards, Stock#815457540C, \$24,999. 733-5776

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JEOP '09 Jeep Wrangler Rubicon Unlimited hard top, Stock# 9L7707300C \$31,999 733-5776

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SATURN '09 Outlook XE, AWD, 35K miles, AC, PL, PW, cruise AT, CD, 3" seat, \$25,900.

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## 1009 Vans and Buses



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## 1009 Vans and Buses



DODGE '03 Caravan, 65K miles, PW, PL, dual sliding doors, AC, CD, only \$8950

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FORD '06 FreeStar cargo van, V6, AT, AC, CC, PW, PDL, FWD, gets 24 mpg, fleet main, immaculate \$6900. 320-4058

FORD '99 Windstar minivan in excellent condition, double sliding doors, 12 disc CD changer, power door locks and windows, 130,000 miles, \$2500/offer, Troy 420-1294

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## 1010 Autos

AUDI '01 A4, 4 door, leather, AT, loaded, power sunroof, \$5995. 208-293-4090



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HONDA '99 Civic, 4dr Sedan, AT, AC, 2" owner low miles, clean, well maint, \$5499, 208-948-9118

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PONTIAC '03 Bonneville, runs very nice, clean, AC, heat, alarm key, comfortable, \$3950. 320-7548.

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VOLKSWAGEN '07 Jetta, 2.0L Turbo, 6 speed trans, leather loaded, sunroof, alloys, multi CD. Stock#7M04652 208-733-3033

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When purchasing a vehicle, make sure that the title is in the name of the seller. Under Idaho motor vehicle code a vehicle cannot be sold unless the title is in the name of the seller (exception: Idaho licensed dealer). The seller shall provide the new purchaser a signed bill of sale showing the following: Full description of the vehicle, vehicle identification number, amount paid and name(s) and address of the new purchaser. The bill of sale must be signed, dated and show actual mileage at the time of sale. If you have any questions, please contact your local assessor's office.

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## NOTICES

### NOTICE

TWIN FALLS STORAGE under the provisions of Idaho Code 28-7-210 will sell or dispose of stored items ASAP.

Harv Gonzalez, PO Box 411, Filer, ID 83328.  
Salvador Garcia, 645 Paradise St., Apt 3, Twin Falls, ID 83301.  
Juan Galindo, 409 4th Ave E, Twin Falls, ID 83301.  
Cathy Kimbrough, 528 2nd Ave E, Twin Falls, ID 83301.  
Mike Franks, 413 Crestview, Twin Falls, ID 83301

PUBLISH: January 15 and 18, 2010

## NOTICES

### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Idaho Code 45-805 that Oregon Trail Storage, 471 South Park Avenue West, Twin Falls, will repossess the contents of the following units:

Travis Asslet, Unit C-46, last known address 497 Wiseman, Hansen, ID 83334

Nathan Holyoak, Unit B-32, last known address 137 S 200 W, Burley, ID 83318.

Robert Luna, Unit F-46, last known address 33 W Elliot St Apt #3, Woodland, CA 95695.

PUBLISH: January 15 and 22, 2010

### IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF GOODING MAGISTRATE DIVISION

Case No. CV 2009 670  
NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
In the Matter of the Estates of  
EVERETT J. LAUDERT, AKA "E.J." LAUDERT  
AND EVELYN MAE LAUDERT, AKA EVELYN M. LAUDERT, Deceased.

GARY JON LAUDERT has been appointed as the Personal Representative of the above-captioned estates. All persons having claims against said deceased person are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this notice at the offices of Williams, Meservy & Lothspeich, LLP, 153 East Main Street, PO Box 168, Jerome, Idaho, or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented to the Personal Representative at the above address and filed with the above Court.

DATED this 5th day of January, 2010.  
WILLIAMS, MESERVY & LOTHSPREICH, LLP  
ROBERT E. WILLIAMS, Attorney for Estates

PUBLISH: January 8, 15 and 22, 2010

### LEGAL NOTICE

In accordance with Idaho Code Section 36-104(b)(3) and the 2009 Big Game Proclamation, the take season for mountain lions in Big Game Management Unit 55 shall remain open until a total of 6 female mountain lions has been harvested in the Magic Valley Region. This harvest limit has been met.

Therefore, pursuant to authority delegated by the Idaho Fish and Game Commission, the Secretary of the Idaho Fish and Game Commission hereby orders that the 2009-2010 mountain lion take season in Unit 55 be closed, effective immediately. A toll-free number, 1-800-323-4334, may be called for current information regarding season status around the state.

For further information, contact the regional big game biologist in the Magic Valley Region, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at 208-324-4359.

Copies of Order 10-04 are available at the Idaho Department of Fish and Game headquarters, 600 South Walnut, PO Box 25, Boise, Idaho 83707.

DATED this 8th day of January 2010.  
IDAHO FISH AND GAME COMMISSION  
Cal Groen, Secretary

PUBLISH: January 14 and 15, 2010

### NOTICE CALLING FOR BIDS

The Oregon Trail Recreation District will be accepting bids for furnishing, forming, placing, compacting and finishing a concrete path located in the City of Burley, Idaho. The concrete path must be 8' wide and 4' deep. The approximate length of the path to be constructed will be approximately 4,000 feet.

Separate sealed bids for the above-described project will be received by the Oregon Trail Recreation District until February 1, 2010 at 8:00 o'clock a.m., at 487 South Hwy 27, Burley, Idaho. The bids will then be opened and read aloud at the meeting of the Oregon Trail Recreation District to be held February 1, 2010 at 1:00 o'clock p.m., at the Burley City Hall.

An Idaho Public Works license is required to submit a conforming bid.

The contract documents and specifications for the project may be obtained by contacting Zeke Zimmerman at 487 South Hwy 27, Burley, Idaho 83318, telephone number (208) 678-3475.

The Recreation District reserves the right to reject any or all bids as may be determined to be in the best interest of the Oregon Trail Recreation District.

Bidders shall submit their bids on the forms supplied by the Recreation District. Bids shall be submitted in a sealed envelope bearing the bidder's name and plainly marked:

"PROPOSAL FOR CONSTRUCTION OF CONCRETE PATH" and addressed to the Oregon Trail Recreation District, Zeke Zimmerman, 487 South Hwy 27, Burley, Idaho 83318. The bids may be physically delivered by hand or mailed so long as they are received by the above-described date and time.

PUBLISH: January 15 and 22, 2010

### NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

TS No. 09-0185864 Title Order No. 090886513IDGNO Parcel No. RPS0110001010CA The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, inside the North entrance to Lincoln County Courthouse located at 111 West B St., Shoshone, ID 83352, on 05/17/2010 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 12/30/2005 as Instrument Number 180094, and executed by MEREGILDO OLMOs, A MARRIED MAN AS HIS SOLE & SEPARATE PROPERTY, as Grantor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary, to RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Lincoln County, state of Idaho: THE WEST ONE-HALF OF LOTS 10,11,12 AND 13 IN BLOCK 1 OF MOUNTAIN VIEW ADDITION, TO SHOSHONE, LINCOLN COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER OF SAID COUNTY. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of, 322 N ALTA ST, SHOSHONE, ID 83352-5293 is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 09/01/2009 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 7.000% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$156,602.56, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and/or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys' fees, Trustees' fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a) IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. DATED: 01/08/2010 Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECONTRUSTCOMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 80028-1821 PHONE: (800) 281-8219 RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. Successor Trustee Melonye Smith, Team Member ASAP# 3406021

PUBLISH: January 15, 22, 29 and February 5, 2010

## NOTICES

### NOTICE OF HEARING ON NAME CHANGE

Case No. CV-2010-08

A Petition to change the name of Jet Morache, born June 20, 1953, in Emmett, Idaho residing at 518 N 350 E, Shoshone, Idaho has been filed in Lincoln County District Court, Idaho. The name will change to Jette Morache, because this is the spelling of my first name that I have used for 36 years, and I want the spelling of my first name to be consistent and legal upon all documents.

