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## JFAC prepares to set education budget

By Ben Botkin  
Times-News writer

BOISE — Legislators are preparing to set a budget for public education on Monday that has a 7.5 percent overall cut but offers more freedom in how school districts spend the dollars they get.

The Joint Finance-Appropriations Committee on Friday examined the preliminary public schools budget for fiscal year 2011,

which could still see changes before it's sent to the House and Senate for a final vote. The \$1.58 billion budget is a reduction from this year, but the bulk of cuts come because federal stimulus dollars that aided this year's budget will dwindle from \$145.7 million to just \$7.4 million.

While there's a 7.5 percent cut in the entire budget, state general funding is being cut by 1.4 percent, or

\$17 million. The preliminary budget comes on the heels of meetings with the education community and legislators.

"Our goal of the whole group was to try and find consensus and move as much money as we could to the local districts," said JFAC Co-chairman Sen. Dean Cameron, R-Rupert.

Here's how the budget gives districts flexibility:

The state's budget for public schools usually has

line items that designate funding for mandated purposes like technology, classroom supplies, and textbooks.

In the proposed budget, those line items are removed, creating more freedom for school districts to decide where to allocate funds.

School districts receive discretionary funding from the state, which can be spent where needed. In the end,

the budget proposal means that school boards, not legislators, will decide what the priorities are when budgeting discretionary funds.

Rep. Maxine Bell, R-Jerome, co-chairwoman of JFAC, encouraged the committee to spend the weekend reflecting about the proposal.

"We're on an unknown road," she said.

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## Lawmakers question salary report

By Ben Botkin  
Times-News writer

BOISE — A report of school district salary raises is raising more questions than answers among lawmakers.

There's one understood side of the report, and then there's another that's less visible, some legislators say.

One side shows that 37.4 percent of administrative employees and 44.2 percent of teachers in Idaho schools are making more this year while the state prepares to slash the public education budget. The side that isn't seen contains the reasons for the raises and how districts made local decisions, said Rupert Republican Sen. Dean Cameron, co-chairman of the Joint Finance-Appropriations Committee.

"I'm asking Superintendent Luna to review the report," Cameron said on Friday.

The Idaho State Department of Education report was passed on to legislators from the agency in response to a records request.

Melissa McGrath, spokeswoman for the state agency, noted that the report was provided without an opinion or analysis, which is how responses to records requests are made.

At the same time, Superintendent of Public Instruction Tom Luna has expressed surprise at the dollar amount, calling it "\$22 million in pay increases that could have been used to preserve successful classroom programs."

Cameron said there are reasonable explanations for the raises that the report does not explain. Examples include promotions or employees getting raises after taking on extra duties.

"There's concern about the accuracy of that report," Cameron said.

Also, while state funding was frozen last year for teacher raises based on their experience, that wasn't the case for raises based on obtaining more education, such as a master's degree.

Ultimately, whether to give more raises to employees from other sources of funds is a decision for local school districts.

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## Senate OKs 'conscience' bill for health care workers

By John Miller  
Associated Press writer

BOISE — After long and emotional debate on Friday, Senators voted 21-13 to allow pharmacists, nurses and other health-care workers to opt out of providing assistance for abortions, stem-cell therapy, emergency contraception or end-of-life care, if they first tell their employers first the procedures violate their conscience.

The measure now goes to the House, where a similar bill aimed at giving pharmacists conscience protections passed 48-21 last year before stalling in the Senate Health and Welfare Committee. This year's measure, written by anti-abortion activists, bypassed that committee and went to the Senate State Affairs panel where it passed on a 6-3 vote.

Backers including Sen. Chuck Winder, R-Boise, said this wasn't a "right-wing scheme" brought by a "bunch of religious fanatics," rather a heartfelt effort to provide all health care workers with protections against having to do something against their moral or ethical beliefs.

It won't absolve nurses or pharmacists of their duty to provide the best care possible, added Sen. Russ Fulcher, R-Meridian.

"It was never the intent of the authors and sponsors of this bill to try to change in any way what

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## Police break up senior poker game



ASHLEY SMITH/Times-News

Shirley Basham, 75, reaches for poker chips during a game with friends Friday afternoon in Twin Falls.

## Law takes dim view of gambling at senior center

By Andrea Jackson  
Times-News writer

Older than most law breakers, a group of Twin Falls seniors muster little remorse for having played Texas Hold'em.

After all, their weekly games made them happy and shouldn't be illegal, according to some area poker enthusiasts in their golden years.

But police say nothing in the law permits Idahoans to gamble at any age. Earlier this month authorities went to the Twin Falls Senior Center and explained that weekly poker games

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WATCH a video of some of the senior poker players.

there were illegal and had to end.

About 20 seniors had played at the center for more than five years despite failing vision, fading memory and limited mobility, five of the seniors said on Friday.

They enjoyed playing poker at the center and gave an estimated \$400 to \$500 to it per month. Each player would put in \$20 to play, and the pot

would be split among the top chip holders.

A handful of seniors from the poker group said Friday they didn't know what they were doing was illegal.

Because of contributions given to the center, "we thought we were legal," said Ora Deahl, 73.

Deahl and four other seniors met to play cards on Friday at 80-year-old Doris Williams' Twin Falls home.

They tried playing the legal way last week at the center without money, but it just wasn't as much fun, they said.

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## After beating U.S., carousing Canadian women's hockey team raises eyebrows

By Jocelyn Noveck  
Associated Press writer

NEW YORK — They worked hard, they triumphed, and then they partied hard — the way athletes so often do.

And yet the photos of the Canadian women hockey players joyously feting their gold medal with beer, champagne and cigars struck some as jarring, or at least

inappropriate. And the International Olympic Committee said it was looking into the incident, which took place on the Olympic ice after fans had left.

On Twitter, Facebook and other venues across the Web, many were debating whether the scrutiny was fair. Most seemed to think it wasn't, and a number thought it smacked of sexism, conscious or not.

"I'm gobsmacked at the reaction," said Kara DeFrias, a writer from San Diego who expressed her thoughts on Twitter, calling officials hypocrites for even looking into the matter.

"If this were the men's team, would anybody be saying one word about it?" asked DeFrias, in a followup telephone interview. "Of course not. It would be no big deal, because boys will be

boys. I absolutely think they singled these players out because they're women."

In fact, DeFrias said, for her, it was nice to see these exuberant players erupt in joy. "I'm excited that they were celebrating in a way that they felt appropriate to celebrate," she said.

And celebrate they did. Photos showed player Haley

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Canada's Meghan Agosta smokes a cigar after Canada beat USA 2-0 on Thursday to win the women's gold medal ice hockey game at the Vancouver 2010 Olympics in Vancouver, British Columbia.

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## Pat's Picks

Three things to do today

Pat Marcantonio



● When I was a kid, the best gift I received was a book. Today the Kiwanis club will give free books to kids at 11 a.m. at the DeMary Memorial Library, 471 Seventh St., Rupert. There also will be refreshments and activities.

● Have a good time and support your community. The Furr Ball fundraiser benefits People for Pets Magic Valley Humane Society from 7 to 11 p.m. at the Turf Club. Tickets are \$20 each or \$35. There will be food, fun and dance. You can also dance and eat at the Renaissance Ball, Banquet and Auction at 6 p.m. at the Best Western Inn and Convention Center, 800 N. Overland Ave.,

Burley. This benefits the Historic Wilson Building and Theatre in Rupert. Tickets are \$40 at the Renaissance Arts Center office, 610 Fremont St., or 436-2787.

● The Fab Five, national finalists on NBC's "Americas Got Talent," perform at 7:30 p.m. at the King Fine Arts Center, 2100 Parke Ave., Burley. City resident Shaundalee Morgan and her four sisters from Utah perform new clogging routines. Tickets are \$8 to \$10.

*Have your own pick to share? Something unique to the area that may surprise people? E-mail me at [patm@magicvalley.com](mailto:patm@magicvalley.com).*

## Salaries

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"Many of these districts were wise enough not to negotiate every dollar away, and the teachers were wise enough to not ask for every dollar," Cameron said.

Rep. Jim Patrick, R-Twin Falls, said the full picture isn't shown in the report.

"It's kind of a deception," he said. "We've got to look at the details, because some school districts have

laid off people."

McGrath said while there are some valid reasons for increases, the final statewide outcome led to Luna's statement. "The percentages and the final data that came out were still somewhat surprising," she said.

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## Poker

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Williams explained that there's more of a rush in winning when money is involved. "It doesn't have to be a lot," she said.

Most of them developed a fondness for poker in their golden years, which surprises Shirley Basham, 75. She said she learned the game from her husband on their honeymoon — but it was a more risqué version of strip poker, she joked.

Now she said she likes card games because it doesn't place much physical strain on her and offers a fun way to socialize. "I can sit for years," said Basham.

Player Norman Pohl uses a wheelchair and agreed.

"I don't have many things that I can do," he said. "I met so many people ... I would look for it every week."

In Idaho, illegal gambling involves "risking any money, credit, deposit or other thing of value for gain contingent in whole or in part upon lot, chance, the operation of a

gambling device or the happening or outcome of an event, including a sporting event, the operation of casino gambling including, but not limited to, blackjack, craps, roulette, poker, bacarrat [baccarat'] or keno."

With the senior center, authorities became involved after getting an anonymous complaints about the weekly games. The seniors don't know who called police, but all agreed they want to know.

The seniors said they like to gamble within reasonable limits. "There are some of us who don't get to play every week because of our budgets," said Basham.

The group said they want to play poker with money again at the center, and would support a law change.

Last week, the Legislature passed a bill to the governor that could give authorities discretion to not investigate or prosecute all gambling reports. Gambling is a misdemeanor.

And a top local authority supports it. "It is a misdemeanor crime for a prosecutor to fail to prosecute someone who fills out an NCAA tournament bracket," said Twin Falls County Prosecutor Grant Loebes. "That seems, at best, to be a waste of law enforcement resources."

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### CLARIFICATION

## Work starts March 10 on Jerome streets

Construction to install a sidewalk, curb, gutter and other improvements on Jerome's Eighth Avenue and Date Street is scheduled to begin March 10 with the contract period beginning Monday. A story in Friday's Times-News was unclear about the dates.

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## TODAY'S HAPPENINGS

### ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

**Auditions for Magic Valley's Got Talent competition**, all talents and ages welcome, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., Lighthouse Christian Fellowship, 960 Eastland Drive, Twin Falls, (10 finalists perform at March 26 finale; first-place prize is \$2,500), anyone may watch the auditions, registration forms: [magicvalleysgottalent.com](http://magicvalleysgottalent.com), admission or audition fee is one can of food, 737-1425, ext. 102.

**Mad Potter's Tea Party**, "unbirthday celebration" and tea party, food and drinks, 10 a.m. to noon, Hands On, 147 Shoshone St. N., Twin Falls, features ceramic painting, \$25 per person, reservations: 736-4475.

**Magic Valley Youth Orchestra Spring Concert**, 3 p.m., College of Southern Idaho Fine Arts Center auditorium, 315 Falls Ave., Twin Falls, \$2 suggested donation, 423-9086.

**"Rumpelstiltskin"** a 35-minute musical adaptation presented by St. Thomas Playhouse, 3 p.m., Iconoclast Books, 335 N. Spruce Ave., Ketchum, no cost, 726-5349.

**Third Annual Family of Woman Film Festival**, with the showing of **"Bliss"** at 3 p.m. and **"Mrs. Goundo's Daughter"** at 7 p.m., nexStage Theatre, 120 S. Main St. Ketchum, \$15 per film, 726-4857.

**Marley in the Mountains**, festival celebrating musician Bob Marley's birthday, Carlos Jones and the PLUS Band perform, 5 to 7 p.m., no cost, Grammy-winning reggae artist Michael Rose, 7:30 to 10 p.m., \$5, Sun Valley Center for the Arts' lot on Second Avenue and Fourth Street, Ketchum; and Dance hall with Jamaican veteran Ken Serious, Lions Den Sounds, DJ Vision, African Abstract Sound System and surprise guests, 10 p.m., Whiskey Jacques, \$10, (benefits Sawtooth National Forest Avalanche Center), \$20 raffle tickets available at Wood River Valley retailers, 720-5431 or 721-8721.

**Eighth Annual Renaissance Ball**, banquet and auction, "Somewhere Over the Rainbow," 6 p.m., dinner at 7 p.m., Best Western Inn and Convention Center, 800 N. Overland Ave., Burley, fundraiser for Wilson Building and Theatre in Rupert, activities: balloon blast with prizes (balloons are \$10 each; three for \$25), live auction and silent auction, \$40 per person, Renaissance Arts Center Inc. office, 610 Fremont St., Rupert, or 436-2787.

**"Give My Regards to Broadway,"** presented by JuMP Company, 7 p.m., Roper Auditorium at Twin Falls High School, \$7 general, \$9 reserved seating at the Mail Room, 731-4655.

**The Fab Five clogging ensemble** national finalists on NBC's "Americas Got Talent," perform at 7:30 p.m. at King Fine Arts Center, 2100 Parke Ave., Burley, tickets: \$8 to \$10, at the door and Book Plaza in Burley, 878-5464.

**"Classical Piano: An Evening of Russian Music,"** by Sun Valley Winter Artist Series, 8 p.m., Church of the Big Wood, 100 Saddle Road, Ketchum, Pianists Peter Henderson and Susan Spelius Dunning perform, 7 p.m., dessert reception follows concert., \$35 adults, \$15 students, at [svwas.org](http://svwas.org) or 725-5807.

**"Snoopy, The Musical,"** presented by College of Southern Idaho Theater Department, 8 p.m., CSI Fine Arts Center theater, 315 Falls Ave., Twin Falls, \$8 adults, \$6 seniors and students, [tickets.csi.edu](http://tickets.csi.edu), CSI's Fine Arts box office or 732-6781.

**"The Glass Menagerie"** presented by Company of Fools, 8 p.m., Liberty Theatre, 110 N. Main St., Hailey, \$25 adults, \$18 seniors (62 or older), \$10 students (18 and younger), groups six or more \$18 per ticket, 578-9122 or [www.companyoffools.com](http://www.companyoffools.com).

### BENEFITS AND FUNDRAISERS

**Cell Phones for Soldiers**, noon to 4 p.m., 1563 Fillmore 2E, Twin Falls, refreshments and food provided, (each donated phone can buy a calling card up to 100 minutes), 733-5525.

**Mardi Gras fundraiser**, dinner, wine, door prizes, and dancing, 5:30 to 8:30 p.m., Blaine County Senior Connection, 721 Third Ave. N., Hailey, \$15 seniors, \$25 non-seniors, limited seating, 788-3468.

**Second Annual Furr Ball fundraiser**, entertainment, with food, no-host bar, silent auction and raffle items, 7 to 11 p.m., Turf Club, 734 Falls Ave., Twin Falls, (benefits People for Pets Magic Valley Humane Society), \$20 per person or \$35 per couple at the Twin Falls Animal Shelter/Humane Society or at the door, 736-2299.

### CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

**Christian Men's Fellowship and no-host breakfast**, 7 to 8:30 a.m., Depot Grill, Twin Falls, no cost, 733-5501.

**Minidoka County 4-H leaders beef weigh-in**, 8 to 10 p.m., Minidoka County Fairgrounds, 85 East Baseline Road, Rupert, 436-7184

**Silver Spurs Equestrian Team horse clinic**, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Silver Tree Indoor Arena, 3196 E. 3500 N., (two miles south of Twin Falls), horsemanship/reining clinic by Paul Butler, (20 riders limit), \$110 plus arena fee, preregister: 539-5804, 358-3200, or 731-9812.

**2010 Blaine County 4-H Hairy Horse Show**, 9 a.m., River Stage Stables, Bellevue, variety of competitions and judging, bring lunch, hot chocolate provided, \$5 arena fee and \$2 fee per event, 788-5585 or 241-4911.

**Corpus Cove Arena**, rodeo, 7 p.m., 1731 E. 3900 N., Filer, \$5 adults, no cost for children, (a senior project of Mark Durham at Filer High School), 733-2145.

**Mini-Cassia Adult Singles Regional Conference**, 8 a.m. to 11:30 p.m., Declo

Stake Center, 213 W. Main St., snowshoeing and sledding, foods, humanitarian project, fireside and concert with Preston Pugmire, must be 31 or older and single, LDS dress standards, \$10 donation, 438-8346 or 431-9628.

### HEALTH AND WELLNESS

**Health fair**, with lab tests, fasting for 12 hours recommended, 7 to 10 a.m., Holy Trinity Episcopal Parish Hall, 909 Maple St., Buhl, \$7.50 for basic cholesterol/triglyceride test, \$7 for comprehensive metabolic blood profile, no cost for blood pressure readings, (coffee, juice and muffins available after blood drive, no cost), 543-4995.

**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, 7 to 11 a.m., Twin Falls Curves, 690 Blue Lakes Blvd. N., no cost for Humana Gold- insured or AARP provided by Secure Horizons, 734-7300.

### LIBRARY

**Dr. Seuss' birthday celebration**, with Rupert Kiwanis and Key Club, story time, snacks and games, 11 a.m., DeMary Memorial Library, 471 Seventh St., Rupert, every child will receive a book, 436-3874.

**Bargain B's Sale**, by Friends of Burley Library, during library hours, Burley Public Library, 1300 Miller Ave., all used books by authors with last names starting with a B sold for 50 cents, 878-7708 or [valerie@bplbrary.org](mailto:valerie@bplbrary.org).

**Scholastic Book Fair**, come in early to get books, during library hours, DeMary Memorial Library, 471 Seventh St., Rupert, 436-3874.

### MUSEUMS

**Faulkner Planetarium** at Herrett Center for Arts and Science presents **"The Planets"** at 2 and 7 p.m.; **"WSKY: Radio Station of the Stars"** with live sky tour at 4 p.m.; and **"Led Zeppelin" Maximum Volume I** at 8:15 p.m., education-show tickets: \$4.50 for adults, \$3.50 for seniors and \$2.50 for students, family special: 4:50 adults, up tp five minor children for \$1, any additional children \$2.50; tickets for the 8:15 p.m. show are \$4.50 for all ages, (no cost for children under age two for all shows), 732-6655.

**To have an event listed or to make meeting changes**, please submit the name of the event, a brief description, time, place, cost and contact number to Mirela Sulejmanovic by e-mail at [msulejmanovic@magicvalley.com](mailto:msulejmanovic@magicvalley.com); by phone, 735-3278; by fax, 734-5538; or by mail, Times-News, P.O.Box 548, Twin Falls, ID 83303-0548. Deadline is noon, four days before the event.

## Conscience

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licensed health care professionals disclose," Fulcher said. "That hasn't been touched. The only thing this does is it allows non-physicians and other licensed health care professionals to have the same (rights) that physicians currently have."

Doctors in Idaho already have similar protections.

Opponents say the bill may have unintended consequences and invite litigation.

Senate Minority Leader Kate Kelly, D-Boise, said victims of incest or rape could wind up without adequate counseling or emergency-contraception drugs when they need them most.

"As a matter of freedom, she should be entitled to know all the options available to her," Kelly said. "Then, she should be able to make that choice."

Others including Sen. Les Bock, D-Boise, feared this will complicate already-difficult decisions about how people like his 95-year-old mother are allowed to die. Sen. Joyce Broadsword, R-Sagle, also said the bill's tinkering with end-of-life issues turned her against it.

"I probably could have supported this legislation had the authors not included the end-of-life portion," Broadsword said.

According to Senate Bill 1353, "Employers of health care professionals shall reasonably accommodate the conscience rights of their employees...upon advanced written notification by the employee."

Employers couldn't discriminate against health-

care professionals based on their declining to provide services that violate their conscience — "unless the employer can demonstrate that such accommodation poses an undue hardship." Professionals also can't be held "civilly, criminally or administratively liable" for declining to provide health care services, "except for life threatening situations."

When a health care professional invokes a conscience right in a life-threatening situation where no other care is available, they would still have to provide services until an alternative caregiver is found.

The measure's authors, activists David Ripley and Christ Troupis, maintain that exception will make sure people from Idaho's rural areas with limited access to pharmacies and hospitals won't be denied legal, constitutionally protected services.

"We require that in small communities they indeed provide that service," until that service can be provided by somebody who doesn't object, Winder said.

Even so, foes insisted rural Idaho will be most affected. Sen. Shawn Keough, R-Sandpoint, also blasted the inclusion of end-of-life care and stem-cell research in the same section of Idaho law that covers abortions and contraception. That broadens the protections now afforded doctors, she said.

"It's poorly written, it mixes issues, it ignores rural areas and invites costly lawsuits at a time when we can ill afford them," Keough said.

## Hockey

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Irwin pouring champagne into the mouth of Tessa Bonhomme. Goalies Charline Labonte and Kim St-Pierre lay on their stomachs with a giant bottle of champagne resting just above the Olympic rings. Another player, Rebecca Johnston, posed for pictures in the front seat of the ice-resurfacing machine.

More disturbingly for some, Marie-Philip Poulin, who scored both goals in Canada's 2-0 victory over the United States Thursday, had a beer in her hand. Poulin doesn't turn 19 — legal drinking age in British Columbia — until next month. The drinking age in Alberta, where the Canadian team trains, is 18.

That's what troubled hockey fan Erica Kolaski, a mother of an 8-year-old boy, the most.

"I watch the Olympics

with my son, and he always says he wants to do that, he wants to be like that," said Kolaski, of Sheboygan, Wis. "Olympic athletes are held to a higher standard, and they should act accordingly."

Besides, Kolaski added, "I just don't think the Olympic ice is the place for a party. It's no place to be drinking beer or smoking cigars, regardless of age or gender. I'd feel exactly the same if this were the men."

For some, indeed, that was the point — whether you liked or disliked the behavior, it was athletes acting like athletes, hockey players acting like hockey players, and there was something satisfying in that.

In other words, male athletes overdo it sometimes, so why can't women? That's what Lesley Jane Seymour, editor of More magazine, wanted to know.

"Why should men have a monopoly on acting like idiots?" Seymour asked.

## Education

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The Math Initiative, Reading Initiative and a remediation program are on the budget. While the programs' funding is cut, they still have a place in the budget, which is good news to Superintendent of Public Instruction Tom Luna.

Luna's mantra to legislators has been to preserve student-teacher contact time and programs that aid achievement.

"He believes that the agreement does meet those two priorities he's had," said Melissa McGrath, Luna's spokeswoman.

The budget proposal also saves \$10.13 million by cutting state funding for salaries and freezing pay

raises teachers can get from increased education and experience. For teachers and classified employees, the cut is 4 percent; for administrators, the cut is 6.5 percent.

But that doesn't mean all teachers and school administrators in Idaho will have across-the-board pay cuts. School districts can still choose to tap into other funding sources, such as reserves and state discretionary funding, to give raises.

The proposed budget also eliminates the early retirement program for teachers, an incentive award program for teachers, and trims \$2 million from the limited English proficiency program.

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## AROUND THE VALLEY

### Latham Jr. seeks bond reduction

A former operator of the shuttered Latham Motors in Twin Falls is behind bars and wants his \$500,000 bond reduced, according to court records.

Robert Latham Jr., 50, is accused of felony domestic battery, three counts of destruction of a telecommunication line or instrument, and two counts of violation of a no-contact order.

On Feb. 19, during a preliminary hearing his prior posted bond of about \$200,000 was revoked and reset to about \$500,000, according to court records.

On Feb. 24, Latham's lawyer motioned the court for a reduction. "The offense with which the defendant (Latham) is charged is a bailable offense and the bail now set is excessive," the motion reads.

The motion is set to be heard by a judge March 10, according to court records.

Twin Falls County Sheriff's Office spokeswoman Lori Stewart con-

firmed Friday that Latham was still in custody.

Latham Motors closed a year ago, before its owners, Latham and his father, Robert Latham Sr., were sued by KeyBank for \$6.4 million. The lawsuit is still pending.

### Prosecutors drop charges against Ramirez

A woman who was accused of stealing money from a homebound blind man in a wheelchair is off the hook in a felony case that prosecutors dropped Friday.

Julie Ramirez, 34, was accused of three counts of forgery of a financial transaction card and four counts of fraud.

Prosecutors say in court records that the dismissal was sought because "after further investigation the state does not believe this is a provable case."

The case unfolded after a man who an area firm paid Ramirez to watch told Wendell police that his caregiver was stealing from him.

She was accused of using the 82-year-old's credit card numerous times without his permission, according to court records.

### Warrant issued in police theft case

A Bliss man found with gear allegedly stolen gear from the Las Vegas Police Department didn't show up Friday for court. A warrant was issued for his arrest.

Quinton A. Miller, 20, is charged with burglary and theft after Twin Falls County sheriff's deputies allegedly found police tactical gear in his vehicle during a traffic stop.

The stolen gear was estimated to be worth at least \$1,182, and included belt buckles from the Las Vegas Metro Police Department, along with a baton, pepper spray, a ballistic vest and a ballistic rifle plate, according to court records.

The bench warrant for Miller's arrest sets bond at \$25,000.

— Staff reports

## Law & Disorder... ...in Cassia County

From Jan. 30 police reports:

**Driving violations:** Juan Francisco Alvarado, 20, of Burley, was pulled over for having only one headlight. "I asked Juan if he had a driver's license. Juan said he didn't have one. Juan told me he should be at home right now," Deputy Kenny Emery's report reads.

Alvarado was on his way to pick up a drunk friend, according to the report, and told police that his license was suspended for driving under the influence. He was arrested for driving without privileges.

**Driving under the influence:** A witness reported that the driver of a Pontiac Grand Am tried to run him off the road in Burley. Deputy Doug Welch pulled the vehicle over, and after questioning the occupants — two males, both 18, and a female, 17 — reportedly discovered that the males had switched positions in the driver's seat because the driver was drunk.

The one in the driver's seat described it as "doing something stupid," according to the report. The original driver was arrested for driving under the

influence. The one who switched positions with him was cited for minor consumption.

From Jan. 31 police reports:

**Domestic battery:** A Burley man, 44, reported that his girlfriend, 30, slapped him and went to her ex-boyfriend's house in Twin Falls. He declined to press charges on her for slapping him.

Deputy Kenny Emery later contacted the woman by phone — she was actually at her sister's house in Heyburn, the report notes — and questioned her about the incident. According to the report, she said the argument started when her boyfriend said she was pregnant with another man's baby and asked her to get an abortion. She didn't deny slapping him but told police that she had called her mom and that her boyfriend took the phone, threw her against a closet, pushed her to the ground, and sat on her stomach. The report was forwarded to the prosecutor's office.

— Damon Hunzeker

## 5TH DISTRICT COURT NEWS

**CASSIA COUNTY FELONY SENTENCINGS**

Spencer John Larsen, 40, possession of controlled substance, treatment diversion; possession of drug paraphernalia with intent to use, treatment diversion.

David Wayne Vogel, 39, possession of controlled substance, \$915.50 costs, \$195 restitution, 3-7 years prison, 24 days credited, retained jurisdiction; injury to a child, dismissed on motion of prosecutor; possession of drug paraphernalia with intent to use, dismissed on motion of prosecutor.

**MISDEMEANOR SENTENCINGS**

Joey Nevarez Casillas, 36, driving without privileges amended to driver's license violation, \$500 fine, \$112.50 costs, 12 months probation, 30 days jail, 29 suspended, one credited.

Javier Martinez, 48, domestic violence with no traumatic injury, guilty, deferred prosecution.

Darin George Woodbury, 40, violation of domestic violence protection order, \$100 fine.

Dennis W. Barkley, 20, alcoholic beverage violation by a minor, \$122.50 costs, 12 months probation; driving without privileges amended to driver's license violation, \$200 fine, \$87.50 costs, 12 months probation, 30 days jail, 27 suspended, three credited; possession of drug paraphernalia with intent to use, dismissed on motion of prosecutor.

Jeff James Ramos, 21, driving without privileges amended to driver's license violation, \$200 fine, \$122.50 costs, 12 months probation, 30 days jail suspended.

David W. Chantry II, 22, dispensing alcoholic beverage to a minor, guilty, withheld.

Dimitriy S. Pivenshteyn, 30, failure to stop at a checking station as required, \$118.50 fine, \$87.50 costs; failure to appear for misdemeanor citation, guilty.

Cassandra M. Stone, 22, petit theft, guilty, withheld.

**MISDEMEANOR DISMISSALS**

Patricia Ruiz, 23, battery, dismissed on motion of prosecutor.

William Wickline Kennedy, 66, battery, dismissed on motion of prosecutor.

Jamie Dawn Ricketts, 33, insufficient funds check fraud amended to public disturbance, dismissed on motion of prosecutor.

Daniel Ernest Kempton, 19, battery, dismissed on motion of prosecutor.

Dorothy Jane Wickel, 56, insufficient funds check fraud, dismissed on motion of prosecutor.

Selina Esmeralda Padron, 29, insufficient funds check fraud, dismissed on motion of prosecutor.

**MINIDOKA COUNTY FELONY DISMISSALS**

Brandon Lee Aldrich, 24, first-degree stalking, dismissed by prosecutor; intimidating a witness, dismissed by prosecutor; burglary, dismissed by prosecutor.

**DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE SENTENCINGS**

Montana Marie Otero, 34, driving under the influence, guilty, withheld; probation violation, 120 days jail, 116 suspended, four credited, 30 days community service suspended; probation violation, dismissed by prosecutor.

Benjamin Vega Castro, 51, driving under the influence (excessive), \$400 fine, \$132.50 costs, \$100 restitution, driver's license suspended 180 days, 24 months probation, 180 days jail, 170 suspended, one credited, 30 days community service suspended; driving without privileges, dismissed by prosecutor.

Zachary Mata, 20, driving under the influence (under age 21) amended to driving under the influence, \$500 fine, \$300 suspended, \$132.50 costs, 120 days jail, 110 suspended, 10 credited; providing false information to officer, driver's license suspended 90 days, 12 months probation, 90 days jail suspended, 30 days community service suspended.

**MISDEMEANOR SENTENCINGS**

Miguel Angel Otaegui Jr., 31, felony possession of controlled sub-

stance amended to possession of controlled substance, 24 months probation, 60 days jail, 33 suspended, 27 credited, probation revoked and reinstated, credit jail time towards fines and costs; carrying concealed weapon without a license, 24 months probation, 90 days jail, 63 suspended, 27 credited; three counts contempt of court, two days jail credited, two days in lieu of fines; three counts probation violation, 12 months probation, 11 days jail credited.

Jose Ballardo Ruiz, 46, putting articles on private property, \$50 fine, \$75.50 costs; failure to appear for misdemeanor citation, \$100 fine, \$75.50 costs.

Brandon Lee Aldrich, 24, violation of no-contact order, \$800 fine suspended, 24 months probation, 365 days jail, 199 suspended, 30 other time, 166 credited; probation violation, 365 days jail, 145 suspended, 168 credited, modified sentence, probation revoked, time imposed, sentence amended.

Christopher Scott Ayers, 31, driving without privileges, \$300 fine, \$90.50 costs, driver's license suspended 180 days, six months probation, 20 days jail, 18 suspended, two credited; contempt of court, dismissed by court.

Miguel Angel Otaegui Jr., 31, petit theft, \$100 fine, \$89.50 costs, 12 months probation, 90 days jail, 80 suspended, one credited; two counts battery, \$100 fine, \$87.50 costs, 180 days jail, 170 suspended; probation violation, 450 days jail, 33 credited; contempt of court, 15 days jail credited, 15 days in lieu of fines.

Sabre M. Oldham, 30, petit theft amended to willful concealment of merchandise, \$200 fine suspended, \$87.50 costs, 12 months probation, 30 days jail, 26 suspended, 30 days community service suspended.

David Andrew Young, 18, driving under the influence (under age 21) amended to inattentive or careless driving, \$300 fine, \$200 suspended, \$87.50 costs, 12 months probation, 90 days

jail, 88 suspended, 30 days community service, 28 suspended; alcoholic beverage violation, guilty.

Angela Segovia, 52, failure to purchase or invalid driver's license, \$200 fine, \$122.50 costs, 12 months probation, 30 days jail suspended.

Sean Michael Worley, 18, reckless driving amended to inattentive or careless driving, \$100 fine, \$172.50 costs, 12 months probation, 30 days jail suspended.

Juan Martinez, 18, driving without privileges (second offense) amended to driving without privileges, \$200 fine suspended, driver's license suspended 180 days, 12 months probation, 180 days jail, 162 suspended, 18 credited; driver's license violation amended to driving under the influence (under age 21), dismissed by prosecutor; alcoholic beverage violation, guilty.

Eulogio Tarin, 43, failure to purchase or invalid driver's license, \$150 fine, \$87.50 costs.

Miguel A. Alvarez-Elizondo, 22, failure to purchase liability insurance, \$100 fine, \$87.50 costs; failure to purchase or invalid driver's license, \$125 fine, \$87.50 costs.

Dawn Marie Lance, 36, having vicious and mischievous dogs, \$50 fine, \$87.50 costs.

Clayton F. Colpitts, 38, driving without privileges, 38, \$300 fine, \$102.50 costs, driver's license suspended 180 days, six months probation, 30 days jail, 28 suspended, one credited, to serve balance of 48 hours.

Efrain Arevalo, 31, driver's license violation, \$125 fine, \$87.50 costs.

**MISDEMEANOR DISMISSALS**

Mark A. Begurpe, 52, inattentive or careless driving, dismissed by court.

Ricardo Ceja-Chavez, 19, operating a motor vehicle without liability insurance, dismissed by court.

**DIVORCES FILED**

Clay Andrew Holloway, Oakley, vs. Gina Marie Holloway, Rupert

## Thompsons, McMullin address church crowd

Times-News

Paul Thompson, pastor of Eastside Baptist Church, and his 19-year-old son, Silas, returned to Twin Falls Thursday evening, after being held with church member Steve McMullin and seven other Baptists for more than two weeks in a Haitian jail.

The Thompsons and McMullin spoke to Eastside Baptist members at a gathering Friday night at the church. The public and press were not invited to the gathering, said Associate Pastor John

Martinez, even though a TV news station Friday morning erroneously announced it would be open to the public.

Martinez told the *Times-News* before the gathering that the church did not want to offend anyone who might show up, only to be turned away.

Right now Thompson just wants to visit with his congregation, Martinez said.

It was the first time the Thompsons and McMullin had seen each other since being released from jail on Feb. 17. The trio were part of

a group of 10 Baptist missionaries, some from Meridian, who traveled to Haiti to help orphaned children. They were arrested after attempting

to bring the children into the Dominican Republic without proper documents.

McMullin returned to Twin Falls on Feb. 20.


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## 5TH DISTRICT COURT NEWS

### TWIN FALLS COUNTY FELONY SENTENCINGS

Kenneth P. Worth, 20, Gooding; aiding and abetting burglary; previous sentence; 10 years penitentiary; five determinate, five indeterminate; three years probation; \$1,000 fine, \$750 suspended; paid total costs; probation revoked due to violation of probation; new sentence; 10 years penitentiary; five determinate, five indeterminate; judge granted retained jurisdiction; sentenced to 180 days to be served at the Idaho State Board of Correction; \$1,000 fine; court recommends placement in CWC.

Trent L. Reeves, 38, Twin Falls; possession of methamphetamine; four years penitentiary; two determinate, two indeterminate; three years probation; \$165.50 costs; abide my alcohol/substance abuse evaluation and treatment; 100 hours community service; \$965.33 restitution.