The petitioner's father is living and his address is 2530 Mill Point Way, Boise, Idaho 83712. The petitioner's mother is living and her address is 2530 Mill Point Way, Boise, Idaho 83712. A hearing on the petition is scheduled for 2 o'clock PM on February 24, 2010, at the County Courthouse. Objections may be filed by any person who can show the court a good reason against the name change.

Date: January 12, 2010.

By Deputy Clerk

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### IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF GOODING

Case No. CV-2010-11

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of

RODGER H. NELSON,

Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of Rodger H. Nelson, deceased. All persons having claims against the Decedent or his Estate are required to present their claim(s) within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must either be presented to the undersigned at the address indicated, or filed with the Clerk of the Court.

DATED this 7th day of January 2010.

/s/REGGIE W. NELSON

2433 Megan Drive

Bryan, Texas 77808

/s/Judith A. Lewis-Frazer

FRAZEE & GORGACZ LAW OFFICE, PLLC

45 East Little Avenue, Suite 2

Driggs, Idaho 83422

Attorneys for the Estate of Rodger H. Nelson

PUBLISH: January 15, 22 and 29, 2010

CITY OF GOODING ANNUAL ROAD AND STREET FINANCIAL REPORT For the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 2009	
<b>Beginning Balance as of October 1, 2009</b>	<b>150,810</b>
<b>Receipts:</b>	
Total Local Funding	207,731
Total State Funding	209,043
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>416,774</b>
<b>Disbursements:</b>	
Total New Construction	4,160
Total Reconstruction/Replacement	51,563
Total Routine Maintenance	208,209
Total Equipment	91,422
Total Administration	72,482
Total Other	40,822
<b>Total Disbursements</b>	<b>468,658</b>
Receipts Over Disbursements	(51,884)
<b>Ending Balance as of September 30, 2009</b>	<b>98,926</b>
Funds obligated for specific future projects	50,000
Funds retained for general funds and operating	48,926

A certified report of dedicated funds was submitted to the State Auditor as required by Idaho Code 40-708. A copy of the original report is on file in the City Clerk's Office for public viewing upon request.

Carmen L. Korsen, City Clerk Treasurer

PUBLISH: January 15, 2010

### NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

TS No. 09-0160872 Title Order No. 090757840IDGNO Parcel No. RP09S15E091271A The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, in the lobby of Land Title & Escrow, 1411 Fillmore Street, Suite 600 Twin Falls, ID 83301, on 05/18/2010 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 05/16/2006 as Instrument Number 2006-011774, and executed by STEVEN P ELKINS, AN UNMARRIED MAN, as Grantor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary, to RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Twin Falls County, state of Idaho: Revised Parcel 5: Township 9 South, Range 15, East of the Boise Meridian, Twin Falls County, Idaho SECTION 9: A parcel of land shown as Parcel 5, and a portion of parcel 6 in Book 28 of Miscellaneous Plats at Page 1589, being more particularly described as follows: BEGINNING at the South quarter corner of Section 9, said point lies South 89°54'56" West 2,692.49 feet from the Southeast corner of Section 9; THENCE South 89°54'12" West 75.00 feet along the South boundary of Section 9; THENCE North 00°25'31" West 2,745.36 feet; THENCE South 88°37'02" East 1,150.30 feet to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE South 88°37'02" East 254.99 feet; THENCE North 01°22'58" East 25.00 feet; THENCE South 22°20'55" East, 759.01 feet; THENCE North 68°59'24" West 272.63 feet; THENCE North 77°41'07" West 125.71 feet; THENCE South 84°37'14" West 316.83 feet; THENCE North 00°00'06" West 318.82 feet; THENCE North 89°00'26" East 152.22 feet; THENCE North 00°25'31" West 317.24 feet to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING. TOGETHER WITH a 50.00 foot wide access and utility easement described as follows: BEGINNING at the Southwest corner of Section 9; THENCE North 89°54'12" East 2,669.95 feet to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING, said point also lies South 89°54'12" West 25.00 feet from the South quarter corner of said Section 9; THENCE North 00°25'31" West 2,384.10 feet; THENCE South 89°09'26" West 50.00 feet; THENCE South 00°25'31" East 2,383.45 feet; THENCE North 89°54'12" East 50.00 feet to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING. ALSO TOGETHER WITH all the easements shown on the survey map recorded in Book 28 of Miscellaneous Plats, Page 1569, Twin Falls County records. SUBJECT TO all easements crossing Parcel 10 shown on the survey map recorded in Book 28 of Miscellaneous Plats, Page 1589, Twin Falls County records. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of, 1771 E 4550 N, BUHL, ID 83316-5345 is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 08/01/2009 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 7.750% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance



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CITY OF EDEN TREASURER'S 3 MONTH FINANCIAL REPORT PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2009			
Appropriated Funds	Revenues	Expenditures	% of Budget
General Fund	\$10665.31		
Supplies & Other		\$11063.23	
Personnel Services		\$10166.34	
		\$21229.57	27%
Water Fund	\$8663.07		
Supplies & Other		\$4245.58	
Personnel Services		0	
		\$4245.58	11%
Street, Alley & Park Fund	\$5303.06		
Supplies & Other		\$17440.82	26%
Irrigation Fund	0		
Supplies & Other		\$112.36	1%
Sewer Fund	\$3532.75		
Supplies & Other		\$2018.50	
Personnel Services		0	
		\$2018.50	7%
Lagoon Fund	\$3064.55		
Supplies & Other		0	0%
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$31228.74</b>	<b>\$45046.83</b>	<b>20%</b>

Citizens are invited to inspect the detailed supporting records of the above financial statement, on record at the City Hall, City of Eden.