Isaiah M. Evans, 21, Twin Falls; battery on law enforcement officer; withheld judgment granted for three years; three years probation; \$125.50 costs; shall not possess or consume any alcoholic beverage or frequent any establishment where alcohol is the main source of income; write a letter of apology; 100 hours community service; 631.25 restitution.

Jeremy L. Kiesig, 33, Twin Falls; amended judgment to multiple counts; enticing children over the Internet; 10 years penitentiary; five determinate, five indeterminate; four counts possession of sexually exploitative material; four years penitentiary; two determinate, two indeterminate; penitentiary suspended, five years probation; sex offender treatment; personal computer access not allowed; register as sex offender.

Martin A. Buckley, 46, Twin Falls; possession of methamphetamine; seven years penitentiary; four determinate, three indeterminate; judge granted retained jurisdiction; concurrent with other sentences; sentenced to 180 days to be served at the Idaho State Board of Correction; \$165.50 costs.

James E. Bohman, 54, Buhl; unlawful possession of a firearm; five years penitentiary; two determinate, three indeterminate; consecutive to other sentence; judge granted retained jurisdiction; sentenced to 180 days to be served at the Idaho State Board of Correction; \$125.50 costs.

Kurt G. Egbert, 45, Twin Falls; possession of methamphetamine; seven years penitentiary; three determinate, four indeterminate; judge granted retained jurisdiction; sentenced to 180 days to be served at the Idaho State Board of Correction; \$165.50 costs; \$616.73 restitution; consecutive to other case; if placed on probation in the future shall perform 100 hours of community service.

Anthony G. Stonebraker, 20, Twin Falls; rape; five years penitentiary; two determinate, three indeterminate; three years probation; \$100.50 costs; \$500 public defender fee; \$1,500 restitution for psychosexual evaluation.

Victor M. Cervantes, 18, Buhl; fleeing or attempting to elude a peace officer; five years penitentiary; two determinate, three indeterminate; three years probation; \$60.50 costs; \$300 public defender fee; alcohol treatment; 100 hours community service; compete GED; written apology; driver's license suspended for one year.

Denielle M. Carper, 26, Las Vegas, Nev.; making, passing, uttering or publishing fictitious bills;

seven years penitentiary; three determinate, four indeterminate; judge granted retained jurisdiction; sentenced to 180 days to be served at the Idaho State Board of Correction; \$125.50 costs.

### FELONY DISMISSALS

Jesus A. Perez-Quinonez, 37, San Juan Capostano, Calif.; grand theft; dismissed by prosecutor; plea negotiations.

Brynn M. Close, 28, Murtaugh; aggravated assault; dismissed by prosecutor; plea negotiations.

Brian L. Sligar, 45, Buhl; issuing check without funds (\$250 or over); dismissed by prosecutor; plea negotiations.

Richard E. Cook, 21, Twin Falls; no contact order dismissed by state; for aggravated battery charge.

Scott D. Hall, 46, Twin Falls; possession of methamphetamine; dismissed by prosecutor; plea negotiations.

Charles T. Shaffer, 23, grand theft; dismissed by prosecutor; plea negotiations.

### DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE SENTENCINGS

Gary R. Perron, 31, Filer; driving under the influence; withheld judgment; \$500 fine, \$300 suspended; \$132.50 costs; 90 days jail, 88 suspended, credit for one day served, eight hours work detail; driving privileges suspended 90 days; 12 months probation; no alcohol.

Val G. Cooper, 49, Twin Falls; driving under the influence; \$500 fine, \$300 suspended; \$132.50 costs; 90 days jail, 87 suspended, three days work detail; driving privileges suspended 60 days; 12 months probation; restricted permit authorized; no alcohol.

Martin G. Lloyd, 52, Wendell; driving under the influence; \$500 fine, \$300 suspended; \$102.50 costs; 90 days jail, 88 suspended, credit for one day served, one day work detail; driving privileges suspended 90 days; restricted permit authorized; 12 months probation; no alcohol.

### MISDEMEANOR SENTENCINGS

Justin L. Smith, 31, Kimberly; driving without privileges; amended to failure to purchase/invalid license; \$500 fine, \$400 suspended; \$87.50 costs; 10 days jail suspended; six months probation.

Alberto Balles, 52, Twin Falls; malicious injury to property; amended to operating vehicle without owner's constant; \$500 fine, \$300 suspended; \$87.50 costs; 10 days jail suspended; six months probation.

Joshua J. Hughes, 28, Wendell; driving without privileges; \$500 fine suspended; \$102.50 costs, \$75 public defender fee; 90 days jail, 88 suspended, credit for two days served; driving privileges suspended 90 days; restricted permit authorized; 12 months probation.

Joseph A. O'Donnell, 67, Hansen; possession of paraphernalia; \$500 fine, \$400 suspended; \$127.50 costs; 30 days jail suspended; six months probation.

Daniel L. Hoover, 30, Twin Falls; reckless driving; \$500 fine suspended; \$87.50 costs; 30 days jail suspended; six months probation.

Rolando Gonzales-Antonio, 31, Unknown; failure to purchase/invalid license; \$500 fine, \$400 suspended; \$87.50 costs, \$75 public defender fee; 180 days jail, 176 suspended, credit for four days served; 12 months probation.

Heather D. Easley, 29, Twin Falls; failure to purchase/invalid license; \$300 fine suspended; \$87.50 costs, \$75 public defender fee; 30 days jail suspended;

six months probation; 24 hours community service.

Rogelio Diaz, 24, Burley; failure to provide insurance; \$500 fine, \$400 suspended; \$87.50 costs; 10 days jail suspended; six months probation.

Brodie R. Bybee, 27, Buhl; failed to provide proof of insurance; \$500 fine suspended; \$87.50 costs; 180 days jail, 160 suspended; 12 months probation; Tanner L. Bramon, 23, Twin Falls; Fish and Game hunt, trap or fish without license; \$500 fine suspended; \$95.50 costs; 10 days jail suspended; six months probation, hunting privileges suspended for one year; F/G hunt or possess migratory birds; \$500 fine, \$400 suspended; 10 days jail suspended; six months probation.

Levon R. Neimeyer, 35, Filer; Fish and Game hunt, trap or fish without license; \$100 fine, \$95 costs; six months probation.

### CHILD SUPPORT CASES

The State of Idaho, Department of Health and Welfare, Child Support Services have filed claims against the following:

Qwytun J. Urizaga. Seeking establishment for state reimbursement: \$409.20 foster care and child support.

Caryn M. Anderson. Seeking establishment of child support and third party care: \$158 monthly support plus 43 percent of medical expenses not covered by insurance; \$316 reimbursement of public assistance and child support.

Michael A. Geluk. Seeking establishment of support of child in foster care: \$281 monthly support plus 58 percent of medical expenses not covered by insurance; provide medical insurance; \$1,957.94 foster care expenses and child support.

Justin B.F. Garcia. Seeking establishment of paternity: \$168 monthly support plus 50 percent of medical expenses not covered by insurance; provide medical insurance; 50 percent of any work-related day care expenses.

Sergio M. Teixeira. Seeking establishment of paternity: \$330 monthly support plus 62 percent of medical expenses not covered by insurance; provide medical insurance; 62 percent pf any work related day care expenses; \$3,968.63 birth costs.

Devin S. Jones. Seeking establishment of paternity: \$341 monthly support plus 58 percent of medical expenses not covered by insurance; provide medical insurance; 58 percent of any work-related day care expenses; \$18,497.92 birth cost.

Tracy L. Parks. Seeking establishment of child support: \$365 monthly support plus 65 percent of medical expenses not covered by insurance; provide medical insurance; 65 percent of any work-related day care expenses.

Luis A. Coronado. Seeking establishment of consolidation and child support: \$655 monthly support plus 73 percent of medical expenses not covered by insurance; provide medical insurance; 73 percent of any work-related day care expenses.

Fred Z. Paiz. Seeking establishment of paternity: \$253 monthly support plus 55 percent of medical expenses not covered by insurance; provide medical insurance; 55 percent of any work-related day care expenses; \$778.25 birth cost.

Kristopher L. Kelley. Seeking establishment of consolidation and child support: \$666 monthly support plus 66 percent of medical expenses not covered by insurance; provide medical insurance; 66 percent of any work-related day care expenses.

Jeremy R. Dumas. Seeking establishment of child support: \$285 monthly support plus 58 percent of medical expenses not covered by insurance; provide medical insurance; 58 percent of any work-related day care expenses.

Jennifer L. Morrison. Seeking establishment of state reimbursement: \$2,267.97 foster care expenses and child support.

### DIVORCES FILED

Anna M. Williams vs. Kyle V. Williams

Cindy L. Clasby vs. Clayton H. Clasby

Alicia M. Meyers vs. Darren Meyers

Tara D. Hawkins vs. Lyle R. Hawkins

Angela Hickmon vs. Timothy Hickmon

Chad Hacking vs. Megan Hacking

Tiffany K. Clark vs. Ryan L. Clark

Scott T. Bodily vs. LeeAnn M. Bodily

Stephanie S. Cammack vs. Cymeon G. Cammack

### CITY OF TWIN FALLS DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE SENTENCINGS

Zachary L. Schiffler, 28, Jerome; driving under the influence; withheld judgment; \$500 fine, \$300 suspended; \$132.50 costs; 90 days jail, 88 suspended, credit for one day served, one day work detail; driving privileges suspended 90 days; restricted permit authorized; 12 months probation; no alcohol.

Laurie L. Mata, 31, Heyburn; driving under the influence; withheld judgment; \$500 fine, \$400 suspended; \$132.50 costs; 90 days jail, 89 suspended, credit for one day served; driving privileges suspended 90 days; 12 months probation; no alcohol; eight hours community service.

Kari A. Wilson, 20, Twin Falls; driving under the influence; \$500 fine, \$400 suspended; \$132.50 costs; driving privileges suspended 365 days; restricted permit authorized; 12 months probation; no alcohol; driving without privileges; \$500 fine, \$400 suspended; 90 days jail, 88 suspended; driving privileges suspended 90 days; 12 months probation.

Joseph A. O'Donnell, 26, Jerome; driving under the influence; \$500 fine, \$300 suspended; \$132.50 costs; 90 days jail, 88 suspended, credit for one day served, one day work detail; driving privileges suspended 120 days; restricted permit authorized; 12 months probation; no alcohol.

Jacob Engkraf, 27, Twin Falls; driving under the influence; \$500 fine suspended; \$132.50 costs, \$75 public defender fee; 90 days jail, 88 suspended, credit for one day served, one day work detail; driving privileges suspended 90 days; restricted permit authorized; 12 months probation; no alcohol; 24 hours community service.

Raymond C. Owen, 21, Buhl; driving under the influence; amended to second offense; \$1,000 fine, \$800 suspended; \$132.50 costs, \$75 public defender fee; 180 days jail, 160 suspended, credit for one day served; driving privileges suspended 365 days; 24 months probation; no alcohol.

Tyler A. Parker, 18, Twin Falls; driving under the influence (under 21); amended to driving under the influence; \$500 fine suspended; \$132.50 costs; 90 days jail, 88 suspended, credit for one day served, one day work detail; driving privileges suspended 180 days; restricted permit authorized; 12 months probation; no alcohol; 16 hours community service.

# Buhl alters utility service requirements

By Blair Koch

Times-News correspondent

BUHL — Two years ago, Buhl was carrying \$30,000 in delinquent utility bills. That amount has more than doubled to \$69,000 today.

According to city officials, more than 11 percent of Buhl's 1,600 households owe the city back payment for water, sewer and garbage services.

With nearly 180 accounts in arrears, city officials have decided to increase requirements for new accounts. Instead of requiring a \$255 deposit, the city will now require residents to show valid photo identification, provide their Social Security numbers and complete an application.

Officials hope the new requirements will help rein in delinquent accounts.

“Sixty-nine thousand dollars is a big chunk of change the city is waiting to collect,” said Buhl Mayor Tom McCauley. “We can't carry this amount forever.”

While the City Council made the new requirements effective immediately, it didn't make a decision to change city policy regarding the disconnection of utility services during Monday's council meeting.

City Clerk Robyn Filiaga said the city is “very willing to work with citizens” to make payment arrangements for past-due accounts, but said increased consequences for delinquent accounts may provide incentive for residents to keep their accounts current.

Currently, when services are shut off because of past-due accounts the city charges a \$25 fee when services are reconnected. Filiaga suggested charging a disconnection fee instead of a reconnection fee because landlords are often left with the reconnection fee after tenants skip out on a bill.

Filiaga said tying the disconnection fee to tenants' accounts would allow the city, “to get the money from those who owe it.”

She also suggested increasing the fee to \$65 and changing the color format for bills sent to past-due residents.

Filiaga also recommended that once accounts reach \$250 past due, or approximately two months late, services be shut off instead of allowing accounts to grow to \$700 past due, as is currently allowed.

“(These changes) make it so citizens are very aware of the consequences of not paying their bill,” Filiaga said.

Councilman Dick VanZante wasn't sure that increasing the fee tied to disconnected services was the right decision.

“There's no sense in making a bad situation worse,” VanZante said. “Sixty-five dollars ... is too much.”

Others on the council weren't comfortable with making a decision Monday. Councilman Kyle Hauser's proposal to wait resonated with the council, which decided to hold off on making a decision on the matter until the next meeting.

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# Health care odds long, but Democrats push ahead

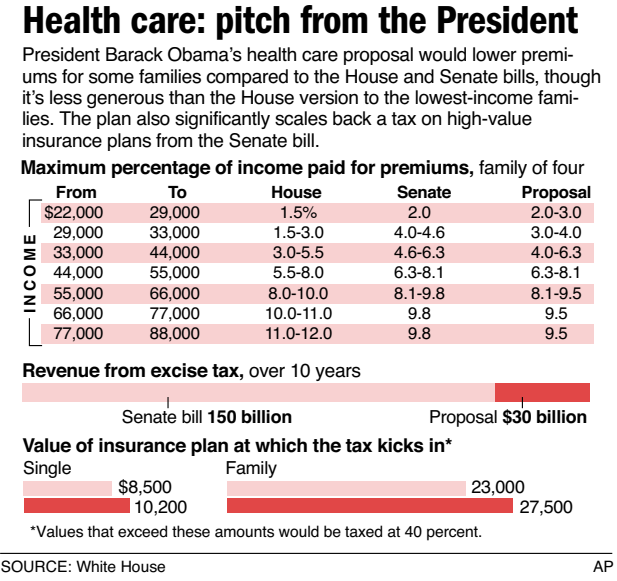
By Alan Fram  
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — Democrats pushed hard to revive President Obama's stalled health care overhaul on Friday — and pointed to glimmers of hope — but the long odds facing them seemed little changed after Obama's extraordinary summit with both parties' leaders.

At the White House, press secretary Robert Gibbs said Obama would unveil a “way forward” next week on legislation that has been his foremost domestic priority. Obama, who will first discuss the strategy with Democratic congressional leaders, said at Thursday's bipartisan marathon that he's open to several Republican ideas, including medical malpractice changes.

There were signs of intensified activity on Capitol Hill.

White House Chief of Staff Rahm Emanuel and top adviser David Axelrod discussed health care in an early evening meeting with House Speaker Nancy Pelosi,



D-Calif. And a spokesman for Sen. Tom Coburn, R-Okla., said White House officials have asked the senator to submit details of suggestions he made at Thursday's meeting on rooting out fraud from the medical system.

In addition, a pair of retiring Democrats who opposed the legislation when the House approved it in November appeared willing to reconsider. And some supporters of a House provi-

sion strictly banning federal financing for abortion — a complicated sticking point — indicated an openness to different language.

The outcome could affect nearly all Americans, remaking the way they pay for health care, the kinds of care they're likely to receive and where they're likely to get it. Or there could be smaller changes — or none — outcomes the Democrats say will lead to crushing budget problems and tens of

millions of people still being left out. Republicans see problems in the health care system, too, but recommend less-far-reaching prescriptions.

Despite the signs of movement, a day after television cameras brought the nation Obama's unusual daylong discussion with top Republicans and Democrats there were no clear indications of a major change in Congress. The equation remained the same: Democratic leaders, especially in the House, will have to scramble to find votes to pass any health legislation and they're almost certainly going to have to do it without Republican support.

And there are Democratic doubts, as well.

“People who voted ‘yes’ would love a second bite at the apple to vote ‘no’ this time, because they went home and got an unpleasant experience” because of their votes, said Rep. Jason Altmire, a moderate Democrat from Pennsylvania. “On the other hand,” he added, “I don't know anybody who voted ‘no’ who regrets it.”

## AROUND THE NATION

### WISCONSIN Roommate of 3 found in Wis. fire also found dead

MILWAUKEE A 19-year-old who police called a person of interest in the deaths of three people found in a burning Milwaukee home has been found dead.

A statement from police spokeswoman Anne Schwartz says Brittney Robertson was found about 6:15 p.m. Friday on the city's northwest side.

The statement contained no details about how Robertson died or where she was discovered and Schwartz didn't immediately offer further explanation.

Police say Robertson lived in the home where a mother and two young boys were found dead earlier in the day after a suspicious fire.

Investigators were treating the deaths of 24-year-old Rachel Thompson and her 3- and 4-year-old sons as homicides.

Thompson's 6-week-old son was found in good condition outside a church hours after the fire.

allowing the wide use of emerging Internet capabilities. It essentially seeks to manage the risks while acknowledging the Internet is proving a powerful tool for a myriad of tasks including recruiting, public relations, collaboration with a wide range of people and for communications between troops and their families.

To guard security, it allows commanders to cut off access — on a temporary basis only — if that's required to safeguard a mission or reserve bandwidth for official use.

### CALIFORNIA Ex-hospital head pleads not guilty in molestation case

LONG BEACH — The former head of one of the nation's biggest state mental hospitals pleaded not guilty Friday to molesting an adopted foster son and was ordered held on \$3.5 million bail at the same time that prosecutors detailed abuse allegations involving five other boys, including another foster son.

Claude Foulk, 62, is charged with 35 counts of sexually abusing one of the four foster sons who lived with him at different times since 1975.

He eventually adopted two of them.

Deputy District Attorney Lesley Klein said in court Friday that since the news of Foulk's arrest broke earlier this week, four new victims have come forward, bringing the total to 13 in cases stretching from 1965 to 2006.

Authorities have said they can press charges in only one case, however, because of the statute of limitations.

— The Associated Press

### WASHINGTON Pentagon issues new policy on social networking

Everyone from troops in the field to the highest brass and civilian leaders will be allowed to Twitter, blog and use Facebook and other social networking sites on the military's non-classified computer network, the Pentagon announced Friday.

The new policy follows a seven-month review in which the Defense Department weighed the threats and benefits of

## U.S. to drop plans for Bush-era nuclear detectors

By Robert O'Harrow Jr.  
The Washington Post

WASHINGTON — The Department of Homeland Security office responsible for protecting the nation from nuclear and radiological terrorism is largely scrapping plans for new high-tech detectors for screening vehicles and cargo, saying they cost too much and do not work as effectively as security officials once maintained.

In a letter Wednesday to Sen. Joseph Lieberman, I-Conn., chairman of the Senate Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee, the acting chief of the Domestic Nuclear Detection Office said officials will possibly use the machines only for secondary screening, at no more than

about a third of the cost originally planned.

The decision makes sense “given the available performance and cost data,” Acting DNDO Director William Hagan wrote.

The development virtually ensures the collapse of one of the most prominent national security initiatives in the Bush administration, which aggressively touted the machines as a high-tech front-line defense against the importation of nuclear materials.

Bush administration officials in 2006 committed to spending at least \$1.2 billion on the development and deployment of Advanced Spectroscopic Portal machines, saying they would dramatically improve screening of vehicles and

cargo containers. They estimated that each machine would cost about \$377,000.

But officials from the Government Accountability Office, Congress's investigative agency, turned up evidence that the machines did not work as well as billed. They later discovered that the machines cost far more than DNDO officials had told Congress — as much as \$822,000 each.

GAO officials also have questioned the validity of subsequent testing aimed at securing funding for the program. In a later report, the GAO said the detection office “used biased test methods that enhanced the apparent performance” of the machines. Those methods included allowing contractors to adjust machines after

preliminary runs, enabling them to appear to perform better.

On Friday, a GAO official who helped review the program said the “DHS's decision to abandon full-scale deployment of the ASPs is a victory for the U.S taxpayer — a savings of at least \$1.5 billion — and our national security.”



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# State retirement fund not as healthy as some think

Much has been said in the last few days about the vote of the House to deny a 1 percent COLA to retired state employees and we have received considerable correspondence — written and verbal — on this very important issue.

If the only issue were providing a COLA increase to retired employees, it would have passed the House with little debate. We would be leading the support because of our high admiration and respect for the 33,000 retired employees in Idaho. However, there were other issues that came to light during committee deliberations and on the House floor that we had to take into consideration.

Ultimately, retired employees will receive the COLA increase because the Senate did not consider the



**READER COMMENT**  
**Reps. Lawrence Denney, Mike Moyle, Scott Bedke and Ken Roberts**

House position. There's nothing unusual there; the House and Senate do not always agree, and that's part of the process. However, we believe strongly that the 48-19 vote

to deny the COLA increase was the correct call and we'd like to explain why.

Our biggest concern is the health of the Public Employees Retirement System of Idaho fund. It is not as good as some people might lead you to believe.

PERSI has a \$2.6 billion — yes, billion — unfunded liability to the state of Idaho. In other words, outgoing benefits are exceeding incoming contributions and the gap is widening.

Our hope, of course, is that the economy rebounds and the PERSI fund will be able to absorb COLA increases for retired state employees. Our fear is that the recession will last for some time longer and overburdened taxpayers, ultimately, will have to make up the difference.

Critics of our action have pointed out that COLA

increases would be paid from PERSI funds, and not the same source that provides for public schools, health services and other programs. They also say that the Idaho PERSI fund in Idaho has been named by the PEW Center as one of the nation's top-performing retirement systems.

It's true that the PEW Center gave high marks to PERSI — but that was before the recession hit Idaho and revenues began declining at a steady rate. A lot of things have changed since then, including the health of the PERSI fund.

The board apparently saw double-digit earnings increases in the fund since July 1, 2009, and apparently decided to allow a 1 percent COLA — while ignoring overall sub-par performance. The \$2.6 billion unfunded liability is a more

accurate description of the state of the PERSI fund.

Idaho is not alone with having a potentially shaky retirement-system fund. One would be hard pressed to find any state that granted a COLA increase. The federal government has denied COLA increases for Social Security recipients, the military and retired federal employees this year.

The last thing we want is for PERSI to become another disaster, like Social Security — where almost everybody younger than 55 is wondering if benefits will be available. We want PERSI funds to be strong into the future, and holding off on the COLA increase was a step toward meeting that goal.

Economic circumstances also played a major role in our vote. The proposed COLA increase came at a

time when the Legislature is making drastic reductions in all areas of state government. As a result, many state employees are facing reductions in salary or taking unpaid furloughs. Those are the more fortunate ones. Many others are facing the gloomier prospect of layoffs and questions about how they are going to provide for their families. It's tough to justify increases for retired employees, or any one else, in this economic environment.

*Rep. Lawrence Denney (R-Midvale) is speaker of the Idaho House of Representatives, Mike Moyle (R-Star) is House majority leader; Scott Bedke (R-Oakley) is assistant majority leader, and Ken Roberts (R-Donnelly) is majority caucus chairman.*

# The GOP second coming

When Republicans regain a majority in the House and Senate — either this fall, as seems increasingly likely, or in the election following — they must learn from their previous mistakes when they last held power. In addition to focusing on overturning whatever health insurance “reform” proposal this Congress eventually passes, a Republican congressional majority must help a large part of the public unlearn the factual errors they have been taught to accept.

From “climate change,” to the notion that government is a guarantor through “entitlement” programs of a minimal outcome in life, to the forgotten idea given to us by the Founders that Liberty is the most precious gift there is, the country needs a history lesson based on truth, experience and facts.

One of the things I admire about Glenn Beck's program is his chalkboard. Agree with him, or not, Beck's appeal is largely due to his teaching role. Everyone has had the experience of sitting in a classroom while a teacher writes things on the board, things considered important enough to learn. So much of what passes for facts today are like what another generation called “old wives’ tales.” They were assumed by many to be true, though few sought information that would have disproved them. Worse, few asked questions that would have unraveled the falsehoods.

Republicans need to do at least two other things. They should present at hearings



**Cal Thomas**

and through TV and radio commercials individuals who will confront the political equivalent of old wives’ tales. Huge numbers of us believe government is essential to a better life. Instinctively and from stories handed down from grandparents who endured wars and economic downturns, we know that the strength of America is not in its government, but in its people. That's why the Preamble to the Constitution begins, “We the people.” Power comes from the bottom up, not the top down as in totalitarian societies. The formerly poor should be encouraged to tell their stories about overcoming. America loves stories. More of ours should be told to inspire others.

During TV coverage of the Winter Olympics in Vancouver, viewers were treated to a replay of the 1980 American hockey team victory over the Soviet Union. Anyone who saw it realized this was more than a sports triumph. It was the last year of Jimmy Carter's presidency and the nation was in a funk. In a retrospective interview with ABC sportscaster Al Michaels, teammates told the story of how coach Herb Brooks inspired them to reach beyond their talents to their dreams. They did and the scene of that “do you believe

in miracles?” moment continues to resonate 30 years later. That hockey team and its dreams are the story of America, a country that has always let its reach exceed its grasp and been the better for it.

Where is the political equivalent of Herb Brooks? Who will inspire a nation to again believe in itself and the power of the individual? A Republican majority should turn the nation's attention away from Washington. A Republican majority must teach us again that “you can do it,” like so many of our fathers did when the training wheels came off and we learned we could fly down the sidewalk without assistance.

America doesn't need restructuring. It needs revival; revival of the principles that made us strong and great; revival of the moral foundation that proved to be our real strength and allowed us to conquer our demons and become independent, not dependent on government.

This is the message most Americans want to hear and need to hear. Will the Republicans deliver it? Is there a leader who can articulate our hopes and in the process withstand the Left's onslaught that such people are “uncaring”? In fact, liberty is the highest form of caring. It is why we marvel at a bald eagle in flight. It is why we once yearned to breathe free and might yet again.

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# How about a payroll tax break?

The jobs bill appears to be falling apart.

However, a scaled-down Senate compromise would give employers a break from paying their portion (6.2 percent) of the Social Security tax for the rest of the year when they hire a worker who has been unemployed for more than 60 days.

I'd like to suggest we double down on that one.

Why not grant everyone — employer and worker — a payroll tax holiday? For six months.

If the Senate's half-measure would stimulate hiring, a holiday would shift it into overdrive. It would act as a rebate, which are popular with certain members of Congress. It would also act as a tax cut for businesses, which is popular with the other group. We're talking bipartisan here.

It'd be easy to administer, which if no one in Washington appreciates, the rest of us would.

And since all Social Security bookkeeping is a wink and a nod, the costs would represent just one more piece of worthless IOUs placed in the so-called lockbox. Note the lockbox is always prefaced with “so-called,” because 1) it doesn't exist and 2) if it did, it surely was never locked.

Professor Jeff Rosensweig of Emory's Goizueta Business School, while wor-



**Thomas Oliver**

ried about the deficit, favors a stimulus that would make it cheaper for firms to create jobs.

“A payroll tax holiday is a direct tool to do that, and should be applied ASAP,” he says.

Ralph Blanchard, who wrote “Creating Wealth with a Small Business” and who has run several businesses, says a payroll tax holiday wouldn't benefit small businesses with few or no employees, which is the majority of small businesses.

Blanchard says not to expect much hiring from the tax break, but it might offer some incentive for employers to retain employees.

In other words, it might slow down some layoffs.

Russell Roberts, economist, author and George Mason University professor, e-mailed that he'd go me one better.

He'd eliminate the payroll tax altogether. The holiday is simply a rebate by another

name, and he says they aren't stimulative.

To balance the ledger, he'd eliminate all corporate welfare; cut 10 percent from every federal department; and make small across-the-board tax rate increases on all earners, including those lower-income workers who currently pay no income tax. Roberts says the lower-income earners would still come out ahead because the payroll tax is regressive and falls hardest on them.

He outlined these and more tax proposals in an essay in *Forbes* a year ago. It was pegged as a speech he would have liked the president to give.

Roberts' was a better speech than the one we got. Instead, we got an eloquent explanation for the \$787 billion stimulus a year ago last week. (By the way: a year's payroll tax holiday would have cost about the same.)

If the stimulus were nearly as effective as they now claim, do you think they would need to try so hard to convince us?

I think they doth protest too much.

*Thomas Oliver is a columnist for The Atlanta Journal-Constitution.*

## LETTERS OF THANKS

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This elevator will benefit the kitchen to carry supplies to the basement and also the Thrift Store, which is a great source of revenue for the center.

Without the kindness of organizations such as the Idaho Community Foundation, this would not have been possible for us to accomplish.

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## Calif. puts 11 office buildings up for sale

House Speaker Nancy Pelosi, noting that multiple ethics complaints remain pending against Rangel, declined to say whether he should stay on the job. “We’ll just see what



In addition to the trips, Rangel still faces potentially more serious allegations, including failing to disclose rental income on a villa

- An Oct. 23, 2008, memo from the staff counsel to Rangel, discussing an article in the New York Post that was critical of the 2007 conference because of allegations regarding corporate sponsorship.

California's sale is the largest. CB Richard Ellis Vice Chairman Kevin Shannon said the sale is a low-risk investment for potential buyers worldwide. Since the state is planning to lease the space back, it gives the new owners a steady stream of income.



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# Lawmaker urges more direct route for bailout funds

**By Marcy Gordon**  
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — A key House Democrat on Friday urged the Obama administration to work with lawmakers who want to send bailout money directly to small businesses rather than through banks.

Rep. Barney Frank, D-Mass., chairman of the House Financial Services Committee, said “I would

urge the administration to work closely” with the head of the Small Business Committee to agree on legislation.

The administration has proposed using \$30 billion of leftover money from the \$700 billion federal bailout program to help community banks increase lending to small businesses. But many lawmakers want the money to be dispensed directly by the federal Small

Business Administration.

Frank spoke at a hearing examining a crucial element of the economic recovery: banks’ lending to small businesses.

Congress must approve the new small-business fund proposed by President Obama, which would be open to banks with \$10 billion or less in assets.

Frank urged the administration to work instead with Rep. Nydia Velazquez,

D-N.Y., who heads the Small Business Committee.

Velazquez wants the \$30 billion from the bailout program sent directly to the federal Small Business Administration. It would then decide which businesses should get loans.

“If we are truly going to open up financing options for small businesses, we need a more balanced approach,” Velazquez said. “That does not mean doing

more for financial institutions and expecting the benefits to trickle through to small firms. Taking \$30 billion and simply handing it to banks — in the hopes that they will make loans — is not sound policy.”

The House passed legislation a year ago and again last October to allow for direct funding.

Some lawmakers appeared resistant to the idea. Rep. Spencer Bachus of Alabama,

the Financial Services panel’s senior Republican, questioned the wisdom of injecting billions more into a federal agency. What is keeping banks from lending to businesses, he said, are the strictures that federal bank regulators are imposing on them.

Small businesses are seen as a linchpin for the recovery, with the potential to

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# From Twin Falls to Brazil

Local Rotary member to represent Idaho agriculture in Brazil

**By Joshua Palmer**  
Times-News writer

If you explain Idaho agriculture to business men and women from another country, what would you say?

That’s the task that the Rotary International in Idaho has assigned to Dr. Kathleen McKay — to tell business leaders in southern Brazil what agriculture means to Idaho.

McKay, who applied for the chance to head to Brazil, is one of five Rotary members chosen to represent the state and the only member chosen from outside of Boise.

McKay, who is a chiropractor by trade and a member of the Twin Falls Rotary club, has spent the last couple months touring dairies, farms and ranches to better understand the area’s breadbasket.

And that’s no small task, she said.

“I’ve lived almost all my life in the Magic Valley and I never realized how many different products we produce here,” she said. “We’re talking about thousands, if not millions, of pounds of sugar and milk that is made every day.”

The purpose of her visit is to



Dr. Kathleen McKay in her acupuncture and chiropractic office at 1625 Addison Ave. in Twin Falls. McKay is the only Magic Valley business leaders chosen by Idaho's Rotary International club to represent Idaho during a 30-day agricultural tour in Brazil in April and May.

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WATCH a video of Dr. Kathleen McKay explain what she wants to tell Brazilian business men and women about Idaho agriculture.

help Rotary members, who are often deeply involved in business and community, better understand what takes place in other locations around the world.

When asked what message she wants to leave during her 30-day trip, McKay said, “The most

important thing I want them to know, is that we produce a lot of healthy food.”

Explaining it in Portuguese — Brazil’s official language — will be the tricky part. So McKay is spending the next few weeks learning agriculture’s technical terms.

She leaves April 16.

# Obama may prohibit home-loan foreclosures without HAMP review

**By Dawn Kopecki**  
Bloomberg News writer

WASHINGTON — The Obama administration may expand efforts to ease the housing crisis by banning all foreclosures on home loans unless they have been screened and rejected by the government’s Home Affordable Modification Program.

The proposal, reviewed by lenders last week on a White House conference call, “prohibits referral to foreclosure until borrower is evaluated and found ineligible for HAMP or reasonable contact efforts have failed,” according to a Treasury Department document outlining the plan.

“It is one of the many ideas

under consideration in the administration’s ongoing housing stabilization efforts,” Treasury spokeswoman Meg Reilly said in an e-mail. “This proposal has not been approved and there are no immediate planned announcements on the issue.”

She confirmed the authenticity of the document, which hasn’t been made public.

At present, lenders can initiate foreclosure proceedings on any loan that hasn’t been submitted for HAMP eligibility. Under current HAMP rules, foreclosure litigation can proceed while borrowers are under review for the program or even in a trial modification.

The proposed changes would prohibit lenders from initiating

new foreclosure actions before loan screening by HAMP and would require lenders to halt existing proceedings for borrowers once they are in a trial repayment plan.

The Treasury Department will soon release guidance “which will include a set of improved protections for borrowers” in HAMP, Phyllis Caldwell, chief of Treasury’s Homeownership Preservation Office, said Thursday in testimony prepared for a House Oversight and Government Reform subcommittee. She didn’t provide details.

The proposal goes further than rules adopted amid the crisis by federally controlled mortgage-finance companies Freddie Mac and Fannie Mae, which require

lenders to review borrowers for a federal loan modification before a foreclosed property can be sold.

Foreclosure proceedings can still be initiated without a review, said Freddie Mac spokesman Doug Duvall. Fannie Mae spokeswoman Amy Bonitatibus said it adopted the same policy last March.

About 89 percent of outstanding residential mortgage loans are covered by the voluntary HAMP program.

About 2.82 million U.S. homeowners lost properties to foreclosure last year and 4.5 million filings are expected in 2010, RealtyTrac Inc., an Irvine, California data company, said last month.

See **FORECLOSURES**, Business 2



During the most recent quarter, Washington-based Fannie suffered \$11.9 billion in credit losses and a \$5 billion write-down for low income tax credit investments.

Late last year, the Obama administration pledged to cover unlimited losses through 2012 for Freddie and Fannie, lifting an earlier cap of \$400 billion.