ATTEST:  
Edith Utt  
City Clerk

PUBLISH: January 15, 2010

## NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

TS No. 09-0186872 Title Order No. 090892334IDGNO Parcel No. RP10S17E252450A The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, in the lobby of Land Title & Escrow, 1411 Fillmore Street., Suite 600 Twin Falls, ID 83301, on 05/18/2010 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 09/22/2005 as Instrument Number 2005-021127, and executed by **JAY HANNOLD AND CHRISTA L HANNOLD, HUSBAND AND WIFE**, as Grantor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary, to RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Twin Falls County, state of Idaho: TOWNSHIP 10 SOUTH, RANGE 17 EAST OF THE BOISE MERIDIAN, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO, SECTION 25; THE NORTH 264 FEET OF THE WEST 660 FEET OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER, EXCEPT THE WEST 495 FEET THEREOF. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of, **3239 E 3700 N, KIMBERLY, ID 83341-5347** is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 10/01/2009 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 5.625% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$129,095.99, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and/or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys' fees, Trustees' fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a) IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. DATED: 01/08/2010 Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECONTRUSTCOMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 90028-1821 PHONE: (800) 281-8219 RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. Successor Trustee Melonye Smith, Team Member ASAP# 3406033

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## NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

TS No. 09-0185855 Title Order No. 090886461IDGNO Parcel No. RPOF8400010100A The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, in the lobby of Land Title & Escrow, 1411 Fillmore Street., Suite 600 Twin Falls, ID 83301, on 05/18/2010 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 04/09/2001 as Instrument Number 2001-006157, and executed by **JASON LINN PERRON, A MARRIED MAN**, as Grantor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary, to RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Twin Falls County, state of Idaho: LOT 10 IN BLOCK 1 OF SOUTH 93 HEIGHTS P.U.D., TWIN FALLS, COUNTY, IDAHO, RECORDED IN BOOK 17 OF PLATS, PAGE 13. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of, **3836 ANDREA LANE, FILER, ID 83328** is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 08/01/2008 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 6.875% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$72,251.30, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and/or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys' fees, Trustees' fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a) IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. DATED: 01/08/2010 Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECONTRUSTCOMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 90028-1821 PHONE: (800) 281-8219 RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. Successor Trustee Melonye Smith, Team Member ASAP# 3406024

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CITY OF KIMBERLY  
1st QUARTER REPORT

	Budget 2009-2010	YTD Actual 2009-2010	Variance 2009-2010	
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>				
General	316,616	67,998	248,618	21.5%
Fire	50,000	-	50,000	0.0%
Streets & Highways	632,667	13,858	618,809	2.2%
Parks	68,879	7,953	60,926	11.5%
Library	45,420	11,244	34,176	24.8%
Law Enforcement	420,715	100,223	320,492	23.8%
Sanitation	156,500	38,642	117,858	24.7%
Water	539,524	82,992	456,532	15.4%
Sewer	472,947	104,705	368,242	22.1%
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>\$2,703,268</b>	<b>\$427,615</b>	<b>\$2,275,653</b>	<b>15.8%</b>
<b>REVENUE</b>				
Tax Receipts	674,136	40,921	(633,215)	6.1%
General Revenue	1,016,661	169,048	(847,613)	16.6%
Water	539,524	156,710	(382,814)	29.0%
Sewer	472,947	141,109	(331,838)	29.8%
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>\$2,703,268</b>	<b>\$507,788</b>	<b>\$(2,195,480)</b>	<b>18.8%</b>

Citizens are invited to inspect the detailed supporting records of the above financial statements.

Polly Hulsey  
Kimberly City Administrator

PUBLISH: January 15, 2010

## NOTICE: RE375217931US:

Including all, but not limited to the following: Tr. # 2006-026623; 2006-026537; 2006-026536; 70063450000062219711; 2008-010978; 2007-028542; 70071490000222892092; NGS1007-2085344-CV-06-4486; NGS1012, 2085377; 2085349; 2085369; CV8-2525-2085368; 2085370; 2085375; 2085374; 2085367; CV08-2525-2085364; 2085363; NGS1015 BPN; RR902404740US; NGS-1012 PN, 2085366; NGS-001 MO-70080500000221331521; CERTIFIED PMT. 1020; NGS1018; NGS 1019; NGS1013, 2085348, 2085346, 2085345, 2085376; LBAB01,03/28/09;CV09-406BLW,12/31/08; NGS1014, 20085352; NGS1007 PN, 2085351; 70072680000098764361; 70072680000098764354; 70072680000098764385; 70071490000222892030; 70072680000098764316,2008-010588,2007-028542 LEHMAN; 70071490000222884523; 70071490000222878287, INV.LBB01; 70072680000098764347, NGS1013; 2008-010975-05/15/08; 70063450000062239436-01/07/08; 700714900000222878249; 70063450000062239293-12/04/07; 70063450000062239429,PN;70063450000062239436 -PN; 70071490000022788249; 70063450000062219711; 7007149022878478; 70071490000222878409; 2008-010977, NOD; 2006-026623.

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## NOTICE OF LETTING

Sealed proposals will be received by the IDAHO TRANSPORTATION BOARD only at the office of the IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT, 3311 WEST STATE STREET, BOISE, IDAHO 83703, ATTN: ROADWAY DESIGN until two o'clock p.m., on **February 2, 2010**, for the work of 1.7 miles of pavement overlay and 2.8 miles of seal coat; N 600 West Rd., Lincoln Co., known as Idaho Federal Aid Project No. A011(947), in Lincoln County, Key No. 11947.

[ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONTACT: RESIDENT ENGINEER \*\*\*THOMAS E. BROWN\*\*\* AT (208) 886-7851.] Plans, specifications, form of contract, proposal forms, and other information may be obtained at the office of the Idaho Transportation Department, Boise, Idaho, and are on file for examination at the office of the District Engineer at Shoshone Idaho.

**A non-refundable handling and mailing charge of FIVE DOLLARS (\$5.00) plus applicable sales tax** will be made for bid documents. Phone orders to (800) 732-2098 (in Idaho) or (208) 334-8430 shall be made by credit card (Visa or Mastercard). Written requests shall be made by check or money order to the Idaho Transportation Department, Attn: Revenue Operations, P. O. Box 34, Boise, ID 83731-0034. Dated January 8, 2010  
TOM COLE, P.E.  
Chief Engineer

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

Actions planned and taken by your government are contained in public notices. They are part of your right to know and to be informed of what your government is doing. As self-government charges all citizens to be informed, this newspaper urges every citizen to read and study these notices. We advise those citizens who seek further information to exercise their right to access public records and public meetings.

## IMPORTANT

Please address all legal advertising to:  
**LEGAL ADVERTISING**  
The Times-News  
PO Box 548  
Twin Falls, Idaho  
83303-0548  
email to  
[legals@magicvalley.com](mailto:legals@magicvalley.com)

Deadline for legal ads: 3 days prior to publication, noon on Wednesday for Sunday, noon on Thursday for Monday, noon on Friday for Tuesday and Wednesday, noon on Monday for Thursday and noon on Tuesday for Friday and Saturday. Holiday deadlines may vary. If you have any questions call Ruby, legal clerk, at 208-735-3324.

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF  
FEDERAL GRANT PLANS FOR PUBLIC REVIEW

The Grant Plans being reviewed will be **Weatherization Assistance for Low Income Persons**. The purpose of this notice is to receive comment on the proposed use of funds from federally funded Grants during Federal Fiscal Year 2010. There are no substantial changes from the State Plan of Federal Fiscal Year 2009.

This plan is available for Public review at: *Community Action Partnership Association of Idaho*, 5400 West Franklin Road, Suite G Boise, Idaho 83705. A public hearing will be held on Wednesday, January 27, 2010, at 1:00 pm., Mountain Daylight Savings Time, at 5400 West Franklin Road, Suite G Boise, Idaho, 83705.

Anyone may submit written comment regarding the proposed use of these funds for this grant. Forms for this purpose and/or copies of the Plans may be obtained from 5400 West Franklin Road, Suite G, Boise, Idaho, 83705, or by calling (208) 375-7382. For more information, contact Mary Chant at (208) 375-7382. *Community Action Partnership Association of Idaho*, 5400 West Franklin Road, Suite G Boise, Idaho, 83705.

Any one wishing to submit written comments must do before 5 p.m., Mountain Daylight Savings Time, January 27, 2010, at 5400 West Franklin Road, Suite G Boise, Idaho 83705.

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# Classified Deadlines

For line ads  
Tues. - Sat. - 1 p.m.  
the day before.  
For Sun. & Mon.  
2 p.m. Friday.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Lost and Found

**FOUND** 2 dogs near Jerome roaming. 1 yellow Lab female, 50lbs, 1 probable Husky cross, brown/white, male not neutered. No collars. Call 208-788-4004.

**FOUND** Black Lab, adorable female puppy, on the Kimberly-Hansen border. 208-623-6319

**FOUND** Box, found South of Kimberly. Call to identify 423-6348

**FOUND** dog, small white, on Crestview Drive on CSI. Call to identify. 208-735-5133.

**FOUND** Male Pup, black and tan, with no collar, in the Butte Landfill on Monday Jan. 4<sup>th</sup>. He needs a good home. Call 208-731-1190.

**FOUND** NECKLACE, maybe of sentimental value. Call to identify. 208-308-3862.

**FOUND** Old male small dog on 1/12 on 1400 East 3600 North in Buhl. Call 208-731-2651.

**FOUND** Pug, male, arrived on 1/02. Red collar, no tags, tan/black. Call to identify 808-2680 (Burley)

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**Fairview Veterinary**  
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[www.petfinder.com/shelters/ID90.html](http://www.petfinder.com/shelters/ID90.html)

*If you would like to make a donation to the shelter please give us a call. We are in desperate need of more beds for our furry friends.*

**Avail. for Adoption:**  
*All of our furry friends hope to have a place to call home*

**Buddy** is an adult male, yellow lab mix. He is great with kids and gets along with other dogs. Buddy is house trained and well behaved. He would make a great addition to your family.

The adoption fee is \$75 and includes spaying/neutering and the first set of vaccinations.

## Do-It-Yourself Ideas



## Outdoor Barbecue

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**LOST** Kitten, female, Maltese, 4 months old. Cross-eyed, something on left eye. Any info please call (208) 735-9492.

**LOST** Pekingese, female black face, red/black/tan color, lost by Grandview & Lavina. 280-6720



**LOST** Shih Tzu, male, tan/white, has a red collar with Max on the tag, lost New Years Eve near 2600 E/3200 Twin Falls. Has old phone number on tag. **REWARD!** Call 736-6089/731-4416 instead.

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Personals

**Single man is wanting to meet** single lady in 30's or 40's, relationship/companionship to and able to drive. Come & meet with me & lets go to China Village for a treat. 404 East Ave. E. Jerome, id 83338.

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Special Notices

## BIRTHDAY PHOTOS

*Have you forgotten to pickup your birthday photos? We have some photos we are sure you don't want us to toss. These can be picked up at The Times-News Classified Dept.*

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Pregnancy Alternatives

Pregnant? Worried?  
Free Pregnancy Tests  
Confidential  
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Professional Services

**Bankruptcy & Debt Counseling**  
Free 1/2 hr consultation. Competitive Rates. We are a debt relief agency. We help people file for bankruptcy relief under the bankruptcy code.  
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**Accurate, dependable & very experienced. Free telephone consultations. We are a debt relief agency helping people file for bankruptcy relief.**  
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HOME HEALTH CARE

**CAREGIVER NEEDED**  
Live-In Caregiver needed for elderly lady. Must be caring. Refs required.  
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THE FAMILY CIRCUS By Bil Keane



“You sure have a lot of cute pictures of us, Grandma.”

EMPLOYMENT

200 Work Wanted

**PUBLIC SERVICE MESSAGE**  
Federal Employment information is free. Remember, no one can promise you a federal job. For free information about federal jobs, Call Career America Connection 478-757-3000

200 Work Wanted

**STUDENTS FOR HIRE**  
Part-time jobs wanted  
Magic Valley High School  
Dependable, Honest, Diligent,  
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Contact David Brown  
School 733-8823 or  
Cell 293-2062

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Do you want to be part of a dynamic, fun, active, busy health care office? We are looking for someone who is detail oriented, team-oriented, flexible, having good conflict resolution skills, excellent communication skills and advanced computer skills. This is an excellent opportunity for the right person who has motivation to excel at a great career opportunity. Competitive compensation & benefit package.  
Send resume to box 97676  
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Start Immediately!  
Proof of Certification &  
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www.starwestsatellite.net

**CLERICAL**  
Office person proficient in MS office and Excel. Responsible for data entry, walk in sales, customer service and some collections. Must be a team player.  
Send resume to Box 949535  
C/O Times News PO Box 548  
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**GENERAL**  
Cassia Regional Medical Center has the following openings:  
**General Maintenance III** Licensed Must hold a current Idaho Journeyman Electrical License. Skills in following areas: mechanical, plumbing, HVAC, building maintenance. Job closes 1-18-2010.  
**Pharmacist** Requires Bachelor's in Pharmacy or PharmD degree and Idaho State license to practice pharmacy & dispense controlled substances. 2 yr hospital pharmacy exp preferred, but not required.  
Go to [CRMCjobs.com](http://CRMCjobs.com) for full description and requirements. Positions subject to close without notice. Intermountain Healthcare is an EOE/ M/F/D/V

LANDSCAPE



Webb Landscape, Inc. is seeking a **Project Manager Assistant** for our Ketchum Construction Office. Qualified candidates will have landscape construction knowledge, excellent computer skills, and strong accounting knowledge. This person must also be knowledgeable in Microsoft Office, detail oriented and organized. This position is full-time seasonal.

Webb Landscape, Inc. is an Employee-Owned progressive & dynamic company that offers excellent opportunities for advancement and a complete benefit package including: Health, life, vision, and dental insurance, 401k, & Employee Stock Option Program. If you are interested in this position please e-mail a copy of your resume to [christine@webbland.com](mailto:christine@webbland.com) or fax to 208-788-2633

ADMINISTRATIVE



Family Health Services has openings for the following administrative positions:

**Credentialing Specialist** Full-time position is responsible for accurately credentialing all FHS providers with a variety of insurance companies. Prior medical credentialing or insurance billing experience preferred. Successful candidates will possess strong interpersonal skills, sound decision making skills and be proficient in all Microsoft office applications.

**Diabetes Program Coordinator** Part-time position (20 hrs/week) will provide administrative and clerical support for the FHS diabetes program. Provide assistance to patients and providers by scheduling appointments and establishing partnerships with area diabetes specialists. Strong written and verbal communication skills and proficient data entry skills required. Must be bilingual Spanish/English. Flexible work schedule.

Family Health Services offers competitive wages. Full-time positions are eligible for a full range of benefits including health insurance, short and long-term disability, life insurance, PTO, holiday pay and 401(k) retirement.