Earlier in the week, Freddie reported a loss of \$7.8 billion for the fourth quarter. The company didn’t request any more money, but expect to do so later this year.

Fannie and Freddie play a vital role in the mortgage market by

See **FANNIE MAE**, Business 2

# Foundations, civic groups to launch campaign to expand walking path

Local foundations and civic groups plan to expand the Canyon Rim Trail.

But they could use some help — mostly in the form of a check.

The Community Foundation, which was in the news because it helped

**BIZ BITES**

**Joshua Palmer**

find financing for a city project that may revitalize the Fountain Plaza in down-

town Twin Falls, is working with the local Rotary International club and CSI Foundation to come up with money for a major expansion of the pathway.

The Twin Falls Rotary club wants to expand the

See **BITES**, Business 2

# Monsanto cuts second-quarter forecast

**By Jack Kaskey**  
Bloomberg News writer

NEW YORK — Monsanto, the world’s biggest seed company, said profit in its second quarter will be less than it previously forecast because sales are shifting into the second half of the fiscal year.

About half of the company’s 2010 per-share profit of \$3.10 to \$3.30 will be in

the quarter ending this month, down from a forecast that 60 percent of profit would come in the period, St. Louis-based Monsanto said Wednesday in a statement. That implies second-quarter profit of \$1.55 to \$1.65 a share, trailing the \$1.99 average estimate of 13 analysts surveyed by Bloomberg.

The late 2009 harvest has delayed soybean shipments,

and more corn-seed sales are coming from outside the U.S., the company said. Roundup herbicide profit also is delayed as sales return to historical seasonal patterns, Monsanto said.

“Profit is weaker than I expected,” Laurence Alexander, a New York-based analyst at Jefferies & Co., said by telephone. “It

See **MONSANTO**, Business 2

## STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Con Agra	24.46	▼	.05	Dell Inc.	13.23	▼	.06	Idacorp	33.03	▼	.86	Int. Bancorp	1.70	—	—
Lithia Mo.	6.38	▼	.30	McDonalds	63.85	▼	.53	Micron	9.06	▼	.01	Supervalu	15.27	▲	.01

## COMMODITIES

For more see Business 2					
Live cattle	90.30	▲	1.60	April Oil	79.72 ▲ 1.55
April Gold	1,116.8	▲	8.3	March Silver	16.46 ▲ .35



## 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
BkoIAm	3036202	16.66 +1.1	GoldStr g	25950	3.14 +1.1	SiriusXM h	1413993	1.02 -0.5
S&P500ETF	1572350	110.74 +0.7	NthgtM g	22705	2.72 +1.4	ETrade	840683	1.61 +0.5
CitiGrp	1524733	3.40 +0.1	Rentech	21999	1.07 +0.4	PwShs	QQQ615150	44.76 +1.6
SPDR Fncl	864591	14.68 +0.9	Hyperdyn	20717	1.22 +1.0	Palm Inc	600028	6.09 -4.4
FordM	706382	11.74 -0.4	NA Pall g	20658	4.06 +1.2	Intel	460899	20.53 -1.0
GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE)			GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE)			GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE)		
Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg
CKE Rst	11.37	+2.46 +27.6	ChiArmM	5.24	+7.5 +16.7	NuVasive	40.00	+10.31 +34.7
RosettaSt n	22.00	+4.66 +26.9	NewConcEn	3.99	+5.1 +14.7	WSB Hldgs	3.99	+9.9 +33.0
AtlasPplH	6.50	+8.3 +14.6	ShengInn n	9.08	+6.4 +7.6	AtIBcGp	3.84	+7.3 +23.5
Prime pIB	3.96	+4.6 +13.1	AcmeU	9.77	+6.2 +6.8	Entorian rs	4.50	+8.6 +23.5
CompX	9.29	+1.03 +12.5	TrnsatlPt n	3.18	+2.0 +6.7	CarrollB	6.70	+1.17 +21.2
LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE)			LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE)			LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE)		
Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg
WNWatch	25.72	-4.43 -14.7	StreamGSv	5.75	-9.7 -14.4	RckwILM	5.96	-2.18 -26.8
BcpSouth	19.47	-3.10 -13.7	Gerova un	5.78	-8.3 -12.6	NthnStat	2.93	-6.9 -19.1
FTI Cnslt	36.74	-5.30 -12.6	UtdCap	23.22	-1.80 -7.2	VSE Corp	42.53	-8.94 -17.4
AlntIGp rs	24.77	-2.74 -10.0	Chrmcft	2.23	-1.7 -7.1	athenahith	36.84	-6.68 -15.3
Capelease	4.40	-4.5 -9.3	Continucre	4.17	-2.4 -5.4	Isramco	56.04	-8.81 -13.6
DIARY			DIARY			DIARY		
Advanced	1,828		Advanced	295		Advanced	1,241	
Declined	1,232		Declined	187		Declined	1,429	
Unchanged	114		Unchanged	49		Unchanged	133	
Total issues	3,174		Total issues	531		Total issues	2,803	
New Highs	184		New Highs	16		New Highs	104	
New Lows	4		New Lows	4		New Lows	11	
Volume	4,218,572,588		Volume	79,541,875		Volume	2,163,390,642	

### INDEXES

10,729.89	6,469.95	Dow Jones Industrials	10,325.26	+4.23	+0.4	-9.9	+46.19
4,265.61	2,134.21	Dow Jones Transportation	4,134.57	+20.76	+5.0	+8.5	+65.44
408.57	288.66	Dow Jones Utilities	367.39	-2.43	-6.6	-7.69	+13.40
7,471.31	4,181.75	NYSE Composite	7,035.04	+21.59	+3.1	-2.09	+52.37
1,908.81	1,234.81	Amex Index	1,845.71	+11.50	+6.3	+1.14	+38.52
2,326.28	1,265.52	Nasdaq Composite	2,238.26	+4.04	+1.8	-1.36	+62.45
1,150.45	666.79	S&P 500	1,104.49	+1.55	+1.4	-9.5	+50.25
11,941.95	6,772.29	Wilshire 5000	11,512.41	+15.50	+1.3	-3.1	+54.03
649.15	342.59	Russell 2000	628.56	-1.90	-3.0	+5.1	+61.58

### STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

AlliantEgy	1.50	48	31.63	-1.0	+4.5	Kaman	.56	20	23.95	-1.91	+3.7
AlliantTch	...	14	79.45	+2.4	-10.9	Keycorp	.04	...	7.15	+1.7	+28.8
AmCasino	.42	...	15.09	+2.1	-9.0	LeeEnt	...	...	3.83	+0.5	+10.4
Aon Corp	.60	19	40.94	-0.5	+6.8	MicroTn	...	...	9.06	-0.1	-14.2
BallardPw	...	...	2.24	+0.1	+18.5	OfficeMax	...	94	15.97	-0.1	+25.8
BkoIAm	.04	...	16.66	+1.1	+10.6	RockTen	.60	8	41.84	-9.4	-17.0
ConAgira	.80	14	24.46	-0.5	+6.1	Sensient	.76	14	26.42	-2.3	+5.5
Costco	.72	25	60.97	-4.3	+3.0	SkyWest	.16	10	14.76	+2.0	-12.8
Diebold	1.08f	42	28.96	-2.7	+1.8	Teradyn	...	...	9.99	-0.4	-6.9
DukeEngy	.96	14	16.35	-0.3	-5.0	Tupprwre	1.00	17	46.73	+3.3	+3
DukeRlty	.68	...	11.10	-0.4	-8.8	US Bancrp	.20	30	24.61	+3.1	+9.3
Fastenal	.80f	36	44.37	...	+6.6	Valhi	.40	...	17.45	-4.8	+24.9
Heinz	1.68	17	45.90	+2.4	+7.3	WalMart	1.09	15	54.07	-0.8	+1.2
HewlettP	.32	14	50.79	-1.3	-1.4	WashFed	.20	63	19.49	-0.8	+8
HomeDp	.95f	20	31.20	-1.6	+7.8	WellsFargo	.20	32	27.34	-1.0	+1.3
Idacorp	1.20	13	33.03	-8.6	+3.4	ZionBcp	.04	...	18.54	+1.0	+44.5

### HOW TO READ THE REPORT

<b>Name:</b> Stocks are listed alphabetically by the company's full name (not its abbreviation). Company names made up of initials appear at the beginning of each letters' list.	
<b>Div:</b> Current annual dividend rate paid on stock, based on latest quarterly or semiannual declaration, unless otherwise footnoted.	
<b>Last:</b> Price stock was trading at when exchange closed for the day.	
<b>Chg:</b> Loss or gain for the day. No change indicated by ... mark.	
<b>Fund Name:</b> Name of mutual fund and family.	
<b>Sell:</b> Net asset value, or price at which fund could be sold.	
<b>Chg:</b> Daily net change in the NAV.	
<b>Stock Footnotes:</b> cc — PE greater than 99. dd — Loss in last 12 mos. d — New 52-wk low during trading day. g — Dividend in Canadian \$. Stock price in U.S.\$s. n — New issue in past 52 wks. q — Closed-end mutual fund; no PE calculated. s — Split or stock dividend of 25 pct or more in last 52 wks. Div begins with date of split or stock dividend. u — New 52-wk high during trading day. v — Trading halted on primary market. Unless noted, dividend rates are annual disbursements based on last declaration. pf — Preferred. pp — Holder owes installment(s) of purchase price. rt — Rights. un — Units. wd — When distributed. wi — When issued. wt — Warrants. ww — With warrants. xw — Without warrants.	
<b>Dividend Footnotes:</b> a — Also extra or extras. b — Annual rate plus stock dividend. c — Liquidating dividend. e — Declared or paid in preceding 12 mos. f — Annual rate, increased on last declaration. i — Declared or paid after stock dividend or split. j — Paid this year, dividend omitted, deferred or no action taken at last meeting. k — Declared or paid this year, accumulative issue with dividends in arrears. m — Annual rate, reduced on last declaration. p — Init div, annual rate unknown. r — Declared or paid in preceding 12 mos plus stock dividend. t — Paid in stock in last 12 mos, estimated cash value on ex-dividend or distribution date. x — Ex-dividend or ex-rights. y — Ex-dividend and sales in full. z — Sales in full. vj — In bankruptcy or receivership or being reorganized under the Bankruptcy Act, or securities assumed by such companies.	
* Most active stocks above must be worth \$1 and gainers/losers \$2.	
<b>Mutual Fund Footnotes:</b> e — Ex-capital gains distribution. f — Previous day's quote. n — No-load fund. p — Fund assets used to pay distribution costs. r — Redemption fee or contingent deferred sales load may apply. s — Stock dividend or split. t — Both p and r. x — Ex-cash dividend.	
<b>Source:</b> The Associated Press. Sales figures are unofficial.	

## COMMODITIES REPORT

### CLOSING FUTURES

	Commodity	High	Low	Close	Change
Mon	Live cattle	92.00	90.00	90.30	+1.60
Feb	Live cattle	92.03	91.50	91.93	+1.18
Apr	Feeder cattle	101.05	100.75	101.05	+15
Apr	Feeder cattle	102.53	102.20	102.50	+25
May	Feeder cattle	103.50	103.00	103.45	+35
Apr	Lean hogs	72.95	71.98	72.80	+68
May	Lean hogs	77.95	76.90	77.93	-03
Mar	Pork belly	92.25	89.00	89.25	+3.00
May	Pork belly	91.30	89.55	91.30	+3.00
Mar	Wheat	507.00	496.00	506.50	+16.75
May	Wheat	520.00	508.50	519.25	+15.50
Mar	KC Wheat	512.00	503.00	511.00	+14.25
May	KC Wheat	524.00	511.00	521.00	+13.50
Mar	MPS Wheat	517.50	508.75	516.75	+13.75
May	MPS Wheat	530.75	515.75	529.50	+13.25
Mar	Corn	379.75	377.00	378.00	+5.75
May	Corn	390.75	388.25	389.00	+5.75
Mar	Soybeans	951.00	941.50	951.00	+9.50
May	Soybeans	963.00	951.00	961.00	+11.00
Feb	BFP Milk	14.30	14.27	14.28	+0.06
Mar	BFP Milk	13.05	12.97	13.05	+0.05
Apr	BFP Milk	12.97	12.95	12.96	+0.07
May	BFP Milk	13.18	13.06	13.18	+0.09
Jun	BFP Milk	13.60	13.47	13.60	+0.08
Mar	Sugar	24.67	23.67	24.13	-32
Apr	Sugar	xxx	xxx	23.60	-10
Jun	B-Pound	1.5319	1.5150	1.5247	+0.003
Mar	B-Pound	1.5309	1.5143	1.5237	+0.002
J-May	J-May	1.1289	1.1174	1.1255	+0.006
Jun	J-May	1.1273	1.1180	1.1253	+0.008
Mar	Euro-currency	1.3684	1.3530	1.3616	+0.072
Jun	Euro-currency	1.3683	1.3529	1.3614	+0.072
Mar	Canada dollar	.9512	.9419	.9502	+0.090
Jun	Canada dollar	.9512	.9419	.9509	+0.098
Mar	U.S. Dollar	80.84	80.49	80.45	-41
Apr	Cornex gold	119.5	119.46	119.8	+8.3
Jun	Cornex gold	1120.7	1106.3	1117.9	+8.2
Mar	Cornex silver	16.52	16.03	16.46	+35
May	Cornex silver	16.55	16.05	16.47	+34
Mar	Treasury bond	119.9	118.9	119.0	+0.2
Jun	Treasury bond	117.3	116.3	117.2	+0.2
Mar	Coffee	129.80	128.60	129.05	+1.35
May	Coffee	132.20	129.95	131.20	+1.40
Mar	Cocoa	2199	2174	2181	+7
May	Cocoa	2208	2183	2189	+1
Mar	Cotton	83.29	81.67	82.61	+1.23
May	Cotton	82.58	80.66	82.46	+1.29
Apr	Crude oil	80.05	77.82	79.72	+1.55
Mar	Unleaded gas	2.0907	2.0380	2.0879	+0.059
May	Heating oil	2.0350	1.9825	2.0222	+0.060
Apr	Natural gas	4.853	4.739	4.793	+0.026

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

### BEANS

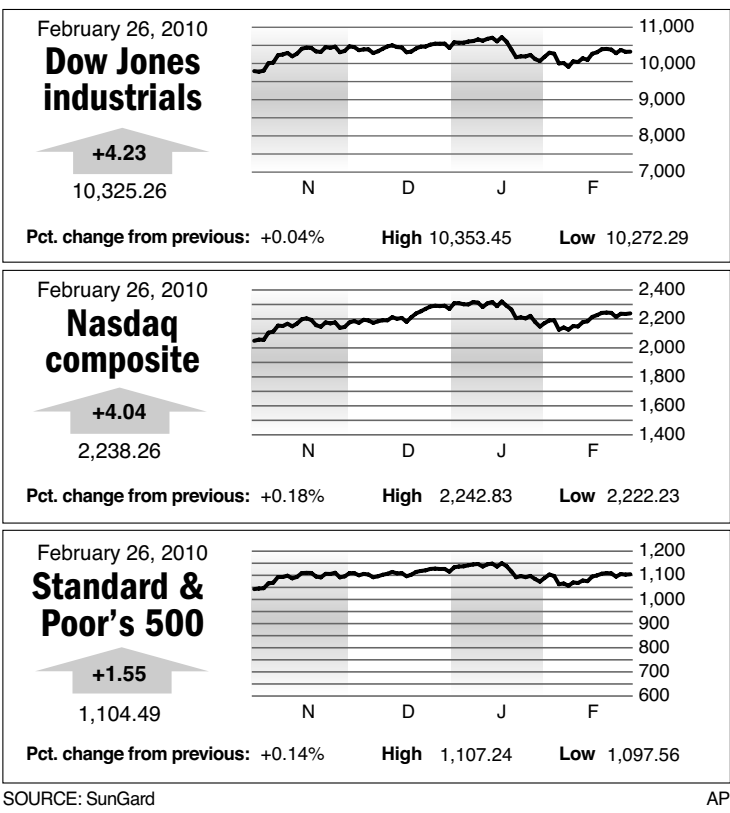
**Valley Beans**  
Prices are net to growers, 100 pounds, U.S. No. 1 beans, less Idaho bean tax and storage charges. Prices subject to change without notice. Producers desiring more recent price information should contact dealers. Pintos, no quote, new crop; great northrens, no quote; pinks, no quote, new crop; small reds, no quote, new crop. Prices are given by Rangens in Buhl. Prices current Feb. 24.  
Other Idaho bean prices are collected weekly by Bean Market News, U.S. Department of Agriculture; Pintos, \$30-\$32; great northrens, not established; small whites, not established; pinks, Ltd. \$30-\$32; small reds, Ltd. \$30. Quotes current Feb. 24.

### 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, ask; barley, \$5.50; oats, \$5.80; corn, \$7.25 (15 percent moisture). Prices are given by Rangens in Buhl. Prices current Feb. 24.  
Barley, \$6.65 (48-lb. minimum) spot delivery in Gooding; corn, no quote (Twin Falls only). Prices quoted by JD Heiskell. Prices current Feb. 24.

POCATELLO (AP) — Idaho Farm Bureau Intermountain Grain and Livestock Report for Friday, Feb. 26.  
POCATELLO — White wheat 3.95 (down 5); 11.5 percent winter 4.19 (up 14); 14 percent spring 5.62 (up 13); barley 5.62 (steady).  
BURLEY — White wheat 4.00 (up 10); 11.5 percent winter 4.11 (up 14); 14 percent spring 5.38 (up 12); Barley 5.75 (up 25);

## YESTERDAY ON WALL STREET



The Dow Jones Industrial rose 4.23, or less than 0.1 percent, to 10,325.26. It fell 0.7 percent for the week but rose 2.6 percent for the month. That's the best run since it jumped 6.5 percent in November. The broader S&P 500 index rose 1.55, or 0.1 percent, to 1,104.49. It fell 0.4 percent for the week and climbed 2.9 percent in February.

The Nasdaq composite index rose 4.04, or 0.2 percent, to 2,238.26. It fell 0.3 percent for the week. For February, the gain came to 4.2 percent.

Bond prices rose, pushing yields lower. The yield on the benchmark 10-year Treasury note fell to 3.62 percent from 3.64 percent late Thursday.

The Dollar fell against other major currencies. Gold rose.

Three stocks rose for every two that fell on the New York Stock Exchange, where consolidated volume came to 4.22 billion shares compared with 4.58 billion Thursday.

The Russell 2000 index of smaller companies fell 1.90, or 0.3 percent, to 628.56. Britain's FTSE 100 rose 1.5 percent, Germany's DAX index gained 1.2 percent.

## BUSINESS BRIEFS

### Idaho businesses could be up for \$2K tax credit

BOISE — Business that hire workers, pay them at least \$35,000 and offer health-care benefits could be eligible for one-time, \$2,000 tax credit, under a bill approved by the House Revenue and Taxation Committee.

The bipartisan measure has the backing of both House Minority Leader John Rusche, D-Lewiston, and House Majority Leader Mike Moyle, R-Star.

After clearing the House panel Friday, the bill is up for a vote in the full chamber.

Rusche says adding incentives for businesses to bolster their work forces will help Idaho's economy as it recovers from the deepest recession in decades.

Businesses would have to pay a worker \$61,000 annually for them to claim all of the credit in one year. But the measure allows companies to claim any unused portion of the credit over five years.

### Counterfeit money hits M.V.

The Twin Falls Police Department and several other agencies in the Magic Valley have received reports from local businesses of counterfeit \$20, \$50, and \$100 bills being passed.

Officer Luke Allen said business owners should check bills for the correct markings, water marks, security threads and use a marking pen to verify the authenticity.

Business owners with questions about a bill or those who suspect a bill may be counterfeit, should

contact police.

For information on how to identify counterfeit bills visit the Secret Service Web site at [www.secret-service.gov/money\\_detect.shtml](http://www.secret-service.gov/money_detect.shtml).

### T.F. Realtors announce membership luncheon

The Greater Twin Falls Association of Realtors will host its general membership luncheon from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday at the Turf Club located at 734 Falls Ave. in Twin Falls.

The luncheon will include an economic development panel. Cost of the lunch is \$8.75.

The association is asking that reservations be made no later than Monday. For more information or to make a reservation, call 733-6421.

— Staff and wire reports

## Funds

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expand and soak up some of the high unemployment that has ravaged the country and preoccupied Congress.

At the same time losses are mounting on loans for commercial real estate, such as stores and office complexes, as



# U.S. military weighs role in battered Haiti

Marines, among the first to arrive with food and water, are now helping to coordinate among the myriad relief agencies and non-governmental organizations from around the world.



# Mountain Man Excavation Auction

**Monday, March 1, 2010**  
**Located: Jerome, Idaho**  
 571 E. 300 S.

From the Perrine Bridge north of Twin Falls, Idaho, go 5 miles north on Hwy 93 to 300 South Road then east 1 3/4 miles.

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**Sale Time 11:00 AM**
**Lunch by Al**

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## Excavation Equipment

2004 Cat "Challenger" MT 295 Lo Profile 4x4 Tractor with Loader, diesel engine, gear drive with shuttle transmission, dual remotes, Quick Tach Loader with 6' hydraulic bucket, 377 hours, s/n JCL52604 - 2005 Cat 312C L Excavator with Rock Thumb, diesel engine, hydrostatic drive, 906 hours, s/n CBA 02835 - 2004 Cat 304 CR Mini Tractor Machine, small excavator with hydraulic Quick Tach 12", 24" and 30" buckets, diesel engine, s/n NAD 03059 - 2006 Cat CVP16 Hoe Compactor for 304 CR, with a 12"x32" plate, s/n AIE 00372 - 2001 Cat CB 214C Vibrator 4' double drum roller, diesel engine, hydrostatic drive, 1409 hours, s/n 9XK 00375

## Pickups - Trucks

Two 2004 Dodge "2500" 3/4 ton 4x4 Pickups, Laramie models, extended cabs, diesel engines, automatics, air, ps, pb, long wide boxes, 70,000 and 108,000 miles, both sharp - 1996 Dodge 3/4 ton 4x4 Pickup, extended cab, V10 gas engine, automatic, long wide box - 1989 GMC 3/4 ton 4x4 Pickup, 350 V8 engine, 5 speed, long wide box - 1993 Kenworth W900 Dump Truck, Caterpillar 425 diesel engine, 15 speed transmission, tandem axle, 11R24.5 rubber, 15' all metal dump bed - 1976 Mack Dump Truck, Cummins 350 diesel engine, 13 speed transmission, tandem axle, 11R24.5 rubber, 15' all metal dump bed - 1985 Kenworth W900B tandem axle Truck, cab and chassis, 400 Cummins diesel, 13 speed, 11R24.5 rubber, sliding 5th wheel, wet kit - 1972 Ford "F-600" 2 ton truck, V8, 5 speed 2 speed, 8.25x20 rubber, hydraulic hoist with 16' flat bed - 1969 Ford "F-600" 2 ton truck, V8, 5 speed, 8.25x20 rubber, 16' flat bed

## Travel, ATV, & Cargo Trailers

2007 Forest River Sierra 31' 5th wheel Travel Trailer, tandem axle, double tipouts, self contained, loaded with all the options - Single axle 2 place ATV Trailer - 2006 Charmac 16'x7' enclosed Cargo Trailer, tandem axle

## Trailers

Two 2003 "T10 UT" Trail Max 16' tilt deck tandem axle Trailers - 2006 PJ 20' flat bed tandem axle Trailer - 1991 Clement 26' gravel or rock end dump trailer, 5th wheel, electric tarp, 11R24.5 rubber - 1980 HD Eager Beaver 16' Backhoe Trailer with Beaver Tail Ramp, pintal hitch, tandem axle

## Smaller Construction Equipment

2006 Lincoln Generation Ranger 10,000 Welder Generator, gas engine, 225 ac/dc, 110-240 volt, arc and wire feed, it's new - Two portable 5500 watt gas generators - 1 each, gas "walk behind" and "hand held" concrete saws - 3 gas compactors - assorted carpenter tools - assorted concrete tools - pipe fittings - 9 sets of scaffolding with wheels and planks

## Farm Equipment

Challenger 6' Rototiller, pto, 3pt hitch - King Kutter 6' Rotary Mower, pto, 3pt hitch - 6' box scraper, 3pt hitch - 150 gal sprayer, poly tank, booms, pto pump, 3pt hitch - 5 row solid shank corrugator, 3pt hitch - Three 300 gal overhead fuel tanks - 500 gal overhead fuel tank

## Metal Forms & Components

240 ea 2'x8' - 21 ea inside corners - 21 ea outside corners - 14 ea metal "T" plywood brackets - 4 ea inside angle forms - 4 ea outside angle forms - 6 ea 1" forms - 8 ea 1 1/2" forms - 6 ea 2" forms - 10 ea 4"x8' forms - 5 ea 6"x8' forms - 10 ea 8"x8' forms - 4 ea 10"x8' forms - 8 ea 12"x8' forms - 34 ea 14"x8' forms - 4 ea 16"x8' forms - 4 ea 18"x8' forms - 8 ea 20"x8' forms - 2 ea 22"x8' forms - 3 ea barrels of Whaler clamps - 5 ea buckets of wedges - 1 ea bucket of long wedges - 60 ea turn buckles - 40 ea scaffold brackets - 30 ea 4"x10' metal sidewalk forms

**NOTE: You will have to see for yourself of the quality of this auction. Everything has been very well maintained and taken care of. This is a quality auction. If you have need for any of this merchandise, this auction is a must.**

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### BURLEY/RUPERT FORECAST

**Today:** Mainly cloudy, chance of showers. High 41.

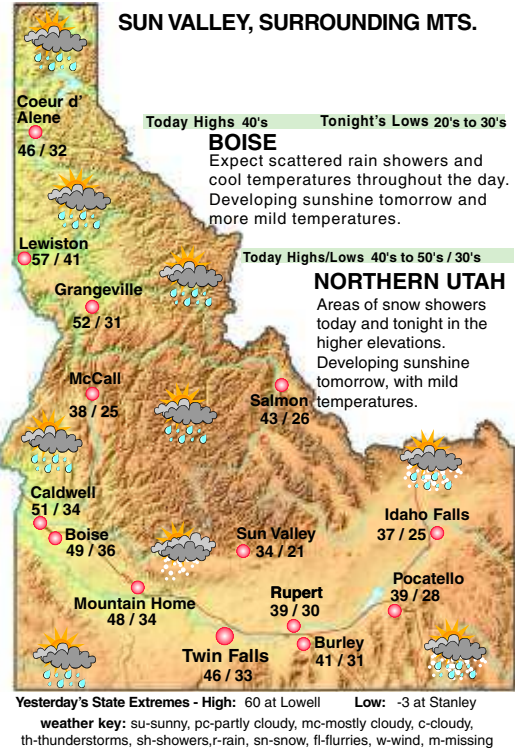
**Tonight:** Some flurries possible. Low 31.

**Tomorrow:** Chance for AM showers, partly sunny. High 43.

### ALMANAC - BURLEY

Temperature	Precipitation
Yesterday's High 51°	Yesterday's 0.00"
Yesterday's Low 22°	Month to Date 0.26"
Normal High / Low 44° / 23°	Avg. Month to Date 0.81"
Record High 69° in 1950	Water Year to Date 2.55"
Record Low -11° in 1962	Avg. Water Year to Date 4.65"

### IDAHO'S FORECAST



### TWIN FALLS FIVE-DAY FORECAST

Today	Tonight	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Cloudy, rain showers possible	Chance for scattered rain showers	AM showers possible, partly sunny	Abundant sunshine, mild	Partly sunny	Chance for showers
High 46°	Low 33°	46° / 30°	50° / 29°	49° / 30°	42° / 31°

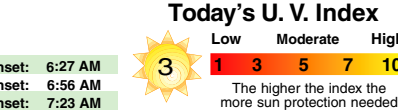
### ALMANAC - TWIN FALLS

Temperature	Precipitation	Humidity	Barometric Pressure	Sunrise and Sunset
Yesterday's High 52°	Yesterday's 0.00"	Yesterday's High 78%	5 pm Yesterday 29.98 in.	Today Sunrise: 7:17 AM Sunset: 6:25 PM
Yesterday's Low 29°	Month to Date 0.49"	Yesterday's Low 34%		Sunday Sunrise: 7:15 AM Sunset: 6:26 PM
Normal High / Low 46° / 25°	Avg. Month to Date 0.91"	Today's Forecast Avg. 69%		Monday Sunrise: 7:13 AM Sunset: 6:28 PM
Record High 65° in 1986	Water Year to Date 3.79"			Tuesday Sunrise: 7:12 AM Sunset: 6:29 PM
Record Low 4° in 1993	Avg. Water Year to Date 5.27"	A water year runs from Oct. 1 to Sept. 30		Wednesday Sunrise: 7:12 AM Sunset: 6:30 PM



**Moonrise and Moonset**

Today	Moonrise: 5:41 PM	Moonset: 6:27 AM
Sunday	Moonrise: 7:00 PM	Moonset: 6:56 AM
Monday	Moonrise: 8:17 PM	Moonset: 7:23 AM



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### REGIONAL FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow	Monday
Boise	49 36 sh	51 32 pc	53 32 pc
Bonniers Ferry	47 34 r	47 30 pc	50 30 pc
Burley	41 31 sh	43 28 sh	47 28 pc
Challis	44 24 mc	45 20 mc	43 20 pc
Coeur d' Alene	46 32 r	47 31 sh	50 31 pc
Elko, NV	37 23 sh	44 17 pc	45 17 pc
Eugene, OR	54 37 sh	56 43 sh	55 43 r
Gooding	45 32 r	45 29 sh	46 29 pc
Grace	38 24 mc	39 25 mc	41 25 pc
Hagerman	50 34 r	51 31 pc	52 31 pc
Hailey	35 24 mc	38 19 mc	41 19 pc
Idaho Falls	37 25 mc	39 24 mc	36 24 pc
Kalispell, MT	43 28 sh	47 27 sh	48 27 pc
Jerome	44 32 r	44 28 sh	46 28 pc
Lewiston	57 41 sh	56 38 pc	59 38 pc
Malad City	37 27 mc	40 26 sh	41 26 pc
Malta	41 29 mc	43 26 mc	47 26 pc
McCall	36 25 r	39 18 mc	39 18 pc
Missoula, MT	47 30 r	48 28 r	51 28 pc
Pocatello	39 28 mc	40 29 sh	40 29 pc
Portland, OR	54 39 sh	57 45 pc	57 45 r
Rupert	39 30 mc	41 28 sh	42 28 pc
Rexburg	34 23 mc	35 21 mc	33 21 pc
Richland, WA	56 37 sh	57 34 pc	56 34 r
Rogerson	32 22 sh	32 15 sh	34 15 pc
Salmon	43 26 r	47 24 r	46 24 pc
Salt Lake City, UT	51 34 mc	45 33 pc	46 33 pc
Spokane, WA	50 35 r	51 33 pc	52 33 pc
Stanley	41 23 mc	42 15 mc	41 15 pc
Sun Valley	34 21 sh	37 14 sh	35 14 pc
Yellowstone, MT	31 15 sh	33 9 sh	35 9 pc

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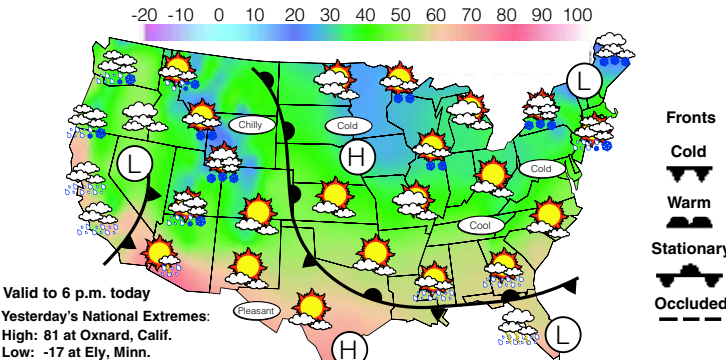
City	Today	Tomorrow
Atlanta	52 31 pc	53 32 pc
Baltimore	42 30 pc	43 29 mc
Birmingham	53 28 su	56 30 su
Boston	41 32 r	42 32 sh
Charlotte, SC	54 40 pc	57 40 pc
Chicago	31 26 sh	35 26 mc
Cleveland	34 27 sh	35 25 sh
Denver	49 29 pc	39 26 sh
Des Moines	27 8 su	29 15 pc
Detroit	37 28 sh	37 25 sh
El Paso	70 46 pc	56 41 sh
Fairbanks	-1 13 pc	13 7 pc
Fargo	25 6 pc	25 6 pc
Honolulu	84 66 pc	75 65 sh
Houston	58 42 pc	61 50 r
Indianapolis	33 24 sh	38 24 sh
Jacksonville	53 37 pc	61 40 pc
Kansas City	36 19 pc	39 21 pc
Las Vegas	58 44 sh	63 46 pc
Little Rock	50 30 pc	52 31 pc
Los Angeles	61 48 th	65 51 pc
Memphis	53 29 pc	51 33 pc
Miami	71 48 th	69 49 su
Milwaukee	32 27 sh	33 25 sh
Nashville	45 27 pc	45 28 pc
New Orleans	53 38 sh	57 40 su
New York	36 31 sh	38 29 sh
Oklahoma City	55 31 su	49 33 mc
Omaha	29 14 mc	31 16 pc

### WORLD FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow
Acapulco	83 66 pc	83 71 pc
Athens	64 51 pc	59 53 pc
Auckland	74 50 pc	72 55 pc
Bangkok	96 78 pc	97 79 pc
Beijing	33 15 sh	29 14 pc
Berlin	44 33 pc	48 38 r
Buenos Aires	82 58 pc	80 63 pc
Cairo	72 51 pc	73 46 pc
Dhahran	82 65 pc	80 66 pc
Geneva	41 35 sh	44 29 sh
Hong Kong	75 73 pc	75 73 pc
Jerusalem	60 51 sh	59 50 sh
Johannesburg	74 55 sh	75 53 pc
Kuwait City	76 59 pc	77 63 pc
London	49 35 sh	41 33 r
Mexico City	67 43 pc	66 41 pc

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**GREGG MIDDLEKAUFF'S QUOTE OF THE DAY**

"I never could have done what I have done without the habits of punctuality, order, and diligence, without the determination to concentrate myself on one subject at a time."

Charles Dickens

## Third blizzard this month smacks East

ALBANY, N.Y. (AP) — A slow-moving winter storm smacked the Northeast on Friday, unleashing heavy snow, rain and hurricane-force winds as it knocked out power to more than a million homes and businesses. It turned Maine beachfront streets into rivers and piled on the misery in places hit by three major blizzards in less than a month.

Every form of travel was miserable if not impossible. More than 1,000 flights were canceled, bus service across northern New Jersey was knocked out and roads from Ohio to West Virginia to Maine were closed. State troopers used snowmobiles to reach motorists stranded for hours on an eastern New York highway.

"We're buried," said Graham Foster, highway superintendent in the town of Wappinger, one of the hardest hit areas in upstate New York. "My men have been out since 7 yesterday morning and we're not making much headway because there are so many trees down and wires down."

Foster, who was working on one hour of sleep Friday, said one of his big concerns was getting more diesel fuel for his constantly running plows. Many local gas pumps were inoperable

because of widespread power outages.