Applicants may fill out an application on-line at [www.fhsid.org](http://www.fhsid.org) or send a cover letter and CV to:

**Family Health Services**  
HR Department  
794 Eastland Drive  
Twin Falls, ID 83301  
EOE/Drug Free Workplace

Friday, Jan. 15, 2010

THE ACES ON BRIDGE® Bobby Wolff

“Farewell! thou art too dear for my possessing,  
And like enough thou know'st thy estimate.”  
— William Shakespeare

Today's deal, which comes from a teams match, shows an approach one might follow if making the contract is paramount and overtricks are irrelevant.

In both rooms of the match South declared three no-trump on a low heart lead to East's nine and South's queen. South now played a club to the 10 and jack. Back came the heart six, and the first point of the deal is that for the defense to have a chance, West must hold up his ace, conserving his vital third-round entry.

Both defenders did so, and at one table where West had meanly concealed his lowest heart, South expected the hearts to be splitting evenly and simply repeated the club finesse. The defenders now won three heart tricks and two clubs before declarer could establish nine tricks.

In the other room the play to the first three tricks was the same, with West playing the heart seven at his second turn. But South could infer from East's return of the heart six (high from a remaining doubleton) that West had a five-card suit. Declarer could see the risk of the second club finesse, so he countered by playing a third round of hearts himself. If West cashed his hearts (as he did at the table), East could be squeezed in the minors. If he did not, a club winner could be safely established for declarer's ninth trick since declarer had cut the defenders' communications in hearts.

**NORTH** 01-15-A  
♠ K 9  
♥ J 3  
♦ A 7 6 5  
♣ A Q 10 9 8

**WEST** ♠ 8 7 4 2  
♥ A 8 7 5 4  
♦ 9 2  
♣ 7 3

**EAST** ♠ J 6 5 3  
♥ 9 6 2  
♦ Q J 8  
♣ K J 4

**SOUTH**  
♠ A Q 10  
♥ K Q 10  
♦ K 10 4 3  
♣ 6 5 2

Vulnerable: East-West  
Dealer: North

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
3 NT	All pass	1 ♣	Pass

Opening lead: Heart five

BID WITH THE ACES

01-15-B

South holds:

♠ 8 7 4 2  
♥ A 8 7 5 4  
♦ 9 2  
♣ 7 3

South	West	North	East
?	1 ♣	Dbl.	1 ♠

**ANSWER:** This hand is borderline for a free call of two hearts, but I think you require just a little more to enter the auction at the two-level. With the same hand but a queen in any of the four suits, you would probably risk a bid, but as it is, you should pass and plan to balance with a call of two hearts if the opponents allow you an entry into the auction.

For details of Bobby Wolff's autobiography, "The Lone Wolff," contact [kay19073@aol.com](mailto:kay19073@aol.com). If you would like to contact Bobby Wolff, e-mail him at [bobbywolff@mindspring.com](mailto:bobbywolff@mindspring.com).  
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Gooding County Memorial Hospital is hiring for the following positions for:

**Clinical Nurse Supervisor**  
Full-Time position. RN with current clinical expertise in ER and medical nursing. Role includes creating orientation programs, providing clinical updates and programs, providing clinical supervision of nursing staff. Requires some clinical shifts. BSN preferred, previous supervisory experience required.

**Foundation Development Director**  
Full-Time position. Successful candidate will have a strong understanding of fundraising efforts with proven experience to grow and diversify the fundraising capacity of the foundation. Strong skills in the day to day operations of managing a hospital foundation and grant writing experience preferred.

**Housekeeper/Maintenance Assistant.**  
1 Full-time position and 1 Part-Time position. Mon-Fri with some weekend coverage with full benefits. Must be able to lift up to 50 pounds regularly and up to 100 pounds on occasion. Responsible for cleaning patient rooms, offices, and common areas. Must be able to read MSDS and chemical label information.

**Medical Lab Tech or Medical Technologist**  
PRN position. ASCP or equivalent certification.

**Perioperative Operating Room RN**  
Part-Time position. Licensed as a RN in the State of Idaho. Prefer 2 years current OR experience. Current BLS certification. ACLS Certification and procedural sedation competency required within 90 days of hire. Thorough knowledge of surgical instruments, surgical supplies, aseptic technique and intra-operative medications.

**Perioperative PACU RN**  
Full-Time position. Licensed as a RN in the State of Idaho. Prefer 2 years current OR, PACU, ICU, or CCU experience. Current BLS certification, ACLS Certification, and procedural sedation competency required.

**Receptionist**  
Full-time position. Mon-Fri days. Receptionist duties include answering phone, registering patients, greeting visitors. Successful candidate will have knowledge of patient billing procedures, experience as a receptionist preferably in a healthcare setting, and be able to interact effectively with persons of all backgrounds.

Send resume to: **Sara Otto**  
Director of Human Resources  
1120 Montana St.  
Gooding, ID 83330  
208-934-4433 x 1109  
Email: [sara.otto@ncm-c.org](mailto:sara.otto@ncm-c.org)  
[www.goodinghospital.org](http://www.goodinghospital.org)

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209 General



PSI Environmental is looking for **Lead Diesel Mechanic**. We are looking for a hands on manager to oversee (4) Diesel Mechanics in our Twin Falls shop. Must have at least 2 years of supervisory exp. Call Lance at 360-281-9919 Or apply online at [www.wasteconnections.com](http://www.wasteconnections.com)

**RESTAURANT**  
Servers needed-Lunch & Dinner  
Apply in person at Prassal's  
428 2nd Ave. E, Twin Falls.

211 Medical

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REAL ESTATE

501 Open House



**Open House Sat. 10am to 4pm.**  
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Price Reduced \$8,000 to \$85,000 for Open House. 2005 Modular home in immaculate condition. MLS #98418748 - Chris 948-5623

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Don't pay any fees until it's sold. For free information about avoiding time share and real estate scams, write to: Federal Trade Commission, Washington, D.C. 20580 or call the National Fraud Information Center, 1-800-876-7060.

**TWIN FALLS OPEN HOUSE**  
January 16...10am-2pm  
1176 Eastridge Court (Eastland & Julie Lane)  
RV Friendly, \$199,900.  
[www.1176eastridge.com](http://www.1176eastridge.com)  
208-420-6410

502 Homes For Sale



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Today is Friday, Jan. 15, the 15th day of 2010. There are 350 days left in the year.

#### Today's Highlight:

On Jan. 15, 2009, US Airways Capt. Chesley "Sully" Sullenberger ditched his Airbus 320 in the Hudson River after a flock of birds disabled both the plane's engines; all 155 people aboard survived.

## TODAY IN HISTORY

#### On this date:

In 1559, England's Queen Elizabeth I was crowned in Westminster Abbey.

In 1777, the people of New Connecticut declared their independence. (The tiny republic later became the state of Vermont.)

In 1844, the University of Notre Dame received its charter from the state of Indiana.

In 1850, pioneering Russian mathematician Sotya Kovalevsky was born in Moscow.

In 1929, civil rights leader Martin Luther King Jr. was born in Atlanta.

In 1942, Jawaharlal Nehru was named to succeed Mohandas K. Gandhi as head of India's Congress Party.

In 1943, work was completed on the Pentagon, headquarters of the U.S. Department of War (now Defense).

In 1947, the mutilated remains of 22-year-old Elizabeth Short, who came to be known as the "Black Dahlia," were found in a vacant Los Angeles lot; her slaying remains unsolved.

In 1967, the Green Bay Packers of the National Football League defeated the Kansas City Chiefs of the American Football League 35-10 in the first AFL-NFL World Championship Game, retroactively known as Super Bowl I.

In 1973, President Richard M. Nixon announced the suspension of all U.S. offensive action in North Vietnam, citing progress in peace negotiations.

Ten years ago: Masked gunmen opened fire in a hotel lobby in Belgrade, killing Serbian warlord Zeljko Raznatovic, better known as Arkan, who had been indicted by the U.N. war crimes tribunal for alleged atrocities in Bosnia and Croatia.

Five years ago: Wilbert Rideau, an award-winning black journalist who'd spent nearly 44 years in Louisiana prisons for the 1961 death of a white bank teller, Julia Ferguson, was found guilty of manslaughter in a fourth trial by a racially mixed jury and set free. Mahmoud Abbas was sworn in as Palestinian president. Michelle Kwan won her ninth title at the U.S. Figure Skating Championships in Portland, Ore.; earlier, Johnny Weir won his second straight men's title. Actress Ruth Warrick died in New York at 88. Opera singer Victoria de los Angeles died in Barcelona, Spain, at 81.

One year ago: In a farewell address to the nation, President George W. Bush said while his policies were unpopular, there could be little debate about the results: "America has gone more than seven years without another terrorist attack on our soil." Congress cleared the release of the final \$350 billion in bailout funds for the financial industry. After a wave of controversy, Roland Burris was sworn in as a U.S. senator from Illinois. Israeli artillery shells struck the U.N. headquarters in the Gaza Strip, drawing a sharp rebuke from the visiting U.N. chief, Ban Ki-moon.

### 502 Homes For Sale

**FILER** By Owner. Craftsman bungalow, 2 bdrm, 1 bath, 1 car garage, 1525 sq. ft., very large kitchen, partial basement, fireplace, lots of updates, fenced yard, auto sprinklers. 129 5<sup>th</sup> Street. \$135,000. 208-326-6647

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**JEROME** Possible owner carry with \$5000 down. New construction. 3 homes ready for immediate occupancy. All 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 4 bks west of Pizza Hut. \$136,900-\$142,900. Homes qualify for \$8000 Federal tax rebate. Call 208-539-3613.

**PAUL**  
  
6 bdrm, 2 bath home on 6.1 full irrigated acres. Nice hilltop view. Located 5 mi. west of Paul. 3,000 sq. ft. home. Many updates incl. DW, cooktop stove and refig w/ice maker. Living room on main floor + larger family room downstairs. 2 large floored attics for storage. Must sell soon! \$190,000. Call Trell 208-670-8735 cell

**TWIN FALLS** Free Home Search www.twinfallshomeinfo.com Free list of foreclosures www.twinfallsforeclosures.com Exit Realty

**TWIN FALLS** Large family home, priced to sell at \$89/sq. ft. 5 bdrm, 3.5 bath, nice location, newer, 3 car garage, stainless steel appls, incl. double oven range, \$259,000. twinfallshomeforsale.blogspot.com 208-734-0944 or 208-731-0701

**TWIN FALLS**  
  
Priced Reduced! Seller pays 3% of buyers closing costs! Nice 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 2 car garage, huge fenced yard \$124,900. 2068 Falls Ave E., 208-404-4799

### 512 Farms/Ranches/Dairies

**ELY, NEVADA** Farm for Lease/Crop Share-1800+/- acres in White Pine County, NV. Pivot irrigated, wells, majority in new alfalfa and some irrigated pasture. Mt Wheeler Electric Rates. Contact 702-402-1340

### 513 Acreage and Lots

**FILER** Horse Property 1+ acre, 3 bdrm, 2 bath, fireplace, all kitchen appls, covered patio, 2 car attached garage, auto sprinklers, 3 rail fenced pasture and corral, 12x24 shed, firepit, \$195,000 will be listing with agent, in 2 mos at higher price. 208-731-6878

**KIMBERLY** 3.78 acres. Pressurized water, horses okay. Fantastic views. Asking price \$85,000. 208-734-6158 or 208-404-1003

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### Thursday's Puzzle Solved

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### 514 Income Property

**TWIN FALLS** 101 Apex Ex. cond. Each unit 3 bdrm, 2 bath, garages, laminate floors in half, rents for \$700/mo. 379 Lenore St. Priced to move fast. \$285,000. 208-720-7345

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### 518 Mobile Homes

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### TWIN FALLS

  
Approx 24x48 3 bdrm, 2 bath mobile home, forced heat, in 62+ park, DW doesn't work. No W/D, new furniture can be purchased. John 208-735-0333

### 519 Cemetery Lots

**CEMETERY LOT** Filer IOOF Cemetery, 1 plot, \$475. Call Susan 324-5327 or 329-9547

Classifieds. The answer to all your questions. 733-0931 ext. 2

### RENTAL PROPERTIES

### 601 Furnished Homes

**JEROME** 1/2 way to Wendell, VERY SMALL 1 bdrm, appls, \$350 + dep. No alcohol/drugs. 324-7901

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**2 FALLS PROPERTY MGMT** 1-3 bdrm homes available & 1-3 bdrm apts avail. in Twin Falls, Kimberly, Buhl, Jerome, Eden, Filer, & Shoshone. \$350-\$775. Some accept pets. Please call for listing. 208-212-1678.

**BUHL** In country 2 bdrm., 2 bath, remodeled house. Includes stove and refig. Call 208-543-6896.

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**FILER** 1-3 bdrm houses and apts ranging from Twin Falls to Burley. 208-423-4301 or 909-881-2045

**FILER** 2 bdrm, 2 bath mobile home, new bath with soaker tub, \$515 includes water/sewer/garbage, no smoking/pets. 208-720-4255

**FILER** Country 5 bdrm 3 1/2 bath, pellet stoves horse property \$2000 NEW Windows 3 bdrm appl \$800 TWIN FALLS 6 bdrm 2 bath, \$900 Cozy 1 bdrm, new windows, appliances, water included, \$450. The Management Co. 733-0739

**FILER** extra clean, 2 bdrm mobile with lg storage bldg. Low heat bill, great area, \$380 inclds water, no pets, references. 208-326-5887.

**GOODING** Small cozy 2 bdrm house. Appliances included for \$600 or no appliances \$550 per month. Security deposit \$500. Call 539-1130.

**HAGERMAN** 2 bdrm and 3 bdrm houses, \$375 - \$625. W/D, stove, refig. 539-9178

**JEROME** 3 bdrm, 1 bath, clean, good area! \$700 + \$500 deposit. Call 280-0414. AVAILABLE NOW!

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By Dave Green

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### Answer to previous puzzle

7	8	4	1	9	3	6	2	5
6	1	9	5	2	7	8	3	4
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**IF JANUARY 15 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY:** Avoid getting involved in a wild goose chase during the next four weeks. Your romantic eyes might visualize a heart of gold that turns out to be merely foil wrap. You are somewhat gullible where your money and emotions are concerned, so avoid beginning any major project. The last half of March and first week of April is ideal for a vacation, but you are more astute than usual with business matters, so don't waste that time on anything petty. August is the best month to launch important plans or make crucial decisions.