Power failures were so severe and widespread in New Hampshire — 340,000 of the state's roughly 800,000 customers — that even the state Emergency Operations Center was operating on a generator. Gov. John Lynch said it could take a week for all those lights to flicker back on.

It was wind and rain rather than snow that wreaked havoc in that famously frigid state and its neighbor Maine. Parts of southern Maine were hit with more than 8 inches of rain.

Areas to the south, meanwhile, got their third heavy dumping of snow this month. Monroe, N.Y., received 31 inches, and New York City got more than 20.

## Huge icebergs let loose off Antarctica's coast

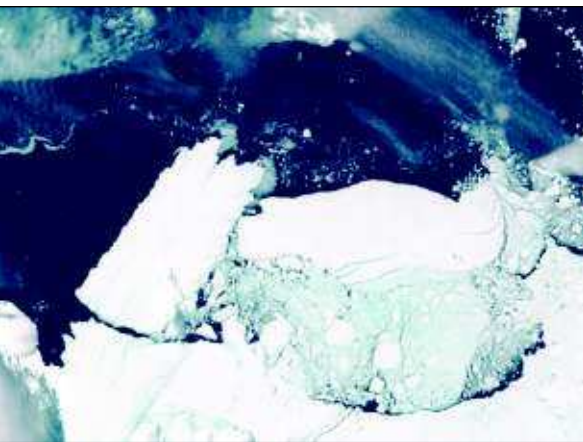
SYDNEY (AP) — A massive iceberg struck Antarctica, dislodging another giant block of ice from a glacier, Australian and French scientists said Friday.

The two icebergs are drifting together about 62 to 93 miles off eastern Antarctica following the collision on Feb. 12 or 13, said Australian Antarctic Division glaciologist Neal Young.

"It gave it a pretty big nudge," Young said of the 60-mile-long iceberg, about the size of Luxembourg, that collided with the giant floating Mertz Glacier and shaved off a new iceberg. "They are now floating right next to each other."

The new iceberg is 48 miles long and about 24 miles wide and holds roughly the equivalent of a fifth of the world's annual total water usage, Young told The Associated Press.

The iceberg that hit the Mertz Glacier is called B9B



AP photo

In this satellite image released by Commonwealth of Australia, a 60-mile long iceberg known as B9B, right, crashes into the Mertz Glacier Tongue, left, in the Australian Antarctic Territory on Feb. 20. The collision created a new 48-mile-long iceberg.

and had broken free from another part of Antarctica in 1987. It has been nuzzling and shifting alongside the Mertz for about 18 years before this month's dislodging, said Benoit Legresy, a researcher with the LEGOS laboratory for geophysical studies in

Toulouse, France.

"It was a slow process," Legresy said. He said B9B was "sitting there, it must have been pushed and pulled by the current every day and used as a hammer to bang on the other one by the ocean currents."

The dislodging occurred

because of the iceberg's latest location and water that had warmed during Antarctica's summer, leaving less sea ice, Legresy said.

Some experts are concerned about the effect of the massive displacement of ice on the ice-free water next to the glacier, which is important for ocean currents, while others are less concerned.

Experts say this type of iceberg calving happens from time to time and these are not record large icebergs.

This area of water had been kept clear because of the glacier, said Steve Rintoul, a leading climate expert. With part of the glacier gone, the area could fill with sea ice, which would disrupt the sinking ability of the dense and cold water.

This sinking water is what spills into ocean basins and feeds the global ocean currents with oxygen, Rintoul explained.

## 507-carat rough diamond sold for \$35M

LONDON (AP) — A 507-carat diamond as big as a chicken's egg sold for \$35.3 million, breaking the record for the highest price ever paid for a rough diamond, the supplier said Friday.

The stone — which weighs just over 3.53 ounces — was estimated to be among the world's top 20 high-quality rough diamonds. It was discovered in September at South Africa's Cullinan mine.

London-listed diamond supplier Petra Diamonds Ltd. said the gem was purchased by Hong Kong-based private jewelry retailer Chow Tai Fook Jewelry Co. Ltd.

The price reflected "the incredible rarity of the diamond, which combines its remarkable size with exceptional color and clarity, and at 507.5 carats it is the 19th largest gem diamond ever discovered," Petra CEO Johan Dippenaar said.

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## Second effort: Bruins claim GBC title

By David Bashore  
Times-News writer

JEROME — New conference, familiar result.

Eric Harr scored 14 points to lead four Bruins in double figures as the Twin Falls boys basketball team clinched the Great Basin Conference championship with a 61-56 win over Jerome on Friday evening.

The victory, which earned the Bruins (21-3) their fifth district championship in eight seasons, came at the second time of asking after Twin Falls failed to beat Jerome (15-11) on Thursday evening at Baun Gymnasium.

“We realized that we needed to just calm down, let the offense work and hit our free throws.”

— Twin Falls guard Eric Harr

But the Bruins used that experience to get them over the finish line on Friday, after holding a six-point lead with 2:08 remaining in the game — the exact same situation from which they blew Thursday’s game.

“We realized that we needed to just calm down, let the offense work and hit our free throws,” said Harr, who sank the clinchers with 27 seconds left to put the Bruins up eight before Gus Callen’s 3-pointer at the buzzer made the final score a

little closer.

Callen finished with 19 points for Jerome, and Pearce scored a game-high 20.

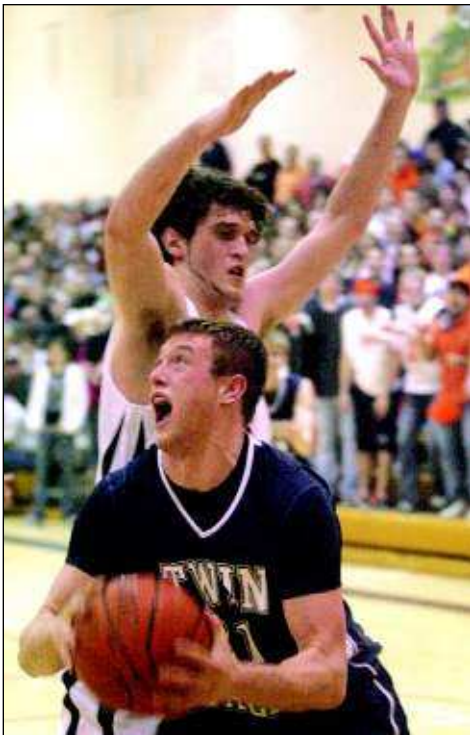
Marcus Jardine, who finished with 11 for Twin Falls, stepped outside and hit a clutch 3-pointer at about the 2:30 mark that signaled the Bruins’ intent to close out this one where it couldn’t a night prior.

“I just saw both defenders swim right at T.J. (Ellis), and so I got open and took the shot,” Jardine said.

Jerome, playing its fourth game in five nights, simply couldn’t match the energy it showed in Thursday’s victory at Twin Falls. But Pearce said it would be a good thing in the long run.

“We weren’t focused on it being our fourth game this week. We just wanted to come out with the same kind of intensity, but it wasn’t there,” Pearce said. “I know I was feeling it in my legs, and I left a few shots short. But it’s good for us, because you have to play that back-to-back at the state tournament. We’ll have to rely on the bench and get some rest

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Twin Falls forward Jon Pulsifer (21) goes up for a shot against Jerome’s Chace Capps (11) during the 4A District Tournament Championship game in Jerome.

MEAGAN THOMPSON/  
Times-News

# SO FAR, SO GOOD

## M.V. sends 10 grapplers to state semis

By Ryan Howe  
Times-News writer

POCATELLO — No one was happier to reach the state championship semifinals than Todd Anderson of Twin Falls.

“It feels good to be back,” said Anderson, one of 10 Magic Valley Class 4A wrestlers in the hunt for titles today at Holt Arena in Pocatello.

After winning a state title as a freshman, Anderson had visions of becoming a four-time champ. But that dream fell apart last year when he was upset in the quarterfinal round.

“It still haunts me to this day,” Anderson said after concluding his matches on Friday’s opening day of competition. “Last year I had a lot of pressure and when I lost, I was devastated. When I came in here, all I thought about was last year’s state tournament and I used that as motivation to work for this one.”

With a marathon 14-8 decision over Lakeland’s Kenny Winn, Anderson advanced to today’s 145-pound semifinals, where he will face Eric Frisbey of Moscow.

“It will definitely be tough, so I’ve got to be ready and mentally prepared for that one,” Anderson said. “I’m just going to picture myself getting the first-place medal, winning that match.”

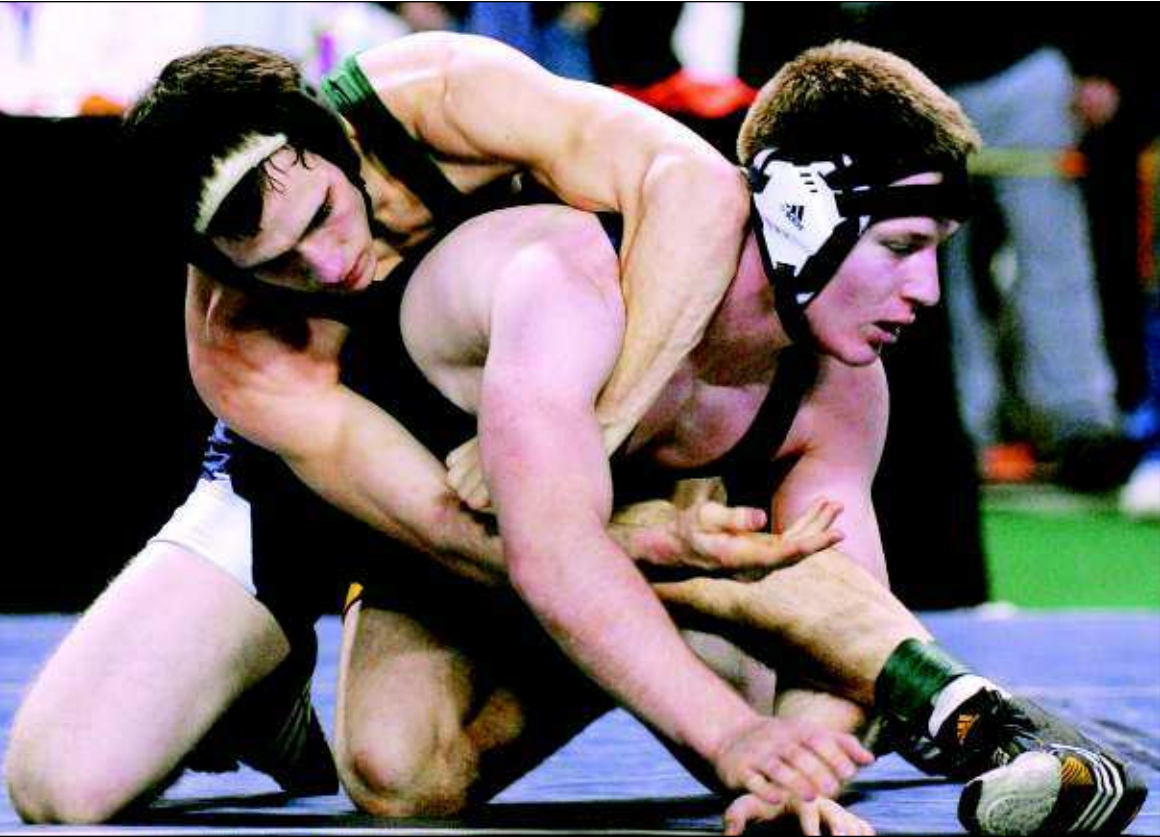
Another wrestler using mind over matter is David Borden of Minico.

“A lot of it is mental,” said Borden. “You gotta know that when you come to a tournament like this, you’re going to be nervous. You have to learn to accept that nervousness, talk yourself down and get back in your confident mind state.”

Down 1-0 in the third period of his 152-pound quarterfinal bout, Borden wasn’t just battling with Columbia’s Spencer Salinas — he was also wrestling the voices in his head.

“Your mind tells you some crazy stuff,” he said. “It’s trying to tell you to stop. You just have to push through it and not listen to your mind.”

Borden pushed through, tied it up



Todd Anderson of Twin Falls, right, and Kenny Winn of Lakeland wrestle in the 145-pound quarterfinals of the Class 4A state tournament Friday at Holt Arena in Pocatello.

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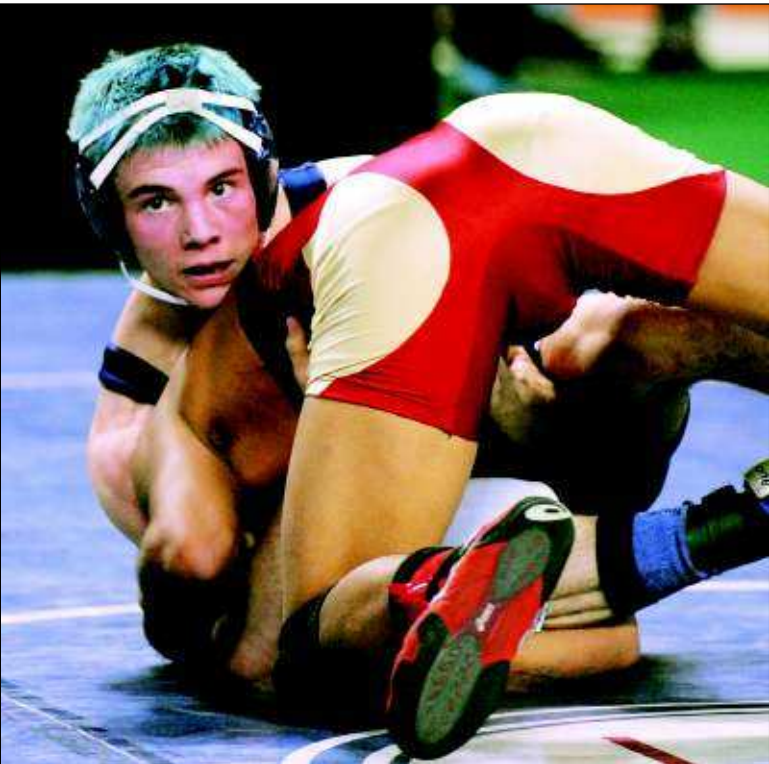
with an escape and then scored a takedown with time winding down to earn a 3-1 decision.

“In practice the last couple days I’ve been trying to scramble more and it paid off because there were lots of scrambles in that match,” Borden said.

Now Borden faces No. 1 seed Brandon Richardson of Lakeland, who has a 43-2 record this season, in today’s semifinals.

“It’s going to be fun,” Borden said. “A lot of kids are happy to get an easy match, but I like a tough match. I like to challenge myself.”

Jerome is fifth in the team scoring with 59.5 points. Columbia (102 points) and Blackfoot (98.5) are well out in front of the field. Twin Falls is



Twin Falls’ Joe Hamilton holds on to Minico’s Alberto Ramirez during their 125-pound quarterfinal match of the Class 4A state wrestling tournament Friday at Holt Arena in Pocatello.

seventh with 45.5, while Minico is tied for eighth with 44.

Three Jerome grapplers — Eric Ayala, Kaden Luper and Riley

Argyle — reached the championship semifinals.

See **STATE**, Sports 4

## CSI men, women host CEU today

## Eagles to honor sophomores

By Mike Christensen  
Times-News writer

The College of Southern Idaho men’s and women’s basketball programs will honor their sophomores this afternoon as they conclude the regular season with home games against the College of Eastern Utah.

The CSI women (21-8, 13-6 Scenic West Athletic Conference) face the SWAC’s other Golden Eagles at 3 p.m. and can wrap up the No. 2 seed for the Region 18 Tournament with a win.

The game is the final home appearance for sophomore post Maddy Plunkett. The 6-foot-2 Australian was a NJCAA All-American as a freshman in 2007-08, but missed all of last season with a torn ACL. She is averaging 10.8 points and 5.9 rebounds, both third best on the team.

She sat out Thursday’s win over Colorado Northwestern to rest a strained quadriceps muscle, but practiced on Friday and is hopeful she can take the floor today.

All-American forward Shauneice Samms (13.9 points, 7.0 rebounds) will also play her final home game, along with Kalika Tullock (3.9 points, 2.1 rebounds) and Emiliya Yancheva (2.2 points, 1.7 rebounds).

The CSI men (19-10, 11-8 SWAC) face CEU at 5 p.m. and will recognize sophomores Chuck Odum (11.5 points, 3.5 rebounds), Byago Diouf (9.2 points, 3.9 rebounds) and Romario Souza (7.3 points, 4.9 rebounds). Both Diouf, a 6-3 guard from Senegal, and Souza, a 6-9 center from Brazil, are out of the lineup with injuries. Diouf (wrist) is

See **CSI**, Sports 2

## Powell helps CSI softball sweep NIC at home

By Bradley Guire  
Times-News writer

One pitch. One swing.

That’s all Kayla Powell needed Friday, and her well-placed RBI hit to right field during the bottom of the seventh gave the College of Southern Idaho softball team a 2-1 victory in the first game of a Scenic West Athletic Conference doubleheader against North Idaho College at Eagle Field in Twin Falls.

“I went up not thinking at all,”

said Powell, who pinch hit for Jessica Albertson. It was her only at-bat — actually, her only pitch — of the game which scored McChel Hunt to break a 1-1 tie and win it.

The Eagles increased their production in Game 2 to win 7-3 and complete the Day 1 sweep.

Both the Golden Eagles and Cardinals posted modest numbers at the plate during Game 1 and lacked any timely hitting to produce runs. Cardinal Jessica Ross smacked a home run to left

Twin Falls player Brianna Bishop signs with NIC.

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field, hitting the scoreboard, for her team’s only run.

Most of the time, Eagle ace pitcher Generra Nielson mowed the Cardinals down, striking out 13. Although North Idaho managed to put runners in scoring position, Nielson and her fielders

worked themselves out of those jams on four occasions, twice with a runner on third.

“I do better under pressure,” Nielson said, noting her riseball proved effective as her strike-out pitch. She praised catcher Chelsea Nix with a well-called game.

Marina Groenewegen had the best performance at the plate for the Eagles, batting 2-for-3 with one RBI.

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College of Southern Idaho freshman Marina Groenewegen fields the ball during Friday’s doubleheader with North Idaho College.

MEAGAN THOMPSON/  
Times-News



## 2010 WINTER OLYMPICS

### MEDAL COUNT:

77 of 90 total medal events					
Nation	G	S	B	Tot	
United States	8	13	13	34	
Germany	9	11	7	27	
Canada	10	7	4	21	
Norway	8	6	6	20	
Austria	4	5	6	15	
Russia	3	5	7	15	
South Korea	6	6	2	14	
China	5	2	4	11	
France	2	3	5	10	
Sweden	5	2	2	9	
Switzerland	6	0	2	8	
Netherlands	4	1	2	7	
Czech Republic	2	0	4	6	
Poland	0	3	1	4	
Japan	0	2	2	4	

### TOP PERFORMANCE

#### APOLO ANTON OHNO SPEEDSKATER, USA

Ohno got his third medal of the games (a silver, two bronze) by anchoring the U.S. squad in the relay, finishing just behind South Korea in the 45-lap event. In the 500, a short race often filled with spills, Ohno knocked Canada's Francois Louis-Tremblay into the boards during the last half-lap, then crossed second behind Charles Hamelin. But Ohno's result was tossed, and he was the only finalist not to get a medal.

### OLYMPIC BRIEFS

#### U.S. BOBSLED TEAM CRUISING TOWARD GOLD

Steve Holcomb and his sleek, black four-man bobsled known as the "Night Train" are halfway to gold. Officially known as USA-1, the sled set track records on both its runs, putting it in first place going into the last two heats tonight. The United States hasn't won this race since 1948. "What Holcomb did here today was super genius," said Germany's Kevin Kuske, a four-time Olympic champion.

#### CANADIAN CURLERS DENIED

Canada was denied another gold medal on home ice, getting taken down by a Swedish team that captured its second consecutive gold medal in women's curling. China, competing in its first Olympics, beat Switzerland for the bronze.

— The Associated Press

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### PHOTO OF THE DAY



AP Photo

The United States' USA-1, with Steven Holcomb, Justin Olsen, Steve Mesler, and Curtis Tomasevicz, starts in the fog during the men's four-man bobsled competition at the Vancouver 2010 Olympics in Whistler, British Columbia, Friday.

# U.S. BREAKS MEDAL RECORD

## Hockey team in gold medal game

VANCOUVER, British Columbia — So these won't be remembered as the Vonn-couver Olympics after all. It's looking like they will belong to the entire U.S. delegation instead.

The Americans reached 34 medals with a silver and a bronze in short-track speedskating Friday night, and two more were clinched with the men's hockey team and men's team pursuit in speedskating advancing to a gold-medal match in which they can get no worse than silver.

That makes 36 medals, topping the U.S. record of 34 set at the 2002 Salt Lake City Olympics and matching the record for the most by any country at any Winter Olympics, set by Germany in Salt Lake City.

"It's a great time to be an American," said Katherine Reutter, who got a silver in the 1,000 meters at the short track. "One of the many things I was yelling was 'I love the USA!'"

Unless something wild happens over the final two days, the U.S. will win the overall medals race for only the second time, and the first since 1932 in Lake Placid.

And, look who's leading the gold race: Canada, with 10. Maybe the hosts' "Own the Podium" campaign will pay off after all.

Speaking of the U.S. and Canada, get ready for a raucous rematch on the ice. One week after the Americans ran roughshod over the Canadians in their game, on their ice, the nations will meet again for gold on Sunday.

The U.S. advanced easily, riding six first-period goals to a 6-1 victory over Finland. The Canadians beat Slovakia 3-2, but it was pretty tense at the end. Canada blew a 3-0 lead in the third period and had the entire nation on edge for the final 4:53 after Slovakia got within a goal.

The speedskaters locked up a top prize by knocking off Sven Kramer and the Dutch in a semifinal race.

At the short track, Apolo Anton Ohno — who became the most-decorated Winter Olympian in U.S. history earlier in these games — picked up his eighth career medal by getting bronze in the 5,000-meter relay. He had a



Members of the U.S. men's hockey team celebrate a goal in the first period of a game against Finland in the men's semifinals in the Vancouver 2010 Olympics in Vancouver, Canada on Friday.

AP photo

chance for another but was disqualified from the 500 meters final.

Vonn was supposed to win all sorts of Alpine medals. Although she is going home with a gold and a bronze, she also had three DNFs for failing to finish her other events, including the slalom on Friday.

Injuries certainly took a toll, from a broken right pinkie to a collection of bruises from chin to shin. But she refused to give up, which may be the bottom line on her performance at these games.

"I'm totally satisfied with everything I have done here," Vonn said. "I went out there fighting — it just wasn't my day. I didn't want to give up, that's my personality."

Vonn's close friend Maria Riesch won the event for her second gold in Vancouver and the ninth for Germany.

Wang Meng of China won the women's 1,000 meters in short-track speedskating for her third gold medal of these games.

Also Friday, Ole Einar Bjoerndalen of Norway added to his tremendous Olympics resume by anchoring Norway's victory in the men's biathlon relay. This was his first gold medal since sweeping all four events in 2002, and the 11th medal of his career. That leaves him one behind Bjorn Daehlie's Winter Games record of 12.

#### MEN'S HOCKEY

Ryan Malone, Zach Parise, Erik Johnson and Patrick Kane all scored in the first 10:08, sending

Finland goalie Miikka Kiprusoff to the bench and pretty much sealing any doubt who'd win this.

Just to make sure, Kane and Paul Stastny greeted his replacement with goals 15 seconds apart just a few minutes later, and the only question left was who the Americans will play.

Patrick Marleau, Brenden Morrow and Ryan Getzlaf put Canada ahead 3-0 after 24 minutes, but Slovakia hung tough. Goals from Lubomir Visnovsky and Michal Handzus less than four minutes apart in the third period gave them hopes of pulling off the upset.

Now comes the intriguing rematch. And it'll be played on the 50th anniversary of the U.S. beating Canada for the gold medal at the 1960 Olympics.

The U.S. hasn't won Olympic gold since the Miracle on Ice in 1980.

Slovakia and Finland will meet for bronze on Saturday.

#### SPEEDSKATING

More agony for Sven Kramer, lots of joy for the United States.

The American men upset Kramer and the powerful Dutch team in one team pursuit semifinal, and the U.S. women knocked off Canada in their quarterfinal.

My first thought when we crossed the line was, 'Oh, my God, we beat the Dutch!'" said Brian Hansen. "And then I thought, 'Oh, my God, we got a medal!'"

The men will face Canada in the gold-medal race Saturday. The

women will face defending Olympic champion Germany in a semifinal Saturday.

#### SLALOM

Riesch's victory made the German women 3-of-5 in Alpine events. Vonn was waiting for her at the finish.

"Awesome," she said. "I'm so proud of you."

Riesch is competing at her first Olympics at age 25 after being sidelined by a season-ending injury four years ago.

Sarah Schleper was the top American, finishing 16th — after a team doctor sewed five stitches in her bloodied chin before her second run.

#### BIATHLON

The 36-year-old Bjoerndalen nailed all 10 of his targets, then skied across the finish waving a flag and flashing a big smile.

"I'm really satisfied with my race," he said. "It was perfect"

The Americans were 13th out of 19 countries.

#### SNOWBOARDING

With rain turning the event into hydroplaning, Nicolien Sauerbreij of the Netherlands won the women's parallel giant slalom race.

Rider after top rider kept going out, unable to handle the strange conditions. About the only one who handled them consistently was Sauerbreij, who was her country's flagbearer in 2002, but finished 24th.

— The Associated Press

## Softball

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Game 2 got off to a shaky start as pitcher Brie Dimond struggled in the circle and walked in two runs and gave up an RBI hit, allowing NIC a 3-0 lead.

"It was tough to find the strike zone," Dimond said. "But I had full faith in my defense."

Her teammates took to the plate with a determination to help Dimond out as the Eagles scored five runs

in the first and second to take a 5-3 lead and give Dimond some breathing room. Second baseman Mikkel Griffin batted 4-for-4 with three RBIs, left fielder Albertson hit 2-for-3, and first baseman Brittany Gonzales hit 2-for-3 with one RBI. DH Lyndi Miller batted in two runs on a base hit and a sacrifice grounder.

As the runs mounted, Dimond grew more com-

fortable in the circle, allowing zero NIC runs from the second inning on to complete the game.

"It's unexplainable ... I was so happy to get an opportunity to finish out a game," said Dimond, who is adjusting to the role of starter this season. "It builds up my confidence."

Head coach Nick Baumert said the way she maintained calm and never looked panicked, even

when walking in a few runs, kept her on the rubber.

The Golden Eagles (19-9, 10-4) and Cardinals (16-10, 13-5) are set for another doubleheader at noon today.

<b>Game 1</b>	
<b>CSI 2, North Idaho 1</b>	<b>CSI 7, North Idaho 3</b>
<b>000 001 0-144</b>	<b>300 000 0-372</b>
<b>010 000 1-252</b>	<b>320 100 4-7112</b>
North Idaho CSI Alyssa Erickson and Renae Kimbell; Generra Nielson and Chelsea Nix. Pitching — NIC: Erickson (L) 6.0 IP, 5 H, 2 R, 1 ER, 1 BB, 1 SO, 1 HB; CSI: Nielson (W, 10-5) 7.0 IP, 4 H, 1 R, 1 ER, 2 BB, 13 SO, 2 WP.	North Idaho CSI Jessica Ross, Kathy Conack, Alyssa Erickson and Renae Kimbell; Brie Dimond and Kayla Powell. Pitching — NIC: Ross (L), 2.0 IP, 6 H, 5 R, 5 ER, 1 BB, 1 SO; Conack 3.0 IP, 5 H, 2 R, 1 ER, 3 BB, 3 SO; Erickson 1.0 IP, 0 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 0 BB, 0 SO. CSI: Dimond (W, 4-3) 7.0 IP, 7 H, 3 R, 3 ER, 7 BB, 5 SO. E — NIC: Juliann Hartnet 2; CSI: Mikkel Griffin, Kelsey Bryant. LOB — NIC 13; CSI 10. 2B — NIC: Amanda Krier; Lindsey Stark; CSI: Bryant, Brittany Gonzales, RBI — NIC: Brigett Plenger 2; Hartnet; CSI: Griffin 3, Lyndi Miller 2, Bryant, Gonzales. SH — NIC: Laruen Maloney, Stark; CSI: Marie Williams, Jessica Albertson. SB — NIC: Alyssa Hawley, Krier; CSI: Griffin.

## CSI

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doubtful for today's game, while Souza is likely done for the season with a broken wrist.

Today could also be the final home appearances for redshirt freshmen Carrick Felix and Josten Thomas and injured center Aziz N'diaye, sitting out on a redshirt this season. Are all being recruited by prominent four-year programs.

"It's really important to our team and it's really important to our sophomores because it's sophomore night and this is our last home game here," said Felix.

CSI's men are locked into the No. 4 seed for regionals and will face fifth-seeded Snow College at 7:30 p.m. Thursday. Eastern Utah (20-9, 13-6) is tied for second with Salt Lake Community College, but could earn the No. 2 seed and a first-round bye with a win over CSI today.

**Title winner:** The sixth-ranked North Idaho College men claimed the SWAC title with its win over CEU on Thursday. NIC (25-4, 15-4) closes the regular season against Colorado Northwestern today and will own the No. 1 seed for the region

tourney. CSI, 0-4 this season against the Cardinals, would face NIC in Friday's semifinals with a first-round win over Snow.

**Going to Price:** Tickets for the Region 18 Tournament may be purchased at [www.ceu.edu/athletics/swac](http://www.ceu.edu/athletics/swac). All-tournament passes are \$20, while reserved seating is \$8 per game and general admission seating is \$6 per game.

**Art in SI:** Former CSI center Art Parakhouski is featured in the March 1 issue of Sports Illustrated in an article entitled "The luxury imports are here." Written by Luke

Winn, the article talks about several foreign players shining at the college level.

"Radford went to the basketball backwater of Belarus to find 6-11 senior center Artsiom Parakhouski," Winn writes. "Last season Parakhouski led Radford to its second NCAA tournament berth, and he has been so productive as a senior that he ranks sixth nationally in PER (Player Efficiency Rating). Big Art was averaging 21.4 points and 13.2 rebounds through Sunday and has a shot to become the first NBA draft pick from the Big South."



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## AUTO

<b>NASCAR Sprint Cup</b>	
<b>Shelby American Lineup</b>	
<b>After Friday Qualifying, Race Sunday</b>	
<b>At Las Vegas Motor Speedway</b>	
<b>Las Vegas, Nev.</b>	
<b>Lap Length: 1.5 Miles</b>	
<b>(Car Number In Parentheses)</b>	
1. (2) Kurt Busch, Dodge, 188.719 Mph.	
2. (4) Jeff Gordon, Chevrolet, 186.646.	
3. (39) Ryan Newman, Chevrolet, 188.18.	
4. (88) Dale Earnhardt Jr., Chevrolet, 188.173.	
5. (18) Kyle Busch, Toyota, 188.153.	
6. (20) Joey Logano, Toyota, 187.611.	
7. (16) Greg Biffle, Ford, 187.598.	
8. (5) Mark Martin, Chevrolet, 187.5.	
9. (14) Tony Stewart, Chevrolet, 186.942.	
10. (42) Juan Pablo Montoya, Chevrolet, 186.793.	
11. (17) Matt Kenseth, Ford, 186.748.	
12. (99) Carl Edwards, Ford, 186.554.	
13. (33) Clint Bowyer, Chevrolet, 186.548.	
14. (77) Sam Hornish Jr., Dodge, 186.445.	
15. (6) Joe Nemechek, Toyota, 186.355.	
16. (12) Brad Keselowski, Chevrolet, 186.245.	
17. (40) David Reutimann, Toyota, 186.233.	
18. (6) David Ragan, Ford, 186.188.	
19. (9) Casey Kahne, Ford, 185.995.	
20. (48) Jimmie Johnson, Chevrolet, 185.963.	
21. (13) Max Papis, Toyota, 185.497.	
22. (31) Jeff Burton, Chevrolet, 185.395.	
23. (82) Scott Speed, Toyota, 185.236.	
24. (1) Jamie McMurray, Chevrolet, 185.109.	
25. (34) Travis Kvapil, Ford, 185.058.	
26. (98) Paul Menard, Ford, 184.773.	
27. (11) Denny Hamlin, Toyota, 184.615.	
28. (78) Regan Smith, Chevrolet, 184.59.	
29. (71) Bobby Labonte, Chevrolet, 184.552.	
30. (6) Mike Bliss, Chevrolet, 184.54.	
31. (83) Brian Vickers, Toyota, 184.458.	
32. (47) Marcos Ambrose, Toyota, 184.445.	
33. (55) Michael McDowell, Toyota, 184.439.	
34. (29) Kevin Harvick, Chevrolet, 184.08.	
35. (56) Martin Truex Jr., Toyota, 183.961.	
36. (66) Dave Blaney, Toyota, 183.955.	
37. (9) Elliott Sadler, Ford, 183.468.	
38. (38) David Gilliland, Ford, 181.965.	
39. (57) Kevin Conway, Ford, 181.843.	
40. (43) AJ Allmendinger, Ford, 181.038.	
41. (26) Boris Sad, Ford, Owner Points.	
42. (7) Robby Gordon, Toyota, Owner Points.	
43. (99) Aric Almirola, Chevrolet, 183.038.	
<b>Failed To Qualify</b>	
44. (90) Casey Mears, Chevrolet, 182.248.	
45. (46) Terry Cook, Dodge, 180.705.	

## BASKETBALL

<b>NBA</b>	
<b>All Times MST</b>	
<b>EASTERN</b>	
<b>ATLANTIC</b>	<b>W L Pct GB</b>
Boston	36 20 .643 -
Orlando	31 26 .544 5½
Philadelphia	22 35 .386 14½
New York	20 37 .351 16½
New Jersey	5 52 .088 31½
<b>SOUTHEAST</b>	<b>W L Pct GB</b>
Orlando	39 20 .661 -
Atlanta	36 21 .632 2
Miami	29 29 .500 9½
Charlotte	28 29 .491 10
Washington	20 36 .357 17½
<b>CENTRAL</b>	<b>W L Pct GB</b>
Cleveland	46 14 .767 -
Chicago	31 27 .534 14
Milwaukee	29 28 .509 15½
Detroit	21 37 .362 24
Indiana	19 39 .328 26
<b>WESTERN</b>	<b>W L Pct GB</b>
<b>SOUTHWEST</b>	<b>W L Pct GB</b>
Dallas	38 21 .644 -
San Antonio	32 24 .571 4½
New Orleans	3 28 .525 7
Houston	29 29 .500 8
Memphis	29 29 .500 8½
<b>NORTHWEST</b>	<b>W L Pct GB</b>
Denver	39 19 .672 2
Utah	37 21 .638 2
Oklahoma City	34 23 .596 4½
Portland	34 27 .557 6½
Minnesota	14 46 .233 26
<b>PACIFIC</b>	<b>W L Pct GB</b>
L.A. Lakers	43 15 .741 -
Phoenix	37 23 .617 7
L.A. Clippers	24 34 .414 19
Sacramento	19 39 .328 24
Golden State	16 41 .281 26½
<b>Thursday's Games</b>	
Milwaukee 112, Indiana 110	
Cleveland 108, Boston 102	
Denver 127, Golden State 112	
<b>Friday's Games</b>	
Dallas 111, Atlanta 103, OT	
New York 118, Washington 116, OT	
Cleveland 126, Toronto 118, OT	
Chicago 115, Portland 111, OT	
Charlotte 93, Memphis 92	
Oklahoma City 109, Minnesota 92	
Houston 109, San Antonio 104	
Denver 107, Detroit 102	
Phoenix 125, L.A. Clippers 112	
New Orleans 100, Orlando 93	
Sacramento 103, Utah 99	
Philadelphia at L.A. Lakers, late	
<b>Saturday's Games</b>	
New Jersey at Boston, 11 a.m.	
Milwaukee at Miami, 1:30 p.m.	
Chicago at Indiana, 5 p.m.	
Memphis at New York, 5:30 p.m.	
Portland at Minnesota, 6 p.m.	
Utah at Utah, 7 p.m.	
Detroit at Golden State, 8:30 p.m.	
<b>Sunday's Games</b>	
Phoenix at San Antonio, 11 a.m.	
Denver at L.A. Lakers, 1:30 p.m.	
Milwaukee at Atlanta, 4 p.m.	
Washington at New Jersey, 4 p.m.	
Toronto at Oklahoma City, 5 p.m.	
Miami at Orlando, 5 p.m.	
L.A. Clippers at Sacramento, 7 p.m.	
New Orleans at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.	
<b>NBA Boxes</b>	
<b>Bobcats 93, Grizzlies 89</b>	
<b>CHARLOTTE (93)</b>	
Wallace 4-12 2-10, Diaw 7-12 1-2, Ratliff 2-5 1-5, Foye 4-12 2-3, Jackson 13-26 3-5 3-2, Augustin 15-0-2, Thomas 6-7 1-13, Graham 1-2 2-2, Brown 1-2 0-2. Totals 93-89 (11:19).	
<b>MEMPHIS (89)</b>	
Gay 8-14 2-20, Randolph 10-15 4-6 2-4, Gasol 3-10 0-0 6, Conley 4-8 2-13, Jackson 13-26 3-5 3-2, Augustin 15-0-2, Thomas 6-7 1-13, Graham 1-2 2-2, Brown 1-2 0-2. Totals 89-93 (11:19).	

Gay, Williams 3). Total Fouts—Charlotte 19, Memphis 18. A—14,713 (18,119).	
<b>Cavaliers 126, Raptors 118 OT</b>	
<b>CLEVELAND (126)</b>	
James 10-17 15-16 36, Jamison 8-14 5-9 22, Varejao 4-5 3-3 11, M.Williams 6-18 0-0 22, Parker 4-8 0-0 10, Hickson 2-4 2-2 6, West 5-13 4-4 15, Williams 0-1 0-0 0, Powe 1-2 2-2 4, Moon 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 42-82 31-36 126.	
<b>TORONTO (118)</b>	
Turkoglu 8-16 0-10 8, Bargnani 9-17 4-4 24, Nesterovic 3-5 0-0 6, Jack 8-14 6-6 24, DeRozan 1-6 2-2 4, Johnson 0-0 0-0 0, Evans 4-8 5-9 13, Weems 5-7 1-2 11, Wright 3-8 2-2 10, Calderon 4-12 0-0 8. Totals 45-93 20-25 118.	
<b>Cleveland 33 27 15- 126</b>	
<b>Toronto 30 30 22 7- 118</b>	
3-Point Goals—Cleveland 11-29 (M.Williams 6-11, Parker 2-5, Jamison 1-3, James 1-4, West 1-6), Toronto 2-6 (Bargnani 2-4, Jack 2-5, Turkoglu 2-6, Wright 2-6).	
Fouled Out—Varejao, Turkoglu.	
Rebounds—Cleveland 55 (Jamison 11), Toronto 43 (Evans, DeRozan 5). Assists—Cleveland 29 (James 9), Toronto 23 (Calderon 8). Total Fouts—Cleveland 25, Toronto 26. Technicals—Toronto defensive three second. A—20,107 (19,800).	
<b>Suns 125, Clippers 112</b>	
<b>L.A. CLIPPERS (112)</b>	
Butler 4-7 0-1 10, Gooden 5-11 5-15 15, Kaman 6-15 0-0 12, Davis 5-13 1-2 13, Gordon 8-14 5-6 25, Jordan 1-3 1-2 3, Blake 0-2 0-0 0, Smith 1-7 2-13 6, Outlaw 7-13 0-0 18. Totals 45-89 14-19 112.	
<b>PHOENIX (125)</b>	
Hill 7-10 3-13 18, Stoudemire 7-13 6-8 20, Lopez 13-16 4-8 30, Nash 1-7 5-8, Richardson 6-14 0-0 14, Dudley 5-7 0-0 12, Frye 6-8 0-0 15, Amundson 0-1 2-2 2, Dragic 3-8 0-0 6, Griffin 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 48-84 20-26 125.	
<b>L.A. Clippers 28 27 25 - 126</b>	
<b>Phoenix 36 27 25 - 125</b>	
3-Point Goals—L.A. Clippers 12-25 (Outlaw 4-7, Gordon 4-8, Butler 2-4, Davis 2-5, Blake 0-1), Phoenix 9-19 (Frye 3-4, Dudley 2-4, Richardson 2-6, Hill 1-1, Nash 1-4). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—L.A. Clippers 41 (Gooden 9), Phoenix 52 (Lopez 12). Assists—L.A. Clippers 24 (Blake 9), Phoenix 29 (Nash 11). Total Fouts—L.A. Clippers 16, Phoenix 16. Technicals—Kaman 2. L.A. Clippers defensive three second, Nash. Flagrant Fouts—Gooden. Ejected—Kaman. A—18,043 (18,422).	
<b>Knicks 118, Wizards 116 OT</b>	
<b>NEW YORK (118)</b>	
Chandler 5-14 1-2 11, Gallinari 4-5 1-2 9, Lee 10-18 5-6 25, Rodriguez 2-4 0-0 5, McGrady 8-17 7-9 23, Boykins 2-10 0-0 4, Harrington 12-21 8-12 37, Walker 1-2 0-0 2, Douglas 0-0 2-2 2. Totals 44-91 24-33 118.	
<b>WASHINGTON (116)</b>	
Thorton 5-11 0-11, Singleton 2-3 0-0 4, Blatche 11-21 3-5 26, Foye 8-11 3-5 22, Miller 5-10 0-0 12, Boykins 3-6 0-0 7, McGee 7-12 4-6 18, Young 2-7 1-2 7, Ross 3-6 1-1 7, Livingston 0-1 0-0 0, Harris 0-0 0-0 0, Oberto 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 47-89 12-21 116.	
<b>New York Wizards 24 28 29 6- 118</b>	
<b>Washington 30 29 26 7- 116</b>	
3-Point Goals—New York 12-21 (Harrington 5-8, Rodriguez 1-1, McGrady 0-1, Gallinari 0-1, Chandler 0-1, Young 0-5), Washington 10-18 (Foye 3-4, Miller 2-4, House 2-4, Blatche 1-2, Thornton 1-2, Ross 0-1). Fouled Out—Miller, Thornton, Ross. Rebounds—New York 56 (Lee 16), Washington 51 (Blatche 18). Assists—New York 27 (Rodriguez 7), Washington 34 (Foye 10). Total Fouts—New York 23, Washington 30. Technicals—New York defensive three second. A—17,408 (20,173).	
<b>Mavericks 111, Hawks 103 OT</b>	
<b>DALLAS (111)</b>	
Marion 7-11 0-0 14, Nowitzki 15-26 5-5 37, Haywood 5-6 1-2 11, Kidd 7-18 1-2 19, Stevenson 1-5 1-2 3, Terry 8-16 0-0 17, Najera 1-2 0-0 2, Barea 4-8 0-0 8. Totals 48-92 8-11 111.	
<b>ATLANTA (103)</b>	
Williams 2-11 2-4 8, Jerebko 8-15 2-3 18, Horford 4-16 5-6 13, Bibby 6-14 0-0 16, Vansant 1-2 3-4 21, Crawford 5-16 6-6 18, Evans 13-0-0 2, Pachulia 0-0 0-0 0, J. Smith 1-2 0-0 2, West 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 38-95 18-21 103.	
<b>Dallas Mavericks 29 21 15 34 12- 111</b>	
<b>Atlanta Hawks 19 31 26 23 4- 103</b>	
3-Point Goals—Dallas 7-21 (Kidd 4-10, Nowitzki 2-2, Marion 1-1, Stevenson 0-1, Najera 0-1, Barea 0-1). Fouled Out—9-26 (Bibby 4-8, Johnson 2-6, Crawford 2-9, Williams 1-2, Evans 0-1). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Dallas 60 (Kidd 16), Atlanta 47 (Jos.Smith 11). Assists—Dallas 37 (Kidd 17), Atlanta 32 (Johnson 10). Total Fouts—Dallas 18, Atlanta 11. Technicals—Atlanta Coach Woodson. A—18,923 (18,729).	
<b>Nuggets 107, Pistons 102</b>	
<b>DETROIT (102)</b>	
Prince 3-11 2-4 8, Jerebko 4-5 0-0 9, Wallace 4-7 1-3 9, Stuckey 9-20 0-0 19, Hamilton 5-17 0-11 20, Maseli 7-9 2-2 16, Villanueva 2-6 0-5, Bynum 1-3 0-0 2, Daye 2-4 0-0 5, Gordon 4-10 0-0 9. Totals 41-92 14-20 102.	
<b>Denver 107</b>	
Denver 8-25 8-13 24, Allen 0-2 0-0 0, Nene 2-6 2-2 6, Billups 6-11 1-11 25, Afflalo 5-9 0-0 14, Andersen 3-5 2-6 8, Smith 10-0 3-5 15, Lofton 1-2 0-0 2, Graham 3-7 3-4 13. Totals 35-77 29-37 107.	
<b>Detroit 29 20 26 27 - 102</b>	
<b>Denver 22 21 34 30 - 107</b>	
3-Point Goals—Detroit 6-16 (Stuckey 1-1, Daye 1-2, Jerebko 1-2, Hamilton 1-3, Villanueva 1-3, Gordon 1-5), Denver 8-18 (Afflalo 4-6, Smith 2-4, Billups 2-5, Anthony 0-3). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Detroit 61 (Wallace 10), Denver 46 (Graham 7). Assists—Detroit 21 (Stuckey 6), Denver 21 (Smith, Lawson, Nene 4). Total Fouts—Detroit 26, Denver 15. Technicals—Detroit Bench. A—19,845 (19,155).	
<b>Rockets 109, Spurs 104</b>	
<b>SAN ANTONIO (104)</b>	
Finley 0-2 0-0 0, Duncan 8-17 1-13 27, McDyess 0-3 0-0 0, G.Hill 8-14 7-8 26, Bogans 0-3 0-0 0, Ginobili 18-6 6-8 12, Jefferson 6-12 3-5 15, Blair 4-4 2-2 10, Mason 4-13 1-12, Mahmini 3-3 2-3 8, Bonner 0-4 0-0 0, Hairston 4-6 0-2 8. Totals 38-85 22-30 104.	
<b>HOUSTON (109)</b>	
Battier 2-5 2-4 3, Scott 8-17 14-14 30, Hayes 2-2 0-0 4, Brooks 12-21 4-31, Martin 9-24 14-14 33, Jeffries 1-2 0-2 2, Budinger 1-5 0-0 2, Andersen 0-1 0-0 0, Temple 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 36-79 34-38 109.	
<b>San Antonio 14 27 28 35 - 104</b>	
<b>Houston 28 26 24 29 - 109</b>	
3-Point Goals—San Antonio 6-21 (G.Hill 3-5, Mason 3-9, Ginobili 0-2, Jefferson 0-2, Bogans 0-3), Houston 3-16 (Brooks 1-3, Battier 1-4, Martin 1-6, Budinger 0-3). Fouled Out—Blair, G.Hill, Rebounds—San Antonio 53 (Ginobili 10), Houston 49 (Scotla 13). Assists—San Antonio 21 (Ginobili, Mason 4), Houston 18 (Battier 5). Total Fouts—San Antonio 28, Houston 24. Technicals—Houston San Antonio defensive three second. A—18,195 (18,043).	
<b>Thunder 109, Timberwolves 92</b>	
<b>MINNESOTA (92)</b>	
Gomes 4-11 1-10, Jefferson 5-11 2-2 12, Hollins 2-2 2-6, Flynn 5-7 0-0 10, Brewer 4-10 0-0 9, Millicic 3-8 0-0 6, Love 7-16 5-6 19, Sessions 17-4-4 6, Wilkins 0-3 0-0 0, Ellington 2-5 1-5, Pavlovic 2-3 0-0 4, Pecherov 2-3 0-0 5. Totals 32-71 15-17 92.	
<b>OKLAHOMA CITY (109)</b>	
Durant 8-17 8-9 25, Green 6-11 0-0 13, Kstic 5-9 0-0 10, Westbrook 7-11 4-6 13, Selolofsha 3-6 4-4 10, Collison 5-6 0-0 10, Harden 2-9 2-5 6, Maynor 1-1 1-1 3.	

# SCOREBOARD

## GAME PLAN

<b>LOCAL</b>	
<b>MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL</b>	
<b>5 p.m.</b>	
CSI vs. Colorado NW CC	
<b>WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL</b>	
<b>3 p.m.</b>	
CSI vs. Eastern Utah	
<b>COLLEGE SOFTBALL</b>	
<b>Noon</b>	
CSI vs. North Idaho College (DH)	
<b>HIGH SCHOOL BOYS BASKETBALL</b>	
<b>Class 3A State Play-in</b>	
<b>At Pocatello</b>	
<b>1 p.m.</b>	
Wendell vs. Salmon	
<b>Class 1A Division I State Play-in</b>	
<b>At Glenns Ferry</b>	
<b>3 p.m.</b>	
Shoshone vs. Horseshoe Bend	
<b>Class 1A Division II State Play-in</b>	
<b>At Glenns Ferry</b>	
<b>1 p.m.</b>	
Dietrich vs. Meadow Valley	
<b>HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING</b>	
<b>9 a.m.</b>	
State tournament, Holt Arena, Pocatello	
<b>TV SCHEDULE</b>	
<b>AUTO RACING</b>	
<b>10 a.m.</b>	
SPEED — NASCAR, Nationwide Series, pole qualifying for Sam's Town 300	
<b>2:30 p.m.</b>	
ESPN2 — NASCAR, Nationwide Series, Sam's Town 300	
<b>BOXING</b>	
<b>8 p.m.</b>	
FSN — Super welterweights, Saul Roman (32-5-0) vs. Gabriel Rosado (13-4-0); champion Mike Jones (19-0-0) vs. Henry Bruseles (28-3-1), for NABA welterweight title	
<b>GOLF</b>	
<b>11 a.m.</b>	
TGC — LPGA, HSBC Women's Champions, third round (same-day tape)	



# Bruins' Bishop signs with NIC softball

By Bradley Guire  
Times-News writer

The Twin Falls High School softball program will graduate another player to the next level soon as senior Brianna Bishop signed her NJCAA National Letter of Intent to play at North Idaho College for the 2010-11 school year.

Bishop inked the paperwork Friday following North Idaho's doubleheader against the College of Southern Idaho. She is the eighth Bruin to sign with a college program in the past five years and the first to sign with the Cardinals since Justine Williams.

"I loved it," Bishop said of her visit to Coeur d'Alene to assess the program. "It's so pretty up there. The girls are fun and outgoing just like me."

The feeling that NIC is the right place for Bishop is mutual, said Cardinals coach Don Don Williams.

"It's important to fit in with the team and the philosophy," Williams said. "She's a hard worker and was highly recommended by her coaches. We're looking for blue-collar kids that work hard."

Bishop, who is set to lead the Bruins from the circle again this season and a fixture of the Boise Blast summer program, will likely remain in the infield as a utility player. She said she can contribute at second and third bases in particular.

She credited coaches Ken Johnson, the Bruins' head coach, and Lyle Hudelson, a former Bruin coach and now head coach at Canyon Ridge, along with many others who have had a hand in shaping her young career.

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Ayala won his 103-pound quarterfinal match by pinfall over Cayd Freeman of Bonneville. Ayala will face No. 1 seed Nate Wright of Lakeland in the 103-pound semifinals.

Kaden Luper pinned Dustin Hannawalt of Lakeland to win his 112-pound quarterfinal. Luper meets David Tovar of Nampa in today's semis.

Argyle, the No. 1 seed at 189, breezed into the semifinals by pinning Minico's Joseph Valencia. Argyle advances to wrestle Creed Richardson of Bonneville.

Twin Falls wrestlers joining Anderson in the semifinals are Joe Hamilton, Will Keeter and Zak Slotten — each is seeded No. 1 in his respective weight class.

At 125, Hamilton won by technical fall over Minico's Alberto Ramirez, setting up today's semifinal match with Taylor Salinas of Columbia.

Keeter pinned Mark Moore of Middleton in the 140-pound quarterfinals and will meet Dallan Holdon of Hillcrest today. Coming up the other side of the bracket is Burley's Jake Lake, who reached the semifinals by beating Christian Erklens of Nampa. Lake will face Kuna's Kyle Luks.

Slotten earned an 11-1 major decision over Bonneville's Jacob Johnson to reach the 171-pound semifinals, where Slotten will face Coltin Hill of Blackfoot. On the other side of the 171 bracket, Colby May of Minico beat Tim Hazelbacker of Mountain Home, 9-6, to reach the semifinals. May will wrestle Blackfoot's Dakota Bitton.

Action continues today at Holt Arena for all classifications. The semifinal round is scheduled for 9 a.m. and the championship finals will get under way at 3:30 p.m.

# Declo duel? Alonzo, Zollinger reach 103-pound semis

By Ryan Howe  
Times-News writer

POCATELLO — It could be an all-Declo final in the Class 2A 103-pound championship, as Declo junior Jamie Alonzo and freshman Stirland Zollinger each reached the semifinals of the state wrestling tournament at Holt Arena in Pocatello.

"That's pretty sweet," said Alonzo. "Hopefully me and him are in the championships. We've worked together all season. We kick each other's butt every day in practice and that's how we keep getting better."

Alonzo and Zollinger each beat Malad grapplers in the quarterfinals. Alonzo pinned Chris Hill and will meet Aldon Bishop of North Fremont in today's semifinal round. Meanwhile, Zollinger won a 14-6 decision over Justin Thibedeau. Zollinger faces No. 1 seed Blake Perry of Melba, who has beaten both Zollinger and Alonzo this season.

"Hopefully I can come back and beat him," Zollinger said of Perry. "I feel good and I think I can if I work hard enough. Our coaches have been telling (Alonzo and me) the whole year that it could be us two in the championship."

Zollinger's success as a freshman comes with little surprise, as he's following in the footsteps of his brother Golden, who was a three-time state champ.

"I'll never forget it," Stirland Zollinger said of his brother's titles. "We've been training for this forever. It's always been a goal since I can remember. I don't want to jinx myself, I'm just going to wrestle my best."

Five other Magic Valley wrestlers advanced to today's championship semifinal round.

Declo's Garrett Lindsay edged



Mike Archey of New Plymouth, 7-5, at 140 pounds. Lindsay faces top-seeded Taylor Walker of Firth in today's semis.

Valley earned two spots in the semifinals, Casey Ivey (119) and Derek Gerratt (135). Ivey won an 8-3 decision over Kyle Shaw of Ririe and will face No. 1 seed Raymond Evans of New Plymouth. Gerratt remained undefeated and is poised to win his second state title in a row. After a pair of pins on Friday, Gerratt will face Randy Plummer of Challis in the semifinals.

Oakley's Stephan Ortiz held tough through his semifinal pin of North Fremont's Owen Grube. The sophomore Ortiz will meet Nathan Eliason of Malad in the semis today.

Stephan Ortiz of Oakley, left, wrestles Owen Grube of North Fremont in the 145-pound quarterfinals of the Class 2A state wrestling tournament Friday at Holt Arena in Pocatello.

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Stirland Zollinger of Declo, left, grapples with Justin Thibedeau of Malad during their 103-pound quarterfinal match of the Class 2A state wrestling tournament Friday at Holt Arena in Pocatello.

Class 3A wrestling tournament in Pocatello.

Buhl senior 189-pounder Blake Finney is in position to return to the state finals. He pinned Seth Roberts of Bear Lake, and has a tough semifinal match today with Joe Barbion of Payette.

Fellow Indian Michael McDonald upset a higher seed in John Primer of St. Maries in the quarterfinals. McDonald's semifinal match will be with Teton's Jacob Eck.

Freshman Jacob Herman of Kimberly advanced to the semifinals with a pin of Bonners Ferry's Josh Tucker. Herman will wrestle Jade Green of Sugar-Salem.

Wendell senior Derek Gines beat Garrett Wood of Sugar-Salem, 4-0, in the quarterfinals. Gines faces top-seeded Justin Ensley of Homedale in today's semis.

With 76 points, American Falls lead the 3A team standings. South Fremont (60.5) is second, with Teton (56) third. Buhl is the top District IV team, sitting 16th with 35.5 points. Kimberly is tied for 17th with 30.

## 2010 IDAHO HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING CHAMPIONSHIPS

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**Team scores:** 1. Columbia 102.00; 2. Blackfoot 98.50; 3. Pocatello 75.00; 4. Nampa 65.50; 5. Jerome 59.50; 6. Kuna 46.50; 7. Twin Falls 45.50; 8. Bonneville 44.00; Minico 44.00; 10. Moscow 37.00; 11. Lakeland 35.50; 12. Rigby 30.00; 13. Preston 28.50; 14. Hillcrest 23.00; 15. Bishop Kelly 22.00; 16. Burley 18.00; Salinas, Columbia, 3-1; Erik McCall, Moscow, dec. Tyler Powell, Jerome, 7-3.

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Filer's Nick Fleenor faces Corbin Waddell of Teton in the 215-pound quarterfinals of the Class 3A state wrestling tournament Friday at Holt Arena in Pocatello.

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Consolation second round: John Beer, Filer, pinned David Williams, Bonners Ferry, 1:32; Oren Carlton, Buhl, pinned D.J. Vlahos, Gooding, 1:36; Colby Searle, Shelley, pinned Ellery Gil, Gooding, 2:55; Quarterfinals: Dillon Decroo, Weiser, pinned Allen Compton, Buhl, 4:15.

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# Mavericks top Hawks in OT

ATLANTA — Dirk Nowitzki scored 37 points, Jason Kidd had 19 points, 17 assists and 16 rebounds, and the Dallas Mavericks beat the Atlanta Hawks 111-103 in overtime on Friday night for their sixth straight victory.

Kidd had his first triple-double this season and 104th of his career, third-most in NBA history behind Oscar Robertson and Magic Johnson.

Joe Johnson scored 27 points for Atlanta, which dropped to 22-7 at home. The Mavericks won their 19th on the road, one more than their total last season.

Josh Smith forced overtime with a putback that tied it at 99.

## KNICKS 118, WIZARDS 116, OT

WASHINGTON — David Lee's layup with 1.6 seconds to play in overtime gave the New York Knicks a victory over the Washington Wizards.

New York snapped an eight-game losing streak by surviving a bizarre overtime where the teams combined to miss 13 of their 16 field goal attempts.

## CAVALIERS 126, RAPTORS 118, OT

TORONTO — Mo Williams made back-to-back 3-pointers in overtime and finished with 22 points, LeBron James scored 36, and the Cleveland Cavaliers beat the Toronto Raptors.

Antawn Jamison scored 22 points and Delonte West added 15 for Cleveland, which won its third straight. Anderson Varejao had 11 points and eight rebounds before fouling out with 2:12 left in the fourth quarter.

## THUNDER 109, TIMBERWOLVES 92

OKLAHOMA CITY — Kevin Durant scored 25 points, Russell Westbrook narrowly missed his second triple-double against the Minnesota Timberwolves in less than a week, and the Oklahoma City Thunder cruised to a victory.

Westbrook had 18 points, matched his own franchise record with 15 assists and also grabbed eight rebounds before being removed from the game in the final four minutes and the Thunder up by 22.

## BOBCATS 93, GRIZZLIES 89

MEMPHIS, Tenn. — Stephen Jackson scored 32 points and grabbed a season-high 11 rebounds, helping the Charlotte Bobcats withstand a fourth-quarter rally and defeat the Memphis Grizzlies.

The victory snapped a three-game losing streak for Charlotte and prevented the Bobcats from going winless



AP photo

Dallas Mavericks forward Dirk Nowitzki (41) drives against Atlanta Hawks forward Josh Smith (not pictured) during the second quarter at Philips Arena, Friday in Atlanta. Nowitzki had 37 points for the night and led the Mavericks to a 111-103 overtime win.

as they head home from a four-game road trip.

## BULLS 115, TRAIL BLAZERS 111, OT

CHICAGO — Derrick Rose scored 33 points and Luol Deng added seven of his 23 in overtime to lead the Chicago Bulls past the Portland Trail Blazers.

Brandon Roy's jumper with 3:46 left in overtime gave the Blazers a 107-106 lead, but Kirk Hinrich answered for the Bulls with a driving layup, Deng made a fadeaway jumper, and Joakim Noah found Taj Gibson for a layup to put the Bulls up 112-107 with 2:09 remaining.

## SUNS 125, CLIPPERS 112

PHOENIX — Robin Lopez scored 19 of his career-high 30 points in the first half and the Phoenix Suns beat the Los Angeles Clippers for their fifth straight victory.

Amare Stoudemire added 20 points and Grant Hill had 18 points, six rebounds and six assists for the Suns, who won for the sixth time in seven games since the All-Star break. Phoenix has won 12 of its past 14 overall.

## ROCKETS 109, SPURS 104

HOUSTON — Kevin Martin had his best game since being traded to the Rockets, scoring 33 points to lead Houston over the San Antonio Spurs.

Martin finally showed he was the scorer the Rockets were looking for when they acquired him and three others last week in the deal that sent Tracy McGrady to the New York Knicks.

## HORNETS 100, MAGIC 93

NEW ORLEANS — David West scored 40 points and the New Orleans Hornets erased an 18-point deficit in

the second half to beat the Orlando Magic 100-93 on Friday night.

Marcus Thornton scored 18, including a 3-pointer that made it 96-86 with 51 seconds to go. Fellow rookie Darren Collison added 16 points.

## NUGGETS 107, PISTONS 102

DENVER — Chauncey Billups scored 25 points, Carmelo Anthony added 24 and the Denver Nuggets snapped a seven-game losing streak to the Detroit Pistons with a 107-102 victory Friday night.

J.R. Smith added 15 points and Arron Afflalo had 14 for the Nuggets, who beat the Pistons for the first time in four years. Joey Graham, who with Malik Allen played in place of the injured Kenyon Martin (knee contusion), chipped in 13 points.

— The Associated Press

# Wilson ties Villegas with late run in Phoenix

SCOTTSDALE, Ariz. — Mark Wilson charged and Camilo Villegas faltered.

The result was a two-way tie for the lead at 11-under 131 halfway through the Phoenix Open.

Wilson birdied the last four holes for a 5-under 66, while Villegas bogeyed No. 18 when he missed a 14-foot putt for par. The 28-year-old Colombian settled for a 69 after tying the tournament first-round record with a 9-under 62 on Thursday.

Eleven players were within two shots of the lead at TPC Scottsdale, where a crowd estimated at 101,709 attended the second round Friday under thinly overcast conditions.

Anthony Kim (65), Ryan Moore (66) and Rickie Fowler (67) were 10 under.

Tom Lehman, nine days shy of his 51st birthday, had a 67 to top a group of six at 9 under. Play was suspended because of darkness with one player, Matt Every, still on the course. He had a 3-footer for a birdie that would put him at 9 under.

Wilson, who said he was ill early in the week after returning from the Mayakoba Golf Classic in Cancun, Mexico, considers himself the bland one among those at the top of the leaderboard.

"I'm not a flashy player. ... I see Anthony and Rickie and Camilo up there and they're all very flamboyant characters, and it's fun to watch them," Wilson said. "So I'll be somewhat of a spectator too, but certainly taking care of my own business."

Villegas, who mixed three bogeys with an eagle and three birdies, insisted he was satisfied with his second round.

"It's tough to shoot 9 under in one day. To do it two days in a row, it's even harder obviously," he said. "Am I disappointed the fact I didn't go low-low today? No. You just want to stay in the tournament. I mean, after a great first day, you just want to keep plugging, keep staying there and give yourself a chance come Sunday afternoon."

Wilson said this is the kind of desert course, with the open par 5s and par 4s and friendly greens, where golfers can get on the kind of runs that he did late Friday.

"I made a lot of putts, so if you're seeing the lines good you can roll off a string of birdies pretty



AP photo

Mark Wilson tips his visor to fans after sinking a birdie putt on the 18th green during the second round of the Phoenix Open PGA golf tournament Friday in Scottsdale, Ariz. Wilson finished the round at 11-under par.

quick," he said.

Phil Mickelson was within reach of the lead after consecutive 68s left him at 6 under.

As many as 150,000 fans are expected for Saturday, always the wildest day in the biggest party on the PGA Tour.

Tee times Saturday were moved ahead an hour because of the chance of rain late in the day. Rain is more likely Sunday.

## STANFORD SHARES LEAD AT HSBC CHAMPIONS

SINGAPORE — Angela Stanford shot a 1-under 71 for a share of the lead with Song-Hee Kim after the second round of the HSBC Champions.

Stanford, the former TCU star who has four LPGA Tour victories, and Kim (70) had 5-under 139 totals on Tanah Merah's Garden Course.

Hall of Famer Juli Inkster (70) was a stroke back along with Ai Miyazato (71), Suzann Pettersen (70), Hee-Won Han (67) and Sun Young Yoo (70). Last week in the season-opening LPGA Thailand, Miyazato rallied to beat Pettersen by a stroke.

Top-ranked Lorena Ochoa, tied for the first-round lead after a 68, had a 7-over 79 to drop eight strokes back at 3 over. She had four bogeys and a triple bogey on the par-4 18th. The Mexican star won the inaugural tournament in 2008.

Michelle Wie was 1 over after a 73.

— The Associated Press

# Kahne taking time looking at 2011 options

LAS VEGAS (AP) — Kasey Kahne has all season to figure out where he's going to drive in 2011. The more pressing issue right now is climbing from the bottom of the Sprint Cup Series standings.

Kahne arrived at Las Vegas Motor Speedway a disappointing 33rd in points and in need of a complete race. He had good cars in the first two races of the season, but wrecked at Daytona and California to fall far behind the competition in the race to claim one of the 12 Chase for the championship slots.

"I don't think our season is over, but we're definitely in a hole," Kahne said Friday.

There's reason to believe Kahne and his Richard Petty Motorsports team can turn the year around. After all, Mark Martin dropped as low as 34th in points in the first month of last season, but rallied to make the Chase and finish second in the final standings.

"I think we all know that in this sport, you can go on rolls and if you can run consistently you can gain points pretty fast, especially early in the season," he said.

"If you're 34th in points

## KURT BUSCH WINS POLE AT LAS VEGAS

LAS VEGAS (AP) — Kurt Busch visited Victory Lane last year at his home track. He was there to congratulate his little brother, Kyle, who became the first Busch brother to win at Las Vegas Motor Speedway. He wants his own party this year. Kurt Busch shattered his brother's track record Friday with a pole-winning role at Las Vegas, the track he and Kyle Busch consider to be among the most important on the series. The Las Vegas natives watched construction of the track, hopeful to one day get a chance to race there — and maybe even win. "I'm pretty stoked," Kurt Busch said. "It's something you can't count your chickens before they've hatched, but this would be a special win. It's hard to play what-if." Busch grew emotional in his pole-winners press conference, having to stop to compose himself and wipe away tears when he recognized one of his father's former racing rivals, who was at the track in a media role. Busch turned a lap of 188.719 mph to claim the top starting spot for Sunday's race. Jeff Gordon was second with a lap at 188.646. Ryan Newman qualified third and was followed by Dale Earnhardt Jr. and Kyle Busch.

after 10 races, you're probably in trouble. But early in the year, I think you have plenty of time to make those gains and we need to get started this weekend. We have to run well this weekend if we want to get started on going the right direction."

There's no panic in part because Kahne and crew chief Kenny Francis know they've had good cars. Kahne won one of the Daytona 500 qualifying races, and ran well in the season-opening 500 until a late accident relegated him to a 30th-place finish.

He was good last week at Atlanta, too, but spun while

trying to pass Juan Pablo Montoya and took full responsibility for his 34th-place finish.

So he has faith he can be good in Sunday's race at Las Vegas.

But he's not sure it's good enough to win, and he's positive it's not good enough to compete weekly with the Hendrick Motorsports cars.

Although the offseason switch from Dodge to Ford has given Kahne stronger motors and more resources, the overall program is not at the level he hoped for when RPM began leaning on Roush Fenway Racing.

"I expected the cars to be

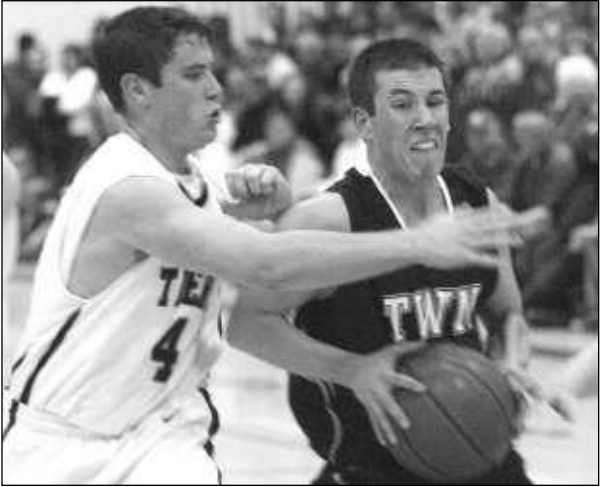
better. I mean just a little bit," Kahne said. "You'd think gaining that many people in that group and pulling our knowledge and their knowledge together you would think, 'Man, we've got to have a better balance on race cars doing that.' That's not the case, but I think as the season goes, hopefully, it will be the case, but not as of right now."

And that's going to be critical for Kahne, who is the final year of his contract with RPM.

He was openly aggravated during the tumultuous 2009 season, but was able to overcome all the RPM speed-bumps to win two races, make the Chase and finish 10th in the final standings. But that's not good enough for Kahne, who wants to be able to run up front every week.

He's declined to declare himself for sure gone from RPM, but he's admittedly keeping close eye on everyone else in the garage in an apparent evaluation of potential future jobs.

"It's kind of nice to be able to sit back and look and watch the performance of our team, watch the performance of the Chevrolets, the Toyotas, the Fords and the Dodges and just kind of see where everybody is at and make that decision," he said.



MEAGAN THOMPSON/Times-News

Twin Falls guard T.J. Ellis (3) drives to the hoop as Jerome's Cameron Stauffer (4) defends Friday night in the Great Basin Conference championship game at Jerome High School. Twin Falls beat Jerome for the honors.

## Title

Continued from Sports 1 ... this was good for us?"

Twin Falls played without starting senior guard Ryan Petersen, who sat out after a nasty spill Thursday night left him with a missing tooth and a cut chin that took six stitches to patch up. Petersen had the tooth reinserted and said he needs further dental work but hopes to be available for next week's state tournament.

Both teams open up the tournament with familiar opponents. Twin Falls will play the 8 p.m., game next Thursday at Borah High School in Boise, facing Century. The Bruins beat

the Diamondbacks by 22 and 20 earlier this season.