**ARIES (March 21-April 19):** Tone down your enthusiasm if someone is playing hard to get because he or she believes in abstinence before commitment.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20):** You might not be the life of the party, but are appreciated as the dependable, attention-to-detail person.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20):** Etiquette requires restraint and diplomacy. Your social activities may be hampered by the need for formality.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22):** During the next several weeks, experience may point out that you need to connect with people who are calm, prudent, and reassuring.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22):** A new flame might deliberately keep you at arm's length until the boundaries of a relationship can be explored more thoroughly.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22):** You know that present indulgence can result in future hardship. You are likely to watch your pennies with care.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22):** A blind date or first encounter of the romantic kind should not be conducted as though it was a job interview.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21):** Right now your latest playmate could appear overly reserved or may expect you to follow the rules. Patience may be rewarded.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21):** If walking a mental tightrope between business and pleasure, you will be at ease about saying what you think.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19):** The effective use of your resources is motivating. Treat your finances with care, as fools and their money are soon parted.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18):** You may admire thrift and economy. Strict ways might not add to the party, but bring a definite sense of security.

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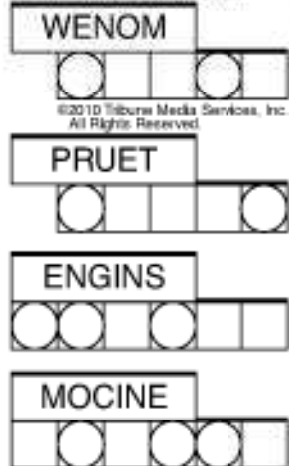
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**FREE** to a good home, Shih Tzu, white, male. Call 208-490-0385

**FRENCH BULLDOG/Boston Terrier** puppy will be 8 wks. Jan. 27", 1 female left, \$500. 208-308-6636

**GOLDEN RETRIEVER AKC Reg.** Males, \$200. Females, \$250. Shots, dewclaws removed. Parents on site. 208-539-2469

**HAVANESE AKC reg.** female & also 4 mixed breed males. Please call 208-604-6579.

**JACK RUSSELL TERRIERS** purebred, no papered, mom & dad on site, born 11/26, \$3000/offer. Heyburn 208-329-2178 or 431-5530

**LABS** 4 chocolate females 1 chocolate male, 2 black males, reg. exc hunting backgrounds, Dewclaws, 1" shots, avail 2/2. 208-312-7690.

**LABS** For Sale: Golden & Black. Born 11/15. Hunting parents on site! Males \$200. Females \$250. 208-934-5919

**LAKELAND TERRIER** 1 year old neutered male, AKC Reg. \$400. Call 208-543-9897.

**LHASA APSO** 1 male, 1 female, parti-colored, AKC Reg., 6 weeks old, \$200. 208-358-2253

**MIXED BREED** Big, fluffy pups! Mom is 1/2 Siberian Husky, 1/4 Malamute, 1/4 Wolf, 1 male/1 female 6 wks. \$40 each. 208-329-0998

**PEKINGESE** 1 male, 9 wks old & 2 females, 2 yrs old & 3 yrs old. All shots, house trained. 734-9476



**PEKINGESE** Puppies born November 14" 2 females and 1 male 1" shots no papers. Call 280-2961 or 280-1102.

**PIT BULL** puppy, male, 9 wks old, beautiful color, well behaved, \$150. Call 208-948-5318

**POMERANIAN** Puppies, 1 male, 1 female, AKC Reg. 1" shots, 8 wks, beautiful fluffy loving babies, \$300 ea. 208-436-6787 Rupert

**POMERANIAN** Puppies, 1 male, 1 female, 10 weeks old. First shots. Can be papered. \$175 or best offer. 208-890-0420

**POMERANIAN** pups, purebred, 1 male, 1 female, 11 wks old, 1" shots. Call for details 539-5604

**POODLE** (Standard) cream & white, first shots and wormed. Ready now! [www.poodlepuppies.weebly.com](http://www.poodlepuppies.weebly.com) Call 208-944-0429

**SALT WATER CORALS** Call after 5pm 208-329-2989

**SCOTCH PINES DOG TRAINING** Specializing in off leash obedience, 16 years in the Treasure Valley. New to the Magic Valley. 10 week course \$200. Begins Sat. Jan. 16" [www.scotchpinesdogtraining.com](http://www.scotchpinesdogtraining.com) [twopartpraise@cablone.net](mailto:twopartpraise@cablone.net) Stephanie & Belle 208-484-5284

## 704 Pets and Pet Supplies



**SCOTTISH TERRIER AKC Reg.** Puppies, \$500-\$400. Mild temperament, blue/black color. Shots, dewormed. Email: [coster@pml.org](mailto:coster@pml.org) or call 208-912-0309.

**TOY POODLE/ITALIAN GREYHOUND** designer breed puppies. 2 males, ready Jan. 18". \$200 ea or discount for both. 420-1666

**WANTED:** Cocker Spaniel female, blond or buff, not spayed, 2 mo-3 yrs. Reasonable price. 212-6452.

**WEIMARANER** puppies AKC reg. great hunting dogs. \$100. Call 208-324-1213

**YORKIES** AKC Registered. 3 females, 6 wks old. Very friendly parents on site. \$700. Please call or text 208-596-6113

## 705 Farm Equipment

**APACHE** Bale Feeder 24', tandem axle, 40 holes, \$3850. 208-358-1890

**BALER** 2190 with an accumulator, \$60,000 or best offer. 208-680-6209 or 208-223-4413

**FEED TRUCKS** '84 IH \$2300 with a Harsh 575 feed box & '88 IH with a Farm Shop E24 1001 feed box. Both good running trucks. Call 208-731-0135 or 208-731-1037.

**FORD** '80 F-700, \$4,500 and '84 F-700, \$5,500. Both w/Knapheide beds. Good Condition. Call 208-308-0243

**INTERNATIONAL S '84** 1900 w/D 466, Allison 653 Auto, 745 Farm shop mixer. 731-1074 / 543-4701

**JOHN DEERE** 8300 Grain Drill with grass seeder and cutti packer. \$5,000/offer. Call 308-0243

**KIRBY** 705 Feed Box, truck mount with scales, \$3500. 208-731-2459

**KUBOTA** B26 tractor loader backhoe, 26hp, \$25,900, 0%+60 mos. OAC. Call Brad at 208-420-3293.

**KUBOTA** B7510 hydro loader, 21hp, \$12,500, 0%+60 mos. OAC. Call Layne 208-670-4770.

**MANURE TRUCK** '89 IH ten wheel, '09 Burley Iron Works 27' bed. 208-731-0135 or 208-731-1037

**WANTED** 14' Sund Pickup, 8 row 22" bedder, 8 row 22" cultivator. Call 208-731-6982.

**WANTED** Corn header for international 6 row, 22 inch spacing. Call 208-431-0489

**WANTED** Tractors and other misc. repair/salvage/running. Bob, 208-312-3746

## 709 Hay Grain and Feed

**#1 QUALITY** Green Leafy Baled Hay. Alfalfa grass mix & straight alfalfa Southern Idaho Feeds 347 South Park Ave W. Twin Falls 208-732-5270

**ALFALFA** 160 ton 2" & 3" cutting, 2-string bales, no rain, \$100 ton, 87 bale minimum. Jerome 308-7484

**ALFALFA HAY** 1 ton bales \$70-\$120/ton. Can deliver. Call 208-539-5642.

**ALFALFA HAY** 4x4x8 bales, 760 ton 1st crop, 476 ton 2nd crop RFW 161, 410 ton 3rd crop RFW 181, 25 ton Straw, 208-678-3138

**ALFALFA HAY** small bales 1" no rain \$75-\$90 a ton, 2" \$100 a ton, 3" \$85 a ton. West of Twin Falls. Call 208-731-0514.