Jerome faces white-hot Bishop Kelly, winner of 11 in a row, in the 1:15 p.m., game. The Tigers and Knights split a home-and-home earlier in the season, with Bishop Kelly winning by 11 and Jerome by six in December.

## GBC championship

Twin Falls 61, Jerome 56  
13 12 18 18 - 61  
8 19 13 16 - 56  
TWIN FALLS (61)  
Brennon Lancaster 11, T.J. Ellis 5, Eric Harr 14, Justin Pedersen 9, John Pulsifer 10, Marcus Jardine 11, Brett Kohring 1. Totals: 22 12 15 61.  
JEROME (56)  
Nolan McDonald 4, Kameron Pearce 20, Cameron Stauffer 2, Gus Callen 19, Chase Capps 4, Jake Hollifield 2, Bryan Harper 5. Totals 23 6-6 56.  
3-point goals: Twin Falls 5 (Lancaster, Ellis, Harr, Pedersen, Jardine), Jerome 4 (Callen 3, Harper). Total fouls: Twin Falls 12, Jerome 16. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

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GYMNASTICS

Magic Valley gymnasts place highly in Portland



Courtesy photos

All-around placers

The Magic Valley Gymnastics Club all-around placers, pictured, from left, are Tannah Sellers (second in level five), Brinley Reed (third in level seven) and Mckenzey Martinez (third in level 10).



Level five team

The Magic Valley Gymnastics Club level five team, pictured, from left, Grace Parker, Tannah Sellers, Lindsay Fustos and Danika Barela

For the Times-News

The Magic Valley Gymnastics Club had three top-three finishers at the Mac Open Gymnastics Invitational Feb. 12-14 in Portland, Ore. Tannah Sellers was second in level

five with 35.8 points, while Mckenzey Martinez placed third in level 10 all around with 34.125 and Brinley Reed finished third in level seven with 35.825.

Magic Valley's level five team placed fifth, while level seven finished seventh.

Mac Open Gymnastics Invitational  
Feb. 12-14, Multnomah Athletic Club, Portland, Ore.  
Magic Valley Gymnastics results

Level 5						
Name	Age	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	All around
Grace Parker	8	—	10	—	—	—
Tannah Sellers	11	—	3	1	3	2
Lindsay Fustos	11	—	2	6	—	4
Danika Barela	11	—	—	4	—	—
Level 6						
Kylie Baumert	9	10	—	—	—	—
Level 7						
Brinley Reed	10	4	3	2	6	3
Gabby Borrayo	13	7	4	—	9	5
Level 8						
Courtney Ellis	14	6	3	10	9	6
Level 9						
Champi Shelton	14	—	5	—	—	—
Level 10						
Mckenzey Martinez	15	4	5	3	5	3

CHEER & DANCE

Senior, youth teams shine for Eagles at Utah meets

For the Times-News

The Magic Valley Eagles all-star cheerleaders senior team took first place at a UCA competition Jan. 23 in Sandy, Utah. The Eagles got a second-place showing from their youth team.

The Eagles also competed in Riverton, Utah, Feb. 6 in a USA competition, with both the youth and senior teams placing third. The youth team also received a paid bid to internationals after being one of two of the

highest scoring teams when they competed in Provo, Utah, on Jan. 9. International are held in five different locations in the U.S.

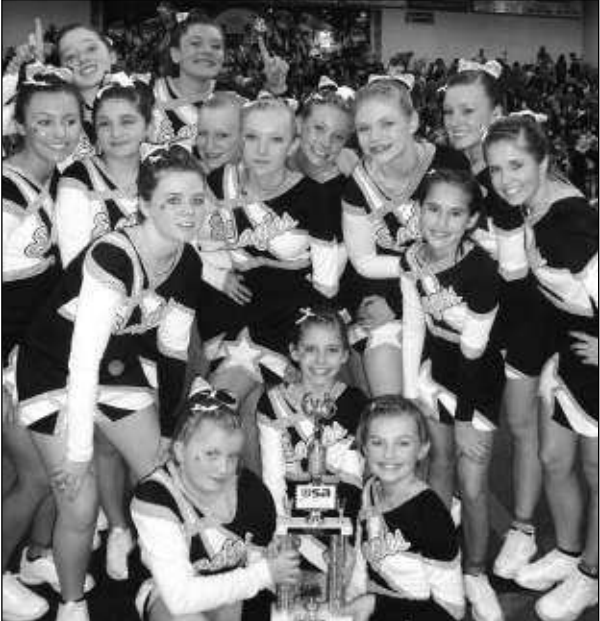
The Eagles will head to Portland, Ore., in March for nationals. They train at Radio Rondevoos under coaches Andrea Pierce, Troy Allen, Lexxi Richardson and LeeAnn Gonzales. Open tryout for the 2010-11 season will be held April. Information: Andrea at 420-336.



Courtesy photos

Youth team

Member of the Magic Valley Eagles youth team are Bailey Gonzales, Hannah Burgess, Kaia Walker, Kelsey Jo Wolfe, Kandyce Pope, Jada Carpenter, Ale' Hernandez, Kelsey Barnes, Avere Amador-Burgess, Chloe Burgess, Halle Knight, Abby Giardina, Mikayle Meyer, Alexis Guzman, Karleigh Allen, Kaylee Livingston, Caitlin Knight, Jordyn Pfeifer, Brinley Hollstrom and Jehryn Oates.



Senior team

Members of the Magic Valley Eagles senior team are Lexxi Richardson, Shelaine Moreno, Ansley Meeks, Emily Walker, Hunter Slagel, Bailey Gonzales, Jordan Rogers, Brianna Starley, Angela Hernandez, Catherine Harris, Kyla Rogers, Austin Moon, Tasha Pherigo, Melissa Hight and Ali Lenardi.



Courtesy photo

District champs

The Twin Falls High School Bruinettes swept first-place honors at the District IV competition Jan. 30. The Bruinettes took first place in Military, Dance, Novelty, Hip Hop and Kickline. The Bruinettes will compete at state March 19-20 in Boise.

Your Scores

BOWLING

BOWLADROME, TWIN FALLS  
MON. FOLLIES

**MEN'S SERIES:** Doug Hamrick 667, Jim Brawley 633, Mike Wrathford 613, Bill Boren 597.

**MEN'S GAMES:** Doug Hamrick 246, Rick Ruhter 222, Mike Wrathford 220, Jim Brawley 218.

**LADIES SERIES:** Georgia Randall 550, Michele Seckel 545, Sylvia Wood 513, Margaret Watson 512.

**LADIES GAMES:** Sylvia Wood 196, Margaret Watson 196, RaeNae Reece 195, Michele Seckel 192.

SH-BOOM

**MEN'S SERIES:** Donnie Parsons 673, Clint Koyle 618, Brian Keith 616, Brad Eslinger 599.

**MEN'S GAMES:** Brian Keith 254, Brad Eslinger 245, Mike Olson 232, Kelly Jeroue 229.

**LADIES SERIES:** Diana Brady 525, Michelle Baughman 521, Barbara Reynolds 519, Stacey Lanier 516.

**LADIES GAMES:** Michelle Baughman 205, Kathi Jeroue 202, Diana Barnes 198, Diana Brady 194.

Mid Morn. Mixed

**MEN'S SERIES:** Blaine McAllister 662, Con Moser 598, Dave Wilson 591, Eddie Chappell 582, Matt Baysinger 582.

**MEN'S GAMES:** Blaine McAllister 257, Ed Dutry 225, Tom Glass 215, Gerald Leis 215, Dave Wilson 215, Matt Baysinger 215.

**LADIES SERIES:** Ada Perrine 575, Gail Cederlund 542, Bernie Smith 520, Kim Leazer 505.

**LADIES GAMES:** Ada Perrine 213, Doris Brown 208, Kim Leazer 202, Gail Cederlund 202.

TUES. A.M. TRIOS

**SERIES:** Karen Morano 540, Amber Beguhl 516, Mona Neill 481, Ann Brewer 477.

**GAMES:** Karen Morano 200, Amber Beguhl 196, Melanie Hine 193, Jean McGuire 192.

LATECOMERS

**SERIES:** Lisa Allen 537, Charlene Anderson 529, Heather Rackham 523, Gail McAllister 519.

**GAMES:** Heather Rackham 205, Linda Vining 199, Penny Thaele 199, Charlene Anderson 198.

TUES. MAJORS

**BOYS' SERIES:** Anthony Vest 627, Tyler Black 626, Jay Makay 584, Anthony Brady 579.

**BOYS' GAMES:** Jay Makay 245, Anthony Brady 232, Tyler Black 225, Anthony Vest 218.

**GIRLS' SERIES:** Stevie Reeves 548, Erica Reeves 508, Koti Jo Moses 503, Jenni Sherman 482.

**GIRLS' GAMES:** Stevie Reeves 199, Koti Jo Moses 192, Erica Reeves

191, Jenni Sherman 181.

CONSOLIDATED

**SERIES:** Tony Everts 735, Jerry Povalawski 729, Randy Gentry 716, Tony Cowan 711.

**GAMES:** Tony Everts 300, Tony Cowan 278, Kevin Ahlm 269, Jerru Povalawski 267.

M.V. SENIORS

**MEN'S SERIES:** Myron Schroeder 631, Ed Dutry 596, Victor Hagood 593, Eddie Chappell 513.

**MEN'S GAMES:** Myron Schroeder 239, Jack Clifford 226, Ed Dutry 216, Jim Vining 206.

**LADIES SERIES:** Betty Taylor 549, Linda Vining 468, Jean McGuire 458, Jeannine Bennett 455.

**LADIES GAMES:** Betty Taylor 233, Jean McGuire 178, Belva Coval 170, Linda Vining 168.

LADIES CLASSIC

**SERIES:** Sylvia Inman 563, Kay Puschel 563, Georgia Randall 548, Teya Moses 538.

**GAMES:** Sylvia Inman 214, Carrie Hansen 214, Diana Brady 205, Pat Benkula 203.

SUNSET

**SERIES:** Kim Lezer 566, Kristy Rodriguez 562, Stephanie Evans 539, Julie Shull 525.

**GAMES:** Kristy Rodriguez 202, Linda Stokes 201, Kim Leazer 199, Stephanie Evans 197.

MIXED BAR NUTS

**MEN'S SERIES:** Brian Keith 488, Mike Vancott 402.

**MEN'S GAMES:** Brian Keith 182, Mike Vancott 142.

**LADIES SERIES:** Wendy Harter 245, Lisa Vancott 189.

**LADIES GAMES:** Wendy Harter 103, Lisa Vancott 81.

FRI. P.M. SENIORS

**MEN'S SERIES:** Bob Brown 625, Myron Schroeder 582, Blaine Ross 567, Blaine McAllister 556.

**MEN'S GAMES:** Blaine McAllister 225, Bob Brown 225, Ed Dutry 218, Myron Schroeder 203.

**LADIES SERIES:** Lavona Young 544, Joann Burket 526, Gail McAllister 525, Jean McGuire 483.

**LADIES GAMES:** LaVona Young 227, Gail McAllister 218, Janet Browning 190, Blanche Lanier 183.

MOONSHINERS

**SERIES:** Deanna Heil 469, Hilarie Smith 451, Jackie Boyd 469, Diann Roberts 433.

**GAMES:** Jackie Boyd 177, Ariel Bolish 172, Janina Webb 170, Deanna Heil 166.

MOOSE

**SERIES:** Tony Cowan 722, Tony Brass 697, Bob Staffen 687, Bill Palmer 651.

**GAMES:** Bob Staffen 288, Tony Cowan 278, Tony Brass 268, Lynn Wells 255.

PEEWEE & BUMPER

**BOYS' SERIES:** Eli Cook 194, Riley Magee 100.

**BOYS' GAMES:** Eli Cook 100, Riley Magee 96.

**GIRLS' SERIES:** Ravyn Barela 206, Lindsay Beem 104.

**GIRLS' GAMES:** Ravyn Barela 120, Lindsay Beem 53.

GIANTS

**BOYS' SERIES:** Joe Campbell 511, Tom Upchurch 412, Braeden Lowe 353, Ryan Guitierrez 347.

**BOYS' GAMES:** Joe Campbell 211, Tom Upchurch 159, Ryan Guitierrez 140, Brandon Galliher 138.

**GIRLS' SERIES:** Shelbi Waters 386, Katie Galliher 362, Brooke Newlan 352, Cheyenne Uker 333.

**GIRLS' GAMES:** Brooke Newlan 146, Katie Galliher 143, Shelbi Waters 140, Cheyenne Uker 121.

SNAKE RIVER BOWL, BURLEY  
MONDAY MARAUDERS

**SERIES:** Telea Dubois 498, Dean Richins 488, Derry Smith 487.

**GAMES:** Telea Dubois 216, Dean Richins 187, Edna Renz 178.

LADIES TRIOS

**SERIES:** Annette Hirsch 573, Tiffany Hager 551, Stephanie Stelly 536.

**GAMES:** Anna Rose 216, Kris Jones 205, Annette Hirsch 573.

MEN'S CLASSIC TRIO (4 Games)

**SERIES:** Bob Bywater 1005, Shon Bywater 914, Delbert Bennett 865.

**GAMES:** Bob Bywater 300, Shon Bywater 267, Delbert Bennett 247.

TUESDAY MIXED

**MEN'S SERIES:** Rick Hieb 738, Bob Bywater 707, Byron Hager 643.

**MEN'S GAMES:** Bob Bywater 299, Rick Hieb 278, Duane Blauer 246.

**LADIES SERIES:** Tiffanay Hager 627, Stacy Hieb 620, Becky Smith 519.

**LADIES GAMES:** Tiffanay Hager 244, Stacy Hieb 226, Becky Smith 196.

RAILROADERS

**SERIES:** Theresa Knowlton 521, Shannon Deleon 488, Kym Son 487.

**GAMES:** Theresa Knowlton 204, Deon Fassett 172, Shannon Deleon 169.

BURLEY HIGH

**BOYS' SERIES:** Andrew Morgan 486, Broc Winn 377, Cory Anderson 368.

**BOYS' GAMES:** Andrew Morgan 179, Cory Anderson 137, Broc Winn 131.

**GIRLS' SERIES:** Kiara Hieb 476, Bethany Adams 458, Courtney Yoshida 411.

**GIRLS' GAMES:** Kiara Hieb 175, Courtney Yoshida 160, Kuleigh Wilson 129.

WEDNESDAY MIXED

**MEN'S SERIES:** Justin Studer 657, Galen Rogers 649, Spencer Meyer 559.

**MEN'S GAMES:** Galen Rogers 247, Justin Studer 246, Spencer Meyer 201.

**LADIES SERIES:** Bobbi Crow 494, Annette Hirsch 488, Gayle Ereksun 461.

**LADIES GAMES:** Annette Hirsch 177, Alexis Bell 175, Bobbi Crow 169.

THURS. MORN. DBLS

**SERIES:** Derry Smith 582, Jamie Stewart 506, Kym Son 443.

**GAMES:** Derry Smith 245, Jamie Stewart 182, Linda Stark 161.

HOUSEWIVES

**SERIES:** Sharon Rathe 489, Kristie Johnston 485, Marty Smith 472.

**GAMES:** Marty Smith 198, Sharon Rathe 197, Louise Wilkinson 189.

MAJORS

**SERIES:** Jordan Parish 758, David Warr 740, Rick Hieb 721.

**GAMES:** Jordan Parish 296, David Warr 279, Rick Hieb 258.

PINHEADS

**BOYS' SERIES:** Andrew Morgan 511, Logan Hollins 408, Quenten Roberts 335.

**BOYS' GAMES:** Andrew Morgan 213, Logan Hillins 164, Quenten Roberts 137.

**GIRLS' SERIES:** Bridget Albertson 541, Kiara Hieb 528, Cheyene Powers 333.

**GIRLS' GAMES:** Kiara Hieb 192, Bridget Albertson 170, Cheyene Powers 152.

MINICO HIGH

**BOYS' SERIES:** Brody Albertson 647, Shane Amen 590, Anthony Meyer 572.

**BOYS' GAMES:** Brody Albertson 243, Anthony Meyer 220, Shane Amen 203.

**GIRLS' SERIES:** Bridget Albertson 572, Caitlin Schafer 485, Jamie Mancias 444.

**GIRLS' GAMES:** Bridget Albertson 211, Caitlin Schafer 177, Nichole Holmes 158.

MAGIC BOWL, TWIN FALLS  
COMMERCIAL

**SERIES:** Ian DeVries 752, Sonny Miller 733, Kyle Mason 720, Tony Watkins 678.

**GAMES:** Sonny Miller 279, Ian DeVries 277, Kyle Mason 258, Tony Watkins 244.

THURS. MIXED

**MEN'S SERIES:** Dale Rhyne 579, Charles Lewis 573, Joe McClure 570, Jeff Whittemore 561.

**MEN'S GAMES:** Dale Rhyne 226, Jeff Whittemore 220, Charles Lewis 204, Joe McClure 201.

**LADIES SERIES:** Edie Barkley 541, Nancy Lewis 529, Kathy McClure 470, Cheryl Kerr 467.

**LADIES GAMES:** Nancy Lewis 204, Edie Barkley 201, Kathy McClure 184, Donna Rhyne 171.

Magic Valley .22-caliber Gallery League results

Feb. 19 Pistol	Rifle
<b>Master:</b> 1. Will Brown 572, 2. Nyles Tilley 562, 3. (tie) Jeff Wagner and Bob Anderson 560.	<b>Master:</b> 1. Will Brown 393, 2. Mark Bulcher 389, 3. Jeff Wagner 381.
<b>Expert:</b> 1. Mark Bulcher 543, 2. Bob Beer 540, 3. Mark Miller 539.	<b>Expert:</b> 1. Bruce Lohnes 377, 2. Nyles Tilley 376, 3. Dave Gyorfy 373.
<b>Sharpshooter:</b> 1. James Wert 523, 2. Jesse Vaughn 510, 3. Cory Lierman 506.	<b>Sharpshooter:</b> 1. Mark Miller 366, 2. Richard Bean 360, 3. George Wagner 349.
<b>Marksman:</b> 1. Max Vaughn 484, 2. Ed Smith 481, 3. Willy Kelvmoen 450.	<b>Marksman:</b> 1. Jerrod Vaughn 341, 2. (tie) Norma Charles and Walt Charles 281.
<b>Two-handed pistol:</b> 1. Sandy Holland 515, 2. Dave Smith 510, 3. Pam Kubik 478.	<b>Sporter rifle:</b> 1. (tie) Art Freund and Clayton Smith 330, 3. (tie) Kelly Burrell and Jody Osterhout 328.
	<b>Junior rifle:</b> 1. Alisah Lierman 295, 2. Chani Lohnes 265, 3. Drew

Feb. 12 Pistol	Rifle
<b>Master:</b> 1. Will Brown 578, 2. Bob Anderson 573, 3. Jeff Wagner 571.	<b>Master:</b> 1. John Pitts 397, 2. Mark Bulcher 392, 3. Nyles Tilley 386.
<b>Expert:</b> 1. George Wagner 548, 2. Dan Brown 546, 3. Nyles Tilley 540.	<b>Expert:</b> 1. Jeff Wagner 382, 2. Dave Gyorfy 379.
<b>Sharpshooter:</b> 1. Dave Gyorfy 514, 2. Jesse Vaughn 498, 3. Corey Lierman 489.	<b>Sharpshooter:</b> 1. Bruce Lohnes 368, 2. Mark Miller 350.
<b>Marksman:</b> 1. Bruce Lohnes 487, 2. Nick Barnes 481, 3. Max Vaughn 477.	<b>Marksman:</b> 1. George Wagner 342, 2. Jerrod Vaughn 313, 3. Walt Charles 310.
<b>Two-handed pistol:</b> 1. Dave Smith 493, 2. Pete Gage 471, 3. Pam Kubik 436.	<b>Sporter rifle:</b> 1. Jody Osterhout 354, 2. Kelly Burrell 328, 3. Jesse Vaughn 327.
	<b>Junior rifle:</b> 1. Alisah Lierman 346, 2. Chani Lohnes 215, 3. Drew Vaughn 206.

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# COMMUNITY

## Passing on the right? It's legal when it's safe

**Q:** We live off the east side of U.S. Highway 93 south of Twin Falls.

There have been several times that, as we slow to make a left-hand turn, cars pass us on our right, straddling the solid white line along the side of the two-lane highway. My wife's afraid we'll be hit one day. Is there anything we can do to avoid that from happening?

**A:** Turn right?

Sorry, that's just some cop humor. If there's room for a vehicle to pass you on the right without leaving the roadway, it's legal for a trailing vehicle to pass a left-turning car on the right. If the driver has to leave the road to pass you, he or she is violating the law.

When turning left, motorists are required to pull as far left as possible without entering the oncoming lane of traffic. If you're doing that and there still isn't room for vehicles to pass on the right, I'd say that if you signal your intention to turn early and stay in your lane of traffic to turn left, that might prevent any dangerous passes.

**Q:** There's some information circling the Internet that you should never pull over for an unmarked police car. It says you should instead wait until you get to a gas station, or call \*77 on your cell phone, which is supposed to be a direct link to a dispatcher who can confirm or deny if there's a real officer in the unmarked car. Is this true?

**A:** In some states, a cell-phone call to \*77 or #77 will get you through to the state's police department. It won't get you directly to local dispatch.

In Idaho, the number to call to reach Idaho State Police is \*ISP (\*477). But there are a couple other steps you can take to determine if the car pulling you over is really piloted by an officer.

First, it's fine to find a safe, public spot to pull over. If you have a passenger in the car to look back, or can see good enough in your rear-view mirror, check if

### POLICEMAN DAN

Dan Bristol



the patrol car's plate has a P or C before the number. If it does, it should be a legitimate police car and officer driving it.

If the plate looks like a normal license plate, such as the 2T or 4C plates from around here, you should be able to call 911 to inform a dispatcher of the situation. They might just tell you their officer is currently trying to stop you.

If the stop isn't legal though, they might help you out, giving you ideas of where to drive to and sending out some real officer assistance.

You can also ask to see proper identification from an officer, even if they're in uniform. You can roll down your window enough to facilitate communication. I'd suggest rolling it all the way down after a legit officer provides you with his or her identification.

### Quote of the month

"I sincerely believe that banking establishments are more dangerous than standing armies, and that the principle of spending money to be paid by posterity, under the name of funding, is but swindling futurity on a large scale." — Thomas Jefferson

### Officer down

Please put these officers, killed in the line of duty, and their families in your prayers. God bless them all.

- Officer Kevin B. Wilkins, Atlantic City Police, New Jersey
- Sgt. Alan Haymaker, Chicago Police

Be safe, I'll be back next week. E-mail questions to [policemandan@yahoo.com](mailto:policemandan@yahoo.com).

*Dan Bristol is the Heyburn chief of police.*



Courtesy photos

Tiffany Browning, center, was crowned Miss MHS 2010 at the Minico High School Auditorium in Rupert. Christina McCarthy, right, was first runner-up and Alexandra Bowlby, left, was second runner-up.

## Browning crowned Miss MHS

By Judy Albertson  
Times News writer

RUPERT — Tiffany Browning turned out to be "that girl" at this year's Miss MHS Scholarship Contest held Feb. 5, at the Minico High School Auditorium in Rupert. The contest is sponsored annually by the Sparta yearbook staff, and this year's theme was "Who's That Girl?"

Christina McCarthy was named first runner-up, while Alexandra Bowlby received second runner-up. Browning received a \$500 scholarship, McCarthy a \$250 scholarship and Bowlby a \$200 scholarship. McCarthy and Jena Bingham shared the title of Miss Congeniality.

Scott Cameron and Calli Brooks co-hosted the event. Chris Barfuss, Mr. MHS, crowned Browning and escorted her as Miss MHS 2010.

"The girls benefit from



Contestants for the Miss MHS contest pose with the fashions they created in 'runway models' theme. The outfits are the girls' original creations and were part of the judging.

trying out because they get stage and presentation experience, they create memories and get a page in the yearbook. And they can potentially earn scholarship money for college," said

Janelle Dallolio, Sparta yearbook advisor and contest coordinator.

Scholarship money comes from the girls' sponsors (\$60 each) and a donation from DL Evans Bank.

Although the competition isn't considered a beauty pageant, contestants compete in some areas centered on fashion.

"They share a fashion they have created, perform a talent and show their poise with the evening gown competition," Dallolio said.

Others receiving special titles were: Kami Fisher, Miss Elegant; Becca Sunderland, Miss Athletic; Jenna Bingham, Miss Creative; Laura Hurtado, Miss Fashionable; Angelica Cruz, Miss Inspirational; Lyn Brisbin, Miss Sophisticated; Alysa Deluna, Miss Talent; Knieka Osborn, Miss Spontaneous; and Monica Delgado, Miss Personality.

The contestants were escorted by their fathers.

Judges were Dustin Shaw, John Webster, Jodi Ashford, Mary Zarybiniski, Nick Rasmussen, and Kirsten Hancock.

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### JHS class of 1970 looking for classmates

The Jerome High School class of 1970 will hold a class reunion sometime this summer.

Members are looking for information of classmates' names, addresses and phone numbers so they can be invited to the event.

Submit information to Debbie Bragg, 948-9309.

### Declo's Ellis completes Air Force basic training

Air Force Airman Brandon Ellis recently graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio.

The airman completed an intensive eight-week program that included training in military discipline and studies, Air Force core values, physical fitness and basic warfare principles and skills.

Airmen who complete basic training earn four credits toward an associ-



Ellis

ate in applied science degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

He is the son of Therisa and Clayton Ellis of Declo.

Ellis is a 2008 graduate of Declo High School.

### Magic Valley students on Creighton dean's list

Morgen L. Bybee, of Burley, Andrea S. Radabaugh, of Paul, and Ashton L. Jenks, of Twin Falls, were named to the fall semester dean's list at Creighton University, Omaha, Neb.

### BJ bridge results announced

BJ Duplicate Bridge Club in Rupert recently announced the results of play for Feb 23.

North-South: 1. Eunice Merrigan and Vera Mai, 2. Marian Snow and Lila Bumann, 3. Warren and Faun McEntire, 4. Steve Sams and Kent Gillespie.

East-West: 1. Marlene Temple and Shirley Harris, 2. Dee Keicher and Leo Moore, 3. Sheila Hubsmith and Mildred Wolf, 4. Clarence and Sylvia Neiwert.

Games are held at 1 p.m. Tuesdays at the Rupert Elks Lodge, 850 S., 200 W. For partners and more information: Steve Sams, 878-3997 or Vera Mai, 436-4163.

### Blaine rec district hosts 'Recess from School'

Thursday and Friday are parent-teacher conferences for Blaine County elementary schools.

While school is out, the Blaine County Recreation District offers "Recess From School" a drop-in, all day program for kids in grades K-5 a fun way to spend the day.

The theme for the two days is "Fun at Quigley Winter Park" and will run from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. with sledding and s'mores. The cost is \$35 per child, with a sibling discount available. Kids should bring winter clothing, lunch and snacks or money for the snack bar.

"Recess" drop-off and pickup will be in the HUB Youth Center at the Community Campus. The BCRD also runs an affordable, daily drop-in after school program at the same location.

Information: 788-2117 or [bcrd.org](http://bcrd.org).

— Staff reports

## Hospice Visions to hold 'Celebration of Life'

Hospice Visions invites the public to join its eighth annual Celebration of Life, held March 6 at the Snake River Elks Lodge in Jerome. Doors open at 7 p.m., and the Wild Nights band plays at 8 p.m.

Community support will enable Hospice Visions to continue serving patients

with a life illness who can no longer stay in their home because of financial difficulties or lack of caregivers.

Tickets are \$15 per person, \$20 per couple and \$25 for family of four, and can be purchased at the door or from Hospice Visions.

Information: 735-0121.

## Did fall cause total loss of taste and smell?

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** As one of your loyal readers who is helped by your daily recommendations, I hope you will be able to assist me as you have so many others.

About 18 months ago, I tripped on city cobblestones and fell. The accident was serious enough that I had to be taken to the emergency room. I was diagnosed with a concussion and treated for lacerations

### ASK DR. GOTT

Dr. Peter Gott



tions to my forehead, nose and mouth. Shortly after this incident, I realized that I could no longer smell or taste.

My family doctor told me to be patient, to allow myself time to heal and

that these senses would likely return. After nine months with no improvement, I was sent to an ear-nose-and-throat specialist. There, my hearing was tested and I underwent an endoscopic procedure on my nose. I was then prescribed Medrol and Flonase, which I took exactly as prescribed. Unfortunately, they did not help.

When I returned to the

ENT after finishing both prescriptions, I was told that nothing else could be done. I asked about further testing and possible renewal of the medications, but I only received a very negative response. I hope that you will be able to provide me with some help.

I am an otherwise healthy 77-year-old woman. I take Lipitor and Fosamax.

**DEAR READER:** The complete inability to taste is rare, with distortion being more common. The tongue can detect four or five tastes: sweet, salty, sour, bitter and umami (savory), which is not yet widely recognized. What most people consider taste is actually smell; therefore, smell disorders can often distort the way foods taste.

Because you have listed a lack of sense of smell and

taste, the primary source of your problem is likely the result of a smell disorder; however, I will discuss both conditions briefly.

There are several causes of the impairment or loss of the sense of taste, including medication side effects, aging, the common cold, influenza, heavy smoking, strep throat, mouth, nose or head injury,

See **DR. GOTT**, Sports 8



# Walkin’ the Talk workshops offered in T.F.

Sue Wade, founder of the Walkin’ the Talk educational program, will present a series of four interactive workshops in March for educators, counselors, parents, grandparents and child care providers 18 years and older.

The bi-weekly work-

shops, held from 4 to 8 p.m. March 1-2 and March 8-9, will be held at the Twin Falls County Farm Bureau Office, 2732 Kimberly Road. One professional development credit is available to all educators throughout



Wade

the state.

Walkin’ the Talk is a 16-hour in-school curriculum aligned with the National School Counseling standards that teaches students how to make positive life

aware, responsible, accountable and how to contribute to their own personal, social and communal growth.

For professional educators the cost is \$75 and for Caring Adults in Action participants it is \$150.

Information: 395-0900 or [wtt@wlkinthetalk.org](mailto:wtt@wlkinthetalk.org).



Courtesy photo

Pictured are Colectivo members, from left, front row: Antonio Avila, Federico Martinez, Yolanda Martinez, Emilly Burnett, Silvia Lopez and Eva Luna Lopez; back row: Luis Escobar, Jose Martinez, Laura Burnett, Celia Avila, Hilda Tarazon, Josefa Martinez, Tomas Avila, Tiffany Lopez and Victor Lopez.

# Wendell High School Reading Club partakes in cultural education

The Wendell High School Reading Club recently went to the College of Southern Idaho’s Herrett Center for Arts and Science in Twin Falls to view the natural history “Jungle Archaeology” exhibit and the ancient technologies gallery with the “Footsteps: A Walk Through Time and Space in the Stone Age” exhibit.

Educational Coordinator Darcy Thornborrow gave the group a demonstration of Pleo, a mechanical dinosaur created by Idaho inventor Caleb Chung.

The reading club also had a cultural exchange with the Twin Falls Newcomer Center students. Thirty-eight reading club members spent time reading to the 15 refugee students. Students also shared stories about their lives, their culture, their language and



Courtesy photo

Wendell High School Reading Club members pose recently outside the College of Southern Idaho’s Herrett Center for Arts and Science in Twin Falls.

information about their native country.

The club also took the refugee students to Barnes and Noble to select books for their library, using raised funds, and picked some

books for the students’ classroom.

## Party to be held for Mullins’ boot-camp departure

Will Mullins is leaving March 23 to attend basic training for the Air Force. Family and friends are invited to a going-away party held in his honor from 6 to 9 p.m. March 13, at the Lincoln Inn in Gooding.



## Dr. Gott

Continued from Sports 7

and more. Both Fosamax and Lipitor list taste perversion or loss as known side effects. You have injured your mouth, nose and head. And your age may be playing a role.

For those with impairment caused by temporary conditions such as illness, taste typically returns shortly after the illness resolves. Changing the drug or reducing the dose may relieve cases caused by medication. Smoking should be eliminated. In the case of injury, sense of smell may return as the body heals, but in some instances, the loss is permanent.

The loss or impairment of the sense of smell results from many of the same causes as those of taste. In addition, it may be caused by exposure to certain chemicals, dental problems, hormonal disturbances, head or neck radiation, and disorders that affect the nervous system such as Alzheimer’s or Parkinson’s.

If the underlying cause of the loss can be identified, help may be available, but again, some cases may be permanent. There are also instances when individuals have spontaneously recovered these senses. For those with permanent malfunction, counseling may help a person adjust to the situation.

The two medications you were given are both steroids. The Medrol is typically used for severe allergies, arthritis, skin conditions, certain blood disorders and asthma. It works by suppressing the body’s reaction and inflammation. The Flonase is a steroid nasal spray used to treat allergic and non-allergic congestion, itching, sneezing and runny nose. If allergies, the cold, flu or other common illness caused your problems, these meds would have likely relieved symptoms and may have restored your senses. Apparently, this was not the case.

If you have had adequate testing and no underlying disease or disorder can be found, then your head injuries may be to blame. This could also mean that your condition is permanent. If you don’t believe

the ENT specialist fully tested you or told you of all other treatment options, request a second opinion from another ENT or perhaps a neurologist to determine whether your fall caused brain damage in one or more of the areas where taste and smell are processed. If after this you do not experience improvement, it may be time to request a referral to a therapist or counselor familiar with these conditions who can help you cope.

To provide related information, I am sending you a copy of my Health Report “Medical Specialists.” Other readers who would like a copy should send a self-addressed stamped No. 10 envelope and a \$2 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.”*

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## DEMARY LIBRARY BOOK NOTES

Here are the most recent book notes from DeMary Memorial Library in Rupert:

### Fiction “Henry’s Sisters” by Cathy Lamb

Ever since the three Bommarrito sisters were little girls, their mother, River, has written them a letter on pink paper when she has something especially important to communicate.

This time the message is urgent and impossible to ignore: River needs open-heart surgery, and Isabelle and her sisters are needed

at home to run the family bakery and take care of their brother and sick grandmother.

### “Empire” by Orson Scott Card

The American Empire has grown too fast, and the fault lines at home are stressed to the breaking point.

A battle rages between the high technology weapons and militia foot soldiers, devastating the cities and overrunning the countryside. The vast majority wants the killing to stop and the nation to return to peaceful times.

When the American dream shatters into violence, who can hold the people and

the government together? Which side would you be on?

### “The Wedding Girl” by Madeleine Wickham

When she was 18, Milly was up for anything. A gay friend, Rupert, and his partner, Allan, were a big part of her new life.

When Rupert suggested to her that she and Allan should

get married to keep Allan in the country, Milly didn’t hesitate.

Now, 28, Milly is engaged to Simon, a man who believed she was perfect. Unfortunately, just four days before their wedding her secret past is revealed, bringing her present crashing down around her.

## Newspaper In Education



Anthony Dominguez and the rest of Mrs. Roundy’s students at East Minico in Rupert provide classrooms with the daily newspaper through their special delivery service. They also use the newspaper to track the weather for science. NIE provides the most up to date and inexpensive text book there is, the daily newspaper. Thanks to teachers like Mrs. Roundy, students like Anthony and the generous support from our community, everybody benefits from NIE.