**ALFALFA ORCHARD GRASS** mixed hay, 1" cutting \$70/ton, 2" cutting \$75/ton. No rain. Hollister. Call 208-731-1005.

**HAY** 1 ton bales, all 3 cuttings. Call 208-420-5138

**HAY** All 3 crops, approximately 100 tons, small bales. 208-543-4113 or 208-490-1098

**HAY AND STRAW** for sale. Small bales. 208-316-2413 leave message.

**HAY** Exc. quality, 2" & 3" cutting 100 lb. 2 string bales, \$7/bale. Wendell 208-539-0201

**HAY FOR SALE** 3 cuttings, good quality, close to Twin. 208-733-2520

**HAY FOR SALE** Small Bales, Delivery in MY area Horse Pro Shop 434-4404; 431-9098

## 709 Hay Grain and Feed

**HAY** for sale, feeder hay, oat hay & straw. 4x4 bales. Call 208-731-3471

**HAY** Good quality, green, no rain. Big bales, 80 tons grass, 80 tons 1" cutting, 120 tons 2" cutting, 100 tons 3" cutting. 731-6458 Duhi

**HAY** 160 ton oats-alfalfa mix, small bales, 4 ton minimum, \$75 ton. Call 208-539-7804.

**HORSE HAY** 3" cutting, 125 lbs. 3-string, green, barn stored, \$10/bale. 208-324-7148

**OAT HAY** 50 ton and New Seeding 50 ton, 2-string bales, excellent condition. 208-539-2627

**SILAGE** 1" hay & oat mix, approx 3000 tons, covered, call for test & price. Daily delivery avail. 431-3278

**STRAW** 4x4x8 bales, \$50 delivered. Call 208-680-6209 or 208-223-4413

**STRAW/HAY** For Sale: Large bales of straw \$25 a bale. Oat hay and alfalfa hay \$90 a bale. 734-5044

**T.S.C. Hay Retrieving** 200 ton raised on 1" cutting. \$50/ton + hauling. Call Con at 208-280-0839

## 712 Miscellaneous AG

**WANTED:** Beet shares in the Magic Valley, rent or purchase. 208-260-0085

## 713 Farms/Pasture Rentals

**BEET** 5 miles for rent Northwest of Paul, 5 ground to dump, 2 pivots, one or both. 208-300-1557

## MISCELLANEOUS

## 801 Antiques/Collectibles

**BIRTHDAY PHOTOS** Have you forgotten to pick-up your birthday photos? We have some photos we are sure you don't want us to lose. These can be picked up at The Times-News Classified Dept

**JOHN DEERE** 1/16 scale Ertl production classic die cast collectibles. 20 tractors & 5 implements, mint with coins, booklets, boxes and a little dust. \$3000 plus one free tractor worth \$200. 208-731-3480

## 802 Appliances

**USED APPLIANCES** All types & models. Starting price \$85 w/warranties. Appliance Repairs. Delivery available. Call 208-733-0114

**WASHER/DRYER** \$200. Upright freezer, \$200. Stainless steel glass top range, \$275 & matching refrigerator. \$500. 308-2188 (TF)

## 803 Bazaars and Crafts

**Buy It! Sell It!** A Times-News Classified Will fill every need. Call Today 208-733-0931 ext 2 or visit us online at [www.magicvalley.com](http://www.magicvalley.com)

## 804 Building Materials

**BASE GRAVEL** 2" and GRAVEL delivered Call 208-539-1444

## 805 Electronics

**STEREO**, large, with tower speakers includes phonograph, cassette & radio, \$50/offer. Val, 316-5804.

## 809 Firewood

**DRY PINE** Split and delivered, 1 cord, \$190. 2 or more, \$180. 5 cords, \$165 per cord. You haul. \$160. Also logs, posts and poles. 208-324-6958 or 208-308-1292

**FIREWOOD** cut/split, \$115 pickup load. \$150 per cord, you pick up. \$175 per cord delivered. 324-7697

**FIREWOOD** Dry, ready to burn, split, delivery available or pick up. Call 208-324-8284

**LOG DOGS FIREWOOD** Split, delivered & stacked. Call Ross 208-539-6837 or Shane 208-539-3602.

## 810 Furniture & Carpet

**DINING TABLE** 4 oak chairs & table, great condition. \$100. Call 208-241-9506 (Twin Falls)

**RECLINER** Large, almost new, mauve/rose colored fabric, \$300, 208-736-4621

**RECLINER LIFT CHAIR** extra large, in excellent shape, \$350/offer. Call Val 316-5804.

## 812 Auctions

**All American Auction** We Buy Estates Appraisal Service On-Site Auctions 208-731-4567 [www.idahoauctionbarn.com](http://www.idahoauctionbarn.com)

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## 813 Jewelry

**RINGS** man's band widamonds, \$75. woman's band widamonds, \$75. Woman's diamond solitaire, \$100. Ruby ring guard, \$100. Call 539-1464.

## 815 Exercise Equipment

**FITNESS EQUIPMENT BLOW OUT** Up to 80% off. Treadmills, ellipticals, 1520 Fillmore St. Twin Falls 208-736-2446

**NORDIC TRACK** Freemotion 360 home gym -Used 4 times, brand new from Sears. \$350/offer. Call 208-420-0467

## 816 Miscellaneous

**Dietrich School District** is looking to put up lights for our football field. We need 1000-1500 watt metal halide lights if possible. Any usable underground wire, poles to mount them on, control boxes, etc. We are starting from scratch so we need it all. 316-0007 or 544-2823.

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**KINETICO Reverse Osmosis** drinking water system, used, 1 owner, new filters, \$1200/offer. 410-3168

**OFFICE & Exercise equipment** from physical therapy office, 12 piece circuit exercise equipment. Desk, chairs, 4 piece Dicks Unlimited collector picture set, 2 locking oak trophy cabinets, \$250/each, 3 6 ft. vertical looking file cabinets \$150/each. 208-736-1004

**STORE CLOTHING RACKS** (b) like new, solid, heavy duty, 36" round chrome racks! Adjustable heights. Original \$300 ea. Buy all for \$500. 208-539-1558

**WATER HEATER** 75 gallon, gas, 2 years old, money back guarantee, \$300. Call 208-324-3280 eves.

**WOOD LATHE** JML-1014 Mini Jet, with extended bed, \$250 or best offer. Call 208-737-9410.

## 817 Musical Instruments

**CLASSIFIEDS** It pays to read the fine print. Call the Times-News to place your ad. 208-733-0931 ext. 2

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**WANTED** Antiques and estates, old pottery pictures, horse tack, quilts, toys, Indian and cowboy items, magazines. 208-324-4721 or 208-539-4721

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