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**By David Waters**  
The Washington Post

See **GAP**, Religion 3



Rachel Dawson, 19, taps on her laptop as Meg Shackelford, 20, discusses a book by psychologist M. Scott Peck with the Rev. Randall Davis in his second-floor office at Heritage Alliance Church in Twin Falls. Davis and his wife, Diane, established Aletheia Christian College a little more than two years ago for students planning to pursue careers in education or the ministry. Both Dawson and Shackelford are full-time students at Aletheia, taking 15 credits a semester.

**By John E. Swayze • Times-News correspondent**

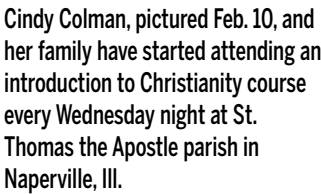
*"I was dependent upon the power of the spirit to make it clear to you, so that your faith would not be based on human wisdom but on the power of God." – 1 Corinthians 2:4-5*

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[www.aletheiachristian.org](http://www.aletheiachristian.org).

downstairs for classrooms," Evans said. "I've known Randy for 28 years and we co-sponsored some ministry projects

“Right now we are serving 16 students and I have more people



**By Manya A. Brachear**  
Chicago Tribune

"I think I'm still in the process," said Colman, 35 of Naperville, Ill. "I'm at that point where I'm coming back

After fleeing an abusive husband more than 30 years ago, Colman's mother chose to raise her daughter Lutheran. Though she agreed to annul her previous marriage, the Catholic Church insisted on denying her the sacraments when her new husband declined to annul his marriage.

See **CATHOLICS**, Religion 2



The Rev. John A. Farry has a conversation with a parishioner Jan. 28 at Saint Andrew Church on Chicago's North Side.



## CHURCH NEWS

### Kimberly church hosts fundraiser today

Crossroads United Methodist Church is hosting a fundraising event today at the church, 131 Syringa Ave. in Kimberly.

A spaghetti dinner served at 6 p.m. will be followed by a dessert auction and, at 7:45 p.m., the movie “The Proposal.”

Cost is \$8 per person, \$14 per couple or \$20 per family (two children).

Proceeds will be donated to Jordan Wall, who is working on a trip with People 2 People this summer.

Information: 731-7254

### Kennedy celebrates 2nd Sunday in Lent

Father Tom Kennedy will celebrate Holy Communion to observe the second Sunday in Lent at 8 and 10 a.m. services Sunday at the Ascension Episcopal Church, 371 Eastland Drive N. in Twin Falls.

Ascension Café meets at 9 a.m. Youth Sunday school starts at 9:45 a.m. Nursery care is available.

Lenten services continue on Thursdays, with evening prayer at 6 p.m. followed by a simple soup supper and Lenten Soup Suppers will continue.

Evening Prayer will be held at 6 p.m. followed by a simple soup supper at Lenten study at 7 p.m. with discussion on the book, “The Final Week” by Marcus Borg.

Other services and activities are available at or through the church. Information: www.ascen-

sion.episcopalidaho.org or 733-1248.

### First Assembly hosts guest speaker

Pastor James Finn will speak at services set for 8:30 and 10:30 a.m. Sunday at the First Assembly of God, 189 Locust St. N. in Twin Falls. His topic is “Never Give Up,” with the message, “Unfading Glory.”

Les Lee will be the guest speaker at The Bridge at 6 p.m. Sunday at the church.

Child care is provided for all services.

Information: 733-5378.

### Lutherans celebrate two baptisms

Immanuel Lutheran Church, 2055 Filer Ave. E. in Twin Falls, will celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Baptism for Toni Harbaugh during worship at 8:30 a.m. Sunday and the baptism of Ella Paige Westendorf during the 10:30 a.m. service Sunday.

Pastor Lawrence Vedder's sermon will be “...This House Shall be like Shiloh” from Jeremiah 26:8-15.

Lenten worship service will be at 7 p.m. Wednesday, with a dinner served at 5 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

Radio ministry is broadcast at 9 a.m. and 9:30 Sundays on KART 1400 AM.

Information: 733-7820.

### Stations of the Cross displayed at Twin Falls church

Stations of the Cross are on display in the sanctuary of the First Presbyterian Church, 209 Fifth Ave. N. in Twin Falls during Lent sea-

son. Stations of the Cross refers to the depiction of the final hours of Jesus and the devotion commemorating the Passion. Each week, stations will be added until all 14 are displayed during Holy Week.

The Rev. Phil Price will speak on “The Politics of Jesus,” based on Genesis 15:1-12 and Luke 13:31-35, for the second Sunday in Lent at the 10 a.m. service Sunday.

The Deacons are collecting non-perishable food throughout the year. Food items can be left in the baskets in the narthex. Food collected will benefit various local agencies and/or families.

Information: 733-7023 or www.twinfallsfpc.org.

### Calvary Episcopal hosts guest speaker

Calvary Episcopal Church, 201 S. Adams in Jerome, welcomes the Rev. Karen Hunter from Grace Episcopal Church in Nampa as guest preacher for worship at 11 a.m. Sunday.

Lenten Soup suppers are held at 6 p.m. Wednesdays, followed by a video study series, “Wrestling with Angels.” Each evening closes with a Compline service.

Information: 324-8964.

### Hollister church hosts Dr. Janne Goldbeck

Dr. Janne Goldbeck of Pocatello will be the guest speaker for worship at 11 a.m. Sunday at the Hollister Community Presbyterian Church, 2461 Central Ave.

The service will include the ordination and installa-

tion of officers. Refreshments will be served after worship. Visitors are welcome.

Elder Steve Taylor leads a Bible study group at 7 p.m. Wednesdays at the church. Current study is in the Gospel of John.

### Christian Movie Night set for Friday

The River Christian Fellowship will host Christian Movie Night at 7 p.m. Friday at the church, located on the corner of Falls Avenue East and the road to Shoshone Falls.

The movie will be “The Path of the Wind.”

Admission is free. Information: 733-3133.

### Baptist Church hosts auditions for ‘Godspell’

The First Baptist Church will hold open auditions for “Godspell” from 10 a.m. to noon March 6 and 2 to 4 p.m. March 7.

Five male and five female characters for ages 15 to adult are being cast. You do not need to be a member of the church to audition. The play will be performed at the church April 22-24.

Information: Jeff Cooper at 733-2936 or jeff@fbctwinfalls.org.

*The Times-News welcomes news of church events. Send information to Ellen Thomason at ellen@magicvalley.com. Deadline is 5 p.m. Wednesday for publication on the Saturday religion page.*



Orlando Sentinel file photo  
Rifqa Bary, 17, in the courtroom for her hearing Oct. 13, 2009, in Orlando, Fla.

# Ohio convert: Reconciliation not possible

By Andrew Welsh-Huggins  
Associated Press writer

COLUMBUS, Ohio — A teenage runaway who fled Ohio with the alleged help of Christian pastors, claiming she'd be harmed for converting from Islam to Christianity, says a reconciliation with her Muslim Sri Lankan parents is no longer possible.

Efforts by Ohio and Florida courts to reunify Rifqa Bary with her family have failed and she continues to fear being hurt by her parents, according to a court filing by Bary's attorneys.

“Bary continues to refuse any contact with her parents and has made clear that she does not foresee a time when she will agree to have any contact with her parents.”

**— Quote from a document filed by attorneys of Rifqa Bary, who converted to Christianity from Islam**

## Scouts learn what it’s like in other guy’s shoes

For most of the Boy Scouts in Troop 996, the Disabilities Awareness Merit Badge was just another Scout award to work on. But for Marlow and Cameron, it was something more.

Marlow is a great kid and a good Scout. He lives life with energy, passion and an abundance of joy. He is also mentally challenged, and that disability — mixed with his innate zest for life and the people who live it — sometimes makes him a handful for his Scout leaders to deal with. But his parents are deeply involved in his life, and they are almost always there to help support the Scoutmaster as Marlow participates with the other boys in the program.

Truth be told, the Scoutmaster chose to have the troop work on the Disabilities Awareness Merit Badge because he hoped it would help the other boys gain a greater appreciation for Marlow and the challenges he faces in his life as a result of his limitations. Please don't misunderstand: the boys are patient with Marlow — especially Cameron, one of the leaders of the group. They help Marlow when he needs help, as he often does, and they

### VALUE SPEAK

Joseph Walker



smile and accept his energetic outbursts that occasionally disrupt activities. But it's one thing to tolerate someone and quite another thing to really understand them, and the Scoutmaster hoped working on the merit badge would help move the boys closer to understanding.

And it did. The boys learned a lot about many of the challenges faced by those with disabilities. But they also learned a lot about Marlow — who, it turns out, could be just as easily defined by his ability as by his disability.

To fulfill one of the merit badge requirements, the Scoutmaster took the troop to the local public library, where they had to try to get around and perform certain simple tasks while confined to wheelchairs. They discovered that most of the books in the library were on shelves that they couldn't reach comfortably from a wheelchair. They found that even though the restroom had a special stall for the elderly and disabled, it was almost

impossible to maneuver the wheelchair appropriately in that stall. And they experienced firsthand the frustration of trying to get a drink from a drinking fountain.

Cameron, the tallest Scout and a gifted athlete and musician, found the drinking fountain experience to be especially galling. He kept trying to reposition the wheelchair in such a way that he could get a drink, but ended up getting more water on his Scout shirt than in his mouth. Finally he gave up on the water and tried to roll his way back into the library, but he had a difficult time holding the door open while rolling his wheelchair through it. Cameron isn't used to having to struggle to perform simple tasks like getting a drink of water and opening a door, and you could see concern, frustration, anguish and embarrassment clearly etched on his handsome — and usually smiling — face. At one point he just stopped struggling, and sat slumped in his chair, his chin nearly resting on his chest.

That was when Marlow stepped in. Marlow has always looked up to Cameron — literally and figuratively — and he was watching his library struggle. You could see his face flush with empa-

thetic agony with each new challenge. When Cameron quit, Marlow rushed to his side.

“You can do it!” he said with his typical energy and enthusiasm. “I'll help you!”

He held the door open for Cameron. The Scoutmaster's first impulse was to step in. The whole point of the exercise was to have these young men experience this frustration, and perhaps learn from it. But he sensed that there was another kind of learning that was spontaneously happening, and he decided to allow it to play itself out.

“Come on, Cameron!” Marlow shouted. “You can do it!”

Cameron looked at Marlow and smiled weakly. Slowly he rolled his wheelchair through the door and into the library. “Thanks, Marlow,” he said as he rolled past. “I wouldn't have made it without you.”

“That's OK,” Marlow said. “It's good to help.”

For once in their young lives their roles were reversed. Cameron needed help, and Marlow provided it.

And for both of them, it was good.

*Joseph Walker is a freelance writer from American Fork, Utah.*

## Catholics

Continued from Religion 1

Colman has since agonized about the way her mother has been treated. Still, she yearns to reconcile with the church where she was baptized. She also longs to give her children the foundation she missed.

“The Catholic faith is very structured, and I like that aspect about it,” said Colman, who feels more connected to God at St. Thomas the Apostle Church in Naperville. “I have a 5-year-old and I have a 13-year-old ... I want them to know they have somewhere to turn.”

The \$1 million Catholics Come Home ad campaign rolled out by the church aims to reach people like Colman in the Chicago area — some of whom felt discomfort with church teachings and the priest sex abuse scandal.

The series of ads, which

aired on 16 channels in the Chicago area between Christmas and the Super Bowl, featured testimonials from formerly lapsed Catholics, mini-documentaries of the church's historic presence around the world and the message that no matter what mistakes have been made, people can find forgiveness by going back to church.

Some parishes are hosting potluck dinners and classes during the 40 days of Lent, which started last week. Priests report greater numbers in the pews and intense confessions that indicate those disclosing their sins have spent years away from the church.

“Some people are coming forward with significant stuff they need to unburden, maybe because they've been away for a while, burdens they've been carrying for years,” said the Rev. Steve

Lanza, pastor of St. Julie Billiard Church in Tinley Park, Ill., who has seen an uptick in turnout for both confession and communion. “Some people are coming forward for that sacrament as a result of those commercials.”

But others say the commercials fail to heal all the wounds inflicted by the church. They wish the church would proclaim a more modern message instead of stressing nostalgia. They say the ads missed an opportunity to reach out to those disillusioned by the sex abuse scandal. Instead of acknowledging its own mistakes, critics say, the church suggests those who have fallen away should return to make peace with the past.

Sal Boccia, 39, of Alsip, Ill., doesn't want the mistakes of his past to take away from his children's future. Married for less than a year

before he divorced and met his current wife, Marissa, he took umbrage when the church refused to marry them until he sought an annulment.

“It just became a big hassle,” Sal Boccia said. “It really turned me off — and that's when we started moving away from the church.”

But like Colman, the Boccias are contemplating a return for the sake of their three children. Their two oldest — ages 7 and 8 — have begun to ask questions about God and the afterlife.

“To someone who has never been to church before, ‘What happens when people die?’ is kind of a difficult question,” Boccia said. “You start to think sometimes there may be something missing ... Maybe we should give them a chance to experience the church and let them decide for themselves.”

### Brenda Darrington returned



Brenda Marie Darrington has returned from serving in the Connecticut Hartford Mission.

She is the daughter of George and Denise Darrington of Malta and will report Sunday, February 28, at 10:50 in the Malta 1st Ward.

### Russell Crane called



Russell Jared Crane has been called to serve in the Honduras Tegucigalpa Mission.

Russell is the son of Dan & Shaunna Crane of Kimberly. He attended and graduated from Twin Falls High School.

He has currently been attending Idaho State University.

Russell will be speaking at 8am on Sunday, February 28 at Kimberly 1st Ward.

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# GONE TO THE DOGS

## Presbyterian congregation welcomes canines

By Jeff Gottlieb  
Los Angeles Times

LOS ANGELES — As the Presbyterian service was about to start, one of the congregants was being disruptive, making a spectacle of himself once again on a Sunday. But that's what other members of the Los Angeles church have come to expect from Mr. Booby.

At Covenant Presbyterian Church in the city's Westchester neighborhood, dogs like Mr. Booby are welcome congregants at the Sunday night services, where howling and sudden bouts of scratching may interrupt prayers, and the collection plate holds treats for poodles and golden retrievers alike. And the Rev. Tom Eggebeen said he fully understands if some of the congregants need to step outside now and again.

The idea behind the service, Eggebeen said, was to make it more comfortable for people to attend the church, which has 120 members, discounting up to a dozen dogs that generally attend services. Cats and other animals are not permitted, perhaps out of a belief that of God's many creatures, dogs probably need more ministering.

"The heart of the whole thing has been to provide a worship service for the entire family, including the four-footed friends. ... Their pets are very, very important to them and virtually comprise a member of family," he said. "I wouldn't be in the pulpit on Sunday mornings and say, 'Leave your children home!'"

More than a gimmick or an effort to build attendance, the dog services are part of a growing movement by churches to recognize the emotional bond between humans and their pets.

Animal blessings, memorial services and grief counseling for the loss of a pet are increasingly common in many denominations.

Covenant is not alone in allowing dogs in church.



The Rev. Tom Eggebeen holds service Jan. 10 at Covenant Presbyterian Church in Westchester, Calif.

Underwood Hills Presbyterian Church in Omaha has been holding its Paws for Prayers service since December 2008, but it is ending the program because of dwindling attendance, both human and animal.

Underwood Hills Pastor Becky Balestri said she has gotten more jokes than objections, such as people wondering whether the gathering song was "How Much Is That Doggie in the Window."

Laura Hobgood-Oster, a professor of religion and environmental studies at Southwestern University in Texas, said that the annual blessing of animals in churches has been going on for several decades.

She said dogs began attending a small number of churches only three or four years ago, but she has found a 19th century newspaper article from a small Texas town that noted well-trained dogs going to church.

Eggebeen said he has received no reaction from the Presbyterian leadership.

"If we were sacrificing chickens, then the hierarchy might respond, but essentially Presbyterian congregations have a great deal of

latitude," he said.

Though he has received cards and letters from around the country congratulating him on the dog service, he also has received "some really hateful things."

A writer on a religious website blasted Eggebeen, saying people like him "promulgate a false Gospel."

"The first step into church membership or the reason for attending a church service should be conviction and not comfort," he wrote. "If you suddenly feel called to hear the Word of God because Fido can come along, then reconsider the purpose of your trip."

On a recent Sunday evening, 10 people and eight dogs joined Mr. Booby, at the Canines at Covenant service in Westchester.

The dogs were on leashes, and each was provided a fake lamb's wool pad to lie on while owners sat on folding chairs.

A pair of candles flickered on a table. When the owners placed money in the collection basket, they received a dog biscuit in exchange.

The animals sat quietly during the 30-minute service, except for the occasional bark from Mr. Booby.

Dogs, though, are after all,

dogs, despite some people's protestations.

When one begins to bark, others sometimes join in, like a minister leading an off-key choir. "We sing 'Amazing Grace' and that seems to settle them down," Eggebeen said.

At one service, a dog became so rambunctious that its owner had to take him outside. "But I've seen that with unruly children," the pastor said.

Mr. Booby's owner, Leonard Yee, said his bulldog mix looks forward to the service. "He loves it," Yee said. "He recognizes it when we're in the parking lot. He knows where the room is. He wants to see all his dog friends."

As in the humans-only service earlier in the day, there are prayer requests, but in this case, dogs are included.

"For the rescues that don't make it, for George, and for all the people who help homeless animals," said one request.

Another asked people to pray for "Sharon, for her lost dog Buddy."

Yee said he planned to ask for a prayer for Mr. Booby, who recently had knee surgery.



Doggie treats and collection plate are passed around during the Rev. Tom Eggebeen's service, Jan. 10 at Covenant Presbyterian Church in Westchester, Calif. The congregation holds a service every Sunday for dogs.

# Malaysia may hold conference after 3 women caned

KUALA LUMPUR, Malaysia (AP) — Malaysia may organize an international conference on the issue of caning and whether it is an appropriate punishment for women under Islamic law.

Women's Minister Shahrizat Abdul Jalil said in a statement Tuesday that she would seek Cabinet approval to hold such a conference.

Prison authorities had caned three unmarried Muslim women this month after a Shariah, or Islamic, court in Kuala Lumpur found them guilty of having "sex out of wedlock."

Shahrizat said she plans to invite ministers from other Muslim-majority countries, academics and religious experts to exchange "ideas and experiences with regards to the implementation of Shariah law."

The three women who were caned reportedly had turned themselves in to Islamic authorities after becoming pregnant by their boyfriends. They defended the punishment, saying it gave them a chance to repent, according to local government-linked media.

The government, too, has insisted that caning serves a purpose and is not meant to physically harm the women. But women and other rights groups say caning Muslim women is cruel, degrading and discriminatory.

## Gap

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Va.-based Institute for Global Engagement and a Council on Foreign Relations member. "It's the elephant in the room. You're taught not to talk about religion and politics, but the bummer is that it's at the nexus of national security. The truth is the academy has been run by secular fundamentalists for a long time, people who believe religion is not a legitimate component of realpolitik."

The Chicago Council's task force was led by Scott Appleby, of the University of Notre Dame, and Richard Cizik, of the New Evangelical Partnership for the Common Good. "Religion," the task force says, "is pivotal to the fate" of such nations as Afghanistan, Pakistan, India, Iraq, Iran, Nigeria and Yemen, all vital to U.S. national and global security.

"Despite a world abuzz with religious fervor," the task force says, "the U.S. government has been slow to respond effectively to situations where religion plays a global role." Those include the growing influence of Pentecostalism in Latin America, evangelical Christianity in Africa and religious minorities in the Far East.

U.S. officials have made efforts to address the God gap, especially in dealings with Islamic nations and groups. The CIA established an office of political Islam in the mid-1980s. Congress passed the International Religious Freedom Act in 1998 to make religious freedom a U.S. foreign policy priority. During the second Bush administration, the Defense Department rewrote the Army's counterinsurgency manual to take account of cultural factors, including religion.

The Obama administration has stepped up the government's outreach to a wider range of religious groups and individuals overseas, trying to connect with people beyond governments, said a senior administration official who spoke on the condition of anonymity.

The effort, he said, is more deliberate than in

the past: "This issue has senior-level attention."

He noted that Obama appointed a special envoy to the Organization of the Islamic Conference and created a new Muslim outreach position in the State Department. In the past year, he said, embassies in Muslim-majority countries have held hundreds of meetings with a broad range of people not involved in government.

To end the "episodic and uncoordinated nature of U.S. engagement of religion in the world," the task force recommended:

- Adding religion to the training and continuing education of all foreign service officers, diplomats and other key diplomatic, military and economic officials. That includes using the skills and expertise of military veterans and civilians returning from Iraq and Afghanistan.
- Empowering government departments and agencies to engage local and regional religious communities where they are central players in the promotion of human rights and peace, as well as the delivery of health care and other forms of assistance.
- Address and clarify the role of religious freedom in U.S. foreign policy. Cizik said some parts of the world — the Middle East, China, Russia and India, for example — are particularly sensitive to the U.S. government's emphasis on religious freedom and see it as a form of imperialism.

# Atheism book found in home linked to fire suspect

DALLAS (AP) — Investigators have seized books on demons and atheism as well as rifles and knives from a home linked to one of the men charged with setting an east Texas church on fire and suspected in a string of similar blazes.

Jason Robert Bourque, 19, and Daniel George McAllister, 21, were arrested Sunday and charged with a single count of felony arson in the torching of the Dover Baptist Church near Tyler about 90 miles

east of Dallas.

Court documents link the suspects to the Feb. 8 Dover Baptist fire and another the same day at the Clear Spring Missionary Baptist Church in nearby Lindale. The churches are among 11 that have burned in Texas this year in suspected arson attacks.

Investigators searching a home Sunday in rural Grand Saline where Bourque's girlfriend and family live discovered paperback books titled "Demon Possession"

and "The Atheist's Way," according to an affidavit filed Tuesday by Texas Ranger Sgt. Brent Davis. Also found were four rifles, three knives and a GPS device at the double-wide manufactured home, the affidavit said.

Bourque also left graffiti in a bathroom stall at a farm and ranch supply store in Tyler that links him to another one of the fires, the affidavit said. Bourque was under surveillance on Feb. 13 when he and his father went into the store,

and security video footage shows him entering the men's bathroom, according to the affidavit.

A day later, investigators discovered a carving on a bathroom stall of an upside down cross with flames and the words "Little Hope was arson," the affidavit said.

The Little Hope Baptist Church in Canton burned on Jan. 1, but the cause of the fire hadn't been stated publicly at the time of the surveillance, according to the affidavit.

## College

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who want to teach here than I have positions," Randall Davis said. "There's no shortage of qualified Christian teachers in this area and we have some of the finest in southern Idaho."

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Rachel Dawson, who is working toward becoming a

teacher, believes the Aletheia style of instruction is perfect for the self-motivated student.

"I took a year at CSI and it was a constant struggle with being in subjects I loved, and wanting to do more, but not feeling challenged," Dawson said. "But here, our introduction to psychology class is about 20 books by the time we're done. Rather than reading a text book, we're reading the actual author's work."

Aletheia is working on its five-year accreditation process through the Northwest Council of Colleges and Universities in Seattle. In the future, as student numbers grow, the campus has plans to move onto 20 acres owned by the Davis family in Jerome.

"We're not interested in being a big university, we're interested in a mission," Randall Davis said. "We are a reform movement to revitalize Christian education at the college level, and in time we'll be able to put it all together."

John E. Swayze may be reached at Swayzef@aol.com.

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# Actor Redford collaborates on New Mexico film program

By Susan Montoya Bryan  
Associated Press writer

SANTA FE, N.M. — Actor and director Robert Redford and New Mexico Gov. Bill Richardson unveiled details Friday of a collaboration that will expand training opportunities for Native Americans and Hispanics interested in filmmaking, the arts and the environment.

Redford and Richardson first announced the “Sundance in New Mexico” idea last spring. In recent months, it has evolved and been given a new name — “Milagro at Los Luceros” — to better reflect that the institute will be a product of New Mexico, rather than just an offshoot of Redford’s Sundance Institute in Utah.

“It’s a name that reflects the spirit of the land and the passion of its people,” Richardson said at a news conference.

The project will be based at Los Luceros, a state-owned hacienda and complex of buildings along the Rio Grande north of Espanola. Besides the historic buildings, the state will use \$750,000 in federal stimulus funds to build a series of eco-friendly lodges where aspiring filmmakers can stay while attending workshops.

Redford and Richardson signed an agreement to formalize the partnership. Redford said he has been committed throughout his life to enabling “underrepresented voices” — particularly those of Native Americans and Hispanics —



AP photo

Actor and director Robert Redford, right, talks about a collaborative with the state of New Mexico to expand training for Native American and Hispanic filmmakers as Gov. Bill Richardson listens during a news conference in Santa Fe, N.M., on Friday. The project is called Milagro at Los Luceros in reference to ‘The Milagro Beanfield War,’ which Redford filmed in northern New Mexico in 1988.

to tell their stories.

Growing up, he said, he watched films that misrepresented American Indian culture and vowed that if he could ever do something to change that, he would.

“What I would like to see in Los Luceros is these cultures telling their stories in their own way, on their own turf,” Redford said. “They’re not over at Sundance telling these stories. They’re here where their cultures were raised. This environment, I think, is very important.”

Milagro at Los Luceros will be like a work-study program.

Participants won’t have to pay for writing workshops or actors’ labs, but they will be

required to give back to the community in some way, whether by fixing fences at the property or encouraging local elementary students through classroom visits.

Beginning in the spring, Los Luceros will host a series of workshops and discussions as well as free screenings of Redford’s “The Milagro Beanfield War,” which he filmed in northern New Mexico in 1988.

There will also be an actor’s lab designed specifically for Native American and Hispanic actors who will be chosen by a panel of professionals after audition workshops around the state. Officials said it will be the first lab of its kind and used as

a national training model for diverse populations.

Richardson described the partnership with Redford as rare.

“It’s extraordinary for a person the caliber and stature of Bob Redford to collaborate with state government to create a new kind of initiative that will address film and film arts as they relate to jobs and jobs training,” Richardson said. “It’s a great gift from Bob Redford to the state of New Mexico.”

Redford said establishing Milagro at Los Luceros is not unlike the beginnings of the Sundance Institute.

“We’re starting in a very humble way and we’ll let it grow,” he said.

## N. Idaho residents irked with Idaho Supreme Court

GRANGEVILLE (AP) — More than 100 northern Idaho residents have signed an angry letter to the Idaho Supreme Court blaming justices for preventing a district court judge from holding drug and mental health courts in rural Clearwater County.

But justices say the residency requirements of district judges that dictate where they can serve is a matter for the state Legislature.

The Idaho Supreme Court in September ruled 2nd District Court Judge John Bradbury was violating the residency requirement for his seat on the bench and must make his primary home in Idaho County rather than Nez Perce County.

Besides Idaho County, Bradbury also covers Clearwater County.

Bradbury has since changed his primary residence to Idaho County, but recently said holding drug and mental health courts in Clearwater County is not possible in winter because of the long, difficult commute in the rugged region.

“We do not believe residence is the issue,” the residents’ letter says. “Judge Bradbury owns a home in Idaho County, pays taxes there, and lives there when he is working there. What is your motive? Have the decency to be honest. This man is your peer, an elected official, and an honorable public servant. He deserves better. We deserve better.”

The drug and mental health courts are special courts that help violators deal with drug or mental health problems so they don’t become repeat offenders.

Barbara Norton, a social worker at Riverside Recovery in Orofino, wrote her own letter to justices.

“We have an extremely high rate of alcohol and other drug abuse and very little treatment,” she told justices. “However, we have been working very hard against a lot of opposition to change this and Judge Bradbury has been the main reason that we have gotten any help that is so desperately needed here.”

## Oregon community comes together against supremacists

By Abby Haight  
Associated Press writer

PORTLAND, Ore. — A community hall in Eastern Oregon couldn’t hold all of the local residents who showed up Friday to voice concern that a swastika-wearing white supremacist might move himself and his followers to the town of John Day.

In a session streamed live on the local newspaper’s Web site, one resident after the other was emphatic: The Aryan Nations was not welcome in their community.

Not present was the white supremacist who started it all: Paul R. Mullet, who strolled into town last week claiming he was the leader of the Aryan Nations and he was going to move the group’s headquarters there.

It’s been clear for a week Mullet is unwanted. He can’t even find a real estate agent to help him find property.

On Friday, a civil rights leader who helped bankrupt the Aryan Nations in Idaho a decade ago said he had never seen such swift and complete community opposition.

“What you’ve all done is spoken with one voice, and there’s no way hate can penetrate that kind of unity,” Tony Stewart told the 300 residents who filled the community center Friday morning in Canyon City, near John Day. Another 150 were turned away and told to come back for a second gathering Friday evening.

Like Hayden Lake, where Richard Butler once built an Aryan Nations enclave, Grant County is a sparsely populated area far from cities — 198 miles from Portland and 147 miles from Boise. Its largest town is John Day, with about 2,000 residents, and just 7,000 residents are scattered over more than 4,500 square miles, much of it forested federal land.

The ranchers and woodsmen of Grant County have reputations as strong-willed and independent. Those traits have been tested by an unemployment rate of almost 16 percent — the highest in Oregon — and the death of the timber industry. Young people have been forced to leave to simply



Photo courtesy of Blue Mountain Eagle

This Feb. 20 photo shows protesters in John Day, Ore. A community hall in eastern Oregon couldn’t hold all of the local residents who showed up Friday to voice concern that a swastika-wearing white supremacist might move himself and his followers to the town of John Day. In a session streamed live on the local newspaper’s Web site, one resident after the other was emphatic: The Aryan Nations was not welcome in their community.

find a job.

Grant County also is one of the West’s most stunning regions, home to the John Day Fossil Beds National Monument, the shimmering reds and ochre of the Painted Hills, and the John Day River.

“This is paradise,” real estate agent Kathie Stoddard said in a telephone interview with The Associated Press. “We live here with less. It’s a trade-off for the quality of life.”

That’s why Stoddard, a resident for almost 20 years, was at her office after business hours earlier this week, running off copies of a flyer made by her 12-year-old son, Kody. The sheet read: “No hate. No Aryan Nations. No neo-Nazis. God made everyone.”

Kody had taken a stack of the leaflets to hand out on John Day’s main street. He’d run out.

When Mullet visited John Day with a couple of followers Feb. 17, he was happy to hand out his business card and even dropped by the Blue Mountain Eagle, a weekly newspaper with 3,500 circulation, to talk about his plans to buy a downtown property.

Mullet, from Athol, Idaho, told the newspaper he wanted to create a homeland for white people in the Pacific Northwest. The group’s Web site seethes with hatred toward nonwhites and promotes an all-white “state,” with its own government and military.

Eagle editor Scotta Callister is a lifelong newspa-

perwoman who moved to Grant County three years ago from a Portland suburb. She knew how important a small newspaper was, not just providing the news but also as a watchdog for its community.

“This is not like a gubernatorial race,” Callister said. “I would have a very hard time being neutral to a hate movement.”

Callister’s story was on the newspaper’s Web site that evening.

The news swept the Internet. In less than a week, three Grant County Facebook groups opposing the Aryan Nations sprang up, with a total of almost 5,500 members.

Mullet, who declined an interview request from The Associated Press, told Oregon Public Broadcasting that he was not put off by the opposition and still plans to move to Grant County.

Grant County thinks otherwise.

Dozens of people, from fifth-generation ranchers to town-dwelling newcomers, have rallied against the racist group. At lunchtime Friday, about 100 people waved signs at the town’s only stop light, and drivers passing by honked their horns.

John Day Mayor Bob Quinton was not surprised by his community’s response to the Aryan Nations.

“That group keeps saying their values line up with ours and we’re scratching our heads, trying to understand which values those are,” he said.

## DEATH NOTICES

### Margaret E. Kulhanek

BURLEY — Margaret Ella Kulhanek, 83, of Burley, died Saturday, Feb. 20, 2010, at the Cassia Regional Medical Center.

The funeral will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 6, at the Burley LDS 3rd and 7th Ward Church, 2200 Oakley Ave.; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday, March 5, at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley, and 1 to 1:45 p.m. Saturday at the church.

### Robert L. Hoobler

FILER — Robert L. Hoobler, 84, of Filer, died Sunday, Feb. 21, 2010, at his home.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, June 25, at the Hansen Assembly of God Church (White Mortuary).

### Gaylord Phillips

HEYBURN — Gaylord Phillips, 93, of Heyburn,

died Thursday, Feb. 25, 2010, at St. Luke’s Magic Valley Medical Center in Twin Falls.

Arrangements will be announced by Rasmussen Funeral Home of Burley.

### Edna C. Castro

Edna Carlene Wright Castro, 67, of Twin Falls, died Wednesday, Feb. 24, 2010, at her home.

Arrangements will be announced by White Mortuary in Twin Falls.

### Walter J. Kaster

BUHL — Walter John Kaster, 72, of Buhl, died Thursday, Feb. 25, 2010 at St. Luke’s Boise Hospital. Arrangements will be announced by White Mortuary in Twin Falls.

### Denis M. Vitek

RUPERT — Denis Melvin Vitek, 55, died Monday, Feb. 22, 2010, in Rupert.

Arrangements will be announced by Hansen Mortuary Rupert Chapel.

## SERVICES

**Jean Taylor Leavitt** of Jerome, funeral at 10 a.m. today at the Melba LDS Church; visitation from 9 to 9:45 a.m. today at the church (Zeyer Funeral Chapel in Nampa).

**Clifford Gregorio Williams** of Nampa and formerly of Twin Falls, memorial service at 10 a.m. today at the First Church of the Nazarene, 601 16th Ave. S. in Nampa (Alsip and Persons Funeral Chapel in Nampa).

**William Eugene Kevan** of Twin Falls, memorial service at 10 a.m. today at Parke’s Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls.

**Alice A. Sammons Anderton** of Hagerman, funeral at 11 a.m. today at the Methodist Church in Wendell; visitation one hour before the funeral today at the church; interment at 3 p.m. today at Sunset Memorial Park in Twin Falls (Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel).

**Peggy Osborn Hoogenboom**, formerly of Jerome, celebration of life at 11:30 a.m. today at Valley Life Community Church, 6325 N. Locust Grove Road in Meridian.

**Marilynn Clayton Baker** of Burley, funeral at 1 p.m. today at the Burley LDS 2nd and 4th Ward Church, 515 E. 16th St.; visitation from noon to 12:45 p.m. today at

the church (Rasmussen Funeral Home in Burley).

**Randolph King Sr.** of Twin Falls, memorial at 2 p.m. today at the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah’s Witnesses, 2528 Whispering Pine Drive in Twin Falls.

**Ervin W. Hoagland** of King Hill, memorial service at 11 a.m. Monday at the VFW Hall in Glenns Ferry (Rost Funeral Home, McMurtrey Chapel in Mountain Home).

**Linda Blakeslee** of Boise, funeral at 11 a.m. Monday at the Boise LDS 16th Ward Chapel, 6711 Northview; visitation from 9:30 to 10:45 a.m. Monday at the church (Zeyer Funeral Chapel in Nampa).

**Sheldon Leroy “Buzz” Blunt** of Jerome, funeral at 11 a.m. Monday at the Jerome LDS 7th Ward Chapel, 50 E. 100 S.; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday at Farnsworth Mortuary, 1343 S. Lincoln in Jerome, and one hour before the funeral Monday at the church.

**Tina Marie Gonzalez** of Jerome, celebration of life at 2 p.m. Monday at the Faith Assembly of God in Twin Falls (Serenity Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls).

**Ava Jean Stockham Beck Pearson** of Prescott, Ariz., and formerly of Wendell and Jerome, funeral at 2 p.m. Monday at Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl.

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## Weeklong extension on sage grouse finding granted

CHEYENNE, Wyo. (AP) — A judge in Boise has extended the deadline for the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service to submit an endangered species finding for the greater sage grouse.

The deadline had been Friday. Attorneys for Fish and Wildlife requested a one-week extension after agency Director Sam Hamilton died last weekend.

U.S. District Judge B. Lynn Winnmill granted the

request Thursday.

The deadline stems from a lawsuit filed by an Idaho group, Western Watersheds Project, seeking protection of sage grouse as an endangered species.

Sage grouse are found in Wyoming, Nevada, Montana, Colorado, Utah, Idaho, Washington, Oregon, California and the Dakotas. Biologists say the chicken-size has been in decline due to loss of its sagebrush habitat.

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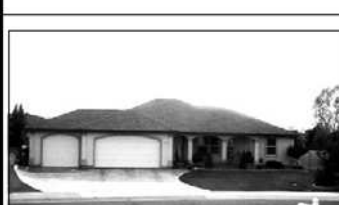
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Directions: West on North College Rd (just off Grandview), Left on Silver City Way, East to Starlight Loop. FOLLOW SIGNS




**10:00-12:00 PM**

**1039 Caswell, Twin Falls**  
Great 3 bedroom, 2 bath home features new carpet and paint. Great family neighborhood. MLS#98422797  
Host Jordan Beard 420-5709  
**\$137,500**  
Directions: West on Filer Ave. to Branchville, turn W to Caswell Ave., turn West. FOLLOW SIGNS




**11:00-1:00 PM**

**204 Long Island, Twin Falls**  
Lovely 2 bedroom, 2 bath townhome. Close to Snake River Canyon, shopping & medical care. MLS#98425347  
Host Diana Whitney 731-3588  
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Directions: Pole Line to Canyon Crest, turn to New Hampshire, turn left. FOLLOW SIGNS




**12:00-2:00 PM**

**905 Del Mar Drive, Twin Falls**  
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Host Carolyn Cutler 420-3381  
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**1448 Sommer St., Twin Falls**  
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**573 Park Terrace, Twin Falls**  
Recently updated 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with RV parking area. MLS#98422156  
Host Lilly Dapp 212-7719  
**\$124,900**  
Directions: North College Drive to South on Park Terrace. FOLLOW SIGNS




**1:00-3:00 PM**

**1523 Borah Ave. E, Twin Falls**  
Newly refurbished 3 bedroom, 2 bath home close to schools and city pool. MLS#98413494  
Host Jim Bells  
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Host Ellis Pruitt 308-0629  
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**2:00-4:00 PM**

**3271 N 3000 E, Twin Falls**  
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Host Aaron Walker 404-9495  
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Directions: South on Blue Lakes to 3271 N on the West side of Blue Lakes (3000 E)




**2:00-5:00 PM**

**1443 8th Ave. E, Twin Falls**  
Log home with secluded backyard with hot tub and decking. MLS#98421293  
Host Dorothy Geist 280-1087  
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Directions: Corner of 8th Ave. E and Locust St. FOLLOW SIGNS




**2:30-4:30 PM**

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## RENTAL PROPERTIES

### 0602 Unfurnished Homes

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**TWIN FALLS** 208-329-3296. Call for our 3 bedroom, 2 bath, w/stainless steel appliances. Only \$875 per month.

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### 604 Unfurnished Apartments

**GOODING** 2 bedroom, 1 bath, available March 24<sup>th</sup>, no smoking, no pet, \$550/mo. + \$500 deposit. Call 208-308-6804

**HANSEN** Move in special 1/2 off 1<sup>st</sup> months rent & dep. 1 bdrm, 1 bath, water & trash paid. No pets. \$400 month + \$400 dep. 212-1678

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Laurel Park Apartments  
176 Maurice Street Twin Falls  
734-4195

**JEROME** 709 E. Ave. D #2. 2 bdrm, 1 bath. \$545 month + deposit. Call 208-539-1403

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**KIMBERLY** Partly furn clean 1 bdrm, \$440 month + \$250 dep. Call 208-423-9650.

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**TWIN FALLS** clean, newly decorated, 1800 sq ft, 3 bdrm, 2 bath, all electric, incld all appls, W/D hookup, water/sanitation paid, garage, near CSI, no pets or smoking. \$785 + deposit. Call 208-420-8694 or 208-420-8935.

**TWIN FALLS** Small 1 bdrm duplex, close to CSI, W/D. \$295 + dep. No smoking/pets. Call 208-431-7387.

## AGRICULTURE

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**BASENJI AKC** Reg. Puppies, papered. 5 weeks old, 1 girl, 4 boys. \$300. 208-735-1947. (Twin Falls)

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**STRAW** 250 large bales. Call 208-678-0597

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**TWIN FALLS** 1<sup>st</sup> month free 1 & 2 bdrm apts/townhomes Call 208-734-6600

**TWIN FALLS** 2 bdrm apts with all apts in various locations, \$525-\$595. Call 208-539-6913

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**TWIN FALLS** 2 bdrm, carpet, new carpet/paint, air, no pets/smoking, by CSI, need refs, \$500. 732-5408

**TWIN FALLS** 2 Bdrms, 1 Bath Nice Apts, Only \$495-\$535, 734-4334 Honey Locust Ln Included Water, No Pets

**TWIN FALLS** 3 bdrm, 2 bath no smoking/pets CLEAN, CUTE \$850 mo. 641 Beta St. 208-420-6242

**TWIN FALLS** Attractive 2 bdrm duplex, very clean, appls, garage, no drugs/pets. \$580+ dep. 733-2546

**TWIN FALLS** Brand new 2 bedroom, 1 bath apts, \$624-\$680 Close to CSI campus. For more info call 208-735-1180.

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**TWIN FALLS** Clean, quiet, large studio apt, \$400 mo. + \$200 dep. Utilities incld. 208-404-9830

**TWIN FALLS** Lg 3 bdrm, 2.5 bath near CSI. Fenced yard, fireplace, garage, incl appl, W/D hookups. Pets ok \$700/\$500 dep. 734-4726

**TWIN FALLS** Move-in special 1/2 off 1<sup>st</sup> mos rent & dep. 1 bdrm, 1 bath, all utils pd, \$550 + \$550 dep. 2 bdrm, 1 bath, no pet, \$525 + \$525 dep. 208-212-1678

**TWIN FALLS** Newer 2 & 3 bedroom 2 bath apartments. Corner of 4th & Madrona Starting at \$600 mo + dep. 1/2 off 1<sup>st</sup> months rent Call 208-961-1445

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**TWIN FALLS** Very nice, large duplex, with spacious living & dining room. Fully equipped kitchen, cozy family room, 2 bdrm, 2 bath, sun room, garage & lots of storage. Located on quiet street with peaceful views. Yard care furnished. No smoking/pets. \$800 + security dep. 595 Mountain View Dr. 208-733-9685 or 208-308-1815

### 605 Rooms For Rent

**TWIN FALLS** AC, cable, W/F, all utils. Paid. Weekly/monthly rates. 1341 Kimberly Rd. 208-733-6452. www.capriextendedstay.com

## MISCELLANEOUS

### 802 Appliances

**RECLINER** leather chair, burgundy, like new, 2 years old. \$300. 208-735-6270

### 824 Guns & Rifles

**SMITH & WESSON** MP15PC 223 cal. 6x24 scope, extra 20 round clip, \$1300. Similar to M-16. 731-6852

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### 901 ATVs



**KAWASAKI** '97 Mule, 4x4, cab & windshield, heater, new tires, no off road use, 1 owner, very clean \$1100. 208-320-4058

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**TWIN FALLS** Furnished, clean, quiet sleeping room. TV, cable, refrig, microwave, laundry & kitchen privileges, all utils included. NO pets. 734-8226 or 410-7331

**TWIN FALLS** Newer home, Cand-leridge sub'd, utils incl. No smoking \$350 + \$350 dep. 734-9901

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**TWIN FALLS/BURLEY-RUPERT** All utils pd, free cable & Internet. No dep No credit check. Starting \$450 208-731-5745 or 208-431-3796

### 606 Mobile Homes

**JEROME** 4 bdrm, 2 bath, completely refurbished, like new, on 3 acres. \$750. 208-734-9704 or 320-7599

**RUPERT** small 2 bdrm mobile home, near Minidoka. \$300 month + deposit. Call 208-531-5662.

**TWIN FALLS** Cute small 1 bdrm, 1 bath, W/D, no pets, quiet country park. \$360 + \$375 dep 320-8496

### 607 Office and Retail Rentals

**TWIN FALLS** 3080 sq. ft. Office/Retail facility, whole or part. Avail 7/1/10 at 639 N. Washington St. Great lease rates. Contact John at 736-9919.

**TWIN FALLS** 448 Locust St. S. Handicap accessible bathroom, Central heat and air, ample parking. \$375/month + \$375 down. Call 208-734-8320

**TWIN FALLS** 734-4334 Offices, Retail Spaces Shop with Bay Door & Dock Great Location in TF & Jerome. Various Sizes at Great Prices

**TWIN FALLS** For lease or sale (lease option) 2130 sq. ft. professional office space in premier location at Blue Lakes Office Park. Ground floor, excellent visibility with ample parking. 208-736-1004

### 608 Commercial Property

**BUHL** 7500 sq ft shop/warehouse, lg offices, parts counter, fenced yard, Heating/AC, 1 acre. Call 208-961-8327 or 208-733-6339.

**TWIN FALLS** 1600 sq ft warehouse with large office, \$700/month. 5600 sq ft shop \$1250 month. Call 208-539-7426.

**TWIN FALLS** 2000 sq. ft. shop with office. For more information call 208-734-9288 or 208-421-2832.

**TWIN FALLS** Established Hair & Nail Salon. 1500 sq ft on Blue Lakes North. Call 208-420-8881

### 610 Storage/Warehouse

**BURLEY (CENTRAL)** Warehouse Space Avail. 25,000 sqft, 3 offices, toilets, truck level loading, heat, natural lighting. Outside storage, 4 bay, high clearance truck garage. \$12/sq ft, min. Larry 678-3840.

### 614 Wanted To Rent

**BURLEY, IDAHO** Looking to rent a house on the river for one day on July 03, 2010 for my wedding! I want an outdoor wedding, so I don't care as much about the house, just the yard! Need a large lot. Will pay too dollar. Call me at 602-327-7324 for more info

### 616 Roommates Wanted

**TWIN FALLS** Roommate wanted, own room, \$250/mo. + half utils. Avail. now. Call 208-731-0852

## NOTICES

### SUMMONS By Publication

TO: CARLOS ALEJANDRO VERGARA

You have been sued by Janna Cheyenne Monge, the plaintiff, in the District Court in and for Elmore County, Idaho, Case No. CV-2010-15. The nature of the claim against you is for divorce. Any time after 20 days following the last publication of this Summons, the court may enter a judgment against you without further notice, unless prior to that time you have filed a written response in the proper form, including the case number, and paid any required filing fee to the Clerk of the Court at 150 South 4<sup>th</sup> North, Mountain Home, ID 83647, 208-587-2133 and served a copy of your response on the plaintiff, whose mailing address and telephone number are: 2255 East 8<sup>th</sup> North, Mountain Home, ID 83647, 208-587-2121. A copy of the Summons and Complaint can be obtained by contacting either the Clerk of the Court or the plaintiff. If you wish legal assistance, you should immediately retain an attorney to advise you in this matter.

DATED: 28 January 2010

Elmore County District Court

By Deputy Clerk

PUBLISH: February 6, 13, 20 and 27, 2010

## NOTICES

### 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

### LEGAL ADVERTISING

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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.

### SOUTH CENTRAL COMMUNITY ACTION PARTNERSHIP WEATHERIZATION

### LEGAL AD

South Central Community Action Partnership (SCCAP) will be accepting sealed material bids for cellulose and fiberglass blown-in insulation; batt fiberglass and duct insulation and vinyl windows. Specifications for material will be available at 550 Washington St. South, Twin Falls, ID. Contact: Randy Wright, (208) 733-9354. All bids must be mailed to P.O. Box 531, or hand delivered to 550 Washington St. South, Twin Falls, ID 83303 by March 19, 2010, 4:00 p.m. MST. Bids received after 4:00 p.m. MST will not be accepted. No bidder may withdraw his bid after the hour set for the opening, which will be March 22, 2010, 10:00 a.m. MST at 550 Washington St. South, Twin Falls, ID. SCCAP reserves the right to split or reject any or all bids, or to accept the bid deemed best for the SCCAP.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### 101 Lost and Found

**FOUND** Border Collie, female, timid, black collar. Found north of Gooding. Call 208-961-0066.

**FOUND** Labs (2) males, black and yellow, both have collars. Found 2 1/2 miles outside of Bliss on I-84. Call 226-1999 or 604-3060

**FOUND** male puppy on the Paul highway. Call 260-1646 to identify. If not claimed will be adopted out.

**FOUND** Schnauzer on east Baseline in Rupert area. Groomed, aged. 431-2149 or 431-3149

**FOUND** Black Lab, 1 year old, male, small white marking on chest, lost SW of Twin Falls. 208-420-2078

**FOUND** Border Collie male, black/white, leather collar. Could have been lost on Eastland Dr. N., in TF 215. Grandkids miss him so much! \$100 REWARD. Call 208-436-0644 or 208-431-0644.

**FOUND** CAT, white female with large tabby spots. May have hithinked in the Mini-Cassia area. \$100 reward. Call Christine 208-431-7387.

**FOUND** Heeler mix, male, less than 1 year old, neutered, last seen 6 miles S of Strevell. Sightings near Geothermal Rd. in Almo Finding his way home to Paul. Black/white, long legs, large ears, black mask around his eyes, white tip on his tail, 2 front legs are white with black freckles, answers to "Blackie" not wearing a collar. Scared. If you've seen him please call 208-878-4835 or 219-0776, we will pick up. Reward!

**FOUND** iPod touch at Jerome Rec Center. Reward if found. Please call 948-6406.

**FOUND** Jack Russell Heeler mix, white with brown around eyes, 2 1/2 years old, female "Dayzee" Taken out of car on 2/19 at the hospital. Call 208-316-7384.

**FOUND** KITTY short hair, black, female, within town of Shoshone. 208-886-2975 leave message.

See Classifieds Business and Service Directory to assist you in your home repairs. 733-0931.

### 106 Special Notices

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS**  
**Burley Meetings N/S**  
1321 Oakley Ave. #9  
Saturday, 7pm Spanish Speaking.  
Monday-Thursday, 8pm. 219-3403 / 436-5448 / 312-5051 / 679-9414  
**Rupert Meetings-N/S-6<sup>th</sup> & I Street**  
Monday, 8pm & Friday, 8pm.  
2220 E. Ellis, Paul Weds, 12 noon.  
436-9449 / 436-5842 / 432-6718 / 678-9518 / 679-9414

**CELEBRATE RECOVERY**  
Friday, 8pm Dinner, 7pm group.  
Burley Christian Center, 317 W 27<sup>th</sup>  
208-312-2987

**CHOICES FOR RECOVERY**  
Monday, 4-5:30pm  
Minidoka Memorial Hospital,  
1218 8<sup>th</sup> St., Rupert. 431-3741

**CRYSTAL METH ANONYMOUS**  
Monday & Friday, 6:30pm.  
109 E. Main, Burley.  
878-CLUB or 312-4590

**Live & Let Live 12-Step Meeting**  
Opened Freedom Hall  
171 Blue Lakes Blvd S., Twin Falls  
Meetings Daily Noon-1pm.  
Sunday-Thursday 7-8pm  
Call John 208-420-1400

**NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS**  
Sunday-11am-12:30pm  
Sunday-7pm  
Monday-Ladies only, 6-7:30pm  
Monday-8pm  
Tuesday-7pm  
Wednesday-7-8:30pm  
Thursday-7pm  
Friday-7pm  
Saturday-7pm  
220 East Ellis, Paul  
Saturday-9pm  
1230 J St., Heyburn  
MCANA Meeting Info  
208-438-4936

**OSTOMY SUPPORT GROUP**  
Meeting 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of every month  
7-9pm at St. Luke's Hospital on the  
first floor in the Administrative  
Conference Room.  
650 Addison Ave. W., Twin Falls  
Carolyn 208-543-9380

**OVERCOMERS OUTREACH**  
Wed., 6:30-7:30pm, First Baptist  
Church, 2262 Hland Ave., Burley.  
208-678-3678

**Reformers Unanimous Additions**  
Program meets every Friday 7-9pm  
Cornerstone Baptist Church  
315 Shoup Ave. W., Twin Falls  
Classes for all ages and nursery  
Any questions call 208-733-5312

**ROAD 2 RECOVERY**  
Tues. 7:00-8:30pm. 1044 E. Main,  
Burley 208-670-2578

**SUBSTANCE ABUSE RECOVERY**  
**SERVICES** Friday 7pm. LDS Burley  
W. Stake. 2420 Park Ave., Burley  
208-678-3933

**TOPS CLUB**  
ID# 374 Rupert Thursday, 9:30am.  
410 East 3<sup>rd</sup>, Rupert.  
436-8037 or 679-3518

**ID# 256 Burley** Thurs., 5:15-7pm.  
725 Minidoka Ave, Burley.  
678-5959 or 678-2622

**ID# 388 Malta** Wednesday, 5:30pm.  
140 W. Center St., Malta.  
208-645-2438

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## THE FAMILY CIRCUS

By Bil Keane



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"I'm feelin' lonely!"

## 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

**STUDENTS FOR HIRE**  
Part-time jobs wanted Magic Valley High School Dependable, Honest, Diligent, Hard-working, Friendly, Positive, Willing Students After school & weekends. Contributing to the Community. Contact David Brown School 733-8823 or Cell 293-2062

205  
Dairy

**DAIRY**  
Outside Feeder. Must have exp. with equipment, & speak English. Call 7-12am. 208-539-4516

206  
Drivers

## CLASSIFIEDS

It pays to read the fine print! Call the Times-News to place your ad 1-800-658-3883 ext. 2

**DRIVER**  
School Bus Drivers Wanted Western States Bus Call 208-733-8003

**DRIVERS**  
DRIVER OPPORTUNITY for long haul reefers, Class A CDL and minimum 2 years exp. required. Call 208-734-9062

206  
Drivers

## DRIVERS

Simplex Grower Solutions in Jerome and at the Hagerman (Bell Rapids Unit) are looking for **Seasonal Truck Drivers**. A Commercial Drivers License with endorsements are a plus. Please apply at or send resume to: SGS, 150 West Frontage Rd. North, Jerome, Idaho 83338. (208) 324-4357 Fax (208) 324-7666.

207  
Education

## EDUCATION

Filer School District is accepting applications for a **FMS Track Coach** position for the 2009-2010 school year. Salary will be according to the negotiated salary schedule. Position will be open until filled. To apply and be considered for an interview you must complete and submit a classified application available at [www.filer.k12.id.us](http://www.filer.k12.id.us), a resume, and 3 written letters of reference to Filer School District, 700 B. Stevens, Filer, ID 83328 or to [courtney.bingham@filer.k12.id.us](mailto:courtney.bingham@filer.k12.id.us)

## EDUCATION

The Idaho Educational Services for the Deaf and Blind is accepting applications for the following position:  
**Cottage Aide/Bus Monitor** - Duties include but are not limited to supervising children in cottages & supervising students on a bus.

Interested candidates should send a letter of interest, resume, and three letters of recommendations or the names and contact information of three professional references to: ESDB, Dept of Human Resources, 1450 Main St, Gooding, ID 83330 or by fax to 208-934-8352. Attn: HRL

For more information, contact Shelley Comstock at 208-934-4457 EOE/AA. Veterans encouraged to apply.

208  
Farm

**Classified Private Party Ads** Requires pre-payment prior to publication. Major credit/debit cards, and cash accepted. 733-0931 ext. 2 Times-News

209  
General

## GENERAL

Burley Golf Course seeks PT **Delic Cafe Counter Help**. Must have flexible schedule incl. weekends, must be 19 years of age or older. Call 208-878-9807

## GENERAL

Female full-time logistics position for outdoor therapeutic program located 15 miles NE of Gooding. First aid/CPR/valid drivers license req. On call rotation w/ response team. Entry level \$11.29/hr. High school diploma or equivalent. Computer skills required. Send resumes to [ithompson@suws.com](mailto:ithompson@suws.com) EOE drug-free facility

## GENERAL

Join the SL Start Team!! **Now Hiring Support Staff** to assist our adults w special needs **Apply at: 200 2nd Ave North Twin Falls, ID 83301 208-732-0910 EOE**

## GENERAL

Twin Falls County Parks & Waterways is currently accepting applications for **Murtaugh Lake Park Camp Host**. Applications are available at 450 6th Ave W Twin Falls or at [www.twinfallscounty.org](http://www.twinfallscounty.org)

## IRRIGATOR

The City of Wendell is currently accepting bids for the contracted position of **Irrigator**. The job requires knowledge of gravity flow irrigation and the ability to work well with the public. A personal vehicle is required. Bids are being accepted through March 3, 2010 at City Hall, 375 1st Avenue East in Wendell.

## MAINTENANCE

Exp. maintenance worker w/ apt and building maintenance exp. Pickup an application at 653 Rose St. N. Twin Falls

## MANAGER

On-site Manager Needed Resident couple to manage a 95-space family manufactured housing community in Jerome, Idaho. Skilled maintenance abilities helpful. Have the time, ability & desire to know what is going on in the Park. Experience helpful but not necessary. Housing provided. Call 208-788-2817 for more info

## NURSERY

Garden Cents a retail nursery in Rupert has full and part-time positions available. Seeking persons with interest in plants and hard work. Previous experience a plus. Send resume to [employment@gardencents.com](mailto:employment@gardencents.com) by Feb 28<sup>th</sup>, 2010 Pay DOE.

## RESTAURANT

Idaho Joe's is now hiring full-time or part-time **Cooks**. Apply in person at 598 Blue Lakes Blvd, Twin Falls

211  
Medical

## All advertising

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## CAREGIVER

PT Caregiver needed for evening & NOC Shift Residential Care Facility in Twin Falls. Apply in person at Rosetta Assisted Living: 1177 Eastridge Court or Call 208-734-9422

## MEDICAL

Learn **Phlebotomy** 12 hour course being offered March 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> in Burley. For more information Call Wendy 208-785-4801

Times-News  
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208-733-0931 ext. 2

## SUDOKU

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concepts Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

## Concepts Sudoku

By Dave Green

	4	5						
	9							4
6	3	8						
5			6	7			1	
3								6
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1							6	
				3		5		

Difficulty Level ★★★★★

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## Answer to previous puzzle

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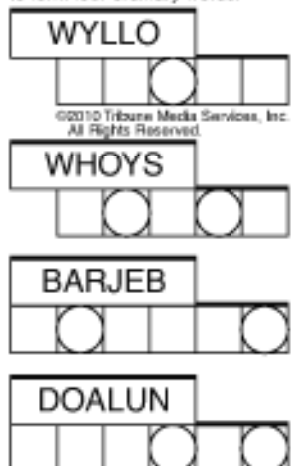
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Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.



Answer here:  TO

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## HOROSCOPE

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Complete trust and honesty always ring true. Pay the price of true love by making amends if you have broken the rules. This could be a providential time to ask for helpful counsel or professional advice.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Lay out a plan of action with the assistance of a trusted ally. You may need to work hard to win approval from someone who has been disappointed by your actions in the past. Forgiveness is possible.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Be the great diplomat. Loved ones are more than willing to accept an apology. Your long-range planning skills are better than usual. No one can pull the wool over your eyes in a business transaction.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Reap rewards. A golden opportunity might be lurking right around the next corner. Move ahead with contracts, deals, and promises. You and a significant someone can make beautiful music together.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): All's fair in love and war. Being fair means making a compromise and being generous when the chips are down and fighting by the rules. This might be a good time to hire a new employee or start a new job.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): The angels may send you a greeting card. The more generous and committed you are to others, the more likely you will enjoy the message. Go ahead; make a promise or put your heart on the line.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Pack a pleasant punch. You are wiser than usual when making plans for the future. If you ask for advice, be sure to follow it. Kiss and make up with someone whose high regard is of great importance.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Go ahead and get hooked on a feeling. An apology won't ricochet back to knock you in the head and no one will make fun of your sincere expressions of love. People will shower you with kindness.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Magic happens even without a wand. You might be blessed with a new acquaintance who offers a helping hand at exactly the right time. Find time to sit down and discuss the future with a loved one.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Busy bees make the best and sweetest honey. You are better at business than you think. Because you know where to look to get an honest appraisal, you are one up on other people who trust to luck.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Plan your future. A happy monetary improvement might be within view. This is the time to collaborate with others. Be exacting about rules, but a creampuff when dealing with a special someone.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Anything worth doing is worth doing well. While there is an inspirational aspect to Jupiter in the sky you can successfully initiate worthy projects. You possess the wisdom needed to attain success.

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DEAR ABBY: My girlfriend is very sweet. The problem is, she wants to have sex with me. I don't think I am ready for that. I also don't know how to approach my parents about this. I really need some help — fast!

— NOT READY  
IN PENNSYLVANIA  
DEAR NOT READY: Your girlfriend may not be as interested in having sex with you as she may be in doing what she thinks you may expect from her. That's why you should have a talk with her and tell her that, at this point, you don't think you are ready. You may find she's relieved to hear it.



DEAR ABBY  
Jeanne Phillips

Because you find this subject too delicate to talk to both your parents about, I recommend you bring it up with one of them — your father, perhaps. You don't have to start the talk by announcing that you're being pressured into sex. Instead, start out by saying there is talk around your school about the number of kids who are having sex and you'd like to talk about it. If he isn't comfortable with discussing this with you — and I'm pretty sure that won't be the case — then talk to a counselor at school about the fact that you need some direction.

DEAR ABBY: My daughter "Kayley" has been asking me to set up a playdate for her and her friend "Julie." I have met Julie's parents on a few occasions — the playground, school events, etc. For some reason, I feel uncomfortable around them. I thought I smelled alcohol on her father's breath when we were at the playground, and he also said some things that seemed inappropriate.

I've been avoiding the playdate request because I know if we invite Julie, she will probably invite my daughter to her house to reciprocate. I don't think I can leave Kayley at their house.

I keep making up excuses, but Kayley is persistent. I don't want to tell her that I'm not comfortable with Julie's parents or the prospect of having her go to their house because I'm afraid she might repeat what I say to Julie. What should I do?

— AT A LOSS FOR WORDS IN MAINE  
DEAR AT A LOSS: Stop making excuses and invite Julie to play at your home. When Julie's mother offers to reciprocate, tell her — sweetly — that you prefer playdates be at your home. Period. Do not be defensive about it, just firm.

P.S. You may be worried over nothing because Julie's mother may not make that offer you're dreading.

DEAR ABBY: My husband, "Ben," is a loving, caring, big-hearted and sincere man, but I have a problem with the way he presents himself in public. His clothing is frequently stained, wrinkled and ill-fitting, and he doesn't seem to care. He even wears clothing with holes and rips. Some of his clothes look like they haven't seen a washing machine in weeks because they're so stained.

I have bought Ben new clothes, but most of the time he puts them away and wears his old, beat-up and grubby things. He gets upset and defensive when I bring it up. Other people have commented about the way he looks and, frankly, sometimes I'm embarrassed to be seen with him.

He's a great guy and I don't want to hurt his feelings, but this really bothers me. I don't want him to look like a fashion plate, but neat and clean would be good. Any ideas on how to deal with this?

— DISAPPOINTED WITH DISHEVELED

DEAR DISAPPOINTED: I do have one. Rather than buying your husband any more clothes he doesn't wear, take him shopping and have him select some items in which he would feel comfortable.

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Bobby Wolff

"Lookers-on see most of the game."

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One of my readers, Jim Beall, sent me a deal that had appeared in print in another bridge column. He added a perceptive comment. See if you can match his analysis.

In a Vanderbilt deal, Ron Smith played four hearts, as did his counterpart, both of whom over-called East's two-spade bid. Both received a top club lead and spade shift.

The unsuccessful declarer won the spade ace and led the heart jack, which ran to West when East showed out. West continued spades and got a second heart trick via a trump promotion on the third round of spades — down one.

By contrast, Smith foresaw what might happen if the opposing hearts were divided 4-0 and immediately played the diamond king and ace, then advanced the diamond jack, pitching his spade, to achieve a Scissors Coup before touching trumps. Now the defenders had no communications for the trump promotion.

As Beall pointed out, as long as declarer believes East began with six spades, I think the unsuccessful declarer should have been able to avoid losing a swing. To avoid the trump promotion, once trumps are known to split 4-0, South must not let the heart jack run to West. Instead, declarer overtakes the heart jack with his ace, takes the diamond king, finesses in diamonds, pitches his losing spade on the diamond ace, and concedes two trump tricks. He risks going down two, but it is his only chance. Today his luck is in!

NORTH 02-27-A  
♠ A 7 6  
♥ J  
♦ A J 5 3  
♣ J 10 9 5 4

WEST  
♠ 9 4  
♥ K 9 3 2  
♦ Q 7 6  
♣ A K 6 2

EAST  
♠ K Q J 10 8 3  
♥ —  
♦ 10 9 8 2  
♣ 8 7 3

SOUTH  
♠ 5 2  
♥ A Q 10 8 7 6 5 4  
♦ K 4  
♣ Q

Vulnerable: Both  
Dealer: East

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
4 ♥	All pass		2 ♠

Opening lead: Club king

## BID WITH THE ACES

02-27-B

South holds:

♠ A 7 6  
♥ J  
♦ A J 5 3  
♣ J 10 9 5 4

South	West	North	East
?		1 ♣	1 ♥

ANSWER: It would be possible to start by cue-bidding two hearts to show a limit raise or better. (Remember, a jump to three clubs is WEAK, neither a limit raise nor a forcing raise.) Better, though, is a jump cuebid to three hearts, showing a game-forcing hand in clubs and a singleton heart — a splinter bid. That lets partner decide on which game to play in, with a good idea about your primary support and heart shortage.

For details of Bobby Wolff's autobiography, "The Lone Wolf," contact kay19072@aol.com. If you would like to contact Bobby Wolff, e-mail him at bobbywolff@mindspring.com. Copyright 2010, United Feature Syndicate, Inc.

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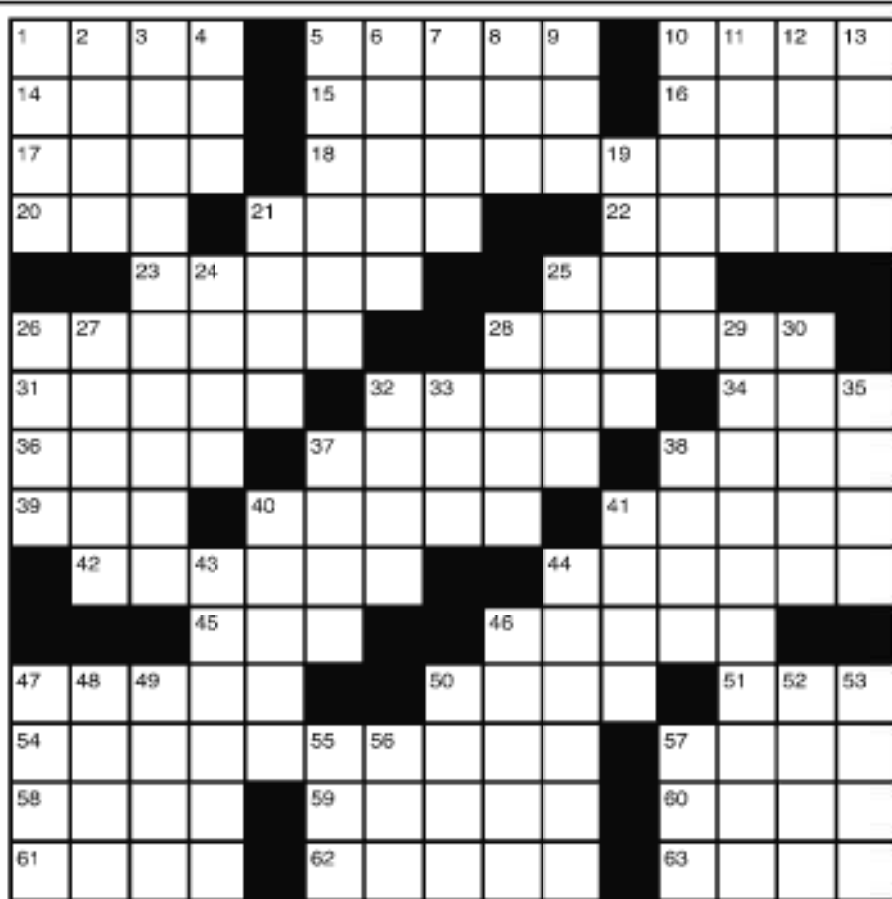


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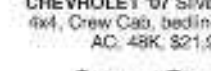
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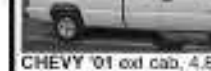
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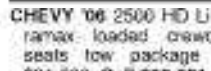
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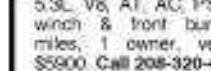
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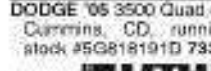
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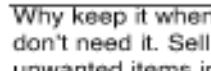
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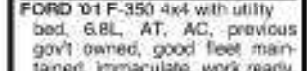
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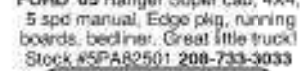
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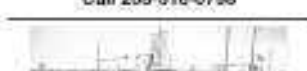
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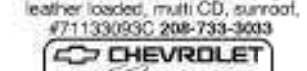
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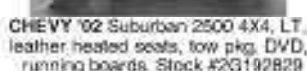
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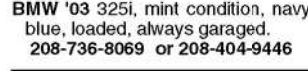
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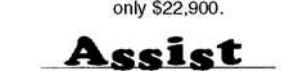
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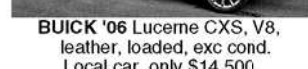
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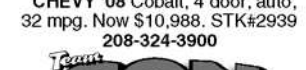
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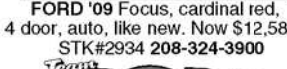
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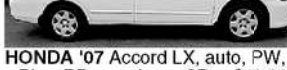
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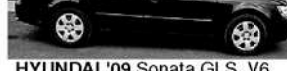
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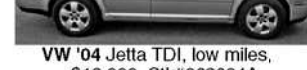
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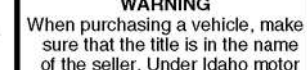
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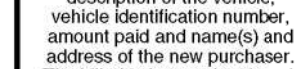
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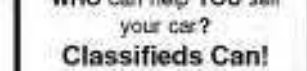
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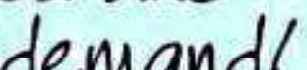
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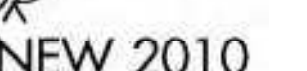
